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*Plymouth, July 18.*

**H**is Majesty having at his arrival here yesterday in the Evening been received in the Road, by the Earl of Bath in his Shalop, and attended at his coming ashore by the Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities, amidst great numbers of Gentry and crowds of people who flocked to see him, was pleased, being accompanied by his Royal Highness, to go up immediately to visit the new Cittadel, with which his Majesty was extremely satisfied, and where his Majesty together with his Royal Highness having lodged that night, the next morning went up the River as far as *Salt-Ash*, six miles off; and returning again, was pleased to visit *Cattwaser* on the other side of the Port, after which was entertained at a Noble Dinner by the Earl of Bath, and about Six in the Evening embarked again for his return.

*Dartmouth, July 21.* His Majesty having found from the time of his setting sayl from *Plymouth* the contrary, put into this Harbour about two this afternoon in perfect health, and his Royal Highness also, and immediately gave orders for his Horses and Couches to bring him to *London* by land, in case the wind should not come fair the next day.

*Naples, June 30.* The Marquis de *Villa Franca* is still here, but will certainly part on Saturday next, on the Gallies of this Kingdom, that lie ready for his Transportation to *Barcelona*, from whence the said Marquis will proceed with all convenient speed to *Madrid*.

We have advice of several vessels belonging to this place laden with Corn and Oyle, that have been taken by the Corsairs, who in great Numbers still infest these Seas. From *Palermo* they write, that that Vice Roy had changed his resolution of going to *Tripoli* by Sea, upon the advice he had, that the Corsairs were plying thereabouts, with Seven Gallies, with intentions to surprise him.

*Genoa, July 1.* The chief Senate here, hath at length with a general applause, Elected Signior *Alexander Grimaldi* to be their Doge for the ensuing years, the term of the others Government being now expired; he hath since been Consecrated and Crowned with the usual Ceremonies by the Bishop of *Suonne*, in the presence of all the Nobility, and other persons of Quality that are at present here, who all express an extraordinary satisfaction, in the choice of a person of so much worth and particular merit.

The Prince of *Monaco* is lately come hither, together with his Lady, intending to pass some short time here, as being nearly allyed to this present Doge.

*Rome, July 4.* On Sunday last, being *St. Peters Eve*, the Spanish Ambassador performed the annual Ceremony of paying Tribute to his Holiness for the Kingdom of *Naples*, which was performed with the usual Formalities, in the presence of several Cardinals and other persons of principal Quality in this Court.

General *Sporke* having been Treated here by the Popes order, with all imaginable civility and respect, is parted again from thence, together with his

Lady on their way for *Germany*. Signior *Durazzo* is likewise departed for his employment at *Ferrara* where he is to reside in quality of the Popes Nuncio. The Bishop of *Laon* continues still incognito.

*Madrid, July 8.* The 25th past, and first instant, being the Anniversaries of *St. Isidro* and *St. John Baptist*, were according to custom celebrated with the usual Bull Feasts, in the *Plaza Mayor*; their Majesties together with all the Nobility about Town were pleased to be present at them, and were entertained to their great satisfaction, by several of the Nobility, who with much Bravery and Gallantry destroyed several Bulls upon the place.

On the first instant dyed in this Court the Conde de *Oropesa*, a Prince of the Royal Blood of *Castile*, and President of the *Consejo de Italia* here, to the great regret of their Majesties, and this whole Court, as being sensibly touched with the loss of a person of so much honour and merit; he hath left behind him one onely Son, the Marquis of *Farandilla*, to succeed him in his Honour and Fortunes.

We are told of a Marriage lately concluded between the Marques d' *Eliche*, and *Dona Teresa Henriquez*, Daughter to the *Almirante of Castile*; as likewise of another between the Conde de *Luna*, and the Sister of the Marquis de *Guavarr*.

*Warsaw, July 11.* Our Letters from *Caminia* bring us the confirmation of the defeat of the Tatars and Cossacks, as they were returning with much plunder, from an incursion, they had made into some of the Frontier parts of this Kingdom, by a party of Poles under the command of the Sieur *Szilmiski*; and farther add, that the advantage they had, was much more considerable than was at first said.

Our apprehensions of the designs of the Turks this Summer against these Countries, seem now wholly to cease, all our Letters from *Adrianople* assuring us of the contrary; in the mean time his Majesty continues resolved to go into the Field in person, and presently at present expects to hear that the Nobility of the several Palatinats, are on their march to the place of Rendezvous, when his Majesty will likewise begin his journey thither.

*Vienna, July 12.* The 10th instant the Turkish *Ag* arrived here with a Tray of near 60 persons, who was received with the usual Ceremonies, and conducted to the Lodgings prepared for him by the Emperors order; and yesterday he had Audience of the Count de *Montecuculi*, chief President of the Council of War, to whom he presented several Letters from the Visier of *Buda*, with farther assurances of a most entire friendship. After which he desired he might be admitted to pay his respects to the Emperor, which was excused by the said President, by reason he had not any Letters from the Grand Signior for his Imperial Majesty, but was onely sent on the part of the said Visier of *Buda*.

We have advice here of the arrival of the *Siena* *Peru*, the Imperial Envoy at *Belgrade*, on his return from the Part, from whence we shortly expect him here.

The States of Upper Hungary have, as is said, refused to receive the Emperors late Edict, for the granting a general Pardon for all crimes and misdemeanors committed by any of the Nobility during the late rebellion, allcading themselves to be altogether innocent of any such thing, and so not to need any pardon. The Commission at Presburgh is continued till the 16th instant.

