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Vicana, May 6.

ON Friday last arrived here, the Count *de Windtgratz*, his Imperial Majesties late Envoy Extraordinary to the King of *Denmark*; and the same day we received advice of the conclusion of the Treaty of Accommodation with the Bishop of *Munster*. The departure of General *Sonches* to the Army has been hindered for some days, by the news of the death of his Lady: The chief Officers, are in the mean time all gone for *Egra*, and the Emperor has sent thither two of his Council of War, to be present at the Rendevous of the Army. Prince *Willem of Furstenbergh* continues close prisoner, and hath been often examined by Commissioners to that end appointed by the Emperor. The Affairs of *Hungary* are not so quiet, as were to be wished, new troubles daily breaking out, as fast as the former are removed.

Heydelbergh, May 12. On Monday last the Elector *Palatine*, who was come hither to confer with the Count *de Caprara*, Lieutenant General of the Imperial Army, and other Officers, returned to his Castle of *Fredericksbourgh*, at *Manheim*; it is said, that his Electoral Highness will the next week, go into the Field with what force he can assemble together. The Marquess of *Vaubrun* continues still encamped at *Hagenaw*, his Troops having of late pillaged and burnt several Villages. We are told, that ten pieces of Cannon, are lately arrived by the way of *Saverne*, in the Camp of the said Marquess.

Francfort, May 13. This day the rest of the *Saxon* Troops passed the *Main*, over our Bridge, and are gone to joyne with the other Forces in the Palatinate. His Electoral Highness is, in the interim, very active to bring his Forces together; and for their more easie passage to and fro, has made a Bridge over the *Rhine* at *Fredericksbourgh*. The Count *de Souches*, General of the Imperial Army appears not, as yet, in these parts, though the eleventh instant was appointed for the Rendevous of the Imperial Troops in the Neighborhood of *Bon*.

Cologne, May 15. On Friday last, the Elector of *Cologne* signed the Treaty concluded between his Imperial Majesty and him, which has been likewise signed by the Baron *d'Issola*, on the part of the Emperor, as also by the Dutch Ambassadors. The Contents of this Treaty is said to be, That his Electoral Highness shall quit his pretensions to the County of *Meurs*, in lieu whereof *Rhinebergh* shall remain to him, but the Artillery to be restored to the Dutch, and the Moneys reimbursed they have laid out in fortifying the place: The Elector of *Cologne* to have free liberty to go and reside at *Bon*, and the Imperial Garison which is to remain there, to take an Oath of Fidelity to his Electoral Highness, &c. The Imperial Troops begin to pass the *Rhine*, and to morrow the chief Officers part from *Bon* to *Lichenich*, where is appointed the General Rendevous. Yesterday the Dutch Ambassadors parted hence.

Brussels, May 18. The twelfth instant the Prince of *Conde* began his march from *Tournay* with an Army of 20000 Men, and lodged that night at *Leuse*; the thirteenth he came to *Sens*, the fourteenth to *S. Denis*, the fifteenth to *Pieton*, and the sixteenth to *Thimion*. Yesterday his Highness intended to march to *Gembours*, in order to his Conjunction with Monsieur *de Belfonds*. In the mean time, our Governor General the Count *de Monterey* uses all diligence to be likewise in the Field. From the *Franche Comte* we receive not any good news, the City of *Besuncon*, though hitherto very well defended by the Garison and Inhabitants, because they hope to be speedily succored by the Duke of *Lorraine*, will not be able to hold out much longer, the enemy advancing every day with great vigor, and the Duke of *Lorraine* being forced to remain with his Troops at *Rbinsfelden*, Monsieur *de Turenne*, who lies encamped not far from *Basse*, having so closely beset all the passages, that the Duke cannot proceed any farther. We are told, that her Catholick Majesty pretending that the most Christian King has broken the Treaties of Peace of the *Pyreneans*, and of *Aix la Chapelle*, hath by a publick Declaration revoked the Concessions made to the Crown of *France* by those Treaties, and accordingly commands the Subjects and Inhabitants of the Countreys yielded to the French by them, to withdraw themselves from the French service, on pain of death, and confiscation of Goods.

Ditto. This morning the Count *de Monterey* parted hence, to go and meet the Prince of *Orange* at a small place called *Duffe*, about two leagues from *Malines*, where they are to hold a Council of War, which done, his Excellency will return hither again, and make what hast he can to go into the Field. The Prince of *Oranges* Army will consist in about 18000 Foot, and 8000 Horse; ours commanded by his Excellency, may be composed of about 20000 Horse and Foot, counting the Auxiliary Troops which are yet to arrive from *Germany*. These Armies will act separately, unless some great occasion oblige them to a conjunction. This day by an expres we receive advice, That the French Troops commanded by the Marschal *de Belfonds*, have besieged the Fort *Navaigne* on the *Meuse*, a place of great importance, for that it hinders the communication between *Mastricht* and *Liege*: The Enemy have thirty pieces of Cannon, taken out of *Mastricht*, and last night they made the first attack upon the place, which lasted four hours; of the success of which, we have not as yet any account: The besieged are 400 strong, but if not speedily relieved, will not be able to hold out; our hopes are, that the Duke of *Bourbonville*, who lies with several Imperial Troops between *Dueren* and *Lichenich*, will succor them, which he may sooner and easier do, then we can from hence. Since our last, we have not any news from the *Franche Comte*. *Besuncon* we hold for lost.

Ostend, May 20. By several Passengers come from *Zealand*, we have advice, that all the Men of War designed for this expedition were come up to the Rendevous, so that the Fleet would now very suddenly set sail. The eighteenth