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Vienna, April 4.

THe Count de Rothal went hence the second instant on his way to *Presbourg*, in order to his being present there at the assembling again of those Commissioners immediately after the Holydayes; amongst other things before his departure, he received directions from the Emperor, to cause the Declaration his Imperial Majesty hath lately made to be duly published in all places of *Hungary*, to this effect; That notwithstanding the Emperor had received most evident and notorious testimony, in several late occasions of the disloyal carriage and evil practises of several persons of Quality and many of his Nobility of *Hungary* against his Person and Government; yet that his Imperial Majesty was graciously inclined to pardon all past Crimes and Offences of that nature, provided they did confess their Errors, and come and submit themselves to his Imperial Majesty, in the persons of his Commissioners at *Presburgh*, and for the future conform themselves in all things to their duty. It is hoped this milde proceeding of the Emperor may have the desired effect, and bring at length the Nobility and Gentry of those Countries, who have hitherto appeared somewhat obstinate, to a due submission to the Emperors Will and Commands herein; in the mean time we are told, that the Inhabitants about *Presbourg* having been informed of the tenor of this Declaration, have already granted 30000 Measures of Corn, with great quantities of Beer and other Provisions for the Subsistence of the Emperors Troops in those parts.

Since the departure of Monsieur *Peris* in quality of Envoy Extraordinary to the Port, a Courier hath been dispatched from hence in great haste with Letters of much importance as is said, to overtake if possible the said Envoy before his arrival at *Adriano-ple*; from whence we have of late received little of news, onely that the Grand Signiors Physicians have perswaded him for his healths sake to change the air, and to go and pass some Months in *Asia*, to which the present posture of affairs in those parts seem likewise to induce him.

From *Ratisbonne* our Letters advise us, that the States were there assembled again after the Easter Holidays, but that by reason of the many difficulties which daily intervene, there seemed to be little likelihood of bringing the matter of the Perpetual Capitulation, which they have had long before them, as yet to any conclusion.

From *Mayence* they write, that they have been within few days very much allarmed there at the near approach of some French Cavalry, to the number of 500, who were fallen into the County of *Falkenstein*, part as they say of the Duke of *Lorrains* territories, from whence that City is distant about 20 miles.

Dantzick, April 5. From *Warsaw* we are told, that their Majesties returned thither on *Palm-Sunday-Eve* from *Cracow*, whither, after having passed some days at their Devotions at *Czenstocow*, they went and spent some time in visiting the Salt-

mines, and in other the Divertisements that those parts afford; since his arrival, the King hath given Audience to the Envoye lately arrived there from the Czar of *Moscovy*, whom his Majesty the same Day, according to the practice of those Countreys, caused to be entertained at a most splendid and magnificent Dinner. It is said, that the king intends very suddainly to go for *Leopol*, to be present at the Marriage which is to be there celebrated the 20th instant, between the under General *Demetrius Wisnowitsky* his Uncle, and the Sister of the Duke of *Ostrog*, one of the most antient and considerable Families in that Kingdom, which as is said, will be performed with all the splendor and magnificence imaginable.

Our Letters from *Caminiec* advise us, that the Basha of *Silesbria* had sent 10000 men to the assistance of *Dorofensko*, one of the Generals of the Cossacks, and that it was very much feared, that having increased his strength with so considerable a supply, he might make some incursion into the Countreys of this Kingdom, which border upon the *Ukrain*; for the preventing of which mischief, that the General *Sobietzky*, was drawing the Army out of their winter Quarters, intending immediately to march with them that way to secure those parts from any attempt; notwithstanding which care of our General, we are here much troubled at the advice we have, that a party of Tartars have lately made an inroad into some of the remotest Provinces of the Kingdom, and carried away with them great numbers of Men, both Gentlemen and Peasants, with great quantities of Cattle, having every where as they passed, left the marks of their barbarous cruelty.

From *Riga* our Letter gives us an account, that Colonel *Staden* was still there in quality of Envoye from the Czar of *Muscovy*, that he had had several Audiences of that Governour, in which nothing as was known, had passed, but matter of Complement and Civility.

Cologne, April 17. The Marquis de *Grana* is at length arrived here on the part of the Emperor, and is at present, together with the Popes Nuncio, endeavouring by all possible means an accommodation of the present differences between the Elector of *Cologne* and this place; for the better effecting of which, he hath proposed the Electors of *Mentz*, *Triers*, and *Brandenburgh*, to be Mediators in this matter; with this condition, that both parties shall rest satisfied with their determination therein, which affords great occasion of discourse amongst us here.

Hambrough, April 13. Several Dutch Merchants having lately passed this place, on their way from *Muscovy* towards *Holland* and other parts, report, that at their leaving that Country, which is as late as any of our Letters that we have received from thence, there was no certain advice of the defeat of the Rebels, so confidently of late reported here; that the Emperor had sent several Forces out against them, but what success they had had, was variously reported, and still much doubted, so that our former report of the defeat of *Radzin* needs a farther confirmation.

From *Hammelen* they write, that the Mediators labour still with much earnestness for an accommodation,