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Vienna, July 2

Several Expresses are arrived from Hungary with the news of the defeat of a very considerable Body of Turks near *Vaccia*; of which you will have the Particulars from *Lintz*. There are Letters from *Croatia*, which say, That General *Leslie* advancing with 6000 Germans and 12000 Croats to the Bridge of *Essecke*, had taken the Fort at the head of it, and had afterwards set Fire to the Bridge in several places, of which we must expect the confirmation From *Upper Hungary* we have advice, that the Castle of *Ungwar* is very closely besieged by the Rebels. From *Cracow* they write, that the King of *Poland* intended to part from *Jawarow* the 25th of the last Month, to go and put himself at the head of his Army, which was in the mean time marching under the command of the Crown General.

*Lintz*, July 4. The second Instant arrived here from Hungary Count *Charles de Lamberg*, being sent by the Duke of *Lorrain*, to give the Emperor an account of the defeat of a great Body of Turks, who had posted themselves near *Vaccia* to cover that place, of which we have the following Relation. The Imperial Army having repassed the *Danube* near *Gran* on the 20th and 21. of the last Month, they staid two or three days in the Neighborhood of that place, expecting the Regiments that were on their march from *Silesia*, where they had Wintered, to joyn the Army, and then marched towards *Vaccia* to attack that place and *Novi grad*; That the Duke of *Lorrain* receiving advice that the Enemy were posted near *Vaccia*, He resolved to fight thm, and advanced accordingly; That the Christians having on the 27th with some trouble passed the Defiles of *Marots*, they saw the Enemy standing in Battalia on the Hills near *Vaccia*, having the *Danube* and a great Mora's on their left, and a Wood on their right; The Duke of *Lorrain* made what haste he could to put the Army into Battalia, which having done about 11 a Clock, they marched in two Lines, besides the Reserve and the Troops appointed to take care of the Baggage, towards the Enemy, who suffered them to advance without any opposition, till they came on the Hill, but then with great fury and their usual Cries, charged them, beginning with the Regiment of *Taff*, which was almost in the middle of the first Line, where the Duke of *Lorrain* was in Person, whose Horse was wounded, and those of two Officers near him killed with Pistol-shot; but the Turks having spent their first fury, and observing the firmness of the Christians, turned their backs, though they quickly rallied and charged the Christians on all sides, and then wheeling off again, returned a third time to the charge, but the Christians still advancing upon them without breaking their Order, the Enemy fell into confusion, and being seized with fear, their Horse abandoned the Foot and fled; And the Imperial Cavalry of the

first Line pursued them above an hour; but by reason of the swiftness of the Enemies Horses, the Christians quickly lost the sight of them. This Body consisted of about 20000 men, of their best Troops, commanded by the Visier of *Buda*, and several Bassa's under him; There were among them 4000 Tartars; most of their Foot were slain, and those that escaped got into *Vaccia*, which the Imperialists afterwards made themselves Masters of, the Turks that were in it, surrendring on discretion; in all, it's calculated about 3000 of the Enemy were killed, and 1500 taken prisoners, with seven Pieces of Cannon and several Standards; The Visier of *Buda* is supposed to be killed, his Horse having been taken by a Soldier of the Regiment of *Taff*, who presented it to the Duke of *Lorrain*; and among the prisoners there are, it's said, a Bassa and 10 Aga's; The loss of the Christians is very inconsiderable, this Victory having cost them not above 20 or 30 men. The 28th the Imperial Army continued in the Neighborhood of *Vaccia*, and the next day decamped and marched towards *Pest*. The Emperor has sent a Courier to the Pope with the news of this Victory, for which *Te Deum* was sung here yesterday.

*Ratisbona*, July 6. On Monday last passed through this place an Express, who came from *Lintz*, and brought the news of the defeat of 25000 Turks near *Vaccia*, otherways called *Waitzen*; That 2000 Janisaries had been killed and as many taken Prisoners; That the Imperialists had lost but 30 men; That they had taken *Vaccia*, and were marching towards *Pest*.

