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Legborne, May 4.

By a Tartane arrived here in 3 or 4 days from the Coast of Provence, we have advice, that the Count d'Esprey lay still with his Squadron at the Isles of Hieres, and that the French Gallies were fitting at Marseilles, and would be ready to go out by the 9th or 10th of this month. This week came in here a Vessel from Tunis, who met off of Sardinia 10 Algerine Men of War, who were going to join the Ottoman Fleet in the Levant.

Turin, May 12. The Duke of Savoy has found great benefit by the Air at Chieri, which agrees so well with him, that it's hoped his Health will be perfectly re-established in a short time; His Royal Highness continues in the Resolution of going himself into the Field, and the needful preparations are making for that purpose. The Troops of the Milanese will begin their march about the 20th of this month; The Germans have the like Orders; and it's said the general Rendezvous is to be at Vigon. The Enemy are forming a small Camp at St. Brigid near Pignerol, to cover that place; and some other of their Troops are drawing together about Susa.

Vienna, May 13. On the 11th Instant we received Letters from Adrianople of the 30th of March O. S. which give an account, that my Lord Paget, Ambassador from Their Majesties of Great-Britain, had Audience of the Grand-Visier on the last of February, and of the Grand Signior on the 8th of March, and was very favourably received at both; His Excellency was on the 14th at an Assembly of the whole Divan, and was promised another Audience of the Grand-Visier on the 17th, but that very day the said Visier was unexpectedly Deposed for undertaking, as 'twas said, to interpose in favour of the Tetterdar (or Treasurer) who was displaced and imprisoned for Mal-administration, and was in no little danger of being Strangled; The late Visier was only Banished to his House in Nicomedia; Mustafa Bassa, Caimacan of Adrianople, is made Grand-Visier, and his Chihaya (named Osman a Native of Candia) succeeds him in his Employment of Caimacan of Adrianople; and Ismael Effendi, who was formerly Tetterdar, and was disgraced and condemned to pay 400 Purles, is now restored to that Office. On the 20th my Lord Paget visited the Musti, and on the 25th had Audience of the new Visier; The Proposition his Excellency made to him was very well received, and a speedy Answer promised to it. In the mean time the Turks were disposing all things for the Campaign; and the Horse Tail (the Signal of the Grand-Visier's Intention to go into the Field) was hung out the 12th of March; but the Troops did not yet begin to assemble, and 'tis very probable that these suddain Changes among the Chief Officers may much retard their march. The Emperor's Forces in Hungary are marching to the place appointed for their general Rendezvous, and we are told that the chief Command of the Army on that side will be given to the Duke of Croj. The Design upon Bihatz in Croatia seems to be laid aside for the present.

Hydelberg, May 19. On the 16th Instant 2000 French Horse passed the Rhine at Philipsburg, and advanced this way; They are at present between Hockenheim and

Schwetzingen, cutting down and destroying the Corn and Grass, and committing other Spoil. We have now in Garison here Two Regiments of 1200 Men each; and the Regiments of Schonbecke and Hesse-Darmstadt are expected in this day, the Colonel of the first with several of his Officers being already arrived. Two other Regiments, one of Foot, and an other of Horse, are ordered to enter into this place, and Prince Lewis of Baden, who is now at Great-Gartach near Hailbron (where the Confederate Forces do Rendezvous) has written to our Governor the Baron de Hidersdorf to assure him, that if it be necessary, he will march to his relief.

Frankfort, May 20. Some French Troops have passed the Rhine at Philipsburg, but we do not yet certainly hear their number; Several Persons come from Hydelberg, say, that a Detachment of the Enemies Horse had made an Excursion towards the Neckar. The Confederate Forces are drawing together; Those that have their Rendezvous at Gartach, on this side Hailbron, are 13500 of the Circle of Franconia, 12000 of Suabia, 4000 of Bavaria, with the Imperial Hussars and other Troops that had their Winter Quarters about Essingen and in the Black Forest; The greatest part of these Forces are already arrived there, and when the rest are come up, which will be in few days, they will be 35000 Men. The Troops of Saxony consisting of 12000, and 8000 Hessians, are also on their march, and will be joined by the Troops of the Elector Palatin, Mentz, and Munster, which will make 30000; and both these Bodies together 65000 Men.

Cologne, May 22. The last Letters from the Palatinats advise, that 2000 French Horse who came over the Rhine at Philipsburg, were advanced within half a League of Hydelberg, which had alarmed the Country People, and begat a Report, that the whole French Army had passed that River. We have advice, that the Troops of Munster and Neuburg, who are quartered in and about Coblenz, are ordered to march higher up, and to join with the other Confederates. The Baggage of General Fleming, which remained here all the Winter, is now marched towards Brabant, and he himself will follow very speedily to command the Brandenburg Forces on that side.

Hamburg, May 22. We have an account from Dresden, that the Troops of the Elector of Saxony are on their march towards the Rhine. The Letters from Copenhagen, say, that the King of Denmark has ordered several Men of War to be fitted out, for the security of their Commerce.

