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Rye, March 24.

Here is some days since brought in by Captain Speers a Dutch Vessel of 3 about 60 or 70 Tun, laden with Oyle and Almonds from Portugal, bound for Amsterdam, together with an other Dutch Ship, of three hundred Tun belonging to *Moyne*, laden with Oyle and Salt from *Cadix*.

Dover, March 24. Yesterday arrived here several Seamen of this place from *Holland*, having made their escape, after their Vessels had been kept there, they tell us that before their coming away, they had heard, that Captain *de Hayes* Ship, Admiral of the *Smirk* Fleet, with three others, were sunk in their way home, after they had parted with the English Frigats; but of this we must expect to hear farther.

Rome, March 6. The Cardinal *Landt Grave* of *Hesse*, was some days since to thank his Holiness in the Name of his Imperial Majesty, for the promotion of the Prince of *Baden*, as the Baron of *Hilfertsdorf* at the same time did in the Name of that Cardinal, and all his Family; in the mean time, as well the French as Spanish Cardinals, continue highly dissatisfied at this promotion, for that there was, as they say, no regard had to the pretences of the Bishop of *Laons* and Father *Nithard*, Archbishop of *Edessa*, and to the promise his Holiness had formerly made them.

The Prince of *Palestrina* being some days since abroad in his Coach, he happened to be affronted by several persons that passed by in Maskerade, in an other Coach, upon which arose a great quarrel and might have occasioned much mischief, but that they were timely prevented, by the coming in of several persons of quality, who by their interposition, reconciled them for that time. His Holiness hath appointed the *Abbè Bonaccorsi*, Brother to the Cardinal of that Name to carry the Cap to the new Cardinal of *Baden*, who is at present at the Court at *Vienna*; the *Abbè d'Aquina*, being sent on the same Errand to the Cardinal *de Gravina* at *Brescia*, in the Republick of *Venice*; and the *Abbè Catalani* to the Archbishop of *Thoulouze*, now Cardinal *Bonzi*, at *Paris*.

Genova, March 16. On Thursday last Don *Pedro d'Arragon*, arrived in this Port, with four Gallies from *Naples*, having immediately after his arrival been complimented by a person of quality to that purpose, deputed by the Senate, and by him, in their name, invited to come and refresh himself on shore; which Don *Pedro* after having returned their compliment, desired to excuse, as being unwilling to loose any time in his voyage to *Spain*.

We are informed, that the *Swisse* Cantons have lately sent to the Duke *d'Ossuna*, Governor of *Milan*, upon occasion of the Breach of some Priviledges they have long enjoyed in that State; which, it seems, have of late been denied them, complaining amongst other things, of their being not suffered of late to ride armed with Guns or Pistols in those Countreys, contrary to what they have formerly practised.

Venice, March 18. We have advice here, that the *Maltheles* and other Christian Gallies continue very much to disturb the Trade of the Turkish Islands in the *Archipelago*, having lately taken several of their Ships, and some of them richly laden. That the Captain *Bassa* was at *Constantinople*, using all possible diligence for the refitting his Gallies for Sea; and that he expected for the reinforcing of his Fleet, several Gallies from the *Black Sea*, which the Grand Signior had long since ordered to be built there.

From the Port, they continue to write with great uncertainty concerning the design the Grand Signior may have for employing his Arms this Summer; though this they assure us, that his preparations are very great. The Senate hath appointed several of their Body, for the examining the Accompts of Captain General *Morofini*, concerning the Moneys expended at *Candia*, during the late War; which it is thought they have not so much done out of any suspicion they have of malversation, or abuses committed in the employing of those Moneys, as to vindicate the Honor of the said Captain General, which some have of late gone about to asperse in this particular.

From *Zant*, *Cepphalonia*, and *Corfu*, we have advice of the great scarcity of Corn, and all other Provisions in those Islands, by reason the Inhabitants of the *Mores*, have of late refused to provide them with these necessaries.

Hambrough, March 25. The Elector of *Saxony* is daily expected at *Postdam*, where the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, together with the Duke of *Lunenburg* at present is, those Princes having appointed a meeting there, to confer as is said, concerning the present posture of affairs in the Empire. At *Copenhagen* is daily expected the Heer *van Werckendam*, Ambassador from the States General of the United Provinces, part of his Trayn being already arrived there.

Our Letters from *Stockholme* seem to tell us, that the Dutch Ambassador at that Court, was somewhat dissatisfied, that notwithstanding all his instances, he had not as yet been able to obtain a final answer from that Crown, which he interprets to be through their want of affection to the Interests of the States his Masters.

Cologne, March 29. Yesterday passed by this place six Vessels laden with Ammunition and other Military provisions for *Nuis*. The French Troops come in great numbers daily into these parts, where they intend, as is said, to have a very considerable Army in the Field about the beginning of *May*, which we are told is to be Commanded by the Prince of *Condé*, whose Equipage is preparing here.

From *Vienna* they assure us, of several Imperial Regiments that may very suddainly come down into these parts, though we hear not as yet of their being on their march. The French Commissaries continue to buy up very considerable quantities of Corne in all these Territories, so that their Magazines at *Nuis*, *Bon*, and other places, are said to be very well provided.

Naples.