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Rome, March 20.

**T**HE Pope gave on Monday last the usual Audiences to the Foreign Ministers; On which Occasion the Ambassador of *Venice* pressed the speedy departure of the Ecclesiastical Gallies for the *Levant*, and received for Answer, That they would in a short time be ready to Sail, with a good number of Land Soldiers; who are already on their march towards *Civita Vecchia* in order to their Embarkation. And that by the Popes Order, the Ambassador of *Malta* had been called upon, to hasten the fitting out the Gallies of that Order, that they might meet at *Messina*, and so proceed together, to joyn the Venetian Fleet. There being now divers Places void in the Colledge of Cardinals, 'tis believed that the Pope will suddenly make a promotion to fill them, to which many at this Court, who consider his great Age, are not wanting to persuade him. Cardinal *Cibo* continues very dangerously ill.

*Milan, March 21.* Our Governor has since his return from *Turin*, given out Orders for a General Review of the Forces of this State, to be held the beginning of the next month. The Recruits arrive every day for the German Forces.

*Lemberg in Poland, March 4.* The Tartars have of late been very quiet on our Frontiers; They pass frequently in small Parties between *Moldavia* and *Caminiec*, to supply the Turks

that are in Garison in the place last mentioned, with Provisions and Ammunition, but some of these have been met and defeated by our Troops who are posted thereabouts: The last week several Prisoners were brought hither, who Report, That the Garison of *Caminiec* is reduced to great Streights, the little Supplies they get from time to time bearing no proportion to the necessities they are under: That they had been long promised a great Convoy from *Moldavia*, but the Tartars, who were to guard it with 20000 Men, being diverted by the Succours they are obliged to send to the Turks in *Hungary*, they had little hopes left of obtaining any considerable Relief by their means. The King of *Poland* continues still at *Zolkiew*; He is perfectly recovered of his late Illness; but seems to have yet no thoughts of returning to *Warsaw*: Several Consultations have been held at the Court about the present State of Affairs in this Kingdom; and upon the whole Matter it is not judged convenient to call another Diet till towards Winter. In the mean time care is taken to Recruit our Forces, and to put them into a Condition to attempt something upon the Enemy this Summer. We hear of late very little of the Muscovites, who, since their last Peace with the Tartars, appear not much concerned about the Affairs of their Neighbours; Their Czar has been to visit some of the remote Provinces of his Dominions, whither his Predecessors used to go very rarely, and designs to spend most of this Summer in the like Progresses.

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