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Moskow, June 18.

Some days since we received Advice, that the Turks and the Tartars advanced towards the *Nioper*, with design to pass it, and to attack the City of *Kiovia*. Though at the same time we are told, from other hands, that the Turks are desirous to make Peace with the Czar; intending to employ their Arms the next Spring in *Hungary*, or as others say, against the Poles. The Czar has changed his Resolution of sending an Ambassador to *France*.

Warsaw, July 8. The Poles begin to grow jealous of the Moscovites, who, they suspect, are Treating with the Turks, and that a Peace being made between them, the War will be turned against this Kingdom. From the Frontiers we have an Account, that a Turkish Chiaus was arrived there, that he was in few days to have Audience of the General; and that his errand was to let him know, the Grand Signiõrs intentions in the matter of the Limits.

Naples, July 9. An Order, which came from the Court at *Madrid*, has been published here, Requiring all Persons, that have any Publick Employments, to wear the Spanish Habit, which has been occasioned by their having of late affected the French Fashion. The intended Levies are not yet begun. The Preparations of the Turks, who are fitting out a great number of Gallies, with which it's said, several Men of War of *Barbary* are to joyn, keep us in an Alarm; but we are more particularly apprehensive for *Sicily*, where, it's said, the Discontents are great: but these are fears we have been often affrighted with; and we hope they are now as groundless as those we have frequently been heretofore in, upon like Reports of the Designs of the Turks.

Genova, July 9. The 28th past arrived here, Twelve French Gallies, under the Command of the Chevalier de *Nouailles*, and were received with the Salutes and Respects, usual on the like occasions. Some days since likewise arrived in this Port five Dutch Merchant Ships, with a man of War their Convoy from *Spain*. And about the same time, failed from hence another Convoy of that Nation for *Spain*.

Leghorne, July 9. Three or four days since several French men of War, Commanded by the Sieur du *Quefne*, arrived in the Canal of *Piombino*; and presently after, sent ashore to the Officers of the Customs, to demand restitution of several French Barks, which they had caused to be seized letting them at the same time know, that if they refused it, he would right himself. Upon which, the said Officers of the Customs, having consulted with the Governor, they resolved to give the Sieur du *Quefne*

satisfaction; and agreed to reimburse the value of the said Barks, and the Merchandizes laden in them, which they had disposed of.

Madrid, July 11. The Prince of *Parma* is making the necessary Preparations for his Journey to *Flanders*, which he intends to take by the way of *France*, and therefore has sent a Gentleman to that Court, to desire the Kings Passport. The Marriage between Don Pedro d' *Arragon*, and the Daughter of the Duke de *Medina Celi* is concluded. The King has sent Orders for the departure of the *New-Spain* Fleet, on which the Marquis de la *Laguna*, Viceroy of *Mexico* will Embarque.

Turin, July 14. The differences between this State, and that of *Milan*, concerning the Limits, are not yet determined, but rather new cause of Dispute arises daily. We are told, that endeavors are still using to make a Marriage between our Duke, and the Archduchess of *Austria*; but according to all appearance, they will prove unsuccessful. From *Spain* we have Advice, that the King is resolved by no means, to quit the Title of *Burgundy*.

Strasburg, July 22. Hardly a day passes, but different Reports are spread abroad, concerning the Designs of the French; one while we are told, that the Marechal de *Cregui* is coming into these parts, to Command an Army of 30000 Men; and then again it is said, that the Cavalry and Dragoons that are at present in *Alsace*, are ordered to march towards the *Saar*, and that they are to be employed on that side; amidst this variety of Advices, all we can write with certainty is, that Monsieur de *Monclar* continues Encamped near *Landau*, and that he has been lately to visit the Plains of *Candell* and *Lauterbourg*, as if he intended to mark out a Camp there. That the French have lately possessed themselves of the Castles of *Oberstein* and *Veldents* on the *Moselle*. And that the Chamber of *Metz* has summoned all the Places on that River, which were possessed by the old Duke of *Lorraine*, and at present belong to the Prince of *Vaudemont*, to do Hommage to the French King, and to that end to send their Deputies to *Metz*, against the 20th of the next month.

Cologne, July 26. The Proceeding; of the French do daily more and more disquiet the Princes of the Empire, who carry their Complaints to the States Assembled at *Ratisbonne*, and they are Debating what to resolve upon them.

Hague, July 31. The States of *Holland* will Adjourn the next week for some time, when this place is like to be very empty, for the Prince of *Orange* intends to go and Hunt in *Gelderland*, or as some say, in *Lunenburg*. From *Flanders* we have an Account, that the French King was come to *Dunkirk*, and that he had caused an Order to