

MARYLAND GAZETTE

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FRIDAY, September 20, 1745.

HAGUE, June 1.

HEY write from Genoa, that by the Treaty the Republic concluded the 18th of April last with France and Spain, those two Crowns have agreed to put the Republic in Possession of certain Districts along the Coast, which lie convenient for her, and guarantied to her all the Territories she is actually in possession of: That tho' the City of Genoa is threatened with a Bombardment, the Senate are resolved to perform the Engagements they have contracted in the said Treaty; that they have already begun to discharge Part of the Republic's Obligations, and that her Troops will join the Spaniards, and act whatsoever the two Crowns shall think proper.

According to Advices from Germany, a Rupture between the Courts of Dresden and Berlin is at hand: The Prussian Troops that were encamped near Magdeburg have already passed the Elbe, in order to draw near to the Frontiers of Saxony, and to make an Irruption into Saxony, as soon as they hear that the Saxon Troops have entered Silesia.

The last Letters from Francfort and Mentz say, that they are still in the Dark about the real Designs of the Prince of Conti; but that they do not believe that he intends to evacuate Germany, nor send any of his Troops to Flanders: That neither was there the least Appearance that any of the Troops of the Confederate Army on the Lower Rhine would march away to the Netherlands, because that would be leaving the Territories of Hanover and Saxony too much exposed: That it is much more natural to suppose this Army will endeavour to join that under Field-Marshal Count Traun; and that it was very probable all the Prince of Conti's Motions tend only to prevent this Junction, and attack one or other of those two Armies. These Advices add, that by the Dispositions making on both Sides, a Battle seems to be unavoidable.

Naples, May 18. The Vessels which have been so long loaded, and lain in this Port with Artillery, Ammunition, &c. are at last suddenly sailed, to the Number of 19 or 20, at different Times within this Week; and there are about 7 or 8 more remaining in this Mole, which it is expected will soon follow. Some say they are designed for Orbitello, and the Garrisons on the Coast of Tuscany.

Dresden, June 5, N. S. By Letters from Landshut of the 1st Instant, the Combined Army was still there, but would in a few Days march up to the Prussians, who were encamped near Schweidnitz. The Allies had then taken Freyberg, a Town situated in the Plain, not a German Mile from the Enemy; and there are other Letters which give an Account, that his Prussian Majesty has abandoned Schweidnitz. If this be true, it

will give the Allies a free Passage into the open Country. The combined Army is divided equally into two Columns. The King of Poland has assured her Hungarian Majesty by Letter, that Orders shall be immediately dispatched to Francfort, to have all the Quarters that formerly belonged to the Bohemian Embassy restored to her Ministers.

Vienna, June 2, N. S. We hear from Silesia, that Colonel Buccow, Lieutenant-Colonel de Dolne, and Baron St. Ivary, having resolved to attack the Town of Kosel, marched upon the 26th past from Schonbrun towards that Place, where the Troops under their Command arrived at 2 o'Clock in the Morning. Twelve Pandours presently after leaped into the Ditches before the Town, which were 50 Feet broad, waded through them with the Water up to their Middle, and were immediately followed by 200 Pandours more, and some other Troops. The Centinel thereupon fired his Piece, and the Picquet and Round who were passing by came up, but they could not prevent the Pandours from assisting each other in their Attempt to mount the Ramparts, which were encompassed with Trees. Soon after they made themselves Masters of a Battery of 5 Pieces of Cannon, one of which they turned and discharged against the Town: The Enemy made a furious Fire from a neighbouring Battery, but a Lieutenant of Pandours having slipped into the inward Works with a few Men, and having attacked the Enemy in Flank, and the rest of the Troops also advancing Sword in Hand, they were obliged to retire into the Town. In the mean Time Col. de Dolne having caused a Party of his Men to get upon the Redoubt without, they cut down the Gates with Hatchets, and forced their Way into the Town; where upon the Garrison was obliged to surrender Prisoners at Discretion. This Action, from Beginning to End, lasted only an Hour and a half. We had 10 Men killed, and but very few wounded; amongst the last are Col. St. Ivary, and the Captain Lieutenant Trent. But the Enemy had above 60 killed, amongst whom were the Commandant, a Colonel, and a Captain, besides several other Officers; and a great Number of private Men wounded. Amongst the Prisoners are 19 Officers and 400 common Soldiers. We found 27 Pieces of Cannon upon the Ramparts, 10 of which were Brass, and quite new; the greatest Part of them are 12 Pounders. We also took above 100 Carriages laden with Ammunition, and a considerable Magazine. The whole combined Army of Austrians and Saxons were to rendezvous on the 30th past at Landshut. The Design to be passed might, it is thought here, have been defended by 15000 Men against any Force whatsoever, and this Court as well as Prince Charles, had been in great Pain for some Days for the Success of the Enterprize; especially as Count Nadeau