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Dublin, April 22.

His Excellency the Lord *John Berkeley* Lord Lieutenant of this Kingdom of *Ireland*, having a prosperous passage from *England* arrived yesterday in this City, and the same day entered upon the possession of his Government, my Lord *Roberts* the late Lord Lieutenant with a short Speech in Council delivering him the Sword, the usual Oath having been first administered to him according to Custom.

Falmouth, April 27. The 24 instant came in here the *John* and *Sarah* of *London* bound for *Rochile*, and yesterday put to sea again with several Vessels in her company bound for *France*.

The 23. arrived here the *Fonas* of *Hambourg*, laden with Deals bound for *Bourdeaux*, yesterday put to sea the *Fortune* of *Falmouth* lately returned from *Malaga* laden with Wine and Fruits bound for *Amsterdam*.

Genova, April 23. Here is lately arrived the *Swan* an English ship Captain *Brown* Commander who lately shewed so great courage, and so happily acquitted himself in two several Encounters with the *Algerins*; he intends to lade in this River, and to return home with the rest of the *Marchant Fleet*. The same day came in here a great Dutch *Marchant Ship* to lade Rize for *Holland*.

Two dayes since arrived a small Vessel from *Zaborcha* in 15. days, telling us that several Vessels of this Port were lading Corn for this place, and that the day before his departure arrived there a small Bark in three days from *Tunis*, affirming that Sr *John Harman* was still there, and that 16 French men of War were before *Galetta*, battering the Fort, and had made some attempt to fire their Ships, which the *Turks* prevented by sinking them, but that they were since come to an agreement, and had dispatched away a Bark, to obtain his most Christian Majesty Ratification, upon whose return the French men of War intended to pass from thence to *Tripoly* to conclude likewise a Peace there, but that they expected an assistance from *Marseilles* and *Thoulon* of five Gallies and five men of War.

The *Turks* have lately taken a *Genouese* of 34. Guns to the great dissatisfaction of the people here.

Vienna, April 23. We had some days since a warm report that the Prince *Ragotsky* had laid siege to and taken the Fort of *Tockay*, where the Count *de Staremberg* was lately Governour, but having no confirmation we suspect the truth thereof. O Sunday last the Emperour dispatcht away a Courier to the Prince, with Order to restore the Count *de Staremberg* to his liberty whom he had drawn out upon pretence of a Truce and seized without any apparent reason.

The people of *Upper Hungary* continue still in their demands as high as formerly, and have about 4000 of their new Leavies quartered about *Tockay*, and tis feared they may attempt to somewhat as soon as the weather shall encourage them to take the field, but for prevention of farther disorders, his Imperial Majesty has ordered General *Spankaw* now in *Croatia* to march towards the *Upper Hungary* with the Regiments of *Lesley*, *Grava*, and *Sbeck*, to preserve the peace, and to reduce the seditious to obedience.

Letters from *Croatia* inform us, that the Imperial forces which reduced *Orakenburn*, consisted of 10000 men, whereof the half were such as were drawn together out of the Country themselves: the 14th instant they entered

the place, where at the first, they began to plunder and use force, but the General finding no opposition, forbidd all farther violence: in the Castle were found 100 pieces of Ordinance and an incredible quantity of Ammunition and Provisions. The next places which were reduced were *Le Grad*, which was also plentifully stored; and *Sostrop* a place belonging to the Marquis *Frangipani*, where the Garrison made great shew of resistance, setting up the said Marquisses and Count *Serini's* Colours, but the General forcing his entry at the Gate with a Petard, soon made himself master of the place, and seizing the Governour and other principal Officers, caused them to be immediately hanged near the Colours which they had set up in his defiance, several other places are since reduced to obedience and have received German Garrisons.

The French Envoy extraordinary the Count *de Bethune* lately took his leave of their Imperial Majesties in order to his return home, his reception here was to his great satisfaction, as was also his dismissal, at which he was presented from the Emperor with a box set with Diamonds to the value of 9 thousand Florins.

Yesterday their Imperial Majesties went hence to divert themselves at *Luxembourg*.

The Emperor has lately ordered several Regiments to march towards *Hungary*; the new Leavies are every where advanced with much diligence.

