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St. James's, April 30.

HER Majesty has been graciously pleas'd to Constitute and Appoint his Grace Charles Duke of Shrewsbury, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

His Grace George Duke of Northumberland, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

The Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Thanet, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland, and likewise of the County of Westmorland.

The Right Honourable Mountague Earl of Abingdon, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

The Right Reverend Father in God, and Right Honourable Nathaniel Lord Crew, Lord Bishop of Durham, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Durham.

The Right Honourable William Viscount Cheyne, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

Florence, April 19. N. S. The German Troops have receiv'd the Succours which they had for some time expected from Naples, and having made a considerable Breach in the Fort of Monte Philippo, they design to Storm it in a few Days. The Spaniards have drawn several Detachments from Porto Hercole into that Fort, and made vigorous Sallies, but were always repuls'd with loss. We have Advice from Genoa, that the Empress Consort had been very ill of the Measles at Barcelona, but that she was now recover'd.

Turin, April 20. N. S. Upon repeated Intelligence from our Frontiers of the Enemies dispositions there, to undertake some considerable Enterprize, as soon as the Snows are melted, his Royal Highness has thought proper to reinforce the Troops at Sufa, by two of his own Regiments and four Germ in Battalions, which are to march this Morning from St. Baleine. All the other Troops which are to make the ensuing Campaign, will be ready to march by

the beginning of the next Month, with their Tents, and every thing necessary to take the Field, so that they will be in Piedmont a Month sooner than they have been in former Years.

Hanover, May 3. N. S. They write from Dresden, that the Diet of Poland is concluded to the satisfaction of King Augustus, and that his Majesty design'd to set out from Warsaw on the Twenty sixth of the last Month. The Senators have renew'd their Oath of Fidelity to the King; they have confirm'd the Confederation of Sandomir, and taken care, that the Army of the Crown may be in a readiness to march to oppose the Turks and Tartars, if they should endeavour to act Offensively against Poland; and as soon as the Deputies, which they have sent to the Czarowitz at Thorn, shall be return'd, if they have not a favourable Answer, they have resolv'd to publish their Orders against the Payment of any farther Contributions to the Muscovites. Some other Points, which requir'd further deliberation, are deferr'd till the Meeting of the next Diet, which is to be held in December. A Danish Frigate has taken a Swedish Pacquet-Boat, on board of which were a Colonel and Captain, who had Letters about them from the King of Sweden, bearing Date at Bender.

Gand, May 4. N. S. His Grace the Duke of Ormond, Captain General of the British Forces, arriv'd here Yesterday in the Evening, being Saluted with a Triple Discharge of our Cannon. His Grace has receiv'd the Compliments of divers Persons of Distinction, and of our Magistrates, who this Day entertain'd him in their Council House. There is not any time as yet fix'd for his Departure from this Place. We have Advice from the Camp of the Allies, that the Hereditary Prince of Hesse Cassel had detach'd Forty Battalions, with Twenty Pieces of Cannon, under the Command of General Fagel, who pass'd the Scheld by divers Bridges below Bouchain, and that they had Entrench'd themselves upon the Heighth of Hordain, and Lieu St. Amand. They were sustain'd