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Constantinople, April 20.

The Grand Signior, who was thought to be in a Drop-sie, which carried off his Brother Sultan *Solyman*, is in appearance well recovered. The New Vicer, *Ali Passa*, has, to secure himself, removed out of his way all that gave him any Jealousie; The Passa's of the Army that inclined to make *Halil Passa* Vicer he has cut off, and *Halil* himself, above 80 years old, who refused his Honour, is divested of all his Employments, and an allowance given him to pass the rest of his days in Retirement at *Nardo*; And *Topal Uffne*, late Passa of *Besnia*, is made Seraskier in his place. *Ibrahim* Passa of *Negropont*, who defended that place against the Doga *Morjuni*, and was in Nomination to have been Vicer, is ordered to go Passa to *Bassora*, on the Persian Gulf, on pretence to quiet the Arabs, who have killed their Bassa *Osman* Oglu, and committed great Disorders. *Ismael Effendi*, the Chief Treasurer, a Person very fit for that Office, and Desirous in improving the Grand Signiors Revenues, was imprisoned, his Accounts Examined, and he run danger of losing his Head, but Ransomed it with 100000 Crowns. *Mahmet* Aga, who was formerly Kiah Beg of the Janizaries, and Chief Director of all the Military Affairs, and after the Death of the Janiziar Aga, killed in the Battle of *Stankment*, was advanced to that Station, was at first highly Carested by the Vicer, to whom he was of great Use by reason of the Credit he had in the Army, but the Vicer soon after growing Jealous of him, took this pretext to remove him; The Caravan from *Mecca*, which is always very Rich, being Robbed by the Arabs, he was made Emi-Hatch, or Bassa, to conduct the Pilgrims, and to chastize the Insolence of those that had disturbed them, as being a Person in whose Prudence and Conduct the Grand Signior did very much Confide; And the *Gebegeebithi* was made Janiziar Aga in his room. *Mahmet* was immediately sent away from *Adrianople*, but coming to *Constantinople*, he found his House Sealed up, and his Goods seized upon by the Vicers Order, whereupon he endeavored to escape into *Asia*, but was taken on the 17th of *December*, and Strangled the 24th of *January*, being generally lamented as a Man of great Capacity and Zeal for the publick, and very necessary to the Ottoman Empire in this Coniuncture. On the 7th of *January*, an Ambassador from *Persia* made his Entrance into this City; He was brought from *Scutari* in a Galley, and was met at the Water-side by the *Chiausbashi* and *Chiausfes*, and some Agas of the *Caimacims*; He had an Elephant, and some other Presents for the Grand Signior, and comes purely to make a Complement in return of the Embassy that was sent to *Persia* by Sultan *Solyman*: He would not visit the *Chinacham*, as all Ambassadors do, and went on to *Adrianople*, where he arrived the 27th of *January*, and was conducted to the Palace of *Cara Mustafa* Aga; On the first of *February* he had Audience of the Vicer, and was treated by him at Supper; after which the Vicer would have Vited him and his Followers, but he refused it. The 14th of *January*, *Ibrahim Oglu*, the Captain Passa, was displaced, and made Bassa of *Negropont*, and the *Hafna* Kiah, or Treasurer of the *Seraglio*, who was bred a Page in the *Seraglio*, and never was at Sea succeeds him in the place of Captain Passa, or Admiral; and has Married the Grand Signiors Sister. On the 2d of *February*, *Teckeluy* arrived at *Adrianople* with a retinue of 30 Persons, was met by the *Chiausbashi* and 20 *Chiausfes*; and on the 4th had Audience of the Vicer, and was Vited with a Sables Vest, and 15 of his Followers with ordinary Vests. The 13th of *February*, Captain *de la Rocca*, and his Brother,

who Betrayed the Fortress of *Carabusa* in *Candia* to the Turks came to *Adrianople*, and had an Allowance given them: The Occasion was this; The Noble Venetian, who was Governor of the place, had as he imagined done him some Injury, in Revenge of which, having corrupted some of the Garrison, and agreed the matter with the Turks, he let them into the Town in the Night, and made Slaves of the Governor, and all that were not in the Conspiracy. The Vicer has put out the Horse Tails, intending to depart from *Adrianople* in *April*, to stay some time at *Sophra*, or *Philopopoli*, and to be at *Belgrade* in *June*. He has given Orders for raising 15000 Albanes, and expects 15000 more from other parts, to joyn with 20000 Janizaries, and pretends to have about 40000 Horse; but in all likelihood their Army will not be so numerous as they give out, and will not exceed what it was the last year. They are likewise providing about 100 Gallies and small Vessels, which are to serve on the *Danube*, and to carry 40 and 50 Men each.

