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Genova, September 2.

Yesterday arriv'd here the *Lilly Pink* of *Tarmouth* from *Villa Franca* and *Marseilles*, and this day the *Hussy Capt. Hetcher*, in 17 days from *Alicant*, the *Bon Adventure*, *William Fearmes* Master, is likewise coming in from *Amsterdam*. The Dutch Squadron of Men of War that was at *Palermo*, is arriv'd at *Naples*, where they are to expect their new General and Succors from *Holland*.

Cracow, Aug. 13. The Letters which we receive this morning from *Leopol*, tell us, that the King was arriv'd within few Leagues of that City, where the Crown General, *Prince Demetrius Wisnowiski*, and the *Palatine of Russia* Lieutenant General expected his Majesty, in order to the concerting what is to be done for the opposing the Enemy. Our Letters from *Walachia* assure us of the death of *Ibrahim Bassa*, and that *Schietan Bassa* had taken upon him the command of the Army; however it is hoped that this change of their General may occasion some retardment in their march, especially since we hear that the Cham of *Tarary* is dangerously ill, and that he hath been forced to leave his Army.

Vicna, Aug. 30. The Count *Kinski*, the Emperors second Ambassador for the Treaty at *Nimeguen* has orders to part hence forthwith, which he will accordingly do, but has leave to stop some short time at *Prague* in *Bohemia*, to look after his particular concerns. The new Levies are begun in *Silesia* and *Bohemia*, for the recruiting the Regiments in *Hungary*, where the Rebels continue very much to disturb the peace of that Kingdom. We are still in expectation to hear who will be the Imperial Bride, the discourse at Court is of the Princesses of *Denmark* and the Princesses of *Newburg*; but it is believed by all, that his Imperial Majesty will not declare himself in this matter till after the end of this Campaigne.

Copenhagen, Sept. 5. The news at present here is, that the *Sieur Guldenlieu* Viceroy of *Norway* has taken *Bahus*, the Governor being oblig'd to surrender the same for want of Provisions, and especially of Water. It is added, that the said *Sieur Guldenlieu* has likewise defeated 3000 Suedes. We have Letters from *Stockholm* of the 26 past, which say, that the States of that Kingdom were assembled there, and that the King had summoned the *Ban* and *Arrierman* for the defence of the Kingdom. *Admiral Tromp* cruises with the Fleet about the Island of *Euland*. Our King advances with his Forces towards *Helmstadt*, where the Suedish Army still is.

Lubeck, Sept. 10. Here are arriv'd some Passengers in two days from *Copenhagen* by Water, they tell us, that as they were ready to depart, news was brought thither from *Schnen*, that there had been a Fight between the Suedes and the Danes near *Helmstadt*, and that the latter had had the Victory; of which we must expect to hear farther. The said Passengers knew nothing of the taking of *Bahus*.

Strasburg, Sept. 7. The French Army under the command of the Duke of *Luxemburg*, continues at *Wiel* in *Brisgow*, where they have abundance of Forage, and all things necessary, but hitherto seem not to have any

intention to attack *Friburg*, in which is a very good Garrison. The Imperial Army lies encamped not far from *Offenburg*, which place it's said the Duke of *Lorraine* will cause to be demolished, to the end the Enemy may not post themselves there. In the mean time the Count of *Arck* is march'd back with greatest part of the Imperial Infantry towards *Philipsburg*, to push on that Siege.

Spire, Sept. 8. The general Assault upon *Philipsburg* was not made the 5th instant, as we told you in our last was intended, but an Attack was onely made once more upon the Ravelin, between the *Turenne* and *Dauphin* Bastions, in which the Besiegers succeeded not, having been twice repuls'd, with the loss of above 100 Men killed and wounded, whereupon it was resolv'd by the Generals not to make any farther attempt upon the said Ravelin, but to ruine the same with force of Cannon, and at the same time to advance directly to the Town Walls, and to make a general Assault upon the place, and to that end the Besiegers have these two days past been employ'd to lay their Gallies over the great Ditch, in which they have had great opposition from the Enemy, who with their Fireworks set it several times on fire, but the Besiegers still quenched the same, and have brought things into such a posture, that to morrow or next day it's believed the general Assault will be made. This day the Prince of *Barkey*, who was sent out with a party, is returned with 200 French Prisoners, having defeated a party sent out from *Deunports*, to execute the Countrey of *Linange* and *Hardenburg* for Contributions due to *Philipsburg*. We have advice, that the *Mareschal de Crequi* has a Body of 15000 Men together on the *Saar*.

Cologne, Sept. 11. This morning pass'd through this place the Secretary of the Dutch Envoy in the Imperial Army, being sent Express to give the States an account of the Capitulation of *Philipsburg*, according to which the Garrison was to march out on the 15 instant. We shall however be in great impatience till we hear the place is actually surrendred, for the accidents many apprehend may yet happen to hinder it. From *Lipstadt* and those parts they assure us, that the *Lunenburg* and *Munster* Troops are on their march, commanded by the Duke of *Zell* in person; but the Summer is so far spent, that no great matters can be expected from them; the and general opinion is, that these Troops will onely take for the present their quarters about *Treves*, to be the earlier in the Field next Spring, if a Peace be not concluded in the mean time at *Nimeguen*.

Bremen, Sept. 12. This Countrey begins at present to be somewhat eased through the departure of the Troops which have by their marches and counter-marches almost ruin'd it. The 10th instant pass'd through this City Lieutenant General *Wedel*, with the *Munster* Infantry, consisting in 56 Companies, having with them several Field-pieces, and a great quantity of Ammunition, and yesterday followed the Cavalry, composed of 36 Troops; they took their march towards *Zulinger Heath*, to join the *Lunenburg* Troops, and so to continue their march towards the *Rhine*.

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