*Brussels*, July 11. On Sunday last in the morning Monsieur de *Chanlay*, Quarter-Master-General of the Armies of *France* (for whom the Mareschal de *Schomberg* had two days before by a Trumpeter he sent hither, desired a Passport) arrived here from the French Camp at *Leffines*, and being conducted to Court, had Audience of the Marquis de *Grana*, and was afterwards entertained by his Excellency at Dinner. In the afternoon, as likewise the next morning the Council of State was assembled; and last night Monsieur de *Chanlay* took his leave of his Excellency, and parted from hence this morning early. The Commission he came upon is not made publick, but it's believed to have been about settling Contributions, and adjusting matters in relation to a suspension of Hostilities. Yesterday in the afternoon arrived here an Express from *Lintz* with the news of a great Victory obtained by the Duke of *Lorrain* against the Turks the 27th of the last Month. The Particulars we have, are; That the Visier of *Buda* being informed that the Imperial Army moved towards *Novi grad*, he marched with 20000 Turks to *Vaccia*, and posted them very advantageously upon a rising ground near that place, having on their left the *Danube* and a great Mora's, and a great Wood on their right, and the Christians being to pass several Defiles before they could come to them; However the Duke of *Lorrain* continued his march, and having gained the Defiles, advanced towards the Enemy, and engaged them, but the Turkish Horse soon fled, and the Germans closely pursued them and cut off most of their Foot; 3000 of the Turks were killed, 1400 taken

Prisoners, with many Standards and six Pieces of Cannon; And in the heat of this action the Imperialists attacked *Paccia*, and after a dispute of five hours were Masters of it, the Turks yielding themselves prisoners; Five or six Persons of Principal note among the Turk, were killed, and it is believed the Visier of *Buda* is of that number, his Horse being taken. The loss on the side of the Christians was very inconsiderable. The Turks upon this defeat abandoned *Novigrad*: And the Imperial Army was marching towards *Pest*.

*Hague, July 14.* The States of *Holland* re-assembled the 12th Instant. The Prince of *Orange's* Regiment of Horse-Guards returned hither the 10th Instant from *Brabant*; and the next day the Train of Artillery was brought back to *Delf*. Yesterday Monsieur de *S. Didier* returned hither with his Most Christian Majesty's Ratification of the Treaty Signed here the 29th past. It is said that the Emperor has resolved to accept the Truce as proposed by *France*.

*From the French Camp at Fortia in Catalonia, June 16. 1684.*

The Marechal de *Belfonds* having on the 21. past had a Conference with Monsieur du *Quesne*, who commands the French Fleet, and the Duke of *Mortemar*, General of the Gallies, in which it was resolved to attack *Cap de Quiers*, the next day the necessary Detachments were made as well from the Fleet as the Army, and the Duke of *Mortemar* arrived with 10 Gallies before the place; and the same day the Marechal de *Belfonds* removed with the Army from *St. Pere Pescador*, and came and encamped here; In the Evening the Marquis de *Reuel* posted himself with two Battalions before *Cap de Quiers*, and the next morning the Sieur de *Chaferon*, Lieutenant-General, arrived there with two Battalions more and a small Body of Dragoons, which he brought from *Perpignan*. About 150 Miquelets sallied out of the place, and skirmished with some of our Troops, but they quickly retired again: And in the Evening the Duke de *Mortemar* landed 600 men, who were employed in the Siege. The 24th the Miquelets made another Sally, but with no better success than the former, and the Sieur de *Chaferon* summoned the Tower of *Pont-Legat*, and upon their refusing to Surrender, the Gallies began to batter it with their Cannon; and in the Evening the Spaniards that were in it surrendered. The 24 at night several Batteries were raised on the Hill near the Town, and the next morning the besiegers began to batter it with their Cannon and Bombs, and one of these falling on the Church, whither the Inhabitants were retired for shelter, beat down the Roof, and put the People into such a fright, that they obliged the Governor to desire a Parley, which having done, the Capitulation was in a short time agreed and Signed. And the 28th the Garrison marched out, consisting of about 500 men, of which the greatest part were Miquelets, and were conducted to *Lerida*. During the Siege the Duke of *Bournonville*, Vice-Roy of *Catalonia*, and the Marquis de *Liganez*, General of the Horse, left their Camp near *Gironne*, and advanced to *Bourdit*, four leagues from hence, but there are two Rivers between their Camp and ours.

