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Naples, March 7, N. S.

ON the Night of the 22d past, two Abbes, Subjects to the Pope, by Name one Emilio and the other Lecce, were, by Order of the Committee of Diffidents, arrested and conducted to Castle Nuovo, upon Suspicion of being Emisaries from the Court of Vienna. On the 26th anchored at this Port, two Transport Vessels, one with the remaining Part of the King's Troops made Prisoners of War at Tortona, and the other with 170 Spanish Soldiers arrested and conducted to Mahone as Prisoners of War, by an English Frigate, and since released. On the 6th anchored likewise two other Transports from Genoa, with about 250 Recruits for the Swiss Regiment Jauch, mostly Croats, Pandours and Germans, Deserters out of the Austrian Army. The King has appointed a Committee of five Subjects to enquire and examine into the Administration of the Duke Barretta, as Agent Victualler of his Troops, during the Campaign in the Ecclesiastical State and Lombardy.

Rome, March 11. The King of Spain, in the present dangerous State of Health of Cardinal Acquaviva, has charged M. Clementi, Auditor di Rota for the Spanish Nation, with his Affairs at this Court. On the 26th past, the Pope, attended by M. Simonetti, the Governor of Rome, M. Mesmer, Treasurer in Ordinary, and many Prelates of his Bed-Chamber, received; with the usual publick Formalities, from Cardinal Valenti Gonzaga, Secretary of State, the Oath as High Treasurer of the See of Rome, and invested him with all the Authority belonging to that Post, of which his Eminency took Possession accordingly, and received Complements thereupon from the College of Cardinals, many Prelates, and the Nobility. Then the Pope nominated M. Simonetti Vice-Treasurer. On the 3th Instant a Courier from Genoa, by Way of Orbitello, passed by this City or Naples. On the 6th, Madame Fogliani, her having seen the Antiquities of this City, proceeded on her Journey to Naples. Preparations are making at Palo and other Villages, for the Reception of the Pope on the Journey which he intends to take to Civita Vecchia.

Florence, March 14. By the last Mail from Lombardy we are informed, that in Consequence

of Directions from the Court of Vienna, Dispositions are making at Placentia to divide the large Train of Artillery, Mortars, Ammunition and military Stores, taken in the last Campaign at that Place from the French, Spaniards, Neapolitans, and Genoese; one half of which is to be consigned to the King of Sardinia. Recruits from Germany by the Tyrol daily join the Austrian Troops in Lombardy; and many Battalions of veteran Troops from Parma, Placentia, and other Garrison Places, have marched to join Marshal Schulemberg at Novi, who is making the necessary Preparations to begin his Operations against the City of Genoa; to which End frequent Councils of War are held by the Austrian and Sardinian Generals.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 31, 1747.

The Court goes into Mourning on Sunday next, the 5th of April, for the late Queen of Poland and Dutches of Lorrain, viz.

The Ladies to wear Black Silk or Velvet, colour'd Ribbons, Fans and Tippetts.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, colour'd Swords and Buckles.

City; Borough and Town
of Westminster in the
County of Middlesex.

At the General Quarter Session of the Peace of our Lord the King, holden at the Town Court-house near Westminster Hall, in and for the Liberty of the Dean and Chapter of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter Westminster, the City, Borough and Town of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, and St. Martin Le Grand, London, by Adjournment, on Tuesday the seventeenth Day of March, in the Twentieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second, King of Great Britain, &c. before Thomas Burdus, George Howard, Esqrs. and other their Fellows, Justices of our said Lord the King, assigned to keep the Peace within the said Liberty; and also to hear and determine divers Felonies, Trespasses, and other Misdemeanors done and committed within the said Liberty.

THIS Court being informed, that common Players of Interludes have, for several Years past, used and accustomed to assemble and meet together at or near a certain Place