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Malaga, June 3. N. S.

By a Vessel lately come from *Ceuta*, we have an Account, That the Moors have discontinued their Attacks against that place, a great part of their Army, (consisting mostly of Country People, who are under an Obligation of going, when commanded, to the War) being returned home to gather in their Harvest; And the Garison laying hold of this opportunity, make frequent Sallies upon the Enemy, and with good success. The Town has lately been supplied with a considerable quantity of Provisions and Ammunition from *Cadiz*, and a Reinforcement of about 150 Horse and 200 Foot was daily expected from the same place, where two Gallies, with some other Vessels lay ready to carry them over. In the mean while *Oran* continues in a manner blocked up, a Detachment of the Enemy being Encamped near that Fortrefs, which it's believed they will actually Besiege in a short time; accordingly the Garison is preparing for their Defence, and some Soldiers are marching towards *Cadiz*, who are forthwith to be Transported thither, with Provisions and Ammunition, and whatever else may be wanting to enable them to sustain a Siege.

Rome, June 14. The Pope intended last Monday to have gone to *Nettuno*, to view the new Works he has ordered to be made at *Porto Antzo*, and had accordingly ordered his Guards and Servants to be ready; but it being represented to him, that Travelling in this hot Weather would be very prejudicial to his Health, besides, that things were not in a readines for his Reception there, he has put off this Journey for some time. The Count *d'Altamira*, Ambassador from *Spain*, is preparing to make his publick Entry towards the latter end of this month, the Points of Ceremony in Dispute between him and the Constable of *Colonna*, being now adjusted: And in a short time after he will perform the Annual Ceremony of paying Homage to the Pope for the Kingdom of *Naples*, in the usual manner. We hear from *Naples*, That the Mount *Vesuvius* has lately thrown out very great quantities of burning Bituminous Matter, together with abundance of Ashes and Stones, which has done great Dammage to the Country thereabouts; And that an Earthquake has happened at the City of *Catana* in *Sicily*, which threw down several Houses.

Milan, June 18. The Prince of *Vaudemont* our Governor has communicated to the Senate his Commission from the King of *Spain*, and has since published an Order, for continuing all Persons in their Offices and Employments, and confirming all Orders made by his Predecessor. He

gave Audience last week to the Count *de Maffei*, Envoy from the Duke of *Savoy*, who has since had his Audience of Leave, and is on his departure home. We hear from *Turin*, That the Duke of *Savoy* has been lately at *Perceil*, to view the Arsenal and Fortifications of that place, and afterwards went to *Nice* to give Directions for the new Fortifications he designs shall be made there.

Madrid, June 19. The King of *Spain* returned hither with the Queen on the 12th instant from *Toledo* in very good health. He has made the Marquis *de Villa Franca* President of the Council for the *Indies*. The Marquis *de Villadarias* is gone hence to his Government of *Ceuta*, which place has been lately supplied with Men and Provisions. By an Express from *Cadiz*, we have Advice, That the *Parache*, one of the Galeons that were missing, is come in there, and brings an account, That at their sailing from the *Havana*, the Amirante or Vice-Admiral was separated in a Mist from the rest of the Fleet, and a few hours after by the Carelesness of the Pilot, struck on a Sand about 7 miles from the Port, where the Ship was lost, but the Gold and Silver, and all the Merchandises on Board were Saved, and carried to the *Havana*; and these Effects are expected home with the Ships that were to pass by the *Havana* towards the end of *April* in their return to *Europe*. There are 9 Galeons arrived at *Cadiz*, and two Ships of the Flota are still wanting.

Warsaw, June 24. The King gave last Sunday a great Entertainment to the Cardinal Primate, the Pope's Nuncio's, and several Bishops and Senators, and on this occasion endeavoured to Reconcile the Primate and the Bishop of *Cujavia*, but the Cardinal still insisting, that it should be referred to the next General Diet to Determine, whether any Bishop, but the Primate alone, may proclaim a King, and consequently whether the Bishop of *Cujavia* had nor, at the last Election, acted contrary to the Fundamental Laws of the Kingdom; the King thought fit to put off this Affair till such time as the Cardinal may be brought to a better Temper, so that all thoughts of Business were laid aside, and the day ended with several Diversions. General *Sapieha* has had Audience of the King, by whom he was very well received, and it is hoped, the Differences between him and the *Sieur Oginsky*, which have been the occasion of so much trouble in the Duchy of *Lithuania*, may shortly be adjusted. The Preparations for the War go on, and the King's Servants and Equipages are ordered to be going by the latter end of this month to *Lemberg*, where great Preparations are making by the Magistrates against his Majesty's arrival there, which may be about the middle of the next month; And in the mean time, the Bishop of *Rasb* is expected here from

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