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Lyme, June 8.

THis morning arrived here the *John*, and the *Elizabeth* of this place, in three days from *Adoraiix*, and brought over several *English* Merchants, who left that place, having now but little to do there.

Portsmouth, June 9. On the 6th instant arrived in *Cowes Road* a *Hamburg* Man of War of 28 Guns, called the *St. Francis*, Capt. *Peter Nimman* Commander, with a Merchantman called the *Ann of Hamburg*, of 18 Guns, *Matthias Middleman* Master, bound for *Portugal*.

Deale, June 9. This morning arrived in the *Downs* the *William*, the *Constant Merchant*, and the *Recovery*, from *Virginia*; they bring not any News: as also the *Theodore*, the *Europe*, and the *Batchelor*, from the *Straights*. Three Ships more are now coming in, likewise, as is believed, from *Virginia*.

Vienna, June 5. The Emperor will return hither from *Luxemburg* the 8th instant, and in the meantime several Conferences are held there, for the taking the Resolutions necessary, as well in relation to the Affairs of *Hungary*, as those which regard the War, in which his Imperial Majesty is at present engaged. The Emperor has granted the *Hungarians* several Points they demanded, and especially that about choosing a *Palatine*, which will be done at the next Assembly of the States of that Kingdom. The Marriage between the Archduchess *Anne*, and the Prince of *Neuburg*, is certainly concluded, and will be consummated, when the Duke and Dutchess arrive. Two days since arrived here an Envoy from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, and hath had Audience of the Emperor, to whom he represented several matters relating to the present Conjunction.

Copenhagen, June 11. Yesterday the King was on Board the Fleet. Admiral *Juels* returned with his Majesty hither, to receive his last Orders. The Fleet designed for the *Baltick* under his Command, consists in 52 Sail, as well Men of War, as Fireships and Tenders, and have, as we are told, on Board them 12000 Men, as well Seamen as Soldiers. The Squadron designed *Westward*, and as some believe to block up *Gottenburg*, consists in 26 Sail, and have on Board 2600 Men. They will sail so soon as the wind serves. From *Norway* we have Advice, That the *Sieur Guldenlien* hath possessed himself of the *Island Hiesingen*, and the Fort that was there, the *Suedes* had, they say, 2000 Men on the said *Island*, who quitted it, but in their retreat lost about 100 Men, the *Danes* took there six pieces of Cannon, and at present attack the Fort of *Babus*. The Forces pass daily over into *Schonen*, but we know not yet when the King will go over in person. We have another report, that the *Suedes* have made an Assault upon *Christiansstadt*, and that they have been repulsed, which however we give no credit to.

Hamburg, June 14. We have already given you an account, that the *Munster* Troops, who were going to the assistance of the King of *Denmark*, had passed the *Elbe*, and were marching towards *Kiel*, from

whence they would be carried over to *Schonen*; since we are informed that 1800 Men, belonging to the Landgrave of *Hesse*, are marching the same way, to overtake and join with them. It is said that the *Suedes*, upon the approach of some *Brandenburg* and *Lunenburgh* Troops, have quitted *Damgarten*. By a Vessel arrived in 11 or 12 days from *Gottenburg*, we have Advice, that the *Danes*, being 18000 strong, under the Command of General *Dunkam*, have besieged the strong Fortresses of *Babus*; and that *Gottenburg* was blocked up by four *Danish* Men of War. The Deputies of the City of *Dantzick*, have obtained of the Elector of *Brandenburg*, the liberty of Dr. *Strauch*. We are told that the *Suedish* Fleet is at Sea.

From the Imperial Camp near Hochberg, June 9. Several Regiments of Foot which we expected, having joined us yesterday at *Rugel*, we marched from thence to *Emendingen*, and are now encamped within half a League of the Enemy, who are very advantageously encamped on a Hill near *Langendenzling*: And our Camp reaches from the great way of *Hochberg* to the River *Elz*, the Quarters of the two Armies stand in sight of each other. We have been joined here by the Troops who were posted for the security of the passages which lead to *Suabia*.

