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Rome, April 14.

ON Sunday last the Cardinal *Visconti* Archbishop of Milan entred into the Conclave; from whence the Cardinals of *Bouillon* and *Capizuchi* came out the same day, by reason of their Indisposition. On Tuesday a Report was spread through the whole City, That *Altieri* would be Chosen Pope the next day, but it proved a mistake; he had indeed once 32 Voices, and a fair prospect of gaining as many more as might be sufficient to make an Election, but within these two days things are changed in the Conclave; *Altieri* loses ground, and the difficulties that appear in his Promotion, give Encouragement to the Friends of *Barberigo*; the first has for him the French Interest; and the other the Zealors, and most of the Spanish Cardinals. The Imperialists have not yet declared themselves, expecting the return of the Courier they sent lately to *Vienna*, to know the Emperor's Sentiments about *Barberigo*. This week the Servants of the French Ambassador fell upon some of the Sbirri's, that came too near his Palace, disarmed them, and used them very severely, of which Complaint being made to the Conclave, they sent the next day to the French Ambassador to put him in mind of the Bull of *Innocent* XI. for taking away the Franchises of the Ambassador's Quarters, and the Renunciation he himself had made of them; to which his Answer was, That he had indeed quitted the Franchises, but not the Respect that was due to the King his Master.

Rome, April 21. The Express that was sent by the Imperial Ambassador to *Vienna*, is come back with a very favourable Answer for *Barberigo*, so that his Party is now strengthened by the Imperial Cardinals; The French talk of excluding him; but the Zealors press hard for him. The Cardinal de *Bouillon* is returned into the Conclave, which has now lasted 2 months and 10 days.

Turin, April 14. Our Duke is gone to Confer with the Governor of *Milan*; from whence we are expecting several Regiments, some of which will be put into Garrison here. Since the taking of *Nizza*, the *Sieur de Catinat* has ordered his Troops to march by the way of *Briancon* towards *Susa*, and we are told, that others are expected from *Dauphine* to join them. The Germans that were quartered in *Montferrat* are moving nearer to this place. The *Francois* have made an Excursion into *Dauphine*, where they cut off 3 French Companies, and brought back 12000 Sheep, and a great quantity of other Cattel, with divers Prisoners.

Milan, April 25. The Duke of *Savoy* arrived here in person on the 10th instant, and lodged in the house of his Resident; the Count de *Fuenfiliada*, our Governor-General, went immediately to visit his Royal Highness; The two days following they had several Conferences together; On the 14th his Royal Highness returned to *Turin*; And since that, 3000 men of the Forces of this State are marched towards *Piedmont*, and several other Regiments are ordered to follow in few days. Several Troops have been likewise sent from hence to reinforce the Garrison of *Final*, upon which it's thought the French may have some design. Our new Governor the Marquis de *Leganes* is very shortly expected here, and we are assured, that he brings with him a Supply of 300000 Crowns for the Service of the War. We continue to fortify *Gracolo* in the

*Mutuan*, and have now a Garrison there of 2000 men. The last week a Party of the German Troops quartered at *Moncalier* met and defeated 50 French Horse, commanded by the *Sieur Saltau*, of whom there escaped but 4 or 5, the rest being all killed or taken.

Leghorna, April 16. On the 8th instant sailed from hence the English and Dutch Convoy with the *Turkey* Fleet bound for *England*, who have had ever since very favourable Weather. On the 11th went out from hence a French Merchant Ship bound for *Smyrna*, and 7 Spanish Gallies being then in Port, followed her in the night, and took her; She is laden with rich Goods, and a considerable Sum of Money in Pieces of Eight, her whole Cargo being valued at 115000 l.

