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Rome, April 9. N. S.

THE Pope being very much pressed by the Cardinal Ambassador on one side, and Cardinal Fourbin and the Spanish Ambassador on the other, about granting the Investiture of the Kingdom of Naples, has appointed a Congregation of 14 Cardinals and 6 Prelates, to examine the Pretensions of the Emperor and of the King of Spain to that Kingdom; The Cardinals are, *Acciajoli, Barberini, and Pamphilio*, as Heads of the Three Orders of Cardinals Bishops, Cardinals Priests, and Cardinals Deacons; *Sacripanti* and *Paoluzzi*, as Cardinals of the Palace; *Sau Cesario*, as Chamberlain; *Nerli, Marefcorci, Spada*, and *Ottoboni*, as being of the Congregation of State; and *Carpegna, Panciatichi, Sperelli*, and *Bichi*, for their knowledge in the Laws; And the Prelates are, *Paracciani* the Pope's Auditor, *Anselmi* and *Lanzetta* Auditors of Rota, *Buonini* Fiscal of the Apostolick Chamber, *Corsini* Treasurer-General, and *Cavallieri* Commissary of the Chamber. The Pope, to give Satisfaction to the Most Christian King of the Affront that was offered to the late Prince of Monaco, his Ambassador, when he went to rescue Prince *Vahni* from the hands of the Sbirri's, has disbanded the Company of Soldiers who were sent to their Assistance, and fired upon the said Ambassador and his Servants; but a Gratification is given to the Officers and Soldiers over and above the Pay that was due to them, and a Monitory is published, Requiring Prince *Vahni*, who is now at *Venice*, on pain of Death to surrender himself to some Magistrate in the Ecclesiastical State within a certain time. The Cardinal de *Bouillon* is gone to *France*, at which the Pope is dissatisfied, it being without his Consent. The Pope intends to morrow to make his Publick Entry into this City, and to take Possession of the Palace of *St. John de Lateran*, which will be performed with great Solemnity. Several new raised Regiments of Horse and Foot are sent to *Ferrara* and *Bologna*, and Commissions are given out for raising 3000 Foot and 1000 Horse more. The Pope has ordered 300000 Crowns to be paid out of his Treasury for this Service. The *Venetian* Ambassador received an Express the last week from the Senate, and has since had Audience of the Pope, and acquainted him with the Resolution of that Republick to observe a Neutrality, and that they do not intend to oppose the Passage of the Forces of either Party through their Territories, but only to protect their own Subjects from any Violence that may be offered them; for which purpose they are raising Forces, and will shortly have on foot 20000 effective Men.

GENOA, April 10. An Express arrived here 3 days ago, with an Account of the Duke of *Mantua's* having admitted a *French* and *Spanish* Garrison into that Place; and 'tis said, the *French* have given him 25000 Pistoles in hand, and are to give him a considerable Pension as long as their Troops continue there. The Most Christian King has borrowed a considerable Sum of Money of this Republick at Interest. An Envoy from

the Republick of *Lucca* is arrived here in his way to *Madrid*.

MILAN, April 13. The Marshal de *Catinat* is arrived here from *France*, and intends in few days to go and view the Fortifications of the several Places on the Frontiers of this State. All the Cannon which was in the Arsenal at *Pavia*, is sent to *Cremona*, where there is at present a Train of 60 Pieces of Cannon mounted, and 6 Mortars. Two Regiments of Foot of the Duke of *Savoy's* Forces are come to *Vercelli*, from whence they are to march hither, and a greater Reinforcement of the said Duke's Troops is shortly expected. The *French* Forces in *Mantua* have had a Dispute with some of the Duke's Officers, concerning the Posts which they are to have on the Guard. The vacant Commands in the *Spanish* Forces in the *Milanese*, have lately been disposed of; in the doing of which, several old Officers being neglected, they have surrendered their Commissions.

VENICE, April 15. Two Italian Regiments of Foot lately arrived from the Levant, were reviewed here this week, and sent away to *Varena*, together with a considerable quantity of Ammunition; and 'tis said, our Forces will shortly form a Camp near that Place. The Senate intend to Fortifie *Mantua*, a small Town about 10 miles from *Gorizia*, on the Borders of the Dutchy of *Carniola*, and the necessary Dispositions are given for that purpose. Four Men of War will fall in few days to *Dalmatia*, having on Board several *German* Officers, who are to raise Soldiers in that Province for the Service of this State. Signior *Pietro Pisani Moratta* has bought the Dignity of Procurator of *St. Mark* for 25000 Ducats. The Count de *Cremona*, Agent of the Duke of *Mantua*, made a visit this week to the Count de *Berka*, Ambassador from the Emperor, and acquainted him with the said Duke's having received a *French* and *Spanish* Garrison into *Mantua*; He met with a very cold Reception, and returned the next day to *Mantua*. Don *Carlos Espanca*, the *Spanish* Ambassador, having received a Credential Letter from the King of *Spain* to this Republick, has notified the same to the Senate, and intends to make his Publick Entry next week, and the Cavalier *Ruzzini* is appointed to receive and conduct him in the usual manner.

