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Pendennis, May 25,
THe Wind being for some dayes easterly, has brought about 50 sail of ships into this Port, most of them laden with Wines from *Bourdeaux* and other parts of *France*. One ship belonging to the Grand Party, some from *Bilboa* with Wool and Iron, and 2 from *Barbado's* bound for *London*. We hear of a great Fleet of Dutch Merchants beeing at Sea between the Lands end and the *Lizard*, many of them much damaged by foul weather.

Falmouth, May 17. The 14th instant came in here a French ship, with her lading of Salt fr'm *Rochele*, informing us that several Men of War have lately put to sea from those parts, some of them bound for *Canada*, some for the *East-Indies*, and others for *Thulon*.

This Morning arriv'd here a Dutch Man of War of about 46 Guns, having under his Convoy about 40 sail of Merchants ships of *Holland*, *Lubeck*, and *Hambourgh*, which came fr'm *St. Hubes* and *Lisbonne*; some of which are put into *Monnis Bay*, and this Harbour; others of them are still out at sea, but 'tis believed may also make this Port.

Smirna, April 1. Letters from *Constantinople* bearing date the 20th of *March*, tell us of great disturbances there amongst the Janissaries, which ended to a General Revolt, nothing being more talked of amongst them than their intentions to depose the Grand Signior, and to chuse another in his room. Since the receipt of these Letters, a Courier is here arrived, bringing News, that the Grand Signior's two Brothers have been privately put to death, and that the Janissaries are tumultuously gotten into Arms.

Madrid, May 3. The King continues in a good disposition of health, and has frequently appeared so in publick, to the great satisfaction of the people; and has been visited and complemented by the foreign Ministers residing in this Court.

Don Juan continues his Residence at *Guadalaxara* and the Councils frequently meet here for his satisfaction in all particulars; especially for regulating the Finances; and reforming the abuses too frequently committed by the Officers; and 'tis believed they will devise of some effectual ways of easing the people from a great part of the Tributes and Exactions with which they are now charged.

Rome, Ma 4. The Pope has been lately somewhat indisposed, but is again recovered. Upon intelligence given him that the French succors designed for the relief of *Candia* were much advanced, and that the Fleet might in little time put to sea upon the Expedition, he immediately ordered his Nephew *Fra Vincenzo Rospioglio* to be in readiness to put to sea with the Gallies; who presently ordered his Baggage to be sent to *Civita Vecchia*, to be there imbarked.

The Pope on Wednesday last went again into the Quirinale, and 'tis said will in few dayes proceed to a promotion for the supplying of the Vacancies in the Colledge of Cardinals; and 'tis observed that these is of late a greater familiarity and correspondence than formerly between the Cardinals *Chigi* and *Rospioglio*. The principal *Candia* officers for the vacant Capps, are said to be *Montegnor Altieri*, *Pallavicino*, *Cerri*, and the Abbots *Felice* and *D'Albret*.

On Monday last the Pope gave a Visit to the Queen of *Sweden*, with whom he was pleased to entertain a long discourse upon the present state of affairs of the several parts of the Christian World.

His intentions are still zealously bent for the relief of

Candia, by whose Orders the Gallies are hastened out, and considerable numbers of the ablest soldiers daily sent to *Civita Vecchia*, whither from thence imbarked upon his Gallies. He daily expects here the arrival of Signior *Hippolito Conturione* from *Genova*, that he may upon Conference agree with him to joyn the said Gallies under his Command with the rest of the Fleet designed to assist the Republick of *Venice* against the *Turks*.

Father *Marini* the General of the *Dominicans*, being dangerously ill, with little hopes of recovery; almost all the Cardinals have visited him; and yesterday the Pope was pleased to send his own Confessor upon the same Errand.

Milan, May 8. Our Governour the Marquis de *Los Balbages Spinola*, has been much pressed by the Pope to shew away such succors as are designed to be sent out of his Government for the assistance of the *Venetians*; but if the men could not be in readiness to be sent with the Fleet designed for that Expedition, that then a considerable sum of moneys might be advanced, to be employed with a proportion of Ammunition for that service; which the Governour not being authorised to do without Order from the Court of *Spain*, has dispatched thither a Courier for Orders.

