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Madrid, May 9.

HE King is fo well recovered that to Day he dreffed and received the Vifits of the Nobility. Next Week their Majeftics defign to go to Balfain. On the 5th Inftant the Intendant Don Joseph Patinno fet out from hence for Barcelona, to fee what Forwardnels the Naval Preparations there are in. The Hermione and the Pearl, there are in. The Hermione and the Pearl, two Men of War which went with the laft Convoy to Sardinia, are returned to Barcelona. The King has given the Government of the Citadel of Barcelona to Engineer General Verboom, in Confideration of his Services, and particularly of his Care and Skill in the Building of that Citadel; and Don Gaspar de Antona, Collonel of the Regiment of Leon, is made Lieutenant Governour. Don Domenico del Giudice, Duke of Giovenazzo, a Grandee of Spain, and Counsellor of State, died fome Days ago in the 81ft Year of his Age. He had given fignal Proofs of his Ca. pacity, of his Zeal, and of his Attachment to the Service of his Majefty in feveral great Employments. He had been Ambaffadour in France, Portugal, and Savoy, and Viceroy of Arragon. He was Brother of Cardinal del Giudice, and Father of the Prince of Cellamare, Ambaffadour from this Crown at the Court of France.

Copenhagen, May 17. Some Veffels which failed from hence for Lubeck three Days ago returned into Harbour Yefterday, and reported that they had feen 12 Swedifh Men of War off Möen. Upon which Admiral Raab failed this Morning from this Road with four Men of War, to join Commadore Tordenfchiold who is in the Bay of Koge with four Men of War and two Frigates. Four or five Ships more are getting ready to follow.

Drefden, May 18. On the 12th Instant, being the King's Birthday, the Countels of Denhoff gave on that Occasion a magnificent En-

tertainment, at which were prefent the Pope's Nuncio, the Envoys of the Czar and of France, Prince Radzivil, and the reft of the Polifh Senators, with feveral other Perfons of Diffinction. On Sunday laft a new Edift of the King's was published in all the Churches of this City and throughout the Electorate, by which his Majefty renews his Promifes to protect the Protestant Religion in these his Dominions. The fame Day his Majefty fet out for Torgau, to take Leave of the Queen, who is to fet out to Morrow for the Batks near Bareith ; where she was laft Summer. His Majefty is expected back here this Evening. Yesterday Morning died General Janus, Governour of this City. Berne, May 18. Our laft Advices from Baden

tell us, that the Conferences had begun there anew, fince the Arrival of the Deputies of the Two Cantons, and those of the Abbot and Chapter of St. Gall; That they had under Deliberation the 79th Article of the Treaty of Roschach, which related to the Sovereignty the Abbot pretends to in some Places in the County of Turgaw; That the Deputies of the Abbot were willing to confent to this Article, according to the Project made at Berne, but that those of Zurich had refused to confent to it without Orders from their Masters, to whom they had fent an Express for that Purpose; and that 'twas hop'd, that this Article being once agreed to, the reft of them would foon be fettled, and the Treaty concluded in a fhort Time. It is advifed from Turin, that Count Fontana, a Person well vers'd in the Pretensions of that Court and that of Vienna, had been fent for by the King of Sicily to La Venerie, from whence after having had a long Conference with his Majefty, he was dispatched in great Hafte to Vienna, to join there the Count d'Uffol, who has been employed there for fome Time 'Tis alfo advifed, in private Negotiations. that the Prince of Piedmont's Birthday was celebrated at la Venerie on the 27th paft, upon