Cadix, March 24. The Fleet for *New Spain* will depart from hence in *July* next; the President Don *Pedro Coloma de Canales* being daily expected here from *St. Lucar* to dispatch the same. The 17th instant Sailed out of this Port a *Majorquina* Man of War, with 500 Soldiers for the Service of *Milan*. The 22d set Sail the *Hamborough* Convoy, with several English, Dutch, and Danish Ships in their Company, intending to go North about; as also two Spanish Ships, bound to the *West Indies*. The 2 *Assogues* Ships designed to have Sailed at the same time for *New Spain*, but they were stopp'd by an Express from *Madrid*, and are now to itay till the Fleet goes. The Spanish Armada is fitting out with great diligence. The 600000 pieces of Eight that were designed to have been sent by the last English and Dutch Convoy, but came too late, are now remitted by Exchange to *Flanders*. We do not hear that the French Squadron from *Toulon* is yet come down the *Streights*.

Lemberg in *Poland*, March 27. The King continues still here with the whole Court; but it's believed he will return to *Warsaw* soon after the *Easter* Holidays. He has given Notice to all the General Officers that he intends to go himself at the head of his Army this Summer, and to be early in the Field; and therefore requires them to hasten the Recruits, and their Preparations for the Campaign. He has likewise sent an Envoy to *Rome*, to acquaint the Pope with his Resolution of prosecuting the War with his utmost Force and Vigour, and to desire some assistance from him, towards the carrying it on. Our Frontiers have of late been very quiet, and are like to continue so; the Tartars who were come to *Budziac*, with a design as was thought to make an Irruption in *Podolia*, or some other of our Frontier Provinces, being commanded, as all our Advices assure, to march towards *Hungary* to joyn the Ottoman Army on that side.

Dublin, April 17. On the 6th instant the Lords Justices and Council of this Kingdom began to hear and examine the Claims exhibited before them by such Persons as are comprehended in the Articles of *Limericke* and *Down*, and have since far thrice a Week for the same purpose. From *Corke* we have an account by Letters of the 12th instant, That about 20 Sail of Merchantmen, laden with several sorts of Provisions, (of which they were in great want in those parts) were arrived there under the Convey of the *Swedish Merchant* from *England*; And that they daily expected there the Transport Ships, who are to carry to *Hamburg* the 2000 Irish, that are going into the *Empires* Service. Several Vessels with *Coal* and Provisions are lately arrived likewise at *Waterford*. Monday last being the Anniversary of their Majesties Coronation, was observed here with much Solemnity.

Edinburgh,

Edinburgh, April 15. On Thursday last the *Sheerness* Frigate, Commanded by Captain *Anthony Roope*, with another Frigate of 30 Guns, Anchored within less than Musket Shot of the Bais, and fired upon it both great and small Shot from 8 in the Morning till two in the Afternoon; which bear those within from their low Works, made a Breach in the upper Wall, and broke down their Crane, by which they drew up every thing that was brought into the place; what other damage they suffered we do not know: Their Men appeared but little, lying on the Top of the Hill in Hollow Places; and to save their Boats they had Buried them in the Ground near the Low Fort, so that they could not be seen. They fired some Shot upon the Frigats, (the biggest Guns they have being two nine Pounders) and wounded 4 or 5 of our Men. There are about 20 Men in the Bais, Commanded by one *Grubham*, and the Serjeant that betrayed it.

Falmouth, April 18. The *Crown* Frigate sailed from hence on the 15th instant, with several Merchant Ships bound to the *Downes*. Yesterday arrived here the *Silesia* Merchant, *Benedicke* *Stafford* Commander, laden with Red-Wood, Wax, and Teeth from *Guinea*; whence he came about 9 Weeks ago, and Reports, That another Ship, commanded by *John Broome*, who went out in his Company, had taken on that Coast a French Ship of 14 Guns, and 120 Tun, having on board 150 Negroes, and several Tun of Teeth. He says farther, That the *African* Companies Agent had put 50 Men on board *Broomes* Ship, who made themselves Masters of a French Factory; and that the French Agent was killed in the Action.

Plymouth, April 19. Yesterday came in the *Delphin* Frigate from Cruising on the French Coast, and brought in with her a Vessel laden with Wine and Salt from *France*. Their Majesty's Ships the *Centurion* and *Crown*, are now in this Port with the Merchantmen bound under their Convoy to the Eastward, being stop'd here by the Southerly Winds.

Plymouth, April 21. This day arrived here the *Spanish Alliance* Pacquet-Boat, Captain *Hutchins* Commander, having been put by *Falmouth* by the ill weather. He set Sail from the *Groyn* on the 12th instant, and on the 17th took a French Tartan belonging to *Marseilles*, and bound from *Bordeaux* to *Lisbon*, designed as 'tis thought for a Privateer, having two small Guns, ten Patereroes, and twelve Firelocks. Captain *Long's* Pink came out in Company with the *Spanish Alliance*, and Captain *Hutchins* preserved her from a French Ship that Chaced her on the 15th instant; but they were afterwards seperated in foggy weather.

