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Rome, June 7.

ON Monday last the Pope held a Consistory, where were proposed and disposed of several Archbishopricks and Bishopricks, amongst others, the Cardinal Visconti, formerly Nuncio in Spain, was upon the recommendation of the Queen Regent made Archbishop of *Montreal* in the Island of *Sicily*, which his Eminence intends suddenly to take possession of.

The same day the Pope gave Audience to all the Cardinals who had any thing to offer, and to the French Ambassador the Duke of *Chaulnes* who took his leave in order to his return home, but departs not from hence till Monday next, intending to see the Ceremonies of to morrow, when the Pope is to ride in state to take possession of the Church of *St John de Latran*, at which the Count de *Prado* the Portugais Ambassador intends to appear with extraordinary pomp. The said Ambassador has lately dispatcht a Courier to *Lisbonne* to give the Prince his Master an account of what has hitherto passed in reference to the affairs of Portugal. Monsiegnior *Ravizza*, by the favour of the Cardinals *Chigy*, and *Rospigliosi* has been nominated by the Pope for his Nuncio to that kingdom, which has so little pleased the Count de *Prado*, that he has made several complaints upon this subject to divers of the Cardinals.

Monsiegnior *Marthei* is made Vice-Legate for *Avignon*, though himself seemed not over-zealous to be removed to so great a distance from the Court of *Rome*, he being neerly related to the Pope.

We are here in daily expectation of the arrival of an Ambassador from the Duke of *Savoy*.

The ship on which were embarked the Goods and Baggage belonging to the Cardinal de *Bouillon*, and the French Ambassador, is said to be taken by the Turks, with many persons that took the opportunity of this ship to transport themselves for *France*.

On Tuesday last the Prince *Gasparo Altieri* went to take possession of his new Charge, as Governour of the Castle *St. Angelo*, where he was received with much Ceremony, with several vollies of Canons and Musquets.

Madrid, June 11. His Catholick Majesty has recovered his health and is fallen again to his exercises with the young Nobility, to the great joy of this whole City and Kingdom. Several of the Grands in testimony of their joy came this night in Masquerade to the Palace, with Torches in their hands. A publick Jubilee is to be kept upon this account, and on the 18th the people are to be entertained in the great Place-Royal with a fight with Bulls.

The Constable of *Castille* takes all opportunities to sollicit his return home by reason of his great indisposition of body, which he attributes principally to the air of the *Netherlands*, but as yet, no success is appointed for that Government.

The Count de *Molina* intends in few days to depart in order to his voyage into *England* under the Character of Ambassador Extraordinary.

Don Juan is lately indisposed in his health, principally occasioned by Melancholly; but his apprehen-

sions are great, that attempts are made upon his life.

Warsaw, June 14. From *Bialacterko* we are advised, that the Cossacks seem not so inclinable as formerly to their dependency upon the Crown of *Poland*, but desire rather a brutish liberty and to establish amongst themselves a kind of popular Government; and that *Dorosenska*, one of their Generals, endeavoured in an Assembly at *Czekrin* to persuade them to swear fidelity to him, and wholly to throw off their obedience to the King of *Poland*. *Hanenko* who was also one of the Generals of the Cossacks, a person of different principles and interest from *Dorosensko*, had deputed those 30 persons who had Audience the last month from the King, but returned without any considerable effect.

The Envoy from *Tartary* is still here expecting the return of the Chancellor of this Crown, and intends upon his dismissal from this Court, to go from hence to the Marquis de *Brandenbourg*.

The face of this Court seems much changed for the better, the Queen great with Child. The Primate the Archbishop of *Gnesne*'s resolved to espouse the Kings interest; and the Marshal *Sobiesky* has engaged himself to appear with the Nobles at the general Assembly on horseback in the field, and to act vigorously for the settlement of peace within that kingdom.

Venice, June 14. Here is lately arrived the Gally called *Brassana*, with the Governour of the Three Islands the Proveditor General *Valier*, who on the Thursday following, with a large Train of Senators attending him, made his visit to the Colledge, where he gave them a satisfactory account of all affairs under his charge. He left several Gallies and Gallies refitting at the Port of *St. Crose*, whereon are to be embarked six Companies of Foot, which are more then the usual number which are allow'd for the necessary guard of *Corfu*, which said Companies are to be transported to *Dalmatia*.

Letters from *Zante* and other places, confidentially tell us that the Visier is at last gone from *Candia* with a great Fleet of ships and Gallies, to attend the Commands of the Grand Segnior, who was in the mean time diverting himself in Hunting; though to the ruine of that Country by which he passes, having no less then 30. thousand persons attending him, for his Guard and Recreation.

The same Letters tell us, that the Visier has left the Command of *Candia* during his absence in the hands of his Son and a Bassa, in whom he reposes much Confidence, and has appointed some other persons to assist them as a Council in matters of difficulty; he left the City much repaired and beautified, and has built there a Seraglio, and several other publick buildings, for which he was supplied with materials from *Smirna*, *Alexandria* and *Constantinople*, and had planted great number of Cypress trees about the City, to render it the more pleasant.

'Tis believed Chevasier *Molino* is also departed with him, that which hitherto retarded him, was the expectation of the presents designed by the Republick for the Grand Segnior and several Ministers of this Court, which were some weeks since sent away from *Zante*, with a Convoy of four men of war