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Madrid, March 16.

ON Sunday the 1st Instant the Infante Don Philip was baptized in the Royal Chapel of the Palace, his Godfathers being the Elector of Bavaria by his Proxy the Marquess de Santa Cruz, and his Godmother the Dutchess of Parma by her Proxy the Dutchess of Mirandola; the Ceremony was performed by Cardinal Borja assisted by two Bishops, in the Presence of their Catholick Majesties and the Royal Family, the Grandees and the Presidents of the Councils. Four of the Members of the Royal Spanish Academy, deputed by the rest, waited on the Prince and Princess of Asturias the 23d past, to compliment them on their Marriage. On the 3d Instant the several Councils waited on the King Queen and Royal Family, to compliment them on the late Marriages. The Duke d'Ossuna has Leave to return hither for three Months, to settle his private Affairs, and is then to go back to the Court of France. The Dutch Ambassadour is soon to have his Audience of Leave of the King, in order to return Home; and the Secretary of the Ambassy is to remain here. The Muscovite Minister who lately came hither, is already set out by the Way of France for Petersbourg, having staid here but 15 Days, and had no Audience of the King, contenting himself with delivering the Czar's Letters to the Marquess de Grimaldo Secretary of State and receiving his Answers. The Court removes to Aranjuez

the 9th of next Month. The Duke de St. Simon has put off his Departure for Paris till next Week, and 'tis thought he will be soon followed by the Marquess de Maulevrier, in whose Room it is reported M. de Chavigny is to reside at Madrid at least till the Arrival of an Ambassadour from France.

Cambray, March 28, N. S. The Lord Polwarth, one of his Britannick Majesty's Ambassadors Extraordinary and Plenipotentiaries for the Congress here, lay at Peronne the 24th Instant. The 25th in the Morning he came forwards on his Journey hither: Within about a League and Half of this Place his Excellency was met by a Party of our Mâtechauffée, who conducted him within a League of the City, where he found a Detachment of Horse in two Bodies, who waited his Excellency's coming, and received him their Swords drawn and Trumpets sounding: Within half a League of the Town his Excellency was met according to his Order by his Coach of State drawn by six Horses, a Berline with six Horses, and some of his Gentlemen, Officers of his Household, Pages, and Grooms on Horseback, the latter with Led-Horses. M. Laurier, Governour of Cambray, was waiting for him at the same Place, and on his Approach went up to the Door of the Travelling-Berline in which his Excellency came; his Excellency immediately alighted, and after mutual Compliments they both went into the Coach of State, his Excellency having the Hand. At the same Time the Trumpets sounded a Marche, and

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