

## MASTER CHRONOLOGY

<i>Sender</i>	<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>Original</i>
<i>May 9, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 21879, 39569	Davout	Instructions for the defense of the country	
Davout - 1684	Gérard	Instructions for the IV Corps de l'Armée du Nord	
Davout - 1685	Daru	Question of provisions and funds	
Soult - Rapports 1	Corps Commanders of Armée du Nord	Named Major-General, requests all info sent directly to him in addition to Davout - Reille's copy	C15-2
Soult - Rapports 2	Bourcier	Requests report on the state of the cavalry	
Soult		Notes on many topics with unclear date, but as Soult will present his staff, it was probably May.	Private
d'Erlon - 315	Davout	Requests Lefebvre in his Etat Major	
d'Erlon - 316	Caulincourt	Dispatch for Lord Fitzroy Sommerset delivered to English outposts. See d'Erlon 323.	
d'Erlon - 317	Davout	Request Crepieux and Novion as aides de camp	
d'Erlon - 318	Davout	St. Hilaire requests retirement; Uzer recommended for Colonel	
d'Erlon - 319	Girardin	Requests report on the desertion of one officer and 13 men	
d'Erlon - 320	Frère	Duthois, accused of exciting desertion, may not be guilty	
d'Erlon - 321	Davout	A battalion of National Guards arrived in Lille, lacking arms, but clothed	
d'Erlon - 322	Davout	Two maréchaux de camp did not arrive as expected, no news was forwarded. Requests Vassent to replace them.	
d'Erlon - 323	Caulincourt	Dispatch for Lord Fitzroy Sommerset delivered to English outposts. See d'Erlon 316.	

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d'Erlon - 324	Davout	[Pradel] arrived. Inspector [Catas] was in Belgium when His Majesty returned and was likely not allowed to come back to France.	
d'Erlon - 325	Frère	To give orders to all susceptible of service in 2nd Div. to head to their Battalions and for 19th Léger to have 9th battalion leave	
d'Erlon - 326	Donzelot	To inform him of orders given to Frère. See d'Erlon 325.	
d'Erlon - 327	Davout	Two battalions from Aine arrived on their way to Lille, strong and well spirited	
d'Erlon - 328	Frère	Two battalions of G.N. from Aisne arrived in Lille May 11	
d'Erlon - 329	Frère	The re-establishment of communication that Costs appears to want to authorize is entirely against the orders of Emp. & Davout. Do not comply.	
Reille - 116	d'Erlon	Reille plans to position his troops in front of Avesnes if the enemy strikes	
Reille - 117	Davout	Reille wishes not to send more men to Jouffroy	
Reille - 118	Davout	Receives and sends orders to stop enemy spies	

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Davout - 1691	Vandamme	Intelligence from Belgium on Wellington's plans; instructions the result	
Soult - Rapports 3	Ruty	Request for reports on the state of arms, the organization of artillery personnel and the defense of Laon	
Soult - Rapports 4	Napoleon	Organization of equipages for Imperial Quarters	
Soult - Rapports 5	Napoleon	Requests a credit for advances made to couriers and other	
Soult - Rapports 6	Napoleon	Horses for artillery transportation needed	
Soult - Rapports 7	Daure	Requests reports on administrative personnel and material, state of provisions and feed	
d'Erlon - 330	[Boumaire]	A company of engineers (sapeurs) is going to Condé to work on fortification but is not part of the garrison	
d'Erlon - 331	Douglas	It is unnecessary to stop men on leave from going since in the case of hostilities the depots will go to the interior	
d'Erlon - 332	Davout	5 battalions from the 1st Div. arrived on the line. Bonnet (Dunkerque) will send the 55th line once National Guards arrive.	

