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Messina, June 18. N. S.

Yesterday arrived here the *Priscilla*, Capt. John Breholt, and the *Union*, Capt. Nicholas Newell, both from Lisbon, and bound to Constantinople. The Papes and Maltese Gallies continue still at Anchor off Reggio.

**Genova, July 8.** The 5th Instant arrived here from Naples 8 Spanish Gallies, being the Squadron of that Kingdom; They had on board 500 Soldiers, whom they have put on Shoar for the Service of the State of Milan; and after some short stay in this Port, are to proceed to Spain.

**Legborne, July 9.** We have Advice, that a Dutch Privateer met the last week a French Privateer of about 30 Guns, and after a Fight of several hours took her; 'tis supposed to be the Ship commanded by the Sicur *Bremont*, which had been cruising a long time off this Port. By Letters from *Alexandria* of the 19th of April we understand, that two English Ships were newly arrived in that Port. The King *William* Galley will sail hence to-morrow for *Scanderon*.

**Venice, July 13.** On the 11th Instant sailed hence a great Convoy for the *Levant*; The Fleet of this State has been at Sea ever since the beginning of the last month; 'tis believed they are gone into the *Archipelago*; and that their first Business would be to raise Contributions upon the several Islands there.

**Turin, July 13.** The Duke of *Savoy* and the French have given Hostages for performance of what they have agreed on; and they were exchanged yesterday at a place called *Vinovo*; Those of the French are the Marquis de *Tiffe*, Lieutenant General, and the Marquis de *Pouzaile*, Colonel of Horse; and ours the Marquis de *Fane*, and the Marquis d' *Aix*, the first Captain, and the other Lieutenant of the Duke of *Savoy's* Life Guards. *Turin* and *Coni* are now solely Garrisoned by the Dukes Troops. The Forces of the Allies continue at *Moucalier*, expecting Orders from their Masters; and the French at *Volvera*.

**Vienna, July 14.** The Imperial Army in *Hungary*, was, by our last Letters from thence still encamped near *Obuda*; But 'twas believed they would pass the *Marosh* the 8th or 9th of this month (for which purpose two Bridges were laid over that River) and march nearer to *Temiswar*. Four thousand Saxons and the Auxiliary Troops of *Brandenburg* would join the Army in few days. A Detachment of the Garrison of *Belgrade*, to the number of about 1200 Men, being sent thence by Water, landed the 6th Instant on a little Island lying in the *Danube*, near the Entrance into the River *Theysse*, and attacked a Fort the Imperialists lately built there, but General *Truchses*, who commands a flying Camp near *Kobitz*, sending them timely Assistance, the Enemy gave over their Design. The Advice from the Frontiers say, the Grand Signior was passed by *Nissa* in his march towards *Belgrade*.

**Frankfort, July 22.** The Confederate Army continues encamped near *Zaizeren*; where they will be joined the 24th by 5 Regiments of Horse and Dragons of the Elector *Palatin's* Troops. The Forces of *Munster* remain in the mean time near *Ladenburg*, waiting for farther Orders from Prince *Lewis*. The French lie encamped in several separate Bodies on the other side of the *Rhine*; Their head Quarters being at *Ostufen*, where the *Marschal de Cambray* has most of the Horse with him.

**Hamburgh, July 24.** The Letters from *Poland* give an account, that the 29th of the next month is appointed for the holding a general Dyer, in order to the Election; and that the Provincial Assemblies are to be held in the mean time for Choosing and Instructing the Deputies to be sent thither. They write from *Moscow*, that the Czar had again besieged *Asaf* with a numerous Army, and had taken a considerable quantity of Arms, Ammunition, and Provisions, which the Tartars were sending for the Supply of that Garrison.

**Paris, July 23.** On the 15th Instant about Noon a Squadron of the Enemies Fleet appeared before *St. Martins* in the Isle of *Rhe*, and came to an Anchor there, and having placed their Bomb Vessels within Cannon shot of the Town and Citadel, in the Evening they began to play their Bombs, which they continued all night without any intermission till 4 the next morning; at 5 in the evening they began again, and did not give over till the 17th in the morning, when they weighed; and by an Officer who came from *St. Martins* since this Bombarding, and who was there all the while, we are told, that the Bombardiers performed their part extremely well, and the Bomb did great execution, the Town being almost entirely ruined, that there are not 20 Houses left standing; From thence the Enemy sailed towards *Ollonne*; occasioning a great Alarm all along the Coast. No body doubts here but that the Peace with *Savoy* is concluded; The last Letters from thence tell us, that a Cession of Arms was published by the Duke of *Savoy*, and in the French Army; That the Duke had proposed a Neutrality for Italy; but that the Generals, who command the Forces of the Allies, had declared, That they were confident their Masters would not accept of it, and for that reason they had refused to Sign the Truce. They write from *Gironne*, that the French Army commanded by the Duke de *Vendosme* was still encamped at *Tordera*, and the *Spaniards* continued within their Intrenchments at *Ostalrick*. The last Letters from *Brest* say, the Marquis de *Nesmond* lay ready to sail with his Squadron.

**From His Majesty's Camp at Nivelles, July 26. N. S.** On the 24th Instant the German Troops under the command of the Landgrave of *Hesse*, marched from *Huy*, and came last night to *Namur*, where they are to encamp till further Order. Yesterday morning early our Army decamped from *Gembours*, and marched in two Lines to *Martais*; This day we continued our march to this place; and to-morrow we are to march forwards towards *Soignies*. The *Marschal de Boufflers* decamped yesterday in the afternoon from *St. Gerard*, and marches on the other side of the *Sambre* likewise towards *Flanders*. Part of our heavy Baggage was sent away yesterday from *Martais* to *Hall*. In our march this day our Troops met with several small Parties of the French, and brought most of them in Prisoners.

**Hague, July 27. N. S.** His Majesty decamped with the Army on Wednesday last from *Gembours*, which continues its march towards *Flanders* by *Nivelles* and *Soignies*, whereupon *Marschal de Boufflers* is likewise moving that way, having left two flying Camps, one under the Marquis de *Marcourt* towards *Dinant*; and the other under Monsieur *Zimenes* towards *Charleroy*. The Landgrave of *Hesse* continues in the mean time with the German Troops at *Namur*. The States of *Holland* are again Assembled.

**Wymouth, July 20.** On the 18th Instant His Majesty's Ship the *Scarborough* took on this Coast a small French Privateer of 4 Guns belonging to *Granville*, from whence she came last Thursday.

**Plimouth, July 21.** The *Dover* has brought in a re-taken English Ship of about 90 Tun; and the *Portland*, a re-taken English Pink from the *West-Indies*. Several Vessels are come in from the Fleet which they left yesterday in the Evening about 15 Leagues West of this Port.

**Newcastle, July 21.** There are arrived here above 400 Sail of Light Colliers under Convoy of 4 Men of War, who may in few days be ready to return.

**Yarmouth, July 24.** Yesterday came in sight of this place Rear-Admiral *Benbow* with his Squadron, having convoyed the Fleets of Merchantmen bound to the *Elbe* and the *Sound*: He was on the Coast of *Norway*, before the Port where he heard *Du Barr* was retired, but the Weather was such that he could not continue there.

**Windsor, July 24.** This day His Illustrious Highness *William Duke of Gloucester*, was Installed Knight of the most Noble Order of the *Garter* in the Choir of the Chapel of *St. George*, within the College and Chapel of *Windsor*, in manner following.

His Highness having been Elected into this most Noble Order, on the 6th of *January* last, and His Majesty having before His departure for *Flanders* signed the necessary Orders,