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St. James's, June 2.

ON the 30th of the last Month, John Charles Kuffstein, Envoy-Extraordinary from his Imperial Majesty, (introduced by the Lord Chamberlain of her Majesty's Household, and conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies) had a Publick Audience of Her Majesty, to condole the Death of his Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark.

St. James's, June 3. Yesterday Major General Huguon, Envoy-Extraordinary from the Duke of Wolfembuttel, (introduced by the Right Honourable Mr. Boyle, one of her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies) had a Private Audience of Her Majesty, to condole the Death of his Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark.

Milan, May 28. N. S. Count Taun arrived here from Turin on the 24th Instant, having settled with his Royal Highness the Duke of Savoy the necessary Dispositions for the ensuing Campaign. Immediately after his Arrival, he gave Orders to all the Imperial Troops in these Parts to march with all Expedition towards Piedmont. The Ministers of his Imperial Majesty have demanded of this Dutchy an additional Subsidy of 50000 Pistoles, above their ordinary Contribution, for the Subsistence of the Troops. His Catholick Majesty has also signified to this State, that his Affairs require a Supply of Money from hence. Letters from Turin advise, that all the Cavalry of his Royal Highness's Army were ordered to draw together at Staffarde on the 27th of this Month, and the Foot to march to the same Rendezvous with all Expedition. The Forces in the Valley of Susa, Perouse and Pignerol have already taken advanced Posts on the Frontiers of the Enemy. These Advices add, that the Horses, Mules and Oxen, which were necessary for the Service of the Artillery, were arrived at Turin, and that General Rhebinder was come to Susa, in order to observe the Motion of the Enemy.

Baden, June 1. N. S. The General Diet of the Cantons assembled at Baden have come to no Resolution in the Business of Tockenbourg, both Parties persisting in their Demands, and seeming resolved to abate nothing of their Pretensions. The Count de Luc, Ambassador from the Court of France, is gone thither, and has presented a Memorial to the Diet, wherein he earnestly exhorts them to Union, and a speedy Accommodation of that Affair. Letters from Savoy say, that the Duke of Berwick had visited all the Frontiers of Provence and Dauphiné, and was gone towards Savoy, from whence he will return to Briançon, where, it is said, he designs to take his Headquarters, and form his Camp on the neighbouring Hills; but we are assured that this General hath as yet received no Money, and that his Troops are in a very ill Condition. They write from Lyons, that the Payments relating to Trade (which were due last Month) have been deterred to the 15th Instant.

Hamburg, June 7. N. S. Letters from Saxony say, that his Majesty of Denmark, who arrived at Dresden on the 27th of the last Month, design'd to stay at that Court 14 Days. We hear from Poland, that a Conference, wherein many of the most eminent Polish Senators were present, has been held at Oppelen in Silesia, wherein it was resolv'd to send a Deputation to King Augustus upon some extraordinary Affair. It is said, his Swedish Majesty is on his March directly towards Volhynia, in order to join King Stanislaus. Those Letters add, that General Craffau, having been reinforced by the Army of Lithuania, has gained several Advantages over the Troops commanded by the Crown General Sienawski. According to those

Advices the Body of Muscovites under the Conduct of General Golli had not advanced beyond Kiow.

Cologne, June 7. N. S. Yesterday the Prince of Hesse-Hombourg, Major-General in the Service of the States-General, arrived here, and proceeded this Day to the Camp of the Confederate Army in Flanders. Several Vessels, with Recruits for the Troops of the Elector Palatine, have lately passed by this City from the Upper Rhine. Six hundred Men are levied in the Duchies of Bergues and Juliers to compleat those Reinforcements. The Palatine Troops which were encamped on this side of the Rhine near Dusseldorp; after having been reviewed by his Electoral Highness; received Orders to march towards Brabant. We hear that their Cavalry is already advanced as far as Ruremond. Letters from the Upper Rhine advise, that the Imperial Troops continue to assemble at Erlingen, and that the whole Army would be formed within few days. These Letters add, that the Marschal de Harcourt arrived at Strasbourg on the 1st Instant, and applied himself with all possible Diligence to assemble the French Forces near Haguenau.

Brussels, June 10. N. S. Our Advices from the Frontiers say, that the French Army under the Command of the Marshal de Villars, which lyes between Lens, la Bassée and Douay, is augmented by late Reinforcements to 60 Battalions and 10000 Horses; and 'tis said the neighbouring Garrisons have also received Orders to march into the Field: All Accounts agree, that the want of Corn and Forage in that Army is so great, that it appears impracticable for them to keep the Field. The greater part of the Confederate Forces are arrived at the Place of Rendezvous between the Scheld and the Lys. The rest of the Troops are on their march in order to join the Army on the 12th, which is the Day appointed for Encampment. All necessary Provisions for the Subsistence of the Troops will be conveyed thither; and a store of dry Forage, sufficient for the Subsistence of the Cavalry to the end of this Month, is already provided. His Grace the Duke of Marlborough is expected here this Evening, in order to join the Army within few Days. The Elector of Cologne arrived at Mons from Valenciennes on the 6th Instant.

Hague, June 11. N. S. The President Rouillé left this Place on the 9th Instant in the Morning; and his Grace the Duke of Marlborough set out in the Afternoon for Brussels. His Grace lay that Night at Rotterdam, and proceeded the next Morning at four of the Clock, in order to reach Anwerp at Noon; and this day he designed to be at Ghent. The States invited all the Ministers of the Allies to a Conference in the Chamber of Treves on the same Day that the President Rouillé left the Hague; and the Pensionary having communicated to them all the Transactions of the Treaty, and the Resolutions of the States on the present Posture of Affairs, they were all extremely satisfied with those Proceedings, and highly reseed the distinguished Conduct of the Court of France. Our Advices from the Low Countries confirm the Accounts we had before received, that the Army will be formed between the Scheide and the Lys on the 12th Instant, and are to advance towards the Enemy's Frontiers on the 14th. The Exchange of Prisoners has been at last settled at Soignis. Major General How lately arrived here from the Court of Hannover, and set out yesterday, in order to embark on the Willam and Mary Yacht, with the Convoy bound for England.

Yarmouth, June 3. This Day came into our Road a Fleet of Light Gallies and Coasters from the Southward, which are pass'd by with their Convoys to the Northward. This Day also came in here a Fleet of Merchant-ships from Hull bound for Holland, under Convoy of two of her Majesty's Men of War.

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