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Milan, July 6. N. S.

**T**HE Prince of Vaudemont, our Governor, arrived the first Instant at *Bellinghiera*, where he caused an Oath of Allegiance to the present King of Spain to be administered to all the Principal Inhabitants, as he had done in several other Places in his way thither from the Army. To morrow he is expected here, to receive the Oath of the Magistrates of this City. Several French Regiments which took their Passage through the Duke of Savoy's Territories, are come into the *Milanese*, and are marching to join their Army. Three Regiments of Horse of the Duke of Savoy's Forces are also arrived, and march to *Cressana*.

**Venice, July 22.** The Imperial Ambassador had Audience this week of the Senate, to acquaint them with the Defeat of the French Forces at *Carpi* by the *German*; to which, Answer was returned from the Senate, That they rejoiced with his Excellency for the good Conduct of Prince *Eugene*, and good Fortune of the Imperial Forces, and wished them prosperous Success in all their other Designs. Letters from *Verona* and from *Padova* of the 20th Instant give an Account, that the French Army commanded by Marshal *Catinat* had passed the *Mincio*, broke down the Stone Bridge over that River, and encamped themselves in the Neighbourhood of *Gato* and *Castiglione*, where they were Intrenching themselves. The Germans were encamped at *Villa Franca*, and in all appearance would soon march to the *Mincio*, and endeavour to pass that River; They had been lately joined by a Body of 6000 Men, who came by the way of *Rivole*. Letters from *Rome* of the 16th Instant say, the Pope received an Express 4 days before from *Ferrara*, with Advice, that the Imperial Troops were all marched out of his Territories. The French complain very much of Cardinal *Aspalli*, and charge him with Partiality in furnishing the Imperialists with Provisions. They write from *Naples*, that the Gallies of that Kingdom are ordered to sail to *Nizza*, to carry the Princess of *Savoy* to *Barcelona*.

**Reval, June 30.** Letters from *Finland* give an Account, that Major-General *Cronburg*, who Commands a Detachment of Swedish Forces on that Frontier, has lately defeated 12000 Muscovites, who designed to make an Inroad into the Swedish Territories, of whom a great number were killed on the Spot; and the rest retiring in great disorder, were met by Colonel *Parkull*, (who was returning from an Expedition upon the Muscovite Frontiers) and were entirely dispersed, 700 Muscovites killed, and divers taken Prisoners. Colonel *Parkull* burnt several Villages in *Muscovy*, put others under Contribution, and brought back a considerable Booty.

**Moscow, July 16.** The Heer *Crazenburg*, Envoy from the States-General, arrived here yesterday from *Warsaw*; He made a Visit to the Duke of *Courland*, and intends in 2 or 3 days to continue his Journey to *Livonia*, to wait upon the King of *Sweden*, in order to use his Endeavours with that Prince to bring Matters to an Accommodation between him and the King of *Poland*. They write from *Livonia*, that the Saxon Forces continue to Intrench themselves near *Kockenkaußen*, to cover that Place, and that they have lately been joined by a Body of the Czar's Forces, which are mostly Commanded by German Officers. The King of *Sweden* continues his march with the best part of his Army with a design to attack the Saxons, and to retake *Kockenkaußen*, and the other Places which they have possessed themselves of in *Livonia*.

**Warsaw, July 16.** The King of *Poland* has for the present laid aside the thoughts of going to his Army in *Prussia*, and intends to go from hence the 21st or the next month to *Dresden*, and after a short stay there, will go to *Carlsbad*, to use those Baths, for the hurt he received in his Shoulder in the Fall he lately had from his

Horse. The Negotiation for a Peace between the Kings of *Sweden* and *Poland*, is carried on with great Application by the Emperor's Envoy, and other Foreign Ministers at this Court; and 'tis said, that if the same succeeds, the King of *Poland* will send his Saxon Forces into the Emperor's Service. The Prince of *Furstenberg*, Governor of *Saxony* for the King of *Poland*; is upon his departure to *Dresden*.

**Vienna, July 20.** The Advices from *Italy* say, after the Defeat of the French at *Carpi*, Marshal *Catinat* sent two Trumpeters to the Imperial Army, to know what French Officers were Prisoners there, and that the French owned, that a Review of the Regiments that engaged in Action having been taken, 1700 Men were found wanting. The Detachment Commanded by Count *Gutenstein*, (except 300 Men whom he left behind to guard the Pass of *Rivole*) had joined the Imperial Army, who were then 32000 strong. The new-raised Regiment of Horse of *Longuevall*, consisting of 1000 Men, is marching through *Bohemia* to join our Army in *Italy*, and will soon be followed by the Regiment of *Hussars* commanded by Colonel *Raak*. The Emperor has appointed the Bishop of *Raab* to go to the Elector of *Cologne*, and General *Schlick* to the Elector of *Bavaria*, to demand of them a positive Answer concerning the Measures they intend to take, in case of a Rupture with France. Count *Stratman's* Secretary is come hither from *Wirshaw*, to receive further Instructions about the Negotiation which he is carrying on there by the Mediation of the Emperor, for Accommodating the Differences between the Kings of *Sweden* and *Poland*. A Treaty was signed here the 16th Instant by the Ministers of the Emperor and the Bishop of *Wurzburg*, by which the said Bishop is to send 4000 Men into the Emperor's Service. Monsieur *Urbigh*, the Danish Envoy, is returned hither from *Copenhagen*, with the Ratification of the Treaty lately concluded with the King of *Denmark*, concerning the 6000 Danes now in *Saxony* who are to enter into the Emperor's Pay, and will be employed on the *Rhine* under the Command of Prince *Lewis* of *Baden*, in Conjunction with the Troops of the Neighbouring Circles, and other Princes of the Empire. Monsieur *de Villars*, Envoy extraordinary from France at this Court, being recalled, is to have Audience of Leave of the Emperor in 3 or 4 days; He has presented to the Emperor's Ministers Monsieur *Morton*, his Secretary, whom he leaves here by the King's Order. A Gentleman is come hither from the Elector of *Bavaria*, to notify to this Court the Elector's being delivered of a Son. This morning the Emperor declared Count *Münzfeld* President of the Council of War.

**Frankfurt, July 27.** The Magistrates of this City have appointed a Place for laying up here a Magazine of Provisions for the Service of the Emperor's Forces, and a great quantity of Corn is already bought up for that purpose. Two Regiments of Horse, and 5 of Foot, of the Forces of the Circle of *Swabia*, are encamped near *Offemburgh*; The Forces of the Circle of *Franconia* are drawing together near *Pfortzheim*, and Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* is gone to review both these Bodies, and to give Directions for their marching to the *Rhine*, where they will shortly be joined by a considerable Body of the Emperor's Forces, and by the Forces of the Circle of the *Upper Rhine*, who are marching from their Quarters for that purpose. They write from the *Upper Alsace*, that several Battalions of French Foot are marched from thence towards the *Moselle*.

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