Venice, April 23. By a Vessel arrived here from *Corfu* we have advice, that the Captain-General was preparing to sail from thence with the whole Fleet for *Napoli di Romania*, in order to open the Campaigne. The last Letters from the *Mores* say, that the *Serafquier* had posted himself near *Thebes*, where he fortified his Camp; and that the *Turks* had supplied *Negrepont* with Ammunition and Provisions, and were going to raise there some new Fortifications. They write from *Dalmatia*, that most of the *Turkish* Troops in those Parts were marched towards *Bulgaria*.

Vienna, April 29. On the 23d instant Sir *William Hussy*, Ambassador from Their Majesties of *Great-Britain* to the *Ottoman* Port, set out from hence on his Journey towards *Turkey*. Last week 1200 Foot of the new Recruits passed by this place in their march to the several Regiments for which they were raised. On Friday last 35 Pieces of Cannon, lately cast in the Arsenal of this City, were tryed with good success, and ten more are coming from *Crembs*, 10 miles from hence, all designed for this Summer's Service in *Hungary*. Great quantities of Ammunition have been lately sent to *Transilvania*: From *Buda* by Letters of the 17th we hear, that they continue to work with an extraordinary diligence on the Fortifications of that place; The like is done at *Essek*; And from this last place a great Detachment of Imperialists was lately sent out upon some design that is not yet known. The advices from the *Turkish* Confines say, that at *Belgrade*, and the Parts thereabouts, they are in great want of Bread and other Necessaries, and that some Infectious Distempers are got among them; That the *Ottoman* Troops were assembling near *Sophia*; That by the beginning of *May* all their Principal Commanders were to be at *Belgrade*; And that a *Bassa* with 4000 Horse and 3000 Foot was moving towards *Temeswar*, in order to join *Tockley* and the *Grand Vicer's* Son, who is to command a Body of 25000 men designed to act towards *Transilvania*: From whence we have Letters of the 10th instant, giving an account, that things are very quiet on that side, and in a posture to oppose any attempt of the Enemy. On Sunday last died the Emperor's youngest Daughter, being about 9 months old. Prince *Louis* of *Baden* will be here very suddenly; And Count *Caraffa* is dispatched from hence with secret Instructions to the Elector of *Bavaria*.

Ausbourg, April 27. The Elector of *Bavaria* is going to hold a Rendezvous of his own and the Imperial Forces at *Leckfeld*, out of which he will draw a Detachment of 16 or 18000 men. The new Levies that were ordered to be made in these Parts for the Service of this next Campaigne are all completed.

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*Hydelberg, May 1.* The French are forming a Camp near *Landau*; and we are told, that the Dauphin is suddenly expected at *Strasbourg*. We work very hard on the new Fortifications that are making here, and omit no Endeavours for the putting this place into a posture of defence, though the present disposition of the Confederate Forces, which are posted to, that in twice 48 hours they can form a Body of 25 or 30000 men in this Neighbourhood, has freed us from all apprehensions of the Enemies designs.

*Frankfort, May 5.* The Forces of Saxony are on their march, and design to pass the *Main* at *Sweinfurt*, *Orfurt*, and *Kitzingen*, and to approach towards the *Neckar*. This day arrived here a Regiment of Foot in their march towards *Savoy*, being sent to that Duke's assistance by the Elector of *Brandenburg*. We are raising Men for the Reinforcement of our Garrison, and are going to plant Palisades on the Counter-Scarp round this place.

*Cologne, May 8.* The *Musket* Troops lye still near the River *Rheer*, expecting farther Orders. The Bavarian Regiments, that are quartered in this Diocess, are commanded to march towards the *Palatinat*; And the Troops of *Hesse* are moving down the *Rhine* towards *Nuis*.

