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Falmo 10th, April 12.

THe 9th instant came into this Port the *Society* and *Bilbos*, two Merchant men bound for *London*, and the next day they sailed again with a fair wind; at the same time put to sea several other vessels of *Yarmouth* and other parts, bound for several places in *France*. The 10th arriv'd here the *Blessing* of *London* from *King'sale* in *Ireland*: and this day by a vessel come in from the *Downs* we are told, that the Fleet bound for *Jamaica* and *Barbado's*, are pass'd by this Harbor; which we the rather believe, because several Guns have been this morning heard here a shore, which the Master of the said vessel says, were fired by them.

Turro, April 13. The 11th instant a great Fleet of Merchant-men pass the *Lizard*, which we suppose to be the remainder of the *treights* Fleet, they having the wind at *South East*, kept the whole day off of the shore, but proving somewhat favourable towards the evening, it is hoped they might get up the *Channell*: Here is arriv'd a vessel in four days from *Croisic*, but brings not any thing of news.

Plymouth, April 14. There are at present sailing out of this Port the *Deering* and the *Margaret* of this place, both bound for *Jamaica*; together with the *John* and *d'Argaret*, *Robert Martyn* Commander, bound for the *East Indies*; This day arriv'd here the *Industrious* of *London*, *R. Clark* Yard Commander, laden with *Tobacco* from *Virginia*.

Rome, April 4. The Pope continues still much troubled with a Rheume, notwithstanding which, he hath not omitted to assist constantly at the Functions and other publick Solemnities of this *Easter* week, though the whole Collidge of Cardinals having a particular regard to his great age and present indisposition of health, would willingly have perswaded him to the contrary. The first instant the Duke de *Gravina Orfino*, arriv'd at *Castel Gondolpho*, within few miles of this place from *Naples*, where he was received and entertained in the Castle with great honours and respect, on the part of the Cardinal *Altieri*, who to that end had sent thither several of the principal Officers of his Household; the same day he came to Town, and after having for some short time refresh'd himself after his journey, he went presently to visit his Bride the Lady *Ludovica Altieri*, as likewise some others of his nearest Relations: the next day he was to pay his duty to his Holiness, who was pleas'd to receive him with very particular expressions of esteem and affection; in the mean time all things are making ready for the celebrating the Marriage, immediately after which, that Duke intends to return with his Lady to *Naples*, to avoid the great expences of this Court.

The Marquis de *Saignelay* continues still here, viewing the several curiosities of the place; it is said, that soon after the solemnity of Canonizing the new Saints, which is to be the 12th instant, is past, he will go hence towards *Naples*, to make some short stay there, and so to return for *France*.

In few days the Prince de *Palestrina* intends to depart for *Loretto*, to meet there the Dutchess Dowager de *Modena* his Sister, who it is said is coming to pass some time in this Court.

It is now certainly said that the Cardinals Caps at present void, will be disposed of to *Baily Rospigliosi*, Nephew to the late Pope *Clement* the IX.

From *Bologna* they write, that all things are at length fairly compos'd, and the Countrey settled again in an entire quietness.

Venise, April 11. Some days since imported a Gally from the Coast of *Dalmatia*, with Letters from General *Barbaro* to the Senate, in which he very earnestly presses them to send him some further supply of Money for the carrying on their service in those parts; and also informs them that the *Bassa* of *Bosnia* was dead, and that other Commissioners were arriv'd from the Port, to Treat with this Republick, in the matter of the limits.

We very much fear some misunderstanding may arise between the Port and this State, occasioned by what lately happened in *Dalmatia*, which was thus; During the late warr between the *Ottomans* and this State, the Grand Signior having by his *Bassa's* invaded the Territories of this Republick in *Dalmatia*, *Albania*, &c. The *Venetians* very bravely resisted them, obtaining many advantages over them, in the year 1648, under the conduct of *Leonardo Foscolo*, they took *Cattaro*, a very large and considerable Port, able to receive the greatest ships, being five miles long, as much in breadth, upon which the Turks quitt'd a certain place called *Rissano*, an open indefensible place, lying at the foot of *Montenegro*, of which the *Venetians* likewise possess'd themselves, which places were by the late Treaty of peace at *Candia*, left in the possession of the Republick; now it so happened, that this last winter one *Philippovich*, together with some other eminent persons, so far prevail'd with the *Bassa* of *Bosnia*, as that he should connive at a designe they had of seizing on *Rissano*, where they supposed to find but little opposition: General *Barbaro* having received notice hereof, conveys privately some men into the Town; the Inhabitants of *Montenegro*, notwithstanding they are subjects of the Port, undertaking the defence of the place, and further he sends a Gally into the Port, as a Guard to the place; *Philippovich* comes with 3000 Turks to surprize the Town, but meets with such warm resistance, that he was forced to retire in great confusion, leaving about two or three hundred of his men killed upon the place; the *Bassa* is very much incens'd hereat, and especially with the inhabitants of *Montenegro*, and immediately being corrupted by the parties concern'd in the action, writes to the Grand Vizier, giving him an account of what had pass'd very partially, and with much prejudice to the Republick and General *Barbaro*; the Vizier complains hereof to the *Venetian* Ambassador at the Port, and calls it a violation of the peace; first, in encouraging, as he will have it, the inhabitants of *Montenegro*, to bear Arms against the forces of the Grand Signior their Lord and Master; and next, for having discharged several Canon against them, besides several other things which he says is a most notorious rupture of the present peace; insatisfaction for which, he first demands General *Barbaro's* head; Secondly, that the *Venetians* withdraw their Garrisons from the controverted places on the borders.