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Edenburgh, June 12.

T Here are lately sent into *Leith* six prizes taken by Captain *Hamilton* and Capt. *Murray*, and a French *Pink*, by some other private men.

Falmouth, June 13. Yesterday seven great ships past by this Harbor, and stood up the Channel towards the East; what they are, or from whence, is not yet discovered.

Berwick, June 10. On Monday last a ship belonging to this place, bound for *Newcastle*, was seized by a French *Sloop*; several of them being reported to ply between *Tinmouth* Bay and this Port.

On Wednesday an *Offender* laden with French and Spanish Wines upon some Scots Merchants Accounts, bound for *Scotland*, came safe into *Holy Island*, and on Thursday set sail for *Scotland*.

Rome, May 29. The Ministers of *Spain* have dispatched a Courier to *D. Louis Foxce de Leon*, to draw up the form for the Investiture of the Kingdom of *Naples*, being more then usually concerned at some expressions of the Pope; as if he would not receive the Annual Tribute of a Horse at the Feast of *S. Peter*, which is yearly payable by the King of *Spain* to that See for the Investiture. The *Spaniards* being the more cautious, lest by the omission, the French might in time, again revive their ancient pretensions, and occasion fresh disputes.

The Duke *de Carpinero*, eldest son to the Prince *Pamphilio*, is nominated at *Madrid* to perform the Ceremony of presenting this Tribute, and is for those two days to be qualified as Ambassador Extraordinary from his Catholick Majesty, in the absence of the Ambassador in Ordinary, the Marquis *de Santlo Romano*, whose affairs will not permit him to be there till *November*.

The great affair between the Pope, and the Dutchess of *Mantua*, who had much dissatisfied his Holiness in banishing an Inquisitor out of her Duchy, is at last composed by the interposition of the Emperor, from whom the Cardinal *Tonghi* presented the Dutchess with Letters importing his desires, That her Highness would give entire satisfaction to the Court of *Rome*, severely blaming her proceedings, both in this business of the Inquisitor, and the other of the late contest with the Dutchess of *Modena*. To which she replied, That in what was done, she was surpris'd by her Council; but that she was resolv'd to give very speedy satisfaction to the Court of *Rome*, as was desired of her.

Dantzick, June 12. We are advised by Letters of the 4 instant, that the King of *Poland* is every day making great preparations for the carrying on of the War against the Confederates; and is now forming a Leaguer at *Blony*, seven Leagues from *Warsaw*, having lately received an addition of 3000 fresh men, and expects every day 6000 out of *Lithuania*, who are upon their march for his assistance. Those of great *Poland* did at their meeting frame a kind of Manifesto, by which they declare, that their taking up Armes, is so far from being intended against His Majesty, that they will assist him with their Lives and Fortunes, but with this addition, whilst he maintains their Laws and Privileges. They have ordered all their several districts to be in Armes at the appointed places for their several Rendezvous the 21 instant; and then they may resolve (as is believed) to hold a Parliament in the open field (if His Majesty hinder it not) where *Lubomirski's* Trial shall be examined; and according as they shall find it, to proceed either against him or his Judges: where 'tis not doubted but he will be found innocent, his Examiners being all of his own faction; and 'tis

feared will execute the sentence on some of his Judges, which they had decreed against him.

It is reported by some lately come out of great *Poland*, that *Lubomirski* hath 2000 Dragoons, and as many Horse sent to his assistance by the Emperor, who are joyned with 5000 Confederate *Poles*; and that he is at the head of them, on his march towards *Lowitz*, about ten Leagues distant from the Kings Leaguer: if so, we may expect sudden action.

Seville, May 27. The *Spaniards* are much troubled, that the nine Men of War sitting out at *Cadix*, are not yet ready to joyn with the eleven already before *Lisbon*, to hinder the putting in of Provisions into the Town.

The Duke *de Veraguas* is on his journey hither from *Madrid*, who is to command and take the charge of the Armada, the Admiral and several other Officers of the Fleet expecting his arrival.

Elfenour, June 5. This week arrived 38 sail of Merchants, and a Galliot from *Holland*, and about 27 gone out from hence. The ships sent to *Stockholm* upon the French account, are said to be ready laden with their Naval Provisions, and are expected here with the first fair wind.

Another ship laden upon the same account at *Lubeck*, with Hemp and Platsk past the *Sound*, the first Currant, and is sailed for greater security about Northwards; from which road there arrived several here lately from *St. Malo's* and *Rockelle*.

The Court is at present at *Fredericksberg*, where it has continued about twelve days. The people here begin to have a great distrust of the *Hollanders* assistance, especially since they make no greater hast with the ships designed for their assistance, or the Guns so long promised them.

Venice, June 4. The last Letters from the *Levant* tell us, that the Sultan who is still at *Adrianople*, has sent more forces against the *Cham* of *Tartary*, who is very valiant in the field, his Army much in heart, encouraged by some successes they have already had against the *Turks*.

'Tis likewise said, that ten Turkish vessels that escaped the *Venicians* out of the last encounter, put on shore some Janissaries and other Soldiers, about 1000 men, between *Sittia* and *Girapetra*, about 100 miles distant from *Canea*; and in their return towards *Rhodes*, were all of them taken by a Squadron of Christian Corsyres.

This Republick has declared *Procuradore Valiero*, son to the late Duke, their Extraordinary Ambassador to complement the Emperors at *Milan*, and to attend her through the *Venetian* Territories as far as *Trent*; who intends to appear in great State, with at least 300 persons in his Train.

In pursuance of our ancient pretences of Sovereignty in the *Adriatick Sea*, some of our Vessels have lately seized on a Vessel laden with a great quantity of Coin, belonging to the Popes Chamber, which we hear is very much resented in the Court of *Rome*.

Madrid, June 3. The Emperors continues still at *Gandia* near *Denia*; the Gallies not being yet ready to transport her, *Don John* of *Austria* though vigorously solliciting his entrance into the Council according to his place, having had several Conferences, and private Audiences from the Queen, and discourses with the Ministers of State, about several weighty affairs, was in the end desired to withdraw himself againe into the *Castilla*, his former place of retirement, about thirty Leagues from *Madrid*.

This day came to Town *Don Pascual de Arragon*, Archbishop of *Toledo*, who as soon as he is settled, is to take his place in the Junto of the Government.

Hamburgh, June 4. 'Tis said here by Letters from
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