We have long expected the arrival of the Duke d' *Osuna*, sometime since nominated by the Court of *Spain* to succeed in the Government of this place and *Dutchy*; but upon the long delay of his coming, we now begin to doubt of his acceptance of this Employment; and 'tis since reported that upon farther consideration he is still to continue his Vice-Royalty of *Catalonian*.

Dan *Gaspare Rastrelli* returning lately from *Genova*, where he was employed to view the Fortifications of that Republick; is gone from hence, intending for *France* to view and take order for the well fortifying of the several Garrisons of that Province.

From *Tyryn* we are told, that Colonel *Herborne*, who commanded the *Savoy* forces in *Candia*, was returned thither to levee men for the recruit of his Companies, and that he intended in few dayes to embark himself again for the *Levant*, with several Officers of *Piedmont*; who have freely offered to follow him, and to serve under him in that Warre.

From *Florence* we are told, that the Great Dukes Gallies which were cruising in the *Mediterranean*, have by ill weather been obliged to put in at *Porto Ferraro*; and that the *Venetian* Resident in that Admiralty had hired a stout Ship, which was to be laden with Ammunition, and a quantity of Powder assigned to him by the Republick of *Lucca*, and lay ready to sail with the first fair Wind, intending for *Candia*.

Hambourgh, May 20. An Coyner of false moneys was some days since apprehended here; and upon his Examination condemned; and is to be executed on Friday next. Two other persons whose accomplices are since imprisoned; and a person of no mean quality of this City, upon notice of their apprehensions, was absent himself, and thereby given an occasion to suspect him guilty of the same Crime. 'Tis believed the Fleet which lately sailed hence for *Moscovy*, may have been much imposed on by these persons, and may have a considerable quantity of this false Moneys sent up to them; which 'tis feared may upon their arrival much prejudice our Commerce, if timely care and discovery prevent it not.

From *Wormes* we are informed of the arrival there of Monsieur *Colbert*, sent thither by His most Christian Majesty,

jesty, where is also expected the *Sieur Bauchel* from the King of *Sweden*, to consult about the Explication of the *Laudum*; whither and for which purpose the Bishops of *Wormes* and *Speyer*, with the Nobility, have sent also their Deputies, but as yet 'tis not known who is to be sent from the Prince Elector Palatine.

The Elector of *Mayence* is resolv'd to continue his Residence all or the most part of this Summer at *Wurtzbourg*.

Letters of the 16th instant from *Warsaw*, inform us, that the Senators and other Members of the Assembly have agreed upon and taken the Oath to proceed according to their Conscience in the Election of a Successor to the Crown, and not to suffer themselves to be corrupted by bribes or any other means to transfer their voices, contrary to what they shall judge to be the true interest of the Nation; and that a motion had been made to make inquiry by what persons and upon what arguments King *Casimir* had been induced to his Resignation, and who they were that most pressed to hasten the Election of a Successor.

After several Debates and Contentions about the election of a Marshal or Speaker for the Nobles, they at the last agreed upon the *Sieur Potofsky*, Son to the deceased Marshal of that Name, who has accordingly taken his place.

'Tis much feared that the Tartars have an intention to give the Assembly some disturbance by an Invasion, and 'tis firmly reported, that the Cossacks begin already to repent themselves of the Obedience they promised the Turk, into which they were subtilly drawn in and inveigled by their General and his Party.

They farther write, that the 18th instant the States of *Poland* have resolv'd to give Publick Audience, in the first place to the Popes Nuncio; and afterwards to all the rest of the Foreign Ambassadors and Ministers.

Cologne, May 24. The Bishop of *Munster* has sent to all the Officers whom he formerly dismiss'd, to return again to his service, and intends to raise some Soldiers for the recruit of his Companies.

Hague, May 20. On Friday last were drawn up four Companies of Foot of the States Guards against as many Troops of Cavalry at *Schveling*, the Horse commanded by the *Heer Voorschooten*, and the Foot by the *Heers Buis and Fresong*; where the Marshal *Wurts* was also present to see them exercise.

The 25th instant the *Sieur Charisus* took his leave of the States, in order to his return for *Denmark*; to whom the States have ordered to be given a Chain of Gold to the value of 1200 Livres, with a Medal worth an 100 more.

