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Barcelonæ, March 12. N. S.

OUR Viceroy has been to view the Spanish Troops at their several Garisons; and new Levies are making for the Service of the next Campagne, when the Spaniards propose to have an Army of 25000 Men, without reckoning the Miquelets or Militia of the Country, which by Experience are found to be very useful. A Party of them made the last week an Incursion within the Enemies Quarters, and brought back some Prisoners.

Malaga, March 14. A Bark arrived here this day from *Ceuta*, and brings an account, that the Moores continue still the Siege of that place; That they were making some new Works, and expected a great Reinforcement, upon whose arrival they pretend to push on their Attacks with more vigor than they have done of late; but this may be lookt upon as a Report purely raised to encourage their Men, who are very much wearied and disheartened with the length of the Siege, and the little progress they have hitherto made in it; for the War the King of *Morocco* is engaged in against the Algerines, is like to give him so much Employment for his Troops, that he will hardly be able to spare any considerable number of them, for any other Service: Some Prisoners that were taken lately by the Spaniards, report, that there are several French Officers among the Moores, and that the Conduct of their Batteries and Attacks was wholly left to one of that Nation, who was reputed a very good Ingenier; but that they are very much at a loss how to manage the same since his death; being killed by a Cannon Shot; These Prisoners say likewise, that 5000 of the Moores have been killed or wounded so as to be made unfit for Service since the beginning of this Siege, but whatever their losses may be, the Alcade, who commands the Moorish Forces before the place, declares, that he will not remove from thence, till he is Master of it.

Milan, March 16. The Marquis de *Leganes*, our Governor, is gone to *Loretto*, to meet there the Count d'*Altamira*, the Spanish Ambassador at *Rome*; 'Tis thought the Subject of their Conference is to consider how to oblige the Princes of *Italy* to pay what remains due from them to the German Troops, according to the Agreement made upon their leaving the *Milaneze*. 'Tis still said here, that some of the Troops, in the Service of this State, will be sent to *Catalonia* against the next Campagne. They write from *Turin*, that the Duke of *Savoy* has named Ambassadors to assist on his part at the Treaty of a General Peace.

Venice, March 22. The New Levies and Recruits that will be sent to the *Levant* this Spring, will amount to above 6000 Men; and the Captain General has raised a Regiment or two in the *Morea*; The last Advices from those parts say, the Squadron of Venetian Ships that had been cruising in the *Archipelago*, was come back to *Napoli di Romania*, and had brought with them some small Prizes; The Men of War in that Port were fitting out; and the Capt. General intended to go to Sea with the whole Fleet in the beginning of *May*. The new Fortifications at the Isthmus of *Corinth*, which the Venetians began the last year, are finished, and that País is thereby sufficiently secured against any sudden Attempt of the Enemy. 'Tis confirmed by all our Letters from *Turkey*, that the Grand Signior intends to go into the Field again this Summer; and that Count *Teckelej*, who has been for some time in disgrace at that Court, is intended to command a Flying Camp towards *Transilvania*, where he endeavours to persuade the Turks he has some Interest; The Persian Ambassador was still at *Constantinople*, his Business was to complain of some Spoil committed by the Turks on those Frontiers; In which he was like to receive no great Satisfaction; They were fitting out several Gallies and other Vessels, to be employed in the *Black Sea*, against the Moscovites;