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Naples, April 16, N. S.

THE Count of Policastro, who by the King's express Orders was lately put in Confinement in the Cittadel of Messina, for challenging a Spanish Officer at the publick Entertainment made by the Duke of Medina Celi, on the Rejoicing for the Christening of the young Prince of Calabria, was, at the Request of the King of Spain, set at Liberty. Several private Men out of two Battalions of the Swiss Regiment of Beller, lately dismissed, having declined to serve amongst the King's Troops, have hired a Transport Vessel to return to their own Country. The Marquis Malaspina has been appointed, by the King his Envoy at the Court of Dresden, in the room of Count Bolognini recalled. The Duke de Perelli has been appointed by the King Governor of Capua. In the Afternoon of the 14th Instant their Majesties, attended by their respective Retinues, set out from this City for Portici, where they propose to pass some Weeks.

Rome, April 20, N. S. On the 5th Cardinal Mellini had an Audience of the Pope, to notify to him the Commission he had received from the Emperess Queen of Hungary, of the Charge of her Affairs at this Court. On the 6th the Prince of Soriano went to pay his Visit to the College of Cardinals, on his Marriage with the

Second Princess of Massa. The Duke of Sora has granted his Palacé for the Lodging of the new French Ambassador, who is shortly expected in this City.

Head Quarters at Heeze, May 16, N. S. We marched from Kayforsbosh the 14th, but finding the Roads very bad, the Left Wing halted Yesterday at Waert. Tomorrow we shall march to the Neighbourhood of Bois-le-duc, where we shall join the Right Wing. Marshal Bathian, for the Convenience of Forage, continued his March Yesterday. General Hawley will also join us there with the Remainder of the British Corps.

Hague, May 17, N. S. The Prince of Orange's Journey to Breda is put off till the Beginning of next Week. The Ratification of the Preliminary Articles, passed Yesterday in the Assembly of the States of Holland, and this Day the Ratifications, on the Part of the Republick, were finished, and sent by a Courier after M. Benthinck, who set out from hence for Aix la Chapelle the Night before last.

Navy Office, April 29, 1748.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 5th of next Month, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, they will be ready to deal with such Persons as are willing to purchase his Majesty's Stores at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Plymouth, with Stone Gunpowder, Glass, &c. Use of his Majesty's Ships, upon a Standing Contract, what they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

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