Turin, April 26. His Excellency the Lord *Falconberg* Ambassadour Extraordinary from His Majesty of *Great Brittain*, having been met three miles from and conducted to *Avigliano* by the Count *Muscare* the Duke of *Savoies* Master of the Ceremonies, with several of the Dukes Coaches and Officers; by whom he was there Honourably Entertained and attended for two nights.

On the 22 instant made his Entry into this City having been met (though in extraordinary ill weather) in a Plain, a mile and half distant from this City, by the Dukes own Coach and several others of the Ambassadors and principal Nobility; where his Excellency entering into the Dukes Coach with the Marquis *de St Germain* and the Master of the Ceremonies, was by the Dukes Guards drawn up in four squadrons, conducted to his Lodgings, where a Swiss Guard received him, who are appointed to attend him during his stay; His Excellency made his entry in the following order; First came his Baggage carried by 6 Mules covered with Velvet, the Bridles and Trappings of the same, richly adorned with the silver and Feathers on their heads, the Muleers attending them in black, followed by the Dukes Guards, after them the Ambassador himself in the Dukes Coach, attended by 20 Footmen, then a second Coach filled with Gentlemen his attendants, in a third Coach the Master of his Household, Secretary, and Gentleman of his Horse, in a fourth, eight Gentlemen of the Ambassadors Retinue, and in a fifth, 6 of the Ambassadors Pages with an Officer, and after them the Train of Coaches which came out to meet him, at his alighting he was complimented from the Duke of *Savoys* and visited by most of the principal persons of the Court.

The 24th instant His Excellency in greater splendor than at his entry, was conducted to his publick Audience by the Marquis *de St Germain* and the Master of the Ceremonies, the Court filled with the Nobility and Gentry, the Duke meeting his Excellency at the door of the Chamber where he gave him Audience, received him with extraordinary

extraordinary civility; which ended, he returned with the same state he entered, and the same evening had his Audience from the Dukes.

Dantzic, April 26. From *Warsaw* we are informed, that on the 16th instant the time for the Session of the Diet being expired, and the disputes having been so great, that nothing was concluded for the interest of the publick. The Bishops employing their endeavors, so far prevailed with the Deputies, that they consented to prolong the Assembly for three days longer, all which time like the former was spent in fruitless debates; on the 19th the Diet broke up in dissatisfaction and most of our Members returned home more displeas'd than they met: His Majesty desired upon the dissolution of this Assembly to have call'd the Ban and Arriereban to have met in Arms in the field according to former practice on the like occasion, but the Senators would not be drawn to give their consents.

They have great expectation and apprehension of the Conspiracy which was in part discovered by the Paper found upon the high Altar in the Great Church, whose Author though he could not be encouraged by publick security given him to appear to make good his assertion, has yet by the same paper promised in little time to publish the names of the conspirators if they desist not from the design, which they have plotted to carry on for the deposing of the King.

Venice, April 25. This week arriv'd here a Catch from *Spalatto*, dispatched hither by the Provedito General *Barbaro* to inform the Senate that three Turks were lately arriv'd there with Orders from the Grand Segnior to offer the return of the seat of Trade to that place, with the same priviledges and immunities as it was settled before the wars, expressing his desire for the continuance of peace with this Republick, and his readiness to encourage Trade and Commerce, to which end and purpose he declares that the Merchants shall be freed from the extraordinary imposts which have been charged upon them at *Ragusa*, and hopes that the advantages which will upon this account be reaped by this Republick will invite them to accept hereof. This proposition has been here received with much satisfaction, but as yet no answer can be returned till the whole business have been first consult'd of and concluded in the Senate according to custome.

From *Zante* we have intelligence that the Grand Vicer had resolv'd to leave *Candia* the 22 instant and to set sail for *Mores*, and tis believ'd he is before this on his way thither with Cavalier *Molino* our Minister. The 60 Gallies which were sometime since sent out from *Constantinople* are suppos'd to be design'd for no other purpose then to serve as Convoy to the Grand Segnior, who intends to return to *Constantinople* presently upon the arrival of the Visier with all the strength and power he can conveniently.