Deale, April 22. This day came in here the *Portsmouth* Galley, with two Merchantmen, one from *Virginia*, and the other from *Port O* *Port*, and two French Prizes, taken lately on the Coast of *France*.

His Majesty has been Graciously Pleas'd to Create by Patent the Right Honorable Sir *Henry Capell*, Baron *Capell* of *Tewkesbury* in the County of *Glocester*; And He is Styl'd Lord *Capell*.

There are two Mails wanting from *Holland*, occasioned by the violent *Westerly* Winds.

The Master, Wardens, and Assistants of the Trinity House of *Depford* Strand, do give Notice to all Masters of Ships and Vessels, having Occasion to pass in and out at the Spitts, that by reason of a late Alteration in that Channel, we have caus'd the Old Buoy to be removed to the Lower end of the Buzey, and a New Red One to be plac'd about half a Mile distance from the other, upon a Street lying in the best of the Channel; further Notifying to them to be careful to leave both the said Buoys to the Westward of them.

Advertisements.

Historical Collections. The Third Part: In Two Volumes. Containing the Principal Matters which happen'd from the meeting of the Parliament, Novemb. the 3d 1640. to the end of the Year 1644. Setting forth only Matter of Fact in Order of Time, without Observation or Reflection. With Alphabetical Tables. By *John Rushworth*, late of *Lincolns* Inn, Esq. fitted for the press in his Life-time. Printed for *R. Chiswell*, at the *Three Legs* over-against the *Stocks-market*. Will be Published the next Week.

Matter and Motion cannot Think: Or, A Confutation of Atheism from the Faculties of the Soul. A Sermon preached at *St. Mary le Bow*, April 4. 1692. being the Second of the Lecture founded by the Honourable *Robert Boyle* Esq. By *Richard Bentley*, M. A. Chaplain to the Right Reverend Father in GOD *Edward Lord Bishop* of *Worcester*. Printed for *Tho. Parkhurst* at the Bible and Three Crowns in *Cheapside*; and *Henry Mortlock* at the Phoenix in *St. Pauls Church-yard*.

A Sermon Preached at the Assizes held at *Lincoln*, the 6th of *March* last; before the Right Honourable *Sir John Holt*, Kt. Lord Chief Justice of *England*. By *Wal. Leightonhouse*, Rector of *Washingburgh* nigh *Lincoln*, and late Fellow of *Lincoln College*, *Oxon*. Printed for *W. Crook*, at the *Green Dragon* without *Temple-Bar*.

Miscellaneous Essays, by *Monfieur St. Euremont* Translated out of *French*: With a Character by a Person of Honour here in *England*. Continued by *Mr. Dryden*.

Monarchia Microcosmi; The Origin Vicissitudes and Period of Vital Government in Man, for a further discovery of Diseases incident to Human Nature. By *Everard Maynwaring*, M. D. Both Printed for *J. Everingham* at the Star in *Ludgate-street* near the West-end of *St. Pauls*.

At *Batsons* Coffee-House, near *Popes-Head-Ally*, over-against the *Royal-Exchange* in *Cornhill*, on this present Monday, at 5 after Noon, will be sold by Auction, an extraordinary Collection of Pictures, and other Curiosities, and to continue.

At the Auction-house (late *Will's* Coffee-house,) adjoining to the Court of Requests, over-against the Painted-Chamber near *Westminster-hall*, on Wednesday the 27d instant and the following days, at 9 in the morning, will be sold by Auction, a curious Collection of Paintings, most Originals, by the best Ancient and Modern Masters; by *J. Bullord*. Catalogues may be had at the place of Sale.

On Monday the second of *May* will be sold by Auction a Collection of Latin, French, and English Books, consisting of Divinity, History, Physick, &c. at the *Black Lyr* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, amongst the *Woollen-Drapers*. Catalogues are distributed gratis at *Mr. Welds* betwixt the 2 *Temple-Gates*, at *Mr. Clemens* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, and at *Mr. Manships* at the *Black Bull* in *Cornhill*. Book-sellers.

The Plate that was designed to be run for on *Banstead Downs* on Monday the 2d of *May*, will be run for on Tuesday the 10th of *May*.

James Winfield, Son of *Joseph Winfield* of *Enfield* in *Middlesex*, is desired to repair to his Relations there, where he hath some Estate fallen to him.

Off between *Ware* and *London*, on the 17th instant, a Roll of Parchment and Paper Draughts, for Monuments, and a House. Whoever brings them to *Mr. William Stanton*, Secretary by *St. Andrews Church* in *Holborn*, shall have 10 s. Reward, and Charges.

Stray'd out of the Stable of *Thomas Marit* of *Edgworth*, a black bald Gelding, about 15 hands, with one wall Eye, a white Face, all his Feet white, and a whisk Tail. Whoever gives Notice of him to the said *Tho. Marit*, or at the *Six Fells* in *St. James's Hay-market*, shall have 20 s. Reward, and Charges.