Strasburgh, June 10. The *Imperial* and *French* Armies are encamped so near each other, that it will be hard for them to part without some Action. The Duke of *Lorraine* has sent the unnecessary Baggage, and the Women, which followed the Army, to *Offembourg*, seeming resolved to make use of the first occasion, which may bring them to a Battel. The Boats designed for the making a Bridge over the *Rhine* at *Rheinaw*, are sent down hither.

Mentz, June 12. The three Regiments of the Elector of *Saxony* continue encamped on the *Saour*, in the Baillage of *Wasserbillich*; and the *Imperial* Regiment of the Count *d'Arck*, has received a command to remain at *Trier*, till farther Order. It is said here, that the *Marschal de Schomberg* will advance with the Troops under his Command to the *Moselle*.

From the Marschal de Crequi's Camp at Langendenzlingen, June 13. The *Imperial* Army is encamped within half a League of us, and our Parties have frequent skirmishes. They were all the last night drawn up in Battalia; we know not what their design is, but the Prisoners we take tell us, that they want Forage, which they are forced to go four miles to seek. We have defeated a Convoy, which was going to them from *Strasburgh*.

Cologne, June 14. The Bishop of *Paderborne*, according to what was agreed here by the Ministers of the Allies, has sent his Quota of Troops, and on Saturday last they lodged in the Territory belonging to the Abby of *Essen*, in order to their passing the *Rhine* at *Koerort*. The other Princes will likewise send their Quota's, for the forming an Army to secure their Territories situate between the *Rhine* and the *Meuse*. The *Marschal de Schomberg* has summoned

moned the States of *Fuliers* to pay the Arrears of their Contributions within a time limited, and with much difficulty they have got eight dayes more added to the term. We are here in expectation of hearing of a Battel between the two Armies in *Brigom*, for we have seen Letters from some of the principal Officers of the Imperial Army dated the 10th instant, which say, That the Armies were so posted, that it would be hard for either to avoid an Engagement, in case the other press it; and add, that the Duke of *Lorrain* was very much inclined to come to a Battel, and therefore had sent away all his unnecessary Baggage, and had commanded several Regiments which were posted, to secure the passages of the *Black Forest* to join his Army, as they had accordingly done.

Hague, June 17. On Tuesday the Members of the States of *Holland* came to Town, and the next day were Asssembled, his Highness the Prince of *Orange* was present at their debates, and the resolutions that were taken on the matters before them. The same day was read in the Assembly of the *States General*, a Letter from the Emperor to this State. The Marquis de *Grana* is expected here in a day or two from *Brussels*. From *Nimeguen* we have an Account, that the Heer *Odyke*, one of the Ambassadors and Plenipotentiaries of this State, was arrived there, and that the Sieur *Beverning* was somewhat indisposed. From *Ruremond* they write, that the Marechal de *Schomberg* continued encamped near *Aix la Chapelle*, that the Sieur *Chauvet*, who commands the *Luxemburg Troops*, had drawn them together, and had sent to the Sieur *Spaen*, General of the Troops of the Elector of *Brandenburg*, to desire he would join with him; that at first a difficulty had arisen about the chief Command, between Lieutenant-General *Spaen*, and Lieutenant-General *Chauvet*, which had been at last removed, by agreeing that they should command by turns; however the *Brandenburg Troops* did not yet move, and for that reason the Sieur *Chauvet* could not prosecute his designs. We have Letters from *Strafsburg* of the 11th, which say, That several Forces that were come in there, pretended to have heard great shooting, upon which they were ready to conclude that the Armies, which they had before understood to be very near each other, were engaged; but we have Letters of the same date from other places thereabouts, which make not any mention thereof.

