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Constantinople, May 6; O. S.

ON the 16th past, the Imperial Ambassadour Count Virmont, set out from hence to return home: During his Residence here, the Visier and all the Ministers of the Port shewed him uncommon Civilities, and did their utmost to make him intirely satisfied with them. He marched out of Town with the same Ceremony as at his Entry. An Aga who was sent to Algier at the Desire of the Dutch Ambassadour, with a Letter from the Grand Signior to perswade that Government to make Peace with the States General, is returned, and by the Report he makes, they are not inclined to do it either with them or the Venetians.

Lisbon, June 23. On Sunday last the 16th Instant, the King of Portugal and the two Infantes assisted at an Auto da Fe, which was held by the Inquisitors in the Church belonging to the Convent of Dominicans. There were 43 Criminals brought out of the Prison of the Inquisition on this Occasion, viz. 29 Men and 14 Women, most of them accused of Mollinism or Judaism; and the same Night two of them, viz. a Man and a Woman, were burnt for the last of those Crimes. The British Ships of War *Dover*, *Experiment*, and *Tryal Sloop*, sailed from hence eight Days ago, to cruize upon the Coast of Sallée; and here remains only the *Deptford Man of War*, which will sail for England the last of this Month.

Berne, June 26. Our Advices from Neufchatel give an Account of the Installation of M. de Froment, the new Governour of that Principality the 20th Instant, when the usual Oaths were presented to him by the Dean, or eldest Counsellour of State, and after he had taken them, the next Counsellour in Rank made a Speech to him to congratulate him on his entring upon the Government: The Ceremony was performed at the Castle, in Presence of the Ministers and Officers of the State, the Councils of the Citizens of Neufchatel and Valangin, and the Deputies of those of Landeron and Boudry, each being in his Place according to his Rank and

Character; as soon as the Oath was taken the Cannon round the Castle was discharged the first time; when the Compliment of Congratulation was finished there was a second Discharge; and when the People were dismissed there was again a third Discharge. The Solemnity ended with a magnificent Entertainment which the new Governour gave to the Members of the Council of State. The other Bodies of Councils were to be treated in their Turns. We hear from Porentru, that the four Deputies of this Canton with those of the City of Bienne had had several Conferences with the Bishop's Commissaries, and that all things were in a fair way of being amicably adjusted at last. M. Hogger, the Swedish Resident with the Protestant Cantons, has lately presented to them his new Credentials from the King his Master, with Letters from the King and Queen of Sweden dated the 24th of March last, to notify to those States the Accession of the Hereditary Prince of Hesse Cassel to the Crown of Sweden. The two Deputies appointed by this Canton to assist at the General Diet of the Helvetick Body, which meets every Year soon after Midsummer, and will be held this time at Frawenfeldt, will be going from hence in few Days.

Stockholm, June 4, O. S. The Act for adjudging the Duties or Customs of Stettin to the King of Prussia, has been signed by the Lord Carteret and M. Campredon, and has been accepted by the Swedes; the Instrument they are to sign in Exchange, declaring such their Acceptance, will be delivered to the Lord Carteret, as well as the King's Ratification of it on the 9th Instant. The States have passed an Act, to thank the Queen for the Treaties made with his Britannick Majesty as King and as Elector, and with the King of Prussia. An Embargo is laid on all Ships lying in this Port.

Copenhagen, June 22. His Britannick Majesty's Ship *Warwick* sailed from this Road Yesterday, with some Vessels having Provisions on board, to join the Fleet commanded by Sir John Norris. The *Gosport* remains in the Road. The King of Denmark and Prince Royal came hither Yesterday from Fredericksbourg.