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Florence, March 29. N. S.

WE have Advice from the Camp of General Zuminghen, before Monté Philippo, that on the Twenty-fourth Instant in the Morning, a Detachment Sallied out thence to view the German Trenches, but were discovered by the Centinel, who Attack'd the Captain with his Bayonet in his Hand, and Wounded him, upon which the German Guard coming up, a Skirmish ensu'd, in which Ten of the Enemy were Kill'd, and the Captain taken Prisoner: He reports, that the Garrison of the Fort consists of an Hundred and fifty Men, and that they have Provision for Three Years. The next Day the Cannon made a great Fire, both from the Camp and the Fort, and several Bombs were thrown, but the Success was not known when these Letters came away. The German Horse were to begin their March towards Pontremoli on the Twenty-sixth Instant, in order to return to Milan, there being no more Forage to be found in those Parts.

Vienna, April 2. N. S. About the latter end of the last Month his Imperial Majesty, according to the Custom of the Season, took the diversion of Hunting Wolves and Foxes, and shooting Pheasants in the Prater, which was the first time that his Majesty had given himself any relaxation from publick usiness since his arrival here. Signior Victor Zani, Ambassador Extraordinary from the Republick of Venice, made his Publick Entrance here on the Thirteenth past, with an extraordinary Magnificence, and the next Day had his first publick Audience of the Emperor, and the Emperress Dowager. His Excellency, together with the Nuncio of the Pope, are to assist at the Coronation of the Emperor, as King of Hungary, at Presbourg. A Courier is arriv'd here, from Spain, with Dispatches from the Emperess Consort, as is likewise Signior Erba, the Pope's Nuncio, in his way from hence to the Court of Poland.

Milan, April 2. N. S. The English and Dutch Plenipotentiaries, have now under their Consideration, the Points in Difference between his Imperial Majesty, and his Royal Highness the Duke of Savoy, and are drawing up their Sentence in relation to them. The Emperor not being satisfy'd with the Preparations made by the Viceroy of Naples for the Sieges of Porto Hercole, and the other Places belonging to Spain, upon the Coasts of Tuscany, has sent Orders to Don Julio Visconti, the Commissary General here, to go to Naples, to enquire into the Reasons of the Delay in those Preparations, and to let his Imperial Majesty know if they were occasion'd by any Fault or Neglect of the Viceroy. Signior Cnsani is arriv'd here from France, where he has lately resided in the Quality of the Pope's Nuncio, and is to go hence in a few Days for Rome. A Courier went some few Days ago through this Place, being dispatch'd from Turin by the Earl of Peterborough for England.

Berlin, April 9. N. S. General Fleming set out Yesterday from this Place, in order to follow his Master King Augustus into Poland. Although the Success of his Negotiations is not known, yet the frequent Conferences he has had with the Ministers of this Court, have made the Suedes very uneasy, and it is reported here, that Monsieur Friesendorff, who has formerly resided as the King of Sueden's Envoy at the Court of Hanover, is to come hither with some Commission from the King his Master. Monsieur Westphael, who has for some time been Resident here from King Augustus, has taken his leave of the King, and is to go to the Courts of Mecklenburg with the same Character. Four thousand Muscovites are already arriv'd about Kustrin, in order to return to Pomerania, and Sixteen thousand more of the same Troops, are advanced as far as Petrikow in Poland, Prince Menzikoff being come as far as Elbing. His Czarish Majesty has request'd of the King, that he may have his Head Quarters at Sweet, upon the Frontiers of the Suedish Pomerania, which is the Place where the late Margrave Philip had his Residence; and it is reported here, that the King has agreed to it. His Prussian Majesty having wrote to the King of Denmark concerning the Inhabitants of the Dutchy of Mecklenburg, that they may have a Consideration for the Charge they have been at in subsisting the Danish Troops in that Country; the King of Denmark has return'd an Answer, that he is willing to pay what is justly due to them, and that he has nominated Commissaries to state the Account.

Brussels, April 18. N. S. By Letters of the Fifteenth Instant, we have an Account of the situation of the Confederaté as well as the French Troops in Artois. The former are encamped along the River Scarpe, with their Right at Dechey near Doway, and the Enemy having taken possession of the Passes on the Senette, the Nighb before the Allies intended to Post themselves there, extend from Etrun to Monchipreux near Arras, having Marquiron in their Center; but very few of their Horse being as yet come up, it is believ'd they would not be able to maintain themselves in their present Camp, when the Confederate Forces should be join'd upon the Twentieth. The Baron Heems the Emperor's Envoy to the States General, set out Yesterday from hence for Gand, to signify to the States of Flanders, his Imperial Majesty's Pleasure concerning their Proportion of the Sums necessary for the subsisting the Body of his Troops that are to serve on this side during the Campaign. The Troops of the French Household, are expected on the Sixteenth at Bapaume.

Tarmouth, April 11. This Day came into our Road Her Majesty's Ship the Pearl from the Coast of Holland, having been The Fleet safe over, that sail'd under his Convoy.