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Dover, August 14.

Yesterday arrived here a small Vessel from *Calais*, the Master whereof reports, that there are several Dutch Men of War of good Force, Cruising upon the Coast of *Flanders*; that in *Calais* Road are lately arrived three French Men of War, which carry between 30 and 40 Guns apiece, belonging to the Royal Company of *France*, and now in that Kings service; that one of the said Dutch Men of War of 10 Guns and 60 Men, separated from the rest by storm, and falling in with the French, seeing no means of escape, resolutely engaged one of them, and killed 14 of his Men, but being overpowered by the strength and number of his Enemy, and his Men refusing to continue the Fight any longer, rather than his Ship should remain to the French, he blew her up, and so perished with the rest of his Company, except 13 Men only, which were saved by swimming.

Deal, Aug. 14. Last night arrived herefour ships richly Laden from the *East-Indies*, three from the Coast of *Bengola*, and one from *Bantam*.

Vienna, Aug 5. On Monday last arrived here an Envoy from the Duke of *Modena*, who since has had Audience of the Emperor. This morning Count *Lesley*, accompanied with several Volunteers, parted Post towards *Denmark*, where he is to command in chief the Forces that the Emperor sends to the assistance of that King. The Emperor is very much dissatisfied with the late proceedings of the States of the *Lower Saxony*, who, notwithstanding the Resolution of the Diet at *Ratisbonne*, have, in their last Assembly, resolved to send a Plenipotentiary to *Nimwegen*, to assist at the Treaty, and to take care of their particular Interests. General *Gops* having received 60000 Crowns, will suddenly begin his journey for *Hungary*, whither the Grand Signior has sent strict Orders to his Bassa's, not only not to give the Rebels the least protection and refuge, but to be aiding on all occasions to the Emperors Officers, in the suppressing and subduing of them. Yesterday the Duke of *Wirtemberg* had Audience of the Emperor, being come hither to receive the Investiture of the Fiefs, possessed by the deceased Duke his Brother. The Danish Envoy has lately presented another Memorial to the Emperor, to pray him to recommend to his Commissioners at the Diet, the establishing a new Toll at *Gluckstadt* on the *Elbe*.

From the Elector of Brandenburg's Camp before *Stetin*, Aug. 6. The 4th instant his Electoral Highness caused the Trenches to be opened, and the same day took the Fort de l'Esloite. Yesterday our Frigats attacked the Swedish Vessels that are posted in this River, and after a dispute of two hours, forced them to retire from the Palisadoes. This morning the Swedes engaged our Frigats again, and after a sharp Fight set Fire to one of them. General Major *Swerin* has begun to make use of his Batteries, and has ruined many houses on that side of the Town, which he is appointed to attack. The Swedes have made several Retrenchments in the quarter called *la Stadie* on the other side of the *Oder*.

Yesterday we took 46 Prisoners, as they were returning from fetching Forage.

Basse, Aug. 11. The 8th instant, the Duke of *Saxen-Eysenach* being pretty well recovered of his late indisposition, returned to his Camp, and caused a review to be taken of his Troops, which are still posted a *Huningen*. Yesterday three Imperial Regiments which are coming to join the Duke of *Saxen-Eysenach* lodged at *Newbourg*, and will this day arrive in the *Upper Marquisat of Dourlach*, one League from this place, on the other side of the *Rhine*. The said Regiments are to have their quarters at *Creutzenach* and *Hutten*, where a part of the Garisons of *Fribourg* and *Rhinfeld* are to join them, and so make up a flying Army to secure the Bridge the Allies have upon the *Rhine*, and oppose the incursions of the Garison of *Brisac*. The Cant. n of *solenne* hath lately writ a Letter to the Duke of *Saxen-Eysenach*, to dissuade him from undertaking the Siege of *Landscroon*, for that he shall be obliged to oppose him in his passage to it through his Territories.

Brisac, Aug. 13. On Tuesday last the Sieur de *Monclar*, after eight hours march, surprized near *Plotzeim*, one of the Enemies quarters, took 400 Prisoners, and carried away above 100 Horse. At the same time he caused the Castle of *Plotzeim*, where there was a Garison of 60 men, to be summoned; and after a small resistance the Officer and Men surrendered themselves upon discretion. Yesterday the Sieur de *Monclar* marched to *Gusfenfeld*, which is but a short League from the Enemies Camp. Yesterday 400 Men in Garison here were sent to take possession of the Castle of *Hautmerheim*, which the Imperialists have abandoned; and the Boats which were formerly here, are bringing up the *Rhine*, in order to the making a Bridge at *Nieubourg*.

Cologne, Aug. 13. Two dayes since arrived here certain Commissioners from the Bishop of *Munster* and Duke of *Newbourg*, and others from the Electors of *Treves* and *Mayence* are daily expected. There is now no further discourse of the Imperialists quitting *Bonne*, and the restoring our Elector to his Residence there. The Governor of *Cleves* has brought together a small Body of an Army, to secure the Inhabitants of that Country against the frequent violences of Parties from *Maestricht*, who have pillaged several Villages near *Aix la Chapelle*, for failing to pay their Quota of Contributions. The Baron of *Landsee* is suddenly expected here on his return from *Bremen*, having in charge to negotiate several matters of importance with the Bishop of *Munster*, who is parted from *Sassenberg* on his way to *Ferdyn*. Next week the Duke of *Newbourg* will remove to *Bensbourg*, a House of Pleasure, within three hours of this place. Last week our Elector and Chapter sent Deputies to the Intendant of *Maestricht*, to settle the Contributions to be paid by the Inhabitants of this Diocess. We have nothing new from *Alsacia*, our last Letters which are of the 9th say, that the Army of the Circles continued in its ancient Post, the Duke of *Saxen-Eysenach* having his Head-quarters at *Fredelingen*, and General