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Venice, June 26.

WE have advice that the Procurator *Moresini*, Captain-General of the Forces of this State, is arrived at *Lefina*, and that he hath sent orders to all the Gallies, that

are employed on the Coasts of *Dalmatia*, to joyn him. The Morlaques continue to be very troublesome to the Turks; They have of late defeated several of their Parties; And are preparing to take the Field in a great Body, some of the Troops of this State being, it's said, appointed to joyn with them. By the way of *Ragusa* we have an account, that the Poles and Cossacks have obtained a great Victory upon the Turks on the Frontiers of *Moldavia*, which is Confirmed by Letters of the 27th of the last Month from *Belgrade*. We have likewise advice that the Bassa of *Bosnia* has been stangled by order of the Grand Signior, because he did not march with the Troops of that Country towards the Bridge of *Effecke*, to secure it, according to the Orders he had received. The Letters from *Constantinople* of the 5th of *May* tell us; That two great Armies were raising, the one to be employed against the Poles under the command of *Solyman* Bassa, the Grand Signior's Caimacan; and the other in *Hungary*, commanded by the Bassa of *Mesopotamia*, who during the Government of the late Grand Visier was disgraced: They are both esteemed very good Commanders, and are well beloved by the Soldiers; And that of these two Armies, the first will be the greatest; but will both consist chiefly of Asiatick Troops, which are raw and undisciplined. That several Bassas were on their march with the Troops under their command towards *Adrianople*. That Orders had been sent to the Bassa of *Smirna* to put 3000 men into *Candia* to reinforce the Troops that are already there. That the Bassa of *Damascus* was appointed to command on the side of *Dalmatia* and *Bosnia*, and that the Grand Signior had made his great Favorite Caplan Bassa, that is, Admiral of his Fleet, who was accordingly come to *Constantinople*, and pretended to put to Sea in a short time with a Fleet of 40 Gallies.

Genova, June 24. This week departed the *Goodwill*, the *Rebecca*, the *Katherine* and the *Hopeful Adventure*, all four for the Coast of *Spain*; And the Crown and *Colcheber* are preparing to follow on the same Voyage. The *Ausego* Merchant sailed two days ago for *Leghorne*; and in few days may

likewise depart the *Legborne* Merchant to lade Oyls at *Oneglia*; besides which there are now in this Port the *Susanna*, the *Advice* and the *Lion*.

Milan, June 26. It's said a new Alliance is concluded between the Crown of *Spain* and the Republick of *Genova*: And that besides the Levy that's making in *Lombardy*, our Governor, the Count de *Meigar*, has undertaken to raise Two thousand Swissers for the Service of that State.

Vienna, June 29. We have had no Letters from *Hungary* since those that gave us an account that the Imperial Army was marching towards *Pest*; and that it was believed they would in their way attack *Novigrad*. Eleven Regiments that had their Winter-quarters in *Silesia*, *Syria*, &c. had not then joyned the Army; but Orders have been sent them to use all the diligence possible in their march, that so the Duke of *Lorrain* may be in a condition to make head against the Enemy, in case they should appear in any considerable body, to relieve *Buda*, as several Letters from those parts assure us they will. We are told from *Cracow* by Letters of the 14th Instant, that the Crown General was gone to the Army; That the King continued at *Fawarow* as well to confirm his health, as to expect the Ambassador of *Venice*, who was on his way; and whom his Majesty intended to receive there: These Letters add, That the Marquis de *Beibune* was arrived at *Fawarow* from *France*, but that he did not own to have any publick Character; but said he came to serve as a Volontier in the approaching Campaigne.

Lintz, June 30. Two days since arrived here the Hofman *Funcke* with four Standards that were taken from the Turks on the 17th Instant in the action near *Gran*, which he hath presented to the Emperor; and at the same time gave his Imperial Majesty a particular relation as well of the said action as of the taking of *Vicegrad*. His Imperial Majesty has given the Regiment of *Cuirassiers*, lately commanded by Major General *Halowell*, who was killed in that occasion, to Colonel *Heussler*. Since we have an account, that the Duke of *Lorrain* has put a Garison into *Vaccia*, and that his Highness advanced with the Imperial Army towards *Pest*; And at the same time we are told that a body of 25000 Turks have passed the Bridge of *Effecke*, and marched towards *Buda*, and that they are followed by a greater number; and that the Duke of *Lorrain* upon the news he had of it, had sent orders to the Troops that had not yet joyned him, to hasten their march. Our Letters from *Poland* inform us, that that King had committed the Conduct of the Army to the Palatin of *Russia*, the Crown General, not being himself yet well enough to go into the Field, but that he had