*Paris, May 5.* The *Marschal de Loges* parted from hence on the 2d instant for *Germany*; most of the Troops that lye at present in *Burgundy* are ordered thither, and there is a report, that the Dauphin is to command the French Army on the *Rhine*. 'Tis said likewise, that several Troops are marching towards *Piedmont*. There has lately happened a Rencontre between the *Vaudois* and the French at *Lucerne*, of which we have this account, The *Marquis de Feuquieres* understanding that the *Vaudois* fortified themselves at *Lucerne*, and from thence greatly inconvenienced the French Quarters, marched from *Pignerol* on the 18th past, about 11 at night, with 1200 Foot, and 400 Horse and Dragoons, and arrived by break of day before *Lucerne*, where he charged the *Vaudois*, and obliged them to retire in disorder; and thertupon gave Orders for the burning their Provisions, and the setting the Town on fire; In the mean time the *Vaudois* rallied, to the number of about 2000, and being enraged by the Spoil the French had made of their Subsistence, and the Cruelties they had committed upon their Wives and Children, they came down from the Hills and attack'd the *Marquis de Feuquieres* with that vigour, as to force his Troops to give way, and now in their turn to retire in much confusion to *Pignerol*; the *Vaudois* pursued them almost to the Gates of that place, killing a great number of them, and burning several Villages near the Town; The French (as usually) disguise their Loss in this occasion, but we are assured, that above a third part of them were killed or wounded, and the *Vaudois* remained Masters of *Lucerne*.

*Buffels, May 9.* On Friday last there was a Review of 2000 Spanish Horse near *Dendermonde* in the Presence of the Prince of *Vaudemont*; And the Recruits for the rest of the Regiments being likewise finished, there will be a Review also taken of them in few days. The French have marked out a Camp for a small Body of their Troops between *Hurlbeke* and *Duyne*, in the same place where the *Marschal d'Humières* was encamped the last year, but it's said, their main Army will encamp near the *Sambre*. On our side every thing is in a readiness to take the Field, and some of the Forces are already on their march. And in the mean time Reinforcements have been sent to *Namur* and *Novelle*. Three thousand Horse and 2000 Foot of the Troops of *Hesse* are arrived in *Gelderland*, in pursuance of the Treaty lately made between our Governour and the Landgrave. We hear from the French Conquests, that the Arrierban of *Champagne*, and the Neighbouring Provinces, were to Rendezvous on the first of this month near *Rheims*, and thit from thence they were to march to guard their Sea-Coasts.

*Hague, May 11.* We have an account, that on the 3d and 4th instant there sailed out of the *Texel* 3 Dutch Men of War, among whom was Rear-Admiral *Schey*, and that Vice-Admiral *Calenburg* would follow in a day or two with 2 more: The Men of War from *Heilvoert-Sloys* R't sail likewise on Friday last, in order to join the English Fleet; And Admiral *Tromp*, though he is still indisposed, continues his Resolution of going to Sea. They write from *Flanders*, that the French make great Progress all along the *Muse* from *Mexieres* to *Dinant*, and that on the other side our Troops lay ready to march so there should be occasion to observe the Enemies motions.

The Count *de Berks* the Emperor's Minister, who went lately to *Munster*, is, we hear, gone from thence Post to *Vienna*, having received new Assurances from that Bishopp. That he will contribute his utmost for the advantage of the Common Cause of the Allies. The President *de la Tour*, Envoy Extraordinary from *Savoy*, has received an Express from *Vienna*, which he will dispatch back again to morrow.

*Plymouth, May 1.* On Wednesday last the *Kings-fisher* and the *Scepter* sailed from hence with the *Carriz* and *Lisbon* Fleets, and several other Merchant Ships for the *Downes*.

*Deal, May 5.* This day came into the *Downes* from the Westward about 40 Sail of Merchant Ships under the Convoy of the *Kings-fisher* and the *Scepter*.

*Whitehall, May 4.* This day Mr. *Russell*, Admiral of Their Majesties Fleet, went down to the Buoy of *see Now*, from whence he will sail in very few days, the whole Fleet being compleatly furnished with Seamen, and provided with every thing for their going to Sea.

