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**T***Dantrick, Aug. 12.* HE King of Poland as well as the Czar of *Moscovy*, having sent Ambassadors to the several Courts of Christendom to demand assistance against the Turks, the account they give of the dispositions they find those Princes in will very much quicken or retard the proposed Alliance against the Port; into which it appears already that the Emperor has no great mind to enter. In *Prussia* the old standing Regiments are not only completed, but new levies are making, though no body knows the reason of it.

*Vienna, Aug. 15.* It is expected that an Answer will be given, this week, to the *Moscovite* and *Pollish* Ambassadors, which they extremely press for; the latter, in the last conference He had with the Imperial Commissioners, declared, That though the Czar should be persuaded to Treat seperately with the Turks, and conclude a Peace with them, yet the Crown of *Poland* would promise not to enter into any Negotiation with the Port, but jointly and with the consent of the Emperor, which they said upon the objection made by the Imperialists, that the Emperor, in case he entered into the War, might come to be left by his Allies. But after all, it seems, this Court has no great inclination to enter into so expensive and hazardous a War, as this may prove; and with this Answer it's believed the Ambassadors will be dispatched.

*Cologne, Aug. 25.* The French Troops that are quartered in the Countrey of *Fuliers*, do not make the least shew of removing from thence; and we begin to fear, that they intend to winter there. The detachment of the *Marschal de Crequi's* Army, which we were told, was ordered to march through the *Byffelz*, towards *Lorraine*, lies still at *Kerpen*, where, as passengers that came from thence tell us, they have marked out a Camp; so that no body knows when they intend to remove from thence. In the meantime, we cannot but fear, that their remaining thus in these parts, is with an eye upon us; though our Letters from *Paris* would assure us of the contrary.

*Strasburg, Aug. 21.* Monsieur *Verjus*, who is appointed, by the Most Christian King, to reside as his Minister at *Ratisbonne*, passed through this place two days since on his way thither. The French are now about quitting the Castle of *Waldenheim*, and we hope this Countrey will in a short time be wholly rid of them; but as for *Scheffstadt* it appears plainly, that they have no intention of quitting it. We are to have here a Garison of the Troops of the Circles, which is thought very necessary, seeing we are not yet free of the apprehensions we had of the French.

*Strasburg, Aug. 28.* The Imperial Troops are now on their march towards *Bohemia*, and are appointed to Rendezvous at *Egra*. The French Troops commanded by Lieutenant General *Mon-*

*clar* have received orders to remain on the Frontiers of *Alsace*, till farther order. The French are fortifying *Phalsburg*. Our Letters from *Ratisbonne* give an account that the Bishop of *Aichstadt*, the Emperor's Commissioner at the Dyet, had communicated to the States the Instrument Signed by the Imperial and French Ambassadors at *Nimeguen*, for the Executing the Peace, and acquainted them that in pursuance thereof the Emperor was drawing his Troops out of the Empire into his Hereditary Countries; but withall let them know, that it was necessary a constant Body of men should be maintained for the security of the Empire.

*Brussels, Aug. 29.* Our Governour the Duke de *Vila Hermosa* was expected the 27th instant at *Herfi*, in the Countrey of *Limburg*, where the Prince of *Nassau*, Governor of that Province, was preparing for his Excellencies reception. *Don Emanuel de Lyra*, late Envoy from our King to the States General of the United Provinces is come hither, and will continue his journey for *Spain* (where he is to be Secretary of State,) so soon as his Excellency returns, who is expected here about the latter end of this week: the said Envoy is said to be much dissatisfied with the Answer he received from the States concerning *Maestricht*, and, the more, for that he had all along promised himself he should obtain his demand. From *Liege* we have an account, that the French Troops would be all past in a day or two, except a small Body which continued encamped near the River *Roeer*, in order to the getting in the Contributions, which they still pretend of *Fuliers* and *Bergh*; and that the Detachment that was to march to *Lorraine* remains encamped at *Kerpen*, without any appearance of removing.

*Brussels, Sep. 1.* To morrow the Duke de *Vila Hermosa* will be at *Namar*, where he will find the States of that Countrey assembled, and hopes to dispatch affairs there, so that he may part from thence the 4th instant, to visit *Charleroy* and *Aeth*, and that done, make a turn hither, before his Excellency goes for *Gant*, where he intends to be the 8th, the States being appointed to meet the 10th. The Prince of *Orange* having taken the Divestment of Hunting, is now on his way to *Breda*, from whence he will go to *Bergen-op-Zoom*, to visit those Garisons, and so retire to the *Hague*. From the *Rhine* we are told, that the several Countreys of which the French demand Contributions, have sent Deputies to *Aix-la-Chapelle* to adjust the same with, the French Intendant. From *Alsace* we hear that the French are leaving those parts, having equipt *Savern* and all other places in that Countrey, except *Colmar* and *Scheffstadt*, which they continue to Fortifie; That the Duke of *Lorraine* was going to take Possession of his Government of *Tyrol*.

*Hague, Aug. 29.* The States having ordered the usual present to be made to *Don Emanuel de Lyra*, the Spanish Envoy, before he went hence