*Paris, July 15.* The King having ratified the Treaty Signed by his Ambassador at the *Hague* the 29th of the last Month, the Chevalier de *S. Didier*, who brought hither the said Treaty, hath been dispatched back with the Ratifications. The 6th Instant died here *Ann de Gonzague* Princess Palatin, in the 68th year of her age; she was Daughter to *Charles de Gonzague* Duke of *Nevers*, afterwards Duke of *Manua*, and was Married in

1645, to Prince *Edward* Count Palatin of the *Rhin*, Fifth Son of *Frederick* Elector Palatin and King of *Bohemia*: She hath left three Daughters, the Princesses *Anne* Dutchess of *Anguien*, *Louise Marie* Princess *Rhingrave* of *Salms*, and *Benoite Henriette*, Widow of Prince *John Frederick* of *Brunswick*, Duke of *Hanover*. Our Letters from *Venice* of the 24th past tell us, they had advice from *Zara* that General *Morofini* having taken on board 1700 Soldiers at *Lessina*, had continued his Course towards the *Levant*; That the Proveditor General *Carnaro* arrived at *Paxo* the third of the last Month with 16 Gallies and 2 Galeasses; and that the day following the Sieur *Molino* Captain Extraordinary of the Ships, likewise arrived there with 12 Men of War and several Gallies. We have advice that the Spaniards have taken eight Flyboats that were bound with Masts and other Naval Stores for *Thoulon*.

*Cambridge, July 6.* Dr. Nic. Stagins, who was sometime since admitted to the Degree of Doctor of Musick, being desirous to perform his Exercise upon the first publick opportunity for the said Degree, has acquired himself so much to the satisfaction of the whole University this Commencement, that by a Solemn Vote, they have constituted and appointed him to be as Publick Professor of Musick here.

His Majesty has been Graciously pleased in His new Charter Granted unto the Borough of *Newport* in the Isle of *Wight*, a Monthly Market for the sale of all sorts of Cattel, Wool, Butter, Cheese, and all other Commodities of the product of the said Isle, to be kept on every second Wednesday in the Month; And the said Monthly Market will begin to be kept at *Newport* aforesaid, on Wednesday the 13th day of August next.

His Majesty has been Graciously pleased to Grant to *Ipswich* in the County of *Suffolk*, a Fair which will be held there on the 11th and 12th days of August next, for Bullocks, Sheep, Horses, and other Cattel: And also another Fair which will be held there on the 7th and 8th days of May, for all sorts of Cattle yearly.

#### Advertisement.

An Introduction to the Old English History, comprehended in three several Tracts. I. An Answer to Mr. Pety's Rights of the Commons Asserted, and to a Book entitled, *Jani Anglorum Pacis Nova*. II. An Answer to a Book entitled, *Argumentum Antinomianicum*. III. The Exact History of the Succession of the Crown of England, With an Appendix, containing several Records, and a Series of Great Councils and Parliaments, before and after the Conquest, unto the end of the Reign of Henry the Third. And a Glossary expounding many words used frequently in our Antient Records, Laws, and Historians. By Robert Brady, Doctor in Physick. Printed by Thos. Newcomb, for Samuel Lowndes over against Exeter Exchange in the Strand.

There is now in the Press the remaining Parts of the Institution of General History, which makes the same compleat unto the Reign of William the Conqueror, with the Ecclesiastical History, Written by Dr. Will. Howell, late Chancellor of *Lincoln*; And will be Published by Easter Term next, according to the Proposals which are to be had at the Widow Howells next door to the Red Lion in King-street in *Bloomsbury*, or at Mr. Fleisher's the Printer in *St. Johns Clerkenwell*, where all persons shall have Acquittances under Hand and Seal, that pay their Money upon the Proposals, and have the Books delivered accordingly.

These are to give notice, That whereas by the Policy of Insurance of Houses, Two Months is allowed for payment after the Loss. Yet because it may be some Convenience to those that have lost their Houses to have present Money; If they please to discount Interest they may have it at the Office.

These are to give notice, That any Persons having occasion for White Salt, may have it at *Lymington* in *Hampshire* and the Salt-Works near adjacent, at Fifteen pence the Bushell.

Taken or strayed the 7th of July Instant, from a Field at *Corney Hatch* in *Middlesex*, a bay Nag with a Star in his Forehead, and Salsp in his Nose, a shorn Mane and bob Tail, nigh 14 hands high, seven years old, a thorough pacer. Also an old Fleabitten Gelding above 14 hands high, his Mare thorow, well forehanded but dull: Whoever gives notice of them or either of them at Mr. Richard Tarts Coffee-House in *Smithfield*, shall have a Guinea a Horse for reward.

Taken or lost the 30th of June last out of *Sutton* in *Worrali* Cheshire, a black Mare with a bob Tail, about 15 hands high, four white Feet, one Wall Eye, one side of her Face white: Whoever gives notice of the Mare to John Williams at the Red Lion Inn in *Grays-Inn-Lane*, *London*, or to the Postmaster of *Chester*, or to Mr. Lewis Postmaster in *Wreyham*, shall have two Guineas reward.