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Lisbon, April 25.

AFTER several Weeks dry Weather, which has greatly hurt the Seed in the Earth, we have at last had an almost continual Rain for three Days together, which, 'tis hoped will, in some Measure, recover our Harvest, otherwise we shall be drove to the Necessity of getting Corn from foreign Countries.

Petersbourg, May 5. General Arnheim had this Day his first Audience of the Empress, in which he presented his Credentials-as Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Poland.

Petersbourg, May 6. The Deputation from the Cossacks arrived here some Days ago; they consist of the Chiefs of that numerous Nation, and have brought the Count de Rasoumoski the Diploma of the Dignity of Attaman or General of the Cossacks, which considerable Employment they some time ago conferred on him. Her Imperial Majesty has appointed M. Tolbuzin to be Rear Admiral of her Gallies. A few Days ago died, in an advanced Age, Lieutenant-General Hennin, having been 54 Years in the Russian Service.

Parma, May 8. Their Serene Highnesses the Duke and Dutchess continue at Colorno with the whole Court. Their Highnesses have appointed the Marquess de Pallavicini to go to Turin, to compliment, in their Name, the Duke and Dutchess of Savoy, upon Occasion of their Marriage.

Madrid, May 11. By our last Advices from Cadiz we learn, that the two Men of War arrived at that Port from Ferrol, in order to convoy the Register Ships beyond the Canaries, are busy in compleating their Complements of Men for that Purpose; and that the Reyna Man of War, from Vera Cruz, arrived there the 24th past, bringing between five and six Millions of Dollars in Silver, besides some Gold, and a very valuable Cargo of other Merchandize. A French Vessel likewise, in forty Days from Martinico, brings Advice, that Admiral Spinola, with the Squadron under his Command, was to sail for Europe some Time in April.

Turin, May 12. The King has appointed the Marquess de Chiufa to be Lord Steward of the Household; the Marquess de Breglio to be Master of the Horse; and the Count de Cunico to be Master of the Wardrobe: His Majesty has likewise made several other considerable Preferments, and named several new Lords of his Bed-chamber.

Stockholm, May 12. The Court is gone into Mourning for six Weeks, on Occasion of the Death of the Margravine Dowager of Brandebourg. The last Letters from Finland say, that every Thing remained there in perfect Tranquility.

Vienna, May 15. Our last Letters from Bohemia brought Advice of the Death of Count Wratislaus. The 13th Instant, being her Imperial

Majesty's Birth-day, who then entred into the 34th Year of her Age, the same was celebrated, as usual, at Schonbrun, where their Majesties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers on that Occasion.

Copenhagen, May 16. Her Majesty is so well recovered from her late Illness, that she proposes going shortly to pass some Weeks with the King at Friedensbourg. His Majesty has appointed M. Calkreuth to be Lieutenant General of his Forces.

Berlin, May 19. The King has made the following Promotion amongst the Officers of his Army.

General of Infantry. M. du Moulin, Lieutenant General of Infantry. Messrs. Kalsow, Prince Frederick of Brunswick Wolfenbuttle, M. Schwerin, and the Prince of Brunswick Bevern.

Majors General of Infantry. The Colonels Wiedersheim and Kreytzen, and the Count de Wartensleben.

Colonels of Infantry. The Lieutenant Colonel's Kleist, Belchwitz, Meseberg, Haagen, and Bandemer.

Colonels of Cavalry. The Lieutenant Colonels Canitz, Katte, Meyer, and Sorgas.

Yesterday Morning his Majesty, accompanied by several of the Nobility and General Officers, reviewed, near the Village of Templow, the Regiment of Foot of Count Schwerin; that of Kalckstein; the Margrave Charles, Prince of Prussia's; the Count de Haack's; that of Bogillas de Schwerin; the Hereditary Prince of Hesse Darmstadt's; that of Meyring; that of Forcade's; the Duke of Wurtemberg's; that of Prince Ferdinand; and that of the Prince of Brunswick. His Majesty also reviewed at the same Time the following Regiments of Horse, viz. his Body Guards, the Gendarmes, the Regiment of the Prince of Prussia, and the Regiment of Hussars of Ziethen, making in the Whole 24 Battalions and 21 Squadrons. They all performed their Exercises extremely well, and made a very fine Appearance; after which the Nobility and General Officers had the Honour to dine with his Majesty.

Franckfort, May 20. The Hereditary Prince of Saxe Gotha, who has been for some Time in France, passed through this Place a few Days ago on his Return to Gotha; as did likewise the Baron de Bernsdorff, who is appointed by the King of Denmark Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, on his Return to Copenhagen. The Weather has been so extremely cold here for several Days past, that 'tis greatly feared the Fruits have suffered very much.

Paris, May 22. The Protestants in this Kingdom are expressly forbidden, by the King's late Declaration, to sell their Estates without his Majesty's Leave.

Utrecht, May 24. The Duke and Dutchess of Newcastle arrived here last Night from Amsterdam, and set forwards this Morning on their Journey