This Republick intends besides the 16 Gallies and 4 Galeasses design'd for the security of their Trade and Commerce in the *Levant*, to fit up ten of their men of war lately returned from the *Levant*, and at present in the Port of *Malaco* which shall serve as a Guard in those seas against *Pyrats*.

Our General *Morozini* has lately made his Entry into his extraordinary Procuratorship, with all the Honour this City was able to confer on him, all persons joining to our view one another in demonstrations of their affection to him; the streets were adorned with greater splendor then ever upon any like occasion: above 500 of the Patrician Orders were present at the solemnity; great numbers of Officers, Soldiers, and other persons following him to the Senate, and the seamen filling several ships and other vessels, pass'd with great shouts before the place of *St Mark*, and with their peals of Ordinance proclaimed their joy at this new honour conferred on their General.

Ratisbonne, May 1. The Count *Sorini* with his Bro-

ther-in-law the Marquis *de Frangipani* endeavors since their arrival at *Vienna*, to co-operate with his Imperial Majesty for the appeasing of the tumults in *Hungary* and bringing the satisfy'd party to moderation, so that tis hop'd, the dangers which threatens the Empire on that side, are blown over, and that those Countreys will be suddenly settled in peace.

The Count *Sorini* has written a Letter to Prince *Ragotski* upon the same subject, as was that writ to him by the Emperor, viz, to persuade him to return to his obedience, whose answer is daily expected.

The 23 of the last month departed hence Prince *Leopold* of *Baden* intending for *Vienna*, during his abode here he was Treated with much civility and respect by the Prince and Bishop of *Siebstadt* the Emperors Commissioner, and complimented by the Magistrates of this City.

The Emperor has been pleas'd by an Express, to give the Diet a part of the happy news of his late success in suppressing the rebellion which had taken such footing in *Croatia*, and to let them know, that some seeds of it were still remaining in the upper *Hungary*, from whence might spring many mischiefs to the Empire, pressing them for the prevention of farther disturbances, to hasten their Resolutions as to the point of raising forces for the defence and security of the hereditary Countreys and the whole Empire, which has of late met with some interruptions in the Diet from the private Enemies to the *Austrian* Family.

They have so far proceeded as to agree upon the forces which are to be rais'd for the 10 Circles of the Empire, and of the proportion which it is to be furnish'd by the Emperor, who has promised to joyn with a considerable body, upon condition his Kingdoms and Hereditary Countreys, with the Circles of *Austria* and *Burgundy* may be compris'd in the Warranty.

Hague, May 6. The Ratification of the *Gowaty* being arriv'd here from *Sweden*, all the Ministers concern'd in the Triple Alliance met the 4 instant, where the several Ratifications were mutually interchanged.

This week the Baron *d'Opdam* intends to set forwards on his way for *Lillo*, where he is to Compliment his most Christian Majesty upon his arrival at his new Conquests.

Brussels, May 10. The 6th instant arriv'd here in Post a Footman belonging to his most Christian Majesty, who left the King going that day from *Landrecy* to *Avesnes*, by his dispatches the Constable is inform'd, that his said Majesty upon information that the Plague was broken out in some places at or about *Aeth*, had alter'd his former resolution of going to *Charleroy* and *Bruche*, and intend'd to pass by *Cambresis*, to his other Conquests. His Majestys Train is said to consist of 300 Coaches, 700 Waggons, and above 4000 Horses.

The 8th instant *Don Francisco de Velasco*, Captain of the Guards to his Excellency the Constable of *Castille*, went hence with an honourable Train and Equipage accompanied by several persons of quality excellently habited and mounted, to compliment His most Christian Majesty, besides those of his servants he is attended by a Guard of 30 Reformed Officers, all of them clad in blew Velvet Coats, covered with Gold Galloome, with the Crofs of *Burgundy* embroidered on the back.

The Intendent of *Binche* had Orders to take care for a supply of Provisions for the French horse, who had accordingly charged the Countrey within his jurisdiction or Prevostship, to send in an hundred Carts laden with necessaries for them.

Hull, May 1. This week arriv'd two Ships of this place from *Amsterdam*, and four others also of this place from *Burdeaux*, the latter laden with Wines and Prunes, one ship of this place is lately lay'd hence laden with Lead for *Amsterdam*, and two others are freighting with Cloth intending for *Hambourg*.