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AT the Court at *Kensington* the 1st of *July*, 1718.

P R E S E N T,  
The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This Day the Right Honourable Nicholas Lechmere, Esq; was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

*Venice, July 1.* By Letters from Corfu of the 12th past, by the Way of Otranto, we have Advice that the Captain General Pisani is sailed with the Gallies to Zant, where the Fleet waits his Excellency's Arrival, consisting of 25 Ships of War well manned and provided with all Necessaries, and expecting to be joined soon by the Maltese Squadron. The same Letters say, the Ottoman Fleet is come to Napoli di Romania, and consists of 35 Sail. Admiral Grimani, with two Men of War and 16 Transports, is sailed to the Coast of Albania, having on board General Schuylemberg, with a Regiment of Italians, 300 Germans, 26 Engineers, and all Necessaries for undertaking a Siege; but it is not known what Place he will attack. At Lido arrived this Week the Battalions of Verona, and of Padua, consisting each of 500 Men. This Week also is expected that of Rurigo of 450 Men, besides several independent Companies. All these are to be sent to Dalmatia for reinforcing the Army there, which is to join the Army in Albania that is commanded by General Schuylemberg, and the Proveditore General Mocenigo is to stay at Sebenigo to cover that Frontier. This Week the great Council has chosen into the Nobility Sig. Charles Zini, with his 10 Sons, five of whom are to be Priests, and so are excluded from all Benefit of their Nobility.

*Berne, July 6.* The Deputies named on the Part of this State for the General Diet of the Helvetick Body, are arrived at Baden, where the French Ambassadour, the Marquess D'Avaray, was likewise expected on the 4th Instant, which Day was appointed for opening the said Diet. Two Deputies from Neufchatel had Audience on the 4th of the Sovereign Council here, to whom they delivered a Memorial complaining of this Canton's prohibiting the bringing of their Wines into this Country, and setting forth their Privileges and the Right they had acquired by the Treaty of Comburgherthip with this State, to sell their Wines in these Parts. Whereupon a Commission has been appointed by the said Sovereign Council to examine their Pretensions, and to make report. They write from Milan the 28th past, that the Governour of that Duchy had begun to form a Camp near Vercelli, which was said to consist of 10000 Men; that the Militia had likewise received Orders to be ready to march whenever it should be required; and that great Diligence was used in repairing the Fortifications of Pavia and Novara.

*Hambourg, July 8.* Yesterday the Burghers of this City had a general Meeting at the Town-House, where the President of the College of Sixty acquainted the Common Council, that Count Fuchs, the Imperial Envoy, had lately sent for some Deputies of the College, and represented to them, that he had Orders from the Emperour to let the Burghers know his Majesty's Intention was not, that they should receive the least Prejudice by the Act or Constitution relating to this City made by Cardinal Schonborn, at the Time of his Residence here as Imperial Commissioner; but that he the said Envoy was instructed to make such Alterations in the said Act, as the College should