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Petersbourg, March 24.

THIS Week a Courier arrived here from the Ukraine, with Advice, that Kalga Sultan, a near Relation of the Cham of the Crimea, had appeared near the Russian Lines towards Bachmut with about 10,000 Tartars; but not being able to penetrate the same, he marched to Samara on the River Nieper, and attacked without Success, two little Redoubts near that Place; and then he returned home after losing a great many of his Men; some of which that were taken Prisoners, report, that they came in so small a Number because their Country is so ruined for want of Bread, that Kalga Sultan could not assemble a larger Body.

Naples, March 24, N. S. On the 22d the King and Queen came to this City from the Villa of Portici, to receive the Communion in the Church del Carmine, after which they returned to Portici. Twenty Foot Soldiers of the Regiment Royal Farnese, deserted t'other Day from the Garrison of Gaeta, with their Arms. M. de Puisieux, the French Ambassadour, is preparing for his Departure from hence for Paris the Beginning of April. The King will shortly send a Gentleman of his Court to Florence, to compliment the Great Duke on his Arrival in Tuscany. Count Kinigle, who was sent hither by the Great Duke, to compliment their Majesties on their Accession to the Crown, set out three Days ago on his Return to Florence. The King has nominated Sig. Maio, a Knight of Malta, to be Captain of a new Frigate which will soon be launched.

Florence, April 6, N. S. On the 28th past, the Marquess de Monestarolo, first Gentleman of the King of Sardinia's Bed-chamber, had his Audience of Leave of

the Great Duke, in order to his Return to Turin, and he set out on the 1st Instant: His Royal Highness made him a Present on this Occasion of a Diamond of great Value. On the 30th past, the Great Duke and Dutches and Prince Charles of Lorraine, dined with the Electress Dowager Palatine in publick. On the 31st, the Duke Don Philip Corsini had an Audience of the Great Duke and Dutches. On the 1st of this Month, their Royal Highnesses and Prince Charles, accompanied by several of the chief Persons of the Court, and attended by a Detachment of the Life-Guards and Swiss Guards, set out from hence for Sienna, whither General Wachtendonck was ordered to repair to them from Leghorn. On the 1st Instant the Electress Dowager Palatine was taken ill of a Pleurisy, on which Account her Highness was let Blood twice, but still is thought to be in great Danger. On the 3d, the Princess Eleonora arrived here from Pontadera, to visit her Electoral Highness; and the Great Duke and Dutches with Prince Charles returning hither on the 4th, immediately made her a Visit likewise. The Pope having appointed Sig. Passionei to come hither with a Compliment on his Part to the Great Duke and Dutches, and a Present to her Royal Highness, he is expected here to Day from Rome, and to Morrow is to perform the Ceremony of presenting to the Great Dutches a golden Rose valued at 4000 Crowns: On which Occasion an Altar has been erected in one of the Rooms of the Palace, and Galleries for Musick:

Dresden, April 10, N. S. On the 1st Instant the Tribunal for adjudging Appeals from Courland was held at Warfaw, the King presiding in Person, and after Sentence pronounced on the Pretensions of the Dutches Dowager of Courland to the Es-

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