Brussels, June 17. The *French Army* continues encamped between *Lieuwe St. Pierre* and *Bigard*, but we are informed, that it will in a day or two remove from thence, and that a Camp is marked out between *Hall* and *Toufise*. The Duke of *Luxemburg*, after having sent another detachment of five Regiments of Horse, and as many of Foot, towards *Germany*, is, by the Kings Command, gone for *Paris*, leaving the Command of the Army to the Marechal d'*Humières*. From *Liege* we have an Account, That the Marechal de *Schomberg* continues encamped in the Neighborhood of *Aix la Chapelle*, with an Army of between 12 and 14000 Men. The two Captains, and the Official of the Intendant at *Luxemburg*, who had formed a design to betray that place to the Enemy, have been executed there. There are Letters from the Duke of *Lorrain*, in which he says, that he was incamped almost in sight of the Enemy; that he hoped not to part with them, without some Action; and that in effect, considering how they were posted, the *French* could not retire without exposing their Rear.

The Sieur *Chauvet*, General of the *Luxemburg Troops*, has not been able to advance against the Marechal de *Schomberg*, for that the *Brandenburgs* made difficulty to join with him.

Paris, June 18. In our last we informed you that we had an Account, That the Sieur de *Quésne* had burnt a *Spanish* ship in the Port of *Barcelona*; which is not only confirmed, but the said ship proved to be a Man of War of 60 Guns, and 300 Men, as we understand by the Letters we have from the Sieur de *Quésne* himself, the Particulars are: That *Cruisg* on the Coast of *Catalonia*, he had Advice, that several *Spanish* Men of War lay in the Road of *Barcelona*, upon which the Sieur de *Quésne* took his course thither, but found there only one Man of War mounted with 60 Cannon, and 300 Men, at Anchor about a Pistol shot from the Point of the Mole in five fathom water. The Sieur de *Quésne* not thinking it necessary to employ his whole Squadron, commanded three Men of War and a Fireship to enter into the Road, which they did, and came to an Anchor very near the *Spanish* Man of War, which they plyed very warmly with their Cannon, while the Fireship laid him on Board; the *Spaniards* made a good defence first with their Cannon, and then endeavouring to disengage themselves of the Fireship, which however they could not do, but their ship taking fire, was burnt. Some of the Seamen and Soldiers, who endeavored to save their lives by swimming, were taken up by our Chaloups. We lost in this Action about 20 Men. The Chevalier de *Hailly* had his Arm taken off, of which he dyed some hours after, and the Sieur de *Montreuil* was wounded in the Arm. From *Catalonia* we have Advice, that the Marechal de *Navailles* was marched with the Army into *Lampourdam*, to put them into quarters of refreshment. In *Germany* the Armies are so near, that we expect every hour to hear of a Battel.

Whitball, June 10. The last week arrived here Sir *Falmes Fairborne*, Lieutenant-Governor of His Majesty's City and Garrison of *Tangier*, having had His Majesty's leave to repair hither for some time, and was most Graciously received by His Majesty, and with Marks of the great Satisfaction His Majesty is pleased to have in his Services and Conduct in that Government.

Advertisements.

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S Tolen or strayed the 7th instant, from *Stapleton*, within a mile of *Bristol*, one light coloured dun or kite-coloured gray Mare, with a black list down the back, about 14 hands and a half high, and five years old. And a sorrel Gelding with a blaze down his face, having formerly had a Fistula, above 14 hands, about eight years old. Whoever gives notice of them to *Nathaniel Wood* at the Excize Office in *Broad-street*, *London*, or to Mr. *Najib* Ponder Stationer at the *Peacock* in the *Poultry*, or to Mr. *Hamfrere Granger* at the Excize-Office in *Bristol*, shall have 40 s. Reward.

S Tolen out of the Parsons Stable of *Winstow* in *Shropshire*, the 5th instant, a gray roan Nag, 14 hands and an half high, 8 years old, his head something flea-bitten, hath had a large blaze in the face, 2 glanders kernel under the right chap, runs a fine nostril, and hath a rhyme in the fore eye, trots all. Whoever gives notice of the said Nag to Mr. *Isahab Gyp* at the Golden Bottle in the *Poultry*, or to Mr. *Edward Davies* Apothecary in *Ludlow*, shall have 40 s. Reward.