VIENNA, April 16. The Duke of *Moles*, Ambassador from *Spain*, is gone to *Neusdorf*, where he intends to expect his Letters of Revocation from *Madrid*. The Imperial Court appears very much dissatisfied with the Proceedings of the Duke of *Mantua*, in delivering the Town of *Mantua* into the hands of the *French* and *Spaniards*, contrary to the repeated Assurances he had given to the Emperor. Count *Martinez*, Commissary-General of the Emperor's Forces in *Italy*, is gone to *Roveredo*. The Regiment of *Vaudemont* is expected here from *Hungary* the 20th Instant, and that of *Savoy* the 23d. The King of the *Romans* designs to take a Review of them, after which they will continue their March to *Italy*; The rest of the Imperial Regiments designed thither, are likewise on their March. Prince *Leopold* of *Baden* did not go to his House in *Bohemia*, as was reported when he left

This Place the 11th Instant, but went directly to Nuremberg, where he intends to continue some time; The Princess his Wife began her Journey thither from Bohemia on the 12th Instant. The Magazines of Philipburgh, Friburgh, and Brisac, are filled with Provisions and Ammunition for 6 months. The Count de Solms arrived here the 14th Instant, with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Prussia.

Ratisbonne, April 21. Prince Lewis of Baden arrived here the 17th Instant from Vienna, and having dined in this City, continued his Journey to Nuremberg. The States of Franconia have given leave to the Bavarian Regiments to pass through the Countries of that Circle in their return home from Flanders.

Frankfort, April 24. They write from Miltamburgh, that the Electress of Bavaria was expected there this day, in her Journey to Munich. We have Advice, that Prince Lewis of Baden is come to Nuremberg. Mr. Stepney, Envoy Extraordinary from His Majesty of Great Britain, came hither yesterday from Bonn, and continued his Journey to Vienna.

Hamburg, April 26. Letters from Warsaw say, most of the Senators were gone from thence to assist at the Particular Diets, which are to be held in the several Palatinates, in order to the choosing of Deputies for the General Diet. They write from Revel, that Orders were given for sending to Sweden the Duke de Cray, and the other Moscow Officers who were made Prisoners at the Battle of Narva. The King of Sweden continues at Laus, expecting a Reinforcement of 20000 Men from Sweden; and 'tis said, he intends, as soon as they are arrived, to march towards Pleskow.

Brussels, April 25. The Marshal de Boufflers came the 21st Instant to Ghent, where he had a Conference with the Marquis of Bedmar and the Prince of Serclaus. 'Tis said, the French Forces in these Provinces will shortly march into the Field, and form several small Camps. The Marquis of Bedmar and the Prince of Serclaus have been to view the Fortifications of several Places in Flanders, and are expected here to-morrow, and the Marshal de Boufflers is also expected here in few days. About 60 Wagons laden with Ammunition, passed through this Place two days ago going to Antwerp.

Hague, April 29. The Prince of Nassau Saarbruck was the 27th Instant in the Council of State, and the same day went to his Government of Boisleduc. The Count d'Avaux talks of returning to France in 8 or 10 days, though it's thought his stay here will be longer. Count Briord's Family, which he left here, has received Orders to set out for Paris the next week. Three Scotch Regiments of Foot arrived in the Maese the 26th Instant from Scotland; They landed at Williamstadt, and are marched to Bergenopzoom and Breda. Engineer-General Coehoorn has marked out several new Works to be added to the Fortifications of the Fort of Lillo near Antwerp, and is gone from thence to Sluice, to view the Fortifications of that Place. The young Prince of Hesse Cassel arrived here yesterday from Germany, and intends in few days to go to England. The Lord Raby will be going to-morrow to Amsterdam, from whence he will proceed on his Journey to Berlin. Letters from Cassel give an Account, of the Death of the Princess Louisa, Wife of Prince Frederick eldest Son of the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel, and Daughter of the King of Prussia.

