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Vienna, June 2. N. S.

SOME Days ago their Imperial Majesties went from the Castle of Laxembourg to Medling, where they laid the first Stone in the Foundation of a Pillar, which the Inhabitants of that Place are erecting, in memory of their Deliverance from the contagious Distemper. A Courier is lately arrived here from France, with a Letter from the most Christian King to the Emperor, notifying the Death of the Duke of Berry, his Grandson. The Empress-Dowager Emilia is removed with her whole Court to Schonbrun. Prince Philip of Hesse Darmstad has been constituted Velt-Marshal General, and Governor of the Dutchy of Mantua. The Troops that have been encamped for some time near Erla, are upon their March towards Transilvania, where they are to be employed in the new Fortifications of Weissenbourg. The Emperor is resolved not to disband any of his Forces, and those in the Kingdom of Naples are order'd to be recruited. Count d'Esterhazy is lately gone from hence to Presbourg, and Prince Frederick of Wirtemberg is arrived here from Stutgard. It is said, Prince Eugene is to visit the Fortresses in Hungary and Transilvania, before he sets out for the Congress of Baden. The Protestants of those Countries have made repeated Complaints to his Imperial Majesty, that the Popish Priests have taken away the Churches which the Turks had given them leave to build, and that Cardinal Saxe-Weitz had ordered their Books of Prayer to be burnt. Directions are sent to Monsieur Fleischman, the Emperor's Resident at Constantinople, to acquaint the Ottoman Port, that three Camps are to be formed this Summer in Hungary, without any other design than to ease the Inhabitants of the Country, who must otherwise be obliged to Quarter the Troops in their Houses.

Hanover, June 12. N. S. The Electress Dowager found her self indisposed on the Seventh at Night, but the next Morning she was much better, and writ a Letter with her own Hand to the Dutchesse Dowager of Orleans her Niece. In the Evening she went out to walk in the Gardens of Herenhausen, where she was seized with a Fit of an Apoplexy, and died in the Arms of the Electoral Princess and the Countess of Pickenbourg, who were walking with her, before any other Person could come up to her Assistance. We are informed, that Preparations are making at Peterwaradin, in Hungary, for the reception of his Swedish Majesty, who is expected there very soon in his way to Vienna.

Hamburgh, June 15. N. S. Baron Sparr, who came hither a few Days ago to consult with General Welling, upon the Affairs of Sweden and

Holstein, hath been several times in Conference with that Minister, and is since returned to Berlin in order to make some further Proposals to his Prussian Majesty. The Diet of Augsburg hath published a Mandate, exhorting the King of Denmark to restore the Dutchy of Holstein to the Prince whom it appertains to, threatening, in case he refuses, to proceed against him according to the Constitution of the Empire. This Mandate hath been sent to the Emperor, who hath approved and confirmed it. His Danish Majesty left Copenhagen on the 8th, and is expected very soon at Gottorp. The Governor of Wismar being apprehensive of an Attack, has order'd the Fortifications of that Place to be repaired with all possible diligence. The Garrison consists of Six thousand Foot, and One thousand Dragoons, and the Fortress is so well provided with Ammunition, and Stores of all kinds, that it is thought they will be able to maintain a Siege for six Months. Letters from Stockholm bring an account, that Vice Admiral Watrang had been lately reinforced by some Swedish Ships, and his Squadron, consisting of Nineteen Men of War, lay near Hungo, where the Sea is but three Leagues broad, by which means it was impossible for the Muscovite Fleet to pass by him without hazarding a Battle. We have receiv'd Advice from Poland, that the Grand Signior, in pursuance of the Treaty of Peace lately concluded with King Augustus, and the Republick, had sent to King Stanislaus to retire out of the Dominions of the Ottoman Port.

Hague, June 19. N. S. On the 14th, the Marquis de Monteleone, together with several of the Plenipotentiaries of the States General, went from hence to Utrecht, in order to finish the Treaty of Peace between his Catholick Majesty and this Republick. To Morrow the Earl of Strafford intends to set out for the same Place, his Excellency having received a Letter from the Spanish Ministers to desire his Presence there. The States General have lately come to a Resolution to open a Commerce again with the Town of Hamburgh, under certain Regulations and Restrictions. The States of Holland and West Friesland are to assemble here to Morrow.

St. James's, June 11. Yesterday the Queen removed from hence to Kensington, where she arrived in perfect Health.

Whereas a Letter sign'd A. H. B. dated June the 7th, 1714. was sent to the Office of One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. The Person who subscribed the said Letter, whereby desired to come to the Office or House of the Secretary to whom it was directed, where he will receive all fitting Encouragements.

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