Paris, May 22. They write from Toulon, that the Count d'Esprey sailed on the 11th Instant from the Isles of Hieres with 22 Men of War, 6 Fireships, and 2 Gallies with Bombs, having sent out two Frigats some days before with Orders, which the Commanders were not to open till they were 6 Leagues at Sea; and that 35 Gallies were gone from Marseilles to join him. The Letters from Brest of the 15th tell us, that on the 11th arrived there 17 Men of War from Port-Louis and Rochfort, and the day these Letters were written, came in several from Dunkirk and Havre-de-Grace, the latter having been in very bad Weather, and received much damage by it. The Duke of Orleans intends to part hence on the 27th or 28th of this month, and to go to Vitre in Britany. 'Tis said here, that the French Army in Germany has orders to pass the Rhine.

Brussels,

Brussels, May 24. The King arrived on Friday last in his Camp near *Digheim*, The Elector of *Bavaria* went the same Evening to wait upon His Majesty. On Saturday His Majesty came privately thither, and having, with the Elector, dined at the Prince *de Vaudemont's*, returned about 4 in the afternoon to his Quarters; and this day his Electoral Highness is gone again to His Majesty's Camp. Lieutenant General *Tamsh* continues encamped with the Forces you had an account of in our last, near *Ghent*; and the Earl of *Atkine*, who arrived here on Wednesday last from *Breda*, and took the next day a Review of the Forces at *Digheim*, has since proceeded on his Journey towards *Liege*, to command the Confederate Troops that are drawing together on that side. The Enemies main Army continues to assemble at *Givry*; and it's said they intend to march from thence in few days to *Leffines*. The Advices from the new Conquests say, that the French King was expected this day at *Cambray*, and to morrow or next day at *Mons*.

From His Majesty's Camp at Digheim, May 25. The King came thither on Friday last in the Evening, and has his Quarters in a House belonging to the Prince of *Taxis*, being about 5 English miles from *Brussels*, and one from *Vilvoord*; His Majesty found encamped here about 20 Battalions of Foot, of which were two Battalions of Dutch Guards, *Churchill's*, *Trelawny's*, *Fitzpatrick's*, *Erle's*, and *Coleingwood's*; The Royal Regiment of Foot, with *Selwin's*, and *Stanley's*, came on Saturday into the Neighbouring Villages, where they are to continue till farther order, by reason of the extraordinary Rains we have had here these 3 or 4 days; Most of the Cavalry and Dragoons are cantoned in the Villages round *Brussels*, staying for better Weather to encamp. The French have a Camp at *Givry* between *Mons* and *Mahuge*; and another at *Mont de la Trinite* near *Townay*; and they give out, that they will shortly have a third up in the *Meuse*.

Hague, May 26. The Burgermaster *Allewyn* was on Saturday last again Examined in the Prison by the Counsellors of the Court of Justice, and this day *Robert*, who has been also a Prisoner for some time, was confronted with him; His Brother is at present kept under a cloister Confinement then he was before; and the States Messengers that guarded him are removed, and the Denaers who guard Common Criminals are put into their stead. Count *Straetsman*, the Imperial Minister, arrived here last night from *Cleves*. Several Regiments of Horse and Foot marched from *Mastricht* on the 21th Instant to join the Troops of *Lige*, &c. that are forming a Camp on the *Meuse*. There are Letters by the last Post from *Germany*, which say, that part of the French Army had passed the *Rhine* at *Philipsburg*; That their Vanguard had appeared to near *Hydelberg*; that they made several Shot at them from the Town; That the Enemy had endeavour'd to pass a little River near a place called *Neckergemund*, about a League from *Hydelberg*, but could not by reason the Bridge was broken down. That the Troops of *Hesse* were marching with all possible diligence to join Prince *Lewis*, who had sent his Adjutant General to *Hydelberg*, to assure them, that he would come to their Relief in case they were Attack'd.

Edinburgh, May 13. Yesterday the Parliament was taken up with hearing a private Cause between the Countess of *Sutherland*, and the Countess of *Weyms*, about an Estate, which after some Debate was committed to the Lords of the Session; and then the Parliament Adjourn'd till Monday. *Nevill Payne* was brought thither two days ago from *Steerin* Cattle, and is now in the *Talbooth*.

Plsmouth, May 16. Their Majesties Ship the *Tork* sailed hence this day for *Spithead*; The 8 each Privateer she brought in on the 12th had 26 Guns mounted, with several Patience, but can carry 36 Guns. The *Maryna* Fleet continues in this Port with several other outward bound Merchant Ships.

Lyn, May 17. This day arrived here several Ships from the Northward, whence they came in Company of about 60 Sail of Colliers bound to *London*; They met divers Scotch Vessels bound home from *Holland* under the Convey of a Dutch Man of War.

