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*Venice, March 30. N. S.*

**T**HE Magistrates of Health has received advice, that the contagious Distemper is again broke out at Fribourg; upon which all Persons who come into the Territories of this State, through Tirol, are ordered to perform a Quarantine of Forty Days. Prince Hercolani intends to take his Leave of the Government in a few Days, and Count Coloredo is expected in his stead with the Character of Ambassador in Ordinary from the Emperor. Four Men of War are fitting out here, and will be ready very soon to set Sail for the Levant. They write from Rome, that Count Gallas arrived there on the 21st, being met at some distance from the City, by the Marquis de Prie, and the Constable de Colonna. As soon as he alighted out of his Coach, he gave notice of his arrival to the Pope, who sent Cardinal Albani, his Nephew, to compliment him upon it. A Consistory had been held, in which the Pope gave the Pallium to several new Bishops, and perform'd the Ceremony of shutting the Mouth of Cardinal Piazza. The Differences with the Republick of Genoa were in a fair way of being amicably accommodated. Letters from Naples bring an account, that a new Gally had been launch'd there with great Ceremony, in the Presence of the Court. Count Artalaya, Vice-Roy of Sardinia, had taken the Oath of Fidelity for the Government of the Citadel of Naples, lately confirm'd upon him by the Emperor. The Duke de la Rocca, who went with a Commission to the Court of Vienna, was return'd from thence very well pleas'd with the Success of his Negotiations.

*Hamburgh, April 10. N. S.* The Demolition of Tonningen is carried on with great Diligence notwithstanding the Intercessions that have been used by the Court of Berlin to prevent it. His Danish Majesty having received a Letter from the King of Prussia to that purpose, return'd Answer, That it was now too late; that he had found Papers in the Governor's strong Box, which would convince the World it was by the Administrator of Holstein's Order that Count Steinbock had enter'd into the Place, and therefore no Prince ought to interpose in that Affair, or could have any reason to take his Proceedings against the House of Gottorp amis. However the Holstein Ministers at Berlin are still in Expectation that the King of Prussia will make some Attempt in Favour of their Matter. The Muscovite Minister at the same Court is very pressing to know his Majesty's positive Resolution upon this Subject, and declares, that the Czar will resent any Act of Hostility against the King of Denmark, in the same manner as if it was committed against himself. The Swedish Officers at this Place are sent for by General Ducker into Pomerania, and the Garrisons of Stralsund and Wisnar are commanded to be in a readiness to take the Field upon the first notice, from whence it is believed that General intends to form a Body of Men in those Parts, in order to hinder the Danes, if possible, from passing into Scania: But as the King of Denmark is under an Engagement to the Czar to make that Expedition, it is thought he will hardly be brought to alter his Measures. It was supposed the States of Sweden would have separated, after they had agreed on the Method of raising a Supply for this Year, the Prince's Regent having receiv'd Orders from the King to dissolve them: But they have represented to her

and the Senate, That it is absolutely necessary they should continue assembled in the present Conjunction, so dangerous to the Kingdom, which is threatned with two Invasions at the same time, on the side of Scania and Finland: That they have no means to deliver themselves from their Calamity, but by a speedy Peace with their Enemies: That since the King is absent, they give the Regent full Authority to conclude a Treaty; humbly beseeching her Royal Highness to enter into a Negotiation, without delay, for the Satisfaction of the Nation, which has suffer'd extreme Misery for Fourteen Years. They write from Petersbourg, that the Czar had receiv'd an Express from Prince Galizen, with an Account, that he had attack'd the Swedes near Wasa, and had entirely defeated them after an obstinate Fight, which lasted four Hours. He had taken several Officers Prisoners, and had made himself Master of all their Artillery, together with a considerable number of Colours and Standards. The same Advices add, that the Czar was resolv'd to make the Campaign in Person, and Prince Menzikoff was to Command under him. His first Attempt would be upon the Isle of Aland, which being once reduced, there was nothing to hinder him from penetrating into the Heart of the Kingdom. Letters from Constantinople bring an Account, that no Person whatever was allow'd to see the King of Sweden at Demotica, nor King Stanislaus at Bender, without leave of the Grand Signior.

*Hanover, April 10. N. S.* His Electoral Highness often takes the diversion of Hunting near this City. We are informed that Mr. Harley is on his way from Amsterdamb to this Place, where he is expected every Day. They write from Brunswick, that the Duke of Wolfenbittel was buried without Ceremony, as he had order'd himself. We have receiv'd advice from Petersbourg, that the Muscovite Army under the command of General Galizen, had attack'd the Swedes at Kyro near Wasa, and were twice repuls'd with considerable Loss. But being much superior in number to their Enemies, they brought up fresh Forces, and charg'd them a third time. The Swedes were entirely defeated, and Major-General Arenfeld, their Commander, escap'd with great Difficulty, and retired to Carleby, with about Seven hundred Men that remained after this Action.

*Hague, April 13. N. S.* Several of the Deputies of the States General were Yesterday at the Earl of Strafford's House, where his Excellency deliver'd to them a Letter from the Queen, and afterwards they held a long Conference upon the present situation of Affairs. Mr. St. John, Her Majesty's Secretary at the Congress of Utrecht, set out from hence on the 8th, in order to embark for Great Britain at the Brill, where he is still detain'd by contrary Winds. Baron Spar, one of the King of Sweden's Generals, who arrived here lately from Paris, is gone to Hamburgh, and from thence he is to proceed to Turkey. Yesterday Prince Kurakin, Ambassador of Muscovy to this Republick, set out for the Congress of Brunswick, where he is to assist as one of the Czar's Plenipotentiaries. Monsieur Siegel, Minister of the Duke of Wolfenbittel, has notify'd the Death of the late Duke to all the Ministers residing here, and has receiv'd their Compliments of Condolance upon it. General Barner, Minister of Holstein, having taken his Leave of the States, is gone from hence in order to return home, in pursuance of Orders he receiv'd from his Master to that purpose.

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