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Weymouth, April 11.

This day arrived here the *Marigold*, in six Weeks from *Virginia*, by which we have advice, that Sir *John Berry* was arrived there, with the *Frigates* under his command, and that the troubles there were in great measure ended before their arrival, and that the Indians had done some harm to several Plantations which lay most exposed.

Vienna, April 4. This Court was not a little surprized, when it received the news from *Flanders* of the taking of *Valenciennes*, which we had promised our selves here would at least have held out two months. The Count *Balassi Imbri*, a Hungarian, who was not long since in Arms against the Emperor, and has now submitted himself upon the publication of his Imperial Majesties Pardon, is expected here in a day or two, and will be brought to the Emperor, who it is not doubted but will receive him very kindly, to give encouragement to the rest to follow his example. The Air of the place where the Prince of *Furstemberg* was kept, being very unhealthy, the Emperor has ordered him to be removed to *Newstadt*. Two days since parted hence a Gentleman, sent to the Duke of *Lorraine*, with the Emperors Ratification of the Treaty of Marriage between him and the Queen Dowager of *Poland*. On Wednesday last the Marquis *de los Balbaces*, Ambassador and Plenipotentiary of *Spain*, for the Treaty of Peace at *Nimeguen*, begun his journey from hence, passing up the *Danube* by water towards *Lintz*. The Turks, we hear, are drawing together a great Army, and according to the advices we receive from several hands, they intend to make War upon the *Moscovites*, concerning the *Ukraine*, great part of which the *Moscovites* have possessed themselves of.

Copenhagen, April 6. Wednesday night last 1500 men, drawn out of several Regiments, embarked at *Elsnore*, and from thence passed to *Landskroon*, to reinforce that Garrison, whither the King and Prince *George* went the next day, and returned hither again on Friday. The news we had of the Surrender of *Christiansstadt* to the *Suedes*, does not continue, and we are told that his Majesty will make the greater haste into the Field, to relieve it if possible. The King has received, as we are told, Letters from General *Bauditzzen*, advising, that he had concluded a Treaty with the Bishop of *Munster*, by vertue whereof he is to assist his Majesty with 3000 Foot, 500 Horse, and 500 Dragoons; and that these Troops would accordingly begin their march very suddenly. It is certainly said, that the *Sieur Guldentieu* is appointed to command the Kings Army in *Schonen* this Campaigne, and that the Baron *Vezersfelt* will be sent to command in *Norway*, with the Title of Major General. Our Fleet is sitting out with all the diligence possible. We hear little of the Enemies preparations.

Strasburg, April 12. The *Sieur de Monclar*, who made a turn to *Montbelliard*, to visit that place, is returned to *Brisac*. The Emperor, we are told, hath commanded a flying Army to have its station this Summer near *Brisac*, to prevent the excursions which that

Garrison may otherwise make into the Countrey of *Brisgow*. The French fortifie *Pfulzbourg*, which guards a passage into *Lorraine*.

Francfort, April 14. The Baron *Chauvet* Lieutenant General of the Forces of the Duke of *Lunenburg*, has issued out the orders necessary for the Rendezvous of the said Troops on Monday next, near *Friedberg* in the Countrey of *Wetteravia*; after which they will begin their march in few days. In the mean time the Imperial Troops have passed the *Rhine*, and are descending towards *Treves*. We have several reports here concerning their design, but they are so uncertain, as not to be worth the mentioning.

Cologne, April 16. The 14 instant the Duke of *Newburg* parted from *Dusseldorp*, on his way to *Wesel*, to confer there with the Elector of *Brandenburg*, upon matters relating to the present conjuncture; and we are told, that an Express hath been sent to the Prince of *Orange*, to know of his Highness whether he cannot repair to *Wesel*, to assist at the said Conference, where several resolutions might be taken for the carrying on the War this Campaigne. Monsieur *de Louvigny* General of the *Osnabrug* Troops hath been here in Town since the 13th instant, what his business is we know not, unless it be to adjust the matter in difference between the Chapter of this Cathedral and the said Troops, concerning the Town of *Zons*, which they have lately possessed themselves of. The Inhabitant of this Diocess would be extreme glad to hear that the said Troops were on their march to leave this Countrey, to which they are a great burden. Our Letters from above assure us, that the Duke of *Lorraine* has passed the *Rhine* with 16000 Imperialists, and that he took his march towards *Treves*, where a great Magazine has been provided. It is reported they will besiege *Metz*.

Mentz, April 14. The Imperial Troops which have had their Rendezvous at *Oppenheim*, passed yesterday and the day before the *Rhine* there, being 16000 Combatants. The next day these Troops begun their march towards *Honfrucke*, and from thence will advance towards *Treves*. On Sunday last arrived here the Duke of *Lorraine*, who was received with all the respect due to his quality, and was entertained at Dinner by our Elector; and about six in the evening, his Highness parted from hence again, being accompanied about half a League out of Town by his Electoral Highness.

Brussels, April 16. The Prince of *Orange* has in a Letter to our Governor-General, the Duke *de Villa Hermosa*, acquainted his Excellency with the ill success of his design to relieve *St Omer*; the particulars his Highness gives of the Fight, are much the same we have already told you, only it is said his Highness complains of the ill information that was given him by those upon whom he was obliged to rely, for a description of the Countrey; by which means he was engaged in a disadvantageous ground. Here is arrived an Envoy from the Bishop of *Munster*, who, we are informed, will put 12000 of his Troops into the service of this Crown. The Garrison of *Maastricht* hath made an incursion into

Brabant,