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Extract of the
TREATIE
OF
PEACE
Between the King of
DENMARK
And the Duke of
HOLSTEIN-GOTTORP

Signed at Travendahl the 23th of August, 1700.

- I** It is agreed, That there shall be a General Amnesty of all that has been done by both Parties.
- II** All former Treaties between the two Families, and particularly the Treaty of Altena, are confirmed.
- III.** Where both Parties have a Common Right, nothing shall be done by either side without the Consent of the other; But in their particular Territories, each Party shall fully and freely enjoy all the Rights of Sovereignty, without being molested by the other under pretence of a Community of Rights, or any other pretence whatsoever.
- IV.** That as well in the Dutchy of Holstein, as in that of Sleswick, neither partie shall pretend to greater Prerogatives than the other.
- V.** That both Parties shall contribute equally to the Defence of the Lands that are enjoyed in Common by both; Provided always, that under this pretence, neither partie shall be obliged to engage himself in an Unnecessary Quarrel begun by the other without his Consent. That the Duke shall enjoy the full Power of raising Soldiers, making Alliances, and Building of Forts in his own Dominions; without asking the Advice or Consent of the King of Denmark; And for the Better preventing of all Suspicious and Jealousies, neither Party shall Build any Fort within Two German Miles of the Fortifications of the other, or within one German Mile of the Territories of the other, or of the Common Roads between Flensbourg and Rensbourg, Itzehoa, Geluckstad, and Hamburgh; And neither Party shall keep and maintain in the Dutchies of Holstein and Sleswick above 6000 Men, unless an evident Necessity obliges him to make use of a greater Force to secure himself against a Foreign Invasion, or other Iminent Danger; And when the King of Denmark is obliged to send Forces to the Assistance of his Allies in the Empire, the Duke is to allow them Passage through his Country; But the Danes are not to take Quarters, or to Encamp in his Highness's Territories, but to observe an exact Discipline, and pay for what Provisions are furnished by the Duke's Subjects.
- VI.** Such Articles of the Treaty of Altena as have not yet been duely complied with, shall be put in execution within Six Weeks; And the Bailwick of Gottse-gabo shall be Restored to his Highness.



VII. The Duke having desired that the Fortress of Christianpreys, otherwise called Fredericksort, being BUILT in the Land which is in Common to both Parties, without the Consent of the Duke his Father, and being prejudicial to the Freedom of the Trade of the Town of Keill, should be razed; The King of Denmark Engages, that the Trade of His Highness's Subjects, particularly of the Town of Kiell, shall not be interrupted by the said Fortress, and if any thing contrary happens, Reparation shall be made within six Weeks after Complaint thereof.

VIII. As to what Relates to the Convention made with the Chapter of Lubeck in 1647, by which they have obliged themselves to choose one of the House of Holstein to be their Bishop, the Agreement made at Geluckstad in 1667, is to be observed.

IX. That the King shall give Security to the Duke within 12 days for the payment of 260000 Dollars, on or before the 13th of January 1701. In Consideration whereof, His Highness Releases the King of all Demands on account of Damages suffered. The King likewise releases the Duke of all Demands of the like Nature. Neither Party shall be Accountable for the Contributions, Publick Revenues, and other Money and Booty taken before the 14th of August last; But what was seized since, shall be restored; Those who have not yet paid the Contributions demanded of them, shall not be obliged to pay the same.

X. The Bailiwicks of Breckhell and Nessinis, lying near Sleswick, which belong to the King of Denmark, and the Village of Federing, shall be exchanged with the Duke for other Lands of the like value.

XI. The Customs paid to the Danes at Lyst near Tunderen, shall not be Demanded of the Duke's Subjects, or for Merchants Goods that are carried to and from Tunderen; And all other Complaints of this Nature shall be Redressed by Commissioners, who are to meet for this purpose at Hamburgh within six Weeks after the Exchange of the Ratifications of this Treaty.

XII. The Fort of Grovenhof in an Island in the Elbe, near Hamburgh, shall be razed, never to be Rebuilt, and the Navigation on the Elbe shall not be Disturbed by either Party.

XIII. The Guarantees of the Treaty of Altona are included in this Treaty, and particularly the King of Sweden, the Elector of Hanover, and the Duke of Cell, and the Friendship between them and the King of Denmark is hereby restored.

XIV. The Princes and States that are Guarands of the Treaty of Altona, as likewise the King of France, and the Electors and Princes of the Empire, who shall be Named within two Months, shall be desired to be Guarands of this Treaty.

XV. The Ratifications shall be Exchanged at Segeberg within seven days from date hereof, or sooner if possible.