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Rome, July 25. N. S.

Count Lamberg, the Emperor's Ambassador, having about a week ago received an Express from Vienna, immediately departed from hence towards Lucca, where he still continues; and his Servants and Retinue have followed him thither. Monsieur Caunitz, the Emperor's Auditor di Rota, is also preparing to leave this Court. The Pope appears not a little concerned at these Proceedings of the Court of Vienna; to which he gave Occasion by the Indignity he offered to the Imperial Ambassador's Character, in imprisoning a Gentleman of his Retinue: And he has held several Congregations, to consult upon the Means of accommodating this Difference. The Pope has lately held a Congregation of the Cardinals, to whom the Care of the Inquisition is committed, wherein several Resolutions were taken for the confirming and further explaining of a Bull formerly published, whereby the Opinions of Janfenius, in relation to divers Points of Divinity, are condemned: Cardinal Janfon has since been with the Pope, to return him Thanks, in the Name of the French King, for his Proceedings in this Matter. The Queen Dowager of Poland has been very earnest with the Pope in behalf of the Bishop of Posen, (who was one of the chief Promoters of the Election of Stanislaus to be King of Poland, and is now a Prisoner in the Castle of St. Angelo) desiring that he may have this City for his Prison; but has not yet been able to attain it. All Commerce is forbid with the Island of Sardinia, upon Advice that some Vessels had put in there, which came from Tunis, where great numbers of People have lately died of a contagious Distemper.

Milan, August 1. The Duke of Vendosme continues in the same Camp, his head Quarters being at Fiefcho, his Right Wing at Azano, and his Left at Castel Leone. Letters from Piedmont give an Account, That the Duke de la Feuillade marched the

28th past from before Chivas, with a considerable Detachment of his Army, to attack the Duke of Savoy's Horse near the River Malon; but finding they were retired towards the Stura, he followed them thither; and after a sharp Engagement, with considerable Loss on both sides, obliged them to repass that River: Whereupon the Duke of Savoy quitted his Intrenchments at Chivas and Castagneto, and marched towards Turin, to cover that Place, having left a strong Garison at Gasso, half way between that City and Chivas.

Venice, August 1. The Electress of Bavaria has been indisposed, but is at present perfectly recovered; and it is said she intends to go shortly from hence to Brussels. The Imperial Army commanded by Prince Eugene, and the French and Spanish Army under the Command of the Duke of Vendosme, are still in the same Camps. The latter have laid a Bridge over the Oglio at Bardolano, which they are fortifying. The Grand Prior is come with a strong Detachment into the Mantuan, to secure that Country against the Excursions of the Imperialists, wherein they have been very successful, and have gathered considerable Sums of Money by way of Contribution: And by the last Advices he was marching towards Uftiano, to endeavour to retake that Place from them. They write from Naples, That the Marquis de Bedmar, Vice-Roy of Sicily, was sailed from thence towards Messina, being attended by 5 Gallies belonging to that Island.

Falmouth, August 6. Yesterday arrived here the Six Islands Packet-Boat, Captain Uring Commander, from the West-Indies, but last from St. Ives. This day came in the Flushing Galley of this Port, James Trestean Master, homeward-bound with Wine from the Canaries.

Plymouth, August 7. This day arrived here the Patience of Sunderbourg from Dram, laden with Deals for this Place. The Eagle Galley of Bristol, Shadrac Bede Master, and the Crown of Biddiford, John Lovering