*Whitehall, May 6.* By Letters from Rear-Admiral *Rooke*, dated yesterday at three in the afternoon on Board the *Fore-sight* off of *Harwich*, we have an account of the King's safe Arrival within the *Muse* by Six a clock on Sunday morning, from whence His Majesty might be at the *Hague* by Noon.

#### Advertisements.

The Well near *Illington*, called *New-Tunbridge*, will be open'd on Monday next, and to continue during the whole Season for drinking the Medicinal Waters, where the Poor may have the same gratis, bringing a Certificate under the Hand of a known Physician or Apothecary.

The Morals of *Confucius*, a Chinese Philosopher, who flourished above 500 years before the Coming of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, being one of the Choicest Pieces of Learning remaining of that Nation. Printed for Robert Home at the Royal-Exchange, Francis Saunders in the New-Exchange in the Strand, and Thomas Bennet at the Half-Moon in St. Pauls Church-yard.

Hefe are to give notice, That on the 14th of February last there were Houses burnt and damaged to the value of 357 l. 7 s. belonging to the Members of the Friendly Society, and that the Rate or Share for 100 l. secured on Brick-Houses is 6d. 10. and double for Timber, which by Covenant is to be paid at the Office in *Falcon-Court* in 25 days under the Penalty of a fourth part more; and if not paid in 3 months, they are to lose the Benefit of their Insurance: And the like for the Rent.

There are lately made three New Maps, viz. One of *Ireland*, in 2 Sheets; one of the 10 Spanish Provinces, commonly called *Flanders*, in one Sheet; and one of the Sea-Coast of *England*, *Scotland*, and *Ireland*, with the adjacent Coasts of *France*, *Flanders*, *Holland*, and *Denmark*, in one Sheet; wherein are several Improvements not extant in any other Maps. Sold by *Robt. Morden* at the Atlas in *Cornhill*, and by *Chr. Browne* at the Globe in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, *London*; where are to be sold the Maps of *Savoy*, *Piedmont*, &c.

On Monday next the 11th instant, will be sold by *Austien* a Collection of choice English and Latin Books on all Subjects, at *Rollis Coffee-house* on the North-side of *St. Pauls Church-yard*. Catalogues may be had gratis at *Mr. Bullocks* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, *Mr. Manships* in *Cornhill*, *Mr. Goodwins* in *Fleet-street*, *Mr. Partridges* at *Charing-cross*, *Book-sellers*; and at the place of Sale.

A New-Windmill in *Berkshire* is a very convenient Houfe to be Lett by Lease, or Sold, being Walled in, and fenced round with Choice Fruit, also pleasant Gardens, and Stabling for 4 or 5 Horses, &c. it is situated near the Cathedral, Castle, and Market. Enquiry may be made of *Mr. Harwood* an Attorney in that Town, at *Mr. Mans Coffee-house* near *Charing-cross*, *London*, or at *Mr. Soakes Coffee-house* in *Exchange-Alley* in *Cornhill*.

Lost the 2d instant, a Gold Watch with one Motion, having a Gold Chain, and a Steel Hook; made by *Benjamin Bell*. Whoever brings it to *Mr. Sweetapple* a Goldsmith in *Lombard-street*, shall have 2 Guinea's Reward.

Lost the 26th past, out of the Grounds of *John Satchell* of *Kestish Town* in *Middlesex*, a white Nag with some grey hairs, near 14 hands, with a cut Tayl, full aged, and all his hairs. Whoever gives notice of him to *John Satchell* aforesaid, shall have 20 s. Reward.

Tolen out of *Mr. Wilson's Stable* at *Chill-chest* in *Kent*, a black Gelding above 15 hands, with a Star in his Forehead, 2 white Feet behind, about 4 years old, black Bellied, and a Swish Tayl. Whoever secures him, and gives notice to the said *Mr. Wilson*, or to *Mr. Fletcher* at the *Catherine-Wheel* in *Southwark*, shall have 40 s. Reward.