Paris, April 30. N. S. The Court returns this evening from Marly to Versailles. A Detachment of 300 of the King's Guards, called the Musketers, did this morning begin their March to the Francke Comte, and will be quartered at Versailles in that Province, till there be occasion for their advancing to the Rhine. An Edict was published this week, for rendering Hereditary fe-

veral Offices of Notaries, &c. therein mentioned, whereby the Court proposes to raise about 500000 Livres. The Hereditary Prince of Wolfenbutel arrived here some days ago from Germany, and intends shortly to go to the Waters of Aix la Chapelle. The King has given a Pension of 6000 Livres to the Chevalier de Luxemburgh. The Sieur de Charmont, Secretary of the Closet to the King, being appointed his Ambassador to the Republick of Venice, in the room of Monsieur de la Haye, is preparing for his departure.

Plymouth, April 20. The 16th Instant came in here the Smyrna Factor, Jacob Saunders Maffie, from Zanzibar; the Britannia, Stephen Mofyn, from Gallipoly; the Mayflower, Peter Wallis, from Oporto; and the Diamond Galleon, Ralph Engleford, from Lisbon, all bound to London.

A General Meeting of the Adventurers in the Mine Adventure, will be held at Stationers-hall in Ludgate-street on Thursday the 8th of May next, at 10 in the forenoon, in order to choose a Select Committee; and that no Transfer of Shares will be admitted after Saturday next, till the said Committee is chosen.

The Sufferers by the late Fire in St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey Parish in Surrey, near the River of Thames, do desire, That the Brief granted for the said Fire, may be forthwith Read and Collected in all such Parishes and Places where the same hath not been, and as the said Brief doth direct.

Advertisements.

A BIBLE in large Folio for Churches, on a good Royal Paper, and the largest Character, with several Thousand References more than Dr. Scargood's, by Order of his Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury; likewise the Years before or after Christ, according to Primare Uher's Annals, Revised by the Lord Bishop of Worcester; With a Chronological Table and Index: Some are Printed upon an Imperial Paper for the Chapels and Cloisters of the Nobility, Gentry, &c. Also a lesser BIBLE in Folio, on a very good Paper and fair Character, with the same References, Chronological Table and Index, &c. Will be ready to be Published immediately after Easter, at very reasonable Prices. Printed at His Majesty's Printing-Office in Black-Friers, and sold there, and by several Booksellers in London and Westminster.

A New Prospect of the North-side of the City of London, with New-Budlam in Moor-Fields; being curiously Engraven in 3 large Copper-Plates, and Printed in 3 Imperial Sheets, 5 foot in length, and 2 foot 4 inches in depth. Price 4 s. Sold by James Walker at the Star in Pye corner, London, and at most Print-shops in London and Westminster.

ALL Members of the Amicable Contribution to Loss by Fire, are to take Notice, That a General Meeting of the said Society will be held at Tom's Coffee-house in St. Martins-lane, on Thursday the 6th of May next, at 2 in the afternoon, in pursuance of their Deed of Settlement.

ALL Persons that have any Goods in Pawn with Mrs. Jane Holland in Windmill-street in St. James's, are desired to redeem them within 3 months, the intending then to go into the Country, and to let her House to one of the same Trade at a reasonable Rent.

Piggott's Farm in Wargrove Parish in Berks, within a mile of the Thames, being well Timbered, having a New-built House, and Let at above 43 l. per Ann. is by a Deed to be sold by Mr. Keck, a Master in the High Court of Chancery, at his House in Chancery-lane, where Particulars may be had.

Lost the 27th past, between Morton in Marsh and Broadway, a Silver Minute Watch, with a Chain and Pendulum; Engraven on the Plate [Baker, London.] Whoever brings it to Symon's Coffee-house over-against the Royal Exchange, London, or to Mr. John Butler, Bookseller, in Worcester, shall have a Guinea Reward.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Wolley, late of Shrewsbury, Draper; All Persons that owe him any Monies, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but to such only whom the Commissioners shall appoint. And the Commissioners intend to sit on the 5th and 6th of May next, at Mrs. Hinde's Coffee-house in Shrewsbury, when and where all Creditors concerned are to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they'll be excluded the Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against John Houfeman, late of Strickland-Roger in Westmorland; Tanner, intend to meet at Mr. Garnett's at the White-Lion Inn: Kendall in the said County, on Wednesday the 14th of May next, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; And all Creditors concerned are then and there to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they'll be excluded the said Dividend.

Taken the 26th past, out of the Stable of Mr. John Douch, Rector of Westmounton near Taunton in Somersetshire, a black Gelding, 15 hands high, having a white Face, from Muzzle, 3 white Feet, and marked on the near Buttock with a Dard Flower-de-Luce in it. Whoever finds him, and gives Notice to the said Mr. Douch, or to The Newmans in Taunton, shall be well Rewarded.