Weymouth, May 18. The Fleet of English and Dutch Merchant Ships from *Lisbon*, which had been plying several days to the Eastward and was got as far as the Isle of *Wight* is put back by the contrary Winds, and came in here this day with their Convey

The Master, Wardens, and Assistants of the Trinity-House of Deptford do give notice, that for the more safe guidance of their Majesties and Merchant Ships in and out at *St. Helens* to and from *Spithead*, there is a Bay now laid upon the *Wanai-Sand*, upon which there is about 14 foot at Low-water; The Channel is to the North Eastward of the said Bay, which bears from that upon North-Land North West and South East, and from *St. Helens Church* and the Buoy of the Hoop North East and South West.

Advertisements.

The Letters of the Renowned Father Paul, Confessor of State to the most Serene Republick of Venice, and Author of the Excellent History of the Council of Trent. Written to Cardinal D. I. de Groen, a Noble Protector of France: The Learned Monsieur Gillet, and others; in a Correspondence of divers years. Translated out of Italian by Edward Brown, Rector of *Surridge* in Kent.

A Letter to a Friend concerning the Behaviour of Christians under the various Revolutions of State Government, Both Printed for Rich. Chiswell at the Rose and Crown in St. Paul's Church-Yard.

A Collection of Modern Relations of Matters of Fact concerning Witches and Witchcraft upon the Persons of People. To which is prefixed a Meditation concerning the Mercy of God in preserving us from the Malice and Power of Evil Angels. Written by the late Lord Chief Justice Hale upon occasion of a Trial of several Witches before him. Part I. Price 1s. Printed for J. Harris at the Harrow in the Poultry.

Promptuarium Praxeos Medicæ, seu Methodus Medendi per præcepta celsæ in omnium Medicamentorum Londinensium concinnata, & in ordine Alphabetico digesta. A. Joanne Peckey, M. A. Collegii Medicorum Londinensium Collegæ, Imperialis Henrici Bonwicke, et Insignis Rubri Leonis Cæmeterio Paulino.

Two Discourses; 1. Concerning the different Wits of Men; 2. A brief Discourse concerning the various Sicknesses of Wives, and their respective Remedies at this day commonly used. Delivered to the Royal Society by Wm. Charlton M. D. To which is added in this 3d Edition the Arcand Secrets for Vintners and Wine-Coopers, containing Approved Directions for Conserving and Curing all manner and sorts of Wines, as it is now practised in the City of London. Printed for William Whitwood at the Angel and Bible in Little-Britain.

Written Sermon on 1 John 2. 25. with some other written Papers, and some small Linnen, lost a considerable time ago between Newmarket and Bishop-Stratford. If any one bring the same or the Sermon only to Mr. John Wyatt at the Rose in St. Paul's Church Yard, he shall have 15 s. Reward.

His is to give notice, That John Bush, Pawn-Taker, at the Bell in Charter-House Lane, hath left off his Trade, and all Persons that hath any Goods or Pawns in his Hands are desired to fetch them away by the first of July next, or else they will be exposed of to sale.

Note Signed by White Id Hyter for Sir Stephen Evance and Co partner, dated the first of April for 452 l. 2 s. 11 d. payable to Capt. Edm. Wright or Bearer. Whoever brings the said Note to Sir Stephen Evance House in Lombardstreet, shall have a Guinea Reward.

Several Papers lost out of a Gentleman's Pocket, amongst which were Printed Receipts for African Stock. Whoever brings the said Papers to Mr. Francis Clark, Goldsmith, near St. Dunstons-Church, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

Lost the 20th Instant near Hungerford-Market, a Leather Wallet, and in it a Book of Accounts, with a Parchment Cover, belonging to Mr. Stephen Harris, and several Parchment and Paper-Writings. Whoever brings them to Mr. Nott's, Bookseller, in the Pall-Mall, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Effected out of the Prince of Hesse's Regiment, William Cooke, Henry Jones, Francis Harris, Robert Holloway, Henry Herbert, James Alexander, and some others; If they repair to their Colours at the Tower of London in 14 days, they shall be well received; Or, whoever secures either of them, and sends word to Lieutenant-Colonel Collier at Mann's Coffee-House near Whitehall, or the Main Guard at the Tower, shall receive five Guinea's for each.

Effected from Sir Geo. St. George's Regiment, John Murray a Drummer, a black little Man, aged 26, Henry Smith a little brown haired Man, about 28, Thomas Johnson, a lusty tall Man, about 30, light haired, James Smith a proper Man, about 35, light haired, Samuel Hite, tall, slender, and black haired, about 30, belonging to the Colonel and Major Dillon's Companies. Whoever secures them, and gives notice to the Colonel against the Scotch Arms in Permet street, St. James's, shall have Two Guinea's.

THE new pair for the Signior to pass the Turin, Cheri, a present at His Troop and 'tis said Here is a the German Troops the Pignorel, are fortify of France suffer thro' Vienna, the Imperial Rendevou are with 15 Sa River Tibi of it, but w drawn tog and that th Darube. under Prince bron on the Franco passed the fore Hydel habitants the Barba formerly them, up from then Arms, jo consisted the Town began to and contin Noon, wh another, a fourth the and about thence into themselves The French fed their f Arms, but out sparing Lewis of B gather the the mean tir towards the