The *Sieur Gewbeing* arrived here to supply his place, is to have his Audience the 18th instant.

The Const. ble of *Castile* has written lately to the States, representing his inclinations to an amicable compo- sure of all differences which have risen between the States Subjects and the Admiralty of *Osenda*, to which end and purpose he intended to nominate two persons of known ability and integrity, and to send them hither to confer with such Commissioners as the States should think fit to appoint; to come (if possible) to some Resolution which might be satisfactory to all parties; which Proposal of the Constables, has been since confirmed by a Declaration given in writing by the Spanish Ambassadour; and as to the Pretensions of the Prince of *Orange*, of a Debt due to him from the Crown of *Spain*, 'tis said the *Heer de Beaumont* may be suddenly dispatched to *Brussels*, to clear all Accounts, and to sollicite farther for the payment of what shall be found to be due.

The Prince of *Liege* has by a Memorial desired that the Conferences which are agreed on for the deciding of all Disputes about the Lordship of *La Rochette*, might be held at *Mastrecht*; but upon the reading thereof, it was resolv'd to the contrary, the States rather inclining to observe and act according to their Vote of the 12th of *April* last; and accordingly they have desired the Prince to send his Com-

missioners to the *Hague*, for the Determination of that Affair.

The time of the year approaching for the return home of the Fleet from the *East-Indies*, a considerable Squadron lies ready equipped to put to sea, to meet them upon the way, to furnish them with what necessaries they shall desire, and to conduct them out of all apprehension of danger. This Squadron is the same which was before and still is intended for the *Streights* under the Command of the Vice-Admiral *Van Ghent*.

Amsterdam, May 27. The 2th instant sailed from the *Texel* three ships bound for *Moscovy*, and the next day six ships from *Rotterdam*, intended for *Spain*. On Thursday last was interred here in the Old Church the Body of the Commander *Vander Zaan* lately killed in an encounter with some Corsairs of *Algiers*.

Brussels, May 22. Some of the soldiers which are here in *Garrison*, have lately committed several insolencies, robbing in the Streets, and some nights since breaking open and plunding an House, whereof several Complaints have been made; for remedy whereof, the Magistrates have upon Consultation thought fit to publish, that whosoever shall discover to them the persons guilty of those Crimes, shall have a reward of 200 Florins for their pains.

The Constable of *Castille* intenes suddenly to begin his progress to take a View of all the most Considerable places of strength within his Government, in the mean time ordering the *Garrisons* to be Reinforced in such places as lie most subject to dangers, and in prosecution of his former Order, enjoying all Officers and Soldiers to repair to their respective Charges and Garrisons, has commanded that all such of them as are found to neglect their duty, and still continue absent from their commands or Employments, be taken into Custody.

Several pieces of Canon have been lately sent from the Magazine of *Malinas* to *Ghent*, and there planted upon the Works for the better defence of that place, from whence have been lately sent severall Deputies to *Lille*, to represent to the Commissioners there the great decay of Trade in that as well as other places of the Netherlands, by reason of the extraordinary Customes imposed upon Merchandises; and to desire a Regulation in that point.

London, May 23. On Friday last His Excellency the Count de *Molina* Ambassadour from the Court of *Spain*, took his leave of their Majesties and Royal Highnesses, in order to his return home, and may in few dayes embark himself for *Spain*.

Advertisements.

The Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer are proceeded to the payment of the 848th Order registered on the Eleven Months Taxe, and shall go on to the payment of the subsequent Orders to that number as the Money shall be brought in.

The said Officers are also come to the payment of the Order numbred 1143, Registered on the Act for 1250000 l. and shall proceed to the payment of the ensuing Orders; as the remain of that Taxe, and the remaines of the First Month of the Eleven Months Taxe shall come in.

The long expected, often and many wayes most unhappily obstructed and interrupted Work of the Heptaglot Lexicon, compiled by Dr. Edmund Castell, is now fully finished. And all the Subscribers to it are desired to send for their several Copies due in arrear to them, from Tuesday the 11th instant, and every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday weekly, unto a Ware-House in the Charter-House, London: where they shall be delivered out from 8 of the Clock in the Morning until 12, and from 2 in the Afternoon till 6.