*Marseilles, July 14.* By Letters from Spain we are informed, that the Corsairs of Sally, have of late been very busie about the Straights-mouth; that they have Nine Sayl aboard in course, and Five more at home in Port, two whereof carrying 18 and 20 Guns apiece, and the rest from 8 to 12 Guns apiece.

It is said, that two French Frigats have lately destroyed two of their best Ships, but of this we expect a farther confirmation. Some days since sayled out of this Port four French Gallies, and three Gallioti; three Gallies more will follow in a day or two; we are told, they are to joyn with the other Gallies at present abroad, under the command of Monsieur de Vivognc, upon what design we know not, though some speak, as if they were to be employed against Tunis or Tripoli; which is the rather believed here, seeing we are informed by a Bark lately arrived from the Coast of Barbary, that in their way hither, they met 13 French men of War, bound from Thoulon for Tripoli.

We have advice that Sir Edward Spragge is passed by with the Fleet under his command for Tripoli, to confirm and ratify the Articles of Peace, His Majesty of England hath with those people.

*Copenhagen, July 16.* This day the young Electoral Prince Palatine went hence on his way home, having been treated the time of his being here, with all extraordinary kindness and respect.

The 24th of August the Princesse of Denmark, contracted to this Prince, is to part hence for Harburgh, where she will be received by the Dutchess of Osnaburgh, and by her conducted to Heidelberg, in order to the solemnising the Marriage there. The men of War which it was reported were designed for the River Elbe, are still here, and onely expect orders to sayl; it is said, that the King has intentions of going very suddainly to Norway, and that these men of War, are to attend him in his passage thither.

*Hamborough, July 21.* We begin to be at present eased of some of our fears, and to be better satisfied in the intentions of our Neighbours then formerly, however we continue to work on our Fortifications, with all the vigour and diligence imaginable, to raise Men, and to lay up a Provision of Corn, and other necessaries for two years; our new Leavies amount at present to 800 Men, who have all received Arms, and are divided into several Companies, under the command of good experienced Officers.

Our Letters from Mosko certainly assure us, that Stephan Radzin having been surpris'd by a party of Cossacks, who inhabit on the River Dona, was by them brought Prisoner to Moskow, and there, as hath been said, executed; which they tell with all the circumstances of his death, so that there seems to be little room left for any doubt.

*Paris, July 23.* Some days since returned hither Monsieur de Louvois from Lorrain, where he had been to confer, as is said, concerning several matters with the Marechal de Crequi. The 20th instant was celebrated in the usual manner at Val de Grace, the Anniversary of the late Queen Mother, where the Duke of Orleans, with several persons of the chiefest quality were present.

We are told of Commissions that are giving out for the raising in this Kingdom, several Regiments

both of Horse and Foot. From Cologne our Letters tell us, that the Mediators having had several conferences for the adjusting the differences depending between that Town and their Elector, and observing the little success their endeavors in that matter had hitherto met with, by reason of the obstinacy they found in both parties to adhere to their first pretensions, had resolved to refer the whole affair to the determination of the States Assembled for the Circle of Westphalia.

From Vienna they write, that the Emperor being much dissatisfied with the slow proceeding of the Dyet at Ratisbonne, in the publick concerns of the Empire, and especially in that of the Publick security, had thoughts of Summoning a general Assembly of the Princes of the Empire to be held at Ratisbonne, the 25 of August next, and with them in Person finally to conclude those affairs, which so particularly regard the good of the whole Empire.

*Brussels, July 24.* On Monday last his Excellency the Count de Monterey, attended by his ordinary Guards, went hence for Mons in Haynault, where his Excellency arrived that day in the Evening; being received by the Duke d'Aerschtot Governour of that Province, at the Gates of that place: from thence his Excellency went to visit Conde, Valenciennes, &c. and to morrow is expected here again. At the same time parted hence the Count Marcy for Namur, to visit the Fortifications of that place; and the Duke de Villa Hermosa for Leeuwe, to see every thing be in a good condition there.

From Cologne they write, That the Deputies of the respective Mediators, finding how unsuccessfully they have hitherto laboured for the composing those differences, have of late forbore from all farther Conferences concerning those matters; in the mean time all the discourse is of a rupture, and therefore they omit not to make there a timely provision, in case things should come so far.

*Cologne, July 24.* It has been lately reported here, That the Lunenbourg's Troops were passing over into the service of our Elector, which hath much alarmed us; though we since find it to have been wholly a mistake.

Our Treaty is now quite at a stand, the many difficulties which daily arise in those Affairs, having quite disheartned the Mediators from further proceeding in it; all our consultations here are now how best to provide for our security and defence: two Companies of Train Bands work constantly, besides the other Soldiery, on the Fortifications, and continue on the Watch two days together, when they are relieved by two other Companies.

*Hague, July 28.* The 20th instant Don Emanuel de Lyra arrived here from Brussels, and having been some days in Town incognito, is returned thither again, to confer with his Excellency concerning some matters relating to his Embassy here; it is thought he will be here again very suddenly from thence, to take upon him his Publick Character.

Collonel Bampfield continues still in Town; here is a report as if some Forces were going hence for Cologne, but of this we very shortly expect to hear the further certainty.

Prince Maurits is at present at Cleve, and is in few dayes expected here from thence.

It is said that Monsieur Meerman is to go Ambassador to the Crown of Sweden.

*London, July 23.* Yesterday in the Evening, Her Majesty, attended by several of the principal Ladies of her Court, arrived at Somersets house from Hampton-Court, whither Her Majesty returned again this evening.