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Milan, May 3.

The Troops of this State are ordered to be in a readiness by the middle of this Month to march towards Piedmont, and its said first Camp is designed to be near Vigon. The Duke of Modena retires thither to pay the Contributions demanded by the Germans, upon which they have received Orders to proceed to Military Execution.

Venice, May 8. The 24th of this month is fixt for the Doge's Departure to the Levant; and 'tis resolv'd that the whole Senate shall accompany him to the Lido, where he is to Embark; which will be performed with great Solemnity. 'Tis believed that the Count de Trautsmundorf, who is now Lieutenant General of the Land Forces of this State, will be made General of the same, and that Signior Francesco Senezo will succeed him in the Command of Lieutenant General. We have an account from Malta, That the Gallies of that Order will sail towards the Levant about the end of this month; And that the Pipes Gallies are to joyn them at Messina.

Turin, May 9. Yesterday the Duke of Savoy went from hence to Chieri, where he intends to stay some time; His Royal Highness is resolv'd, in case his Health will permit it, to make the Campaign again in Person: The Troops of the Milanese, together with the Germans that have Winter'd in the Duchies of Mantua, Parma, and Modena, will now in few days begin their march this way: The French Troops are moving from Dauphine towards Susa, between which place and Pignerol they talk of forming a Camp. They are now at Work upon three Redoubts over against Vilan, la Perouse, and Dignon, on their side the River Casin, to secure their Convoys, and hinder the Incursions of the Vaudois, who are very troublesome to them.

Warsaw, April 27. The last Advices from the Frontiers inform us, That the Moldavians are preparing, with the Assistance of the Turks and Tartars to make a second attempt upon the Fortresses of Sorocke on the Niester, upon which Orders are given to reinforce that Garrison, and to furnish them with a fresh supply of Provisions and Ammunition. The Imperial Ambassador has lately had several Conferences with the Chief Ministers of this Court about the present juncture of Affairs; and as we are assur'd they have given him Assurances not only of the King of Poland's firm Resolution to reject all Overtures that may be made him for a separate Peace, but that he will employ his whole force in the prosecution of the War. They write from Lemberg, That they were inform'd by some Prisoners, taken by a Party of Poles, who had made an Incursion towards the Frontiers of Moldavia, that the Cham of Tartary had received a new Summons, accompanied with large Presents from the Port, to send the greatest part of his Troops to joyn the Ottoman Army in Hungary.

Vienna, May 9. The Imperial Troops are now every where in motion in order to open the Campaign; The

Rendezvous of our main Army is appointed on this side Effcke, and we are told that the Command of it will be given to the Duke of Croÿ. 'Tis believed that General Huls is now actually on his march to attack Jeno and Gyula; and 'tis fixt that an attempt will be made about the same time upon Biharia in Croatia, thereby to open a free passage into Bohnia; This place is situated on the River Unna, and has been near 100 years in the Hands of the Turks, who have at present a Garrison in it of 700 Men. The Electoral Prince of Bavaria parted from hence on the 7th instant towards Muncken, being attended by a Detachment of the Emperors Guards. Generals Archinto, and the Emperors Chief Ingenier are gone Post to Peter Waradin, to visit the Fortifications of that place, and to see what can be further done for its Defence and Security.

Frankfurt, May 17. The Imperial Regiments that have had their Winter-quarters in and about Eslingen, are now, together with the Troops of Franconia, Suabia, and Bavaria, at their Rendezvous near Hailbron; and we expect our next Letters will tell us they are march'd from thence towards Sutzheim. The Saxon Forces were to begin their march on the 14th or 15th of this month towards the Rhine, whither those of Hesse are likewise moving. The Confederates have laid a Bridge over the Neckar, and made Provision for laying another over the Rhine. The French Forces assemble still between Landau and Nussard; and a great Train of Artillery is sent towards their Camp from Strasbourg.

Cologne, May 19. From the Upper Rhine we have an account, That the Imperial and Bavarian Troops, with those of the Circles of Franconia and Suabia, held their General Rendezvous on the 15th instant at Great Gurtach, between Hailbron and Hyd-bergh; And from Coblenz they write, That the Imperialists, Neuburgers, Hollens, and Munsteriens, in Garrison there, had Orders to march to Neckar-Ulm, to joyn the Forces of the Elector of Saxony and the Landgrave of Hesse, who are to Rendezvous near that place. The French Troops continue to march from Alsace, Burgundy, and Lorraine, to their Camp near Landau; and we are told, that their heavy Artillery is sent by Water from Strasbourg to Philipsburg. The last Letters from Freysingen, where the Elector of Cologne has at present his Residence, tell us, That his Electors Highness has at last declared himself in favour of the Ninth Electorate. There have of late pass'd through this place towards Nimwegen several Companies of Soldiers and Grisons, who have been rais'd for the Service of Holland.

Paris, May 18. The Troops of the House of March'd the last Week towards Flanders; and this day the French King went to Chantilly, where he will stay 2 or 3 days, and then continue his Journey towards Peronne and Valenciennes. The Letters from Piedmont continue to say, That the Confederate Troops on that side are resolv'd to enter again into Dauphine, and that in order thereunto they would encamp about the 20th of this month near Coni; The Marschal de Catinat was at Pignerol; He designed to have a Camp again at St. Brigide near that place; and the Marquis de Larray had Orders to form the Body which he is to Command about Mont Dauphin. On the 16th was published an Order of the Council of State, by which the new Stamp pieces of Money are after the first of June next to pass Current according to the Ordinance of the 28th of April; that is, the Louis d'Ors for 11 Livres 10 Sols, the Crown pieces at 2 Livres 2 Sols, and other pieces proportionably.

Brussels.