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Vienna, June 7.

THis place is full of joy for the birth of a second Son to the Emperor, who is Christned by the Names of *Leopold, Joseph, William, Francis, Anthony, Erasmus.* The Imperial Troops that are now marching towards the *Rhine*, will be commanded by General *Lestie*, and under him by the Count of *Starenberg*, and the Duke of *Saxen Lawenburg*, the first commanding the Foot, and the latter the Horse: With these it's said will joyn some of the Elector of *Bavaria's* Troops, and of the *Circles*, and if it be necessary, a much more considerable Body of the Emperors Forces will follow; and in that case it's believed the Duke of *Lorraine*, if his health do permit, will command the Emperors Forces, while Count *Waldeck* commands those of the Empire.

Strasburg, June 12. On Monday last the Chapter of this Diocels met, and the Baron *de Monclar*, and the Intendant *de la Grange* having in the Name of his most Christian Majesty Recommended to them Prince *William of Furstemberg*, they accordingly Elected him to be Bishop of this Sec. The French Troops are moving this way, those of the Kings Household are on their march hither from *Lorraine*, and we are told, that the French will have 40000 Men in these parts, which in twice 24 hours they will, when ever there is occasion for it, be able to bring into the Field, with a Train of Artillery, &c. They have now ten Batallions at *Friburg*, and will increase their number according to the motions of the Imperialists.

Hamburg, June 13. The 11th instant the Elector of *Brandenburg* arrived at *Esebeberg*, and in the afternoon went from thence to *Bergerisdorf*: Yesterday he Dined at *Fruelsbuttel*, and lay the last night at *Pinnenberg*, from whence he intended to go this day to *Izeboe*, where the King of *Denmark* has been several days expecting his Electoral Highness. We have Letters from *Moscow* of the 22th past, which give an account of the death of the Czar, who is succeeded by his Brother, a Prince about 12 years old.

Cologne, June 16. We are still expecting here the Troops of the Circle of *Westphalia*, and our Magistrates have sent several Expresses to hasten them. From *Lorraine* they write, That the French Troops are marching towards the *Rhine*, having taken the alarm at the motions of the Imperialists, who all our Letters assure us are coming down. We have now certain Advice, That the Empress is brought to Bed of a young Prince, so that the Emperor has now two Sons, to the great joy of that Court, and of all *Germany*.

Hague, June 19. The several Provinces having finally consented to the raising of two Millions and 40 thousand Florins for the building of 36 Men of War, that work will be forthwith taken in hand; The said Ships are to carry, ten of them 80 Guns, eight 70, eight 60, and ten 50, and are to be built

in two years. Several Men of War have been built for the Crown of *Spain at Amsterdam*, and would ere this have been in the *Texell*, but that they have not been able to pass the *Pampus*. The *East-India Company* is going to make a Dividend of 33 per Cent.

Paris, June 20. On Monday last there was an extraordinary meeting of the Doctors of the *Sorbonne*, where they had before them the matter concerning the Registering the late Declaration of the Clergy, and the Kings Edict thereupon; but after some Debate, they separated without coming to any Resolution therein, and appointed to meet again the next day farther to consider thereof: The Parliament being informed of it, and being much displeas'd with this Proceeding of the *Sorbonne*, they sent a Summons to a certain number of the Doctors to attend them the next Morning, (being Tuesday) which they doing accordingly, the first President was extremely sharp upon them, treating them as Persons that had disobey'd the Kings Commands, and commanding them not to meet again till the first day of the next Month. The Benedictines being assembled for the choosing the Superiors of their Order, the King by his Letters to them has declared 16 or 12 Religious therein named, incapable of any Employments among them, and has commanded them in a certain time to present to his Majesty a State of the Revenue of every Monastery of that Order. Three or four Ships of Monsieur *du Quesne's* Squadron are arriv'd at *Thoulon*, and he himself is very suddenly expected there: He stay'd behind these Ships because the Turkish Gallies were put to Sea, and it might have been said he quitted his station to avoid them. There are Letters from *Constantinople* which say, That the Grand Vizier demands 400000 Dollars of the French for the damages sustained at *Scio*, and that he will not let our Ambassador, his Lady, nor his Daughter, depart till it be paid: The same Letters add, That the Count *de Caprara*, the Imperial Minister, had succeeded in his Negotiation, and had concluded the Matters, he was sent upon, to his satisfaction. The King has by an Express received an account, that Prince *William of Furstemberg* is chosen Bishop of *Strasburg*. The 17th instant the Lord Viscount *Preston*, Envoy Extraordinary from his Majesty of *Great Britain*, had his first Audience of the King, Queen, &c. being conducted thereunto with the usual Ceremonies. The Troops of the Kings Household that were in *Lorraine* are marching towards *Strasburg*, to encamp on the *Rhine*, whither we hear the Imperial Troops are likewise advancing.

Windsor, June 13. The following Addresses have been presented to His Majesty, who received them very Graciously.

To the Kings Most Excellent Majesty.

Dread Sovereign,

WE Your Majesties most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Mayor, and Burgesses of Your antient Corporation of