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Leghorne, June 4. N.S.

der, arrived here this day from Cadiz. We hear from Provence. That the French are fitting out feveral old Ships at Thoulon, to be commanded by the Come d'Estree; and their Calleys at Marfeides. Two freech Men of War called the Marquis and Serieux, were feen on the 10th of the last Month near Males, taking their Coule towards the Liviant.

Venice, Jame 8. The freshest Letters we have received from the Margare are of the 10th of the last month, and give an account that a Convoy consisting of 3 Men of War and divers Vessel's laden with Stores and Provisions, arrived at Napoli di Romania some days before, and that the Captain General was putting things in a readiness to go to Sea with the Fleet, and at the same time had taken care to scure the Pass of the Ishmus of Covinth, to hinder the Enemy (who assembled their Troops about Theebes)

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Turin, Sune 3. On the 2d instant the French Army commanded by the Mareshal de Catinat, marched from Paillane, and having passed by Rivole Encamped near Orbassa, the Head Quarter being at Rivalta, about five Leagues from Pignerol and two troops the Place: But this motion of the Enemy has not yet discovered what their Design is: 'Its probable, that being stronger than we, they would willingly engage us to enter into the Plains, but the Resolution of our Generals seems to be, that our Troops shall remain in the Posts where they are at present, to wit, the Post to grand the Lines that cover, this City, and the Horse to defend the Passage of the River Po near Moncaler, by which they propose to gain time, that the Enemies Army may be weakned by Sickness, Scarcity of Provisions, Desertion, and the Destruction the Country People make of all those they can meet with. On the 6th instant the Mareshal de Catinat writ a Letter to the Marguis of St. Thomas, the Duke of Savay's Chief Minister, to let him know, That the King his Master had ordered him so the last time to offerhis Royal Hibbitas and in case he St. Ibomas, the Duke of Saver's Chief Minister, to let him know, That the King his Master had ordered him for the last time to offer his Royal Highness a Peace, and in case he does not accept it. to Destroy, his Country with Fire and Sword; to which the Marquis answered the next day, That his Royal Highness had communicated his Letter to the Generals and Ministers of the Allies, who are now with him, and that he was resolved not to enter upon any Treaty without them, but to do what his Honour and the Engagements he is entred into, oblige him to. The Enemy continue in their Camp at Orbassan: They are said not to be above 36000 Men, and we are in so good a posture to receive them, that we do not now apprehend they can Bombard this City.

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Vienna, June 9. The Elector of Saxeny decamped with the Imperial Army the 5th inftant from Peff, and marched about two German miles along the Danube, intending to continue his march towards Effecke. Count Guido of Starenberg commands a Body of 8 or 10000 Men near Peter Waradin, to cover the Bridge the Imperialists have there over the Danube. Our Troops in Translivasina were, by the last Letters from thence, Encamped near Weissenbergh, and so foon as General Rabutin (to whom the Emperor has given the Command of them) was arrived, they would march and post themselves so, as with mest conveniency to join our main Army, if it be found necessary. We have yet no advice of the Sultan's departure from Adrianople. But are told from good hands, that the Chain of Tartary has sent to acquaint him, That the

Moscourtes are marching with a very great Army to attack his Country, which would oblige him to keep all his Forces at home for his own Defeoce, and therefore desir'd to be excused, if he was not in a condition to send any to the Ortoman Army in Hungairy. General Caprara went hence two days ago to the Imperial Army, which he is to command under the Elector of Saxony.

Francfort, June 17. The Consederate Army under the Command of Prince Lewis, continues Encamped near Eppingen, where two Battalions of Wirtenburg, and three Regiments of Saxon Gosha have joined them within these tew days, and the Bavarian Troops are on their march to do the like. The Marcschal de Choiseal is removed with the French Army from Episheim nearer to Bruchsal: The Desertion continues from their Camp, there hardly passing a day that several of their Soldiers do not come over to us: 12 of their Regiments have passed the Rhine, being the Detachment, as we believe, that is ordered to Flanders. General Thungen, who was lately taken Prisoners by the French and carried to Philipsburgh, is released by Order from the French Court.

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Cologne, June 19. The Troops of Munst not the number of 4600 Men, passed the Rivine the 14th at Kystra waster, and the River Roor the 16th at Linnieb. The Forces of Hesse and Lunenburgh, which make be ut 16000, passed the Rivine the 16th between Cobleniz and Bon, and they all march towards the Meust.

Paris, June 18. The Letters from Picamont of the 10th instant say, the French Army was still incamped near Orbassan; They suffer very much by the Scarcity of Provisions, having very little but what is brought to them with great Trouble and Charge over the Meuntains, by reason the Country People will not sopply them, but on the contrary do them all the Mischief they can: And the Forces of the Duke of Savoy say, the Foot within the Lines of Tarin, and the Horse near Monealier. They write from Brest. That they continue to Unrig the Ships that came from Thoulon, except a Squadron of 10 or 12 to be commanded by Montieur de Chateaurenaut: The Marquis de Nelmond was returned thither with his Squadron, had changed some of his Ships, and intended to go out again towerds the End of this menth. The Marseshal Carret is gone from Brest to St. Malo, to give the necessary Orders for the Security of that Place, they tearing another Bombarding. We have no News of the Sieurs Remand and Dandennes, fince they went out with the Ships under their Command. The Letters from Perpiganon of the 8th say, the Duke de Vendossine was still Encamped with the Erench Army at Rio al Arene, and that a Detachment of our Troops had taken the Castle of Arasiol near Urgel.

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From His Majesty's Camp at Basse Wavre, June 18. On the 15th the King reviewed all the Bavarian Troops which appeared in very good Order; and the same Morning the

appeared in very good Order; and the same Morning the two Battalions of English Guards, and one Battalion of Dutch Gurds came into the Camp from our Army in Flanders. The 16th His Majesty reviewed most of the Horse

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