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St. James's, June 22.

**A**N humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Magistrates, Common-Council, Clergy, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of Plymouth in the County of Devon, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Berkeley first Lord Commissioner of the Admiralty, &c.

An humble Address of the High Sheriff, Deputy Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Salop, has been presented to his Majesty by Sir Robert Corbet, introduced by the Lord Newburgh, in the Absence of the Earl of Bradford.

Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

*Constantinople, April 23, O. S.* Here arrived lately four Persons, who pretended to be Deputies from the chief Rebel in Persia who sacked Schamachia; and said they were sent by him to demand the Protection of the Port; but as they came without any Credential Letter, they were soon dismissed with some slight Presents, and without any direct Answer to their Demand. This Port sends every Year a Squadron of Ships into the Archipelago, to clear the Sea of the Maltese or other Christian Corsairs; and ten Men of War have

been for some time fitting out for that purpose, but are stronger manned than usual, and better provided with Arms and Ammunition. This Court has likewise sent Orders to the Governments of Tripoli, Tunis, and Algier, to fit out as many of their Ships as they can to join them, and have appointed Janom Choggia (who is the ablest Seaman they have) to command the Fleet. He is now at Tripoli, whence he is to remove to Scio, where the Fleet is to meet him, and the ten Men of War are already sailed out of this Port. The Enterprize concerted is kept secret, but is conjectured to be against a little Island called Gozo near Malta, which is or may be made strong, so as to serve to bridle the Maltese Rovers, if it can be taken.

*Vienna, June 13, N. S.* Letters from Constantinople advise, that Expresses were come to the Ottoman Port from different Parts of Persia, bringing Accounts that the Kingdom of Persia has been attacked by two Armies of Rebels, one headed by Miriveis, and the other by Scheich Mahmud; the first having over-run all the Country from Candachar to Ispahan, laid Siege to that Capital, took and plundered it, and also made himself Master of the Castle, the King of Persia with only three or four Persons, escaping with great Difficulty. Miriveis was assisted by the Great Mogul, and has with him a numerous Army, the greatest Part

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