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Venice, May 1.

ON Wednesday last arrived here some of the Servants of the Princes of *Newbourg*, who are now at *Rome*, to prepare a House for them, but the Imperial Ambassador here has let them know, That he expects their Masters will do him the Honour to take an Apartment in his House. The Letters we have from *Rome* do not tell us of the departure of the Bishop of *Fano*, whom the Pope has appointed to go in quality of his *Nuncio* Extraordinary to make his Compliments at the French Court, upon the Birth of the Duke of *Burgundy*; nor do they speak of any likelihood there is of an accommodation of the differences between the two Courts. There are several Solicitors now at *Rome* for the Pope's Bulls for Bishops lately disposed of by the Most Christian King, but hitherto they have not obtained the dispatch of them. The Letters from *Turkey* inform us, That the Grand-Signior was parted from *Adrianople* for *Belgrade*, where he was expected about the beginning of this Month.

Vienna May 2. The General Rendezvous of the Imperial Army will be held on Thursday next near *Presbourg*; The Emperor and the Elector of *Bavaria* are gone thither from *Laxemburg*, and it's not to be doubted but there will be a very fine appearance. Here is made publick a List of the Emperor's Forces, according to which, his Imperial Majesty has in his Pay 27 Regiments of Foot, making together 55700 Men, whereof 25296 are at the General Rendezvous, near *Presbourg*; 4692 in upper *Hungary*, 2040 at *Fabluncka* on the Frontier of *Hungary*; 2040 at *Leopolstadt* on the *Wag*, 3640 in *Austria*, 2040 at *Vienna*, 13912 in the Empire, and 2040 in *Bohemia*; 17 Regiments of Horse, making together 13600 Men, seven Regiments of Dragoons, consisting of 5600, and four Regiments of Croats, making 3200, whereof 15200 are at the General Rendezvous, 800 in upper *Hungary*, 400 at *Fabluncka*, 2400 at *Leopolstadt*, 800 in *Austria*, and 2800 in the Empire: So that the General List of Horse and Foot stands thus; at the General Rendezvous, 39696; in the Empire 16712; in upper *Hungary*. 7532, &c. making in all 78540 Men. Besides these there will be the *Hungarian* Troops, under the Command of the Palatine of that Kingdom, thole of *Croatia* commanded by that Viceroy, and Six Thousand Polish Horse, under the Command of the Prince of *Lubomirski*. The whole Army is to be commanded by the Duke of *Lorraine* as *Generalissimus*, who has an absolute Power to act as he shall think fit for the Emperor's Service. This day arrived here Count *Wallenstein*, the

Emperor's Ambassador in *Poland*, to give the Emperor a particular Account of the present state of Affairs on that side. The Count de *Lamberg*, the Emperor's Envoy to the Courts of *Saxony* and *Brandenburg*, is upon his departure, and we are told that he has Orders to make new Proposals to the Elector of *Brandenburg*, in order to the inducing him to enter into Engagements with his Imperial Majesty. The Secretary of Count *Teckley* is still here; he was dispatched by his Master before he knew that the League was concluded between the Emperor and the Crown of *Poland*, and the Errand he was sent hither upon is of so little Importance that no body speaks of it. From *Warsaw* we have advice, That the King of *Poland* has forbid all Commerce and Correspondence between the Poles and the *Hungarian* Rebels.

Berlin, May 5. Count *Lamberg*, the Emperor's Envoy, is expected very suddenly here from *Vienna*, our last Letters from thence telling us, That he had received his Dispatches, and was upon his departure. Daily Conferences are held here with Monsieur *Bierman*, the Danish Minister, and it's said he will part from hence very well satisfied, and that his Electoral Highness is resolved to pursue the Measures he has taken for the preserving the Peace of *Germany*; and we are told, That the Sieur *Bierman*, when he has finished his Negotiation here, will return to the Courts of the Princes of *Lunenburg*, which he passed in his way hither, and that his Electoral Highness will likewise send thither the Sieur *Meinders*, in quality of his Envoy Extraordinary. The Letters from *Poland* tell us, That they have begun to raise Men, but that that Crown will not be in a posture to act offensively against the Turks this Summer.

Hamburg, May 11. From *Stockholm* they write, That the King of *Sueden*, to avoid giving any jealousy to his Neighbours in this conjuncture, has declared, That he will not at present send any Troops to his Territories in *Germany*; That there has been some disorder among the Bores in *Smaland*; who disowned what their Deputies had done at the late Dyet, and refused to pay the Tax which the King had ordered to be raised in pursuance of an Act of the said Dyet; upon which some Soldiers were sent down, and 10 or 12 of the most turbulent having been seized, all was quiet again: That the King was sending the Sieur *Swanbeilm* in quality of his Envoy Extraordinary for *England*, and that he had Orders to pass through *Holland*, and to confer with the Swedish Minister at the *Hague*. Our Letters from *Copenhagen* give us an account, That the Danish Fleet would in a short time be ready to sail, That the King of *Denmark* continued his resolution of parting for *Holstein* about the middle of this Month, and that his Troops were in the Mean time Marching to their general Rendezvous. From *Poland* they write, That the Marquis