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d'Erlon - 333	Davout	Chef de bataillon [Boisdauid] and others tried for desertion. Observations resulting from the procedure	
d'Erlon - 334	Davout	Some siege provisions in nearly all of the 16th division have passed or will soon be past conservation. Requests intentions for these provisions	
d'Erlon - 335	Donzelot	Which tribunals should know of the Boisdauid (and other officers) affair. See d'Erlon 333	
d'Erlon - 336	Davout	Two officers, Casse and St. Giron, deserted. See d'Erlon 341	
Reille - 119	Davout	News about a possible insurrection of the Saxon troops	
Lobau	Soult	20 letters from Lobau to Soult, eight letters from Teste to Soult, and more, May 10–May 31	Private

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Soult - Rapports 8	Napoleon	Report on the 16 companies of sapeurs designated to the Armée du Nord	
Soult - Rapports 9	Neigre	Requests report on the formation and organization of batteries destined for the infantry, cavalry, reserve and équipage de ponts	
Soult - Rapports 10	Napoleon	Recall of former military and formation of new battalions of veterans	
Soult - Mouvement 1	d'Erlon, Reille, Vandamme	Elite National Guard to occupy les Places du Nord so that all troops are made available	
Soult - Mouvement 2	Loison	Requests information on the formation of 10 Elite Nat'l Guard battalions. See Mouvement 2.	
Soult - Mouvement 3	Lobau	Requests information on the 10 Elite National Guard battalions. See Mouvement 2.	
Soult - Mouvement 4	Generals in charge of National Guards	Order to hurry the formation of Elite National Guard battalions. See Mouvement 2.	
Soult - Mouvement 5	Lecourbe	Requests information on the arrival of Elite National Guard battalions.	
Soult - Mouvement 6	Circular to Majors in command of depots	Information on the situation of the depots must be sent every 5 days. See Mouvement 11.	
Soult - Mouvement 7	d'Erlon, Suchet, Lecourbe, Rappe, Gérard, Vandamme, Reille	Depots to remain in arrondissements until hostilities commence, then to move to assigned locations	
Soult - Mouvement 8	Brune, Clausel, Suchet	A summary statement of the corps d'observation must be sent every five days, a general statement every 10 days	
d'Erlon - 337	Davout	Request reposting of chef d'Escad [Sern] to be replaced by chef de Div. Gard	

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d'Erlon - 338	Col. of 7th hussards	Provisional authorization to replace the adjudant major	
d'Erlon - 339	Davout	Request from Customs Director for commercial communication with Belgium to be re-established	
d'Erlon - 340	Davout	Request [Fabey] to be assigned to the Etat major, [Obert] no longer being capable of service.	
d'Erlon - 341	Davout	Two officers, Casse and St. Giron, deserted. See d'Erlon 336.	
<i>May 12, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 21895, 39601	Davout	Instructions for the defense of the country	
Davout - 1693	Napoleon	Requests meeting to resolve administrative funding crisis	
Davout - 1695	Vandamme	Work at the Chateau de Chimie; concerns for the Swiss battalion in Vitry	
Davout - 1696	Vandamme	Requests verification of important information received	
Soult - Rapports 11	Carnot	Recommends Labrousche, mayor de St Jean de Luz	
Soult - Rapports 12	Davout	Vacancies in commanding positions: includes Girardin, Lahoussaye, Bourmont & Maurin	
Soult - Rapports 13	Napoleon	Organization of équipages auxiliaires near the borders	
Soult - Mouvement 9	Fririon	Report on Elite National Guard battalions; results unsatisfactory	
Soult - Mouvement 10	Dir. Gen. of org. of Nat'l Guards	Requests information on National Guards in all departments	
Soult - Mouvement 11	d'Erlon, Reille, Vandamme, Lobau, Gérard Rapp, Suchet, Lecourbe, Brune, Clausel	Forwards copies of circular communication of the situation of depots. See Mouvement 6.	
d'Erlon - 342	Préfet du Nord	Frère-Florin, manufacturer in Lille, requests permission to form a Corps Franc. Requests information on Frère-Florin.	
d'Erlon - 343	[Cottas]	3rd Bat. of 13 Infantry will be sent to Hazebrouck to paralyze perturbations	
d'Erlon - 344	Girardin	Requests more information on robbery committed by foreign troops near [Mortagne]	
d'Erlon - 345	Donzelot	All troops recalled to Valenciennes. As soon as National Guards arrive Donzelot to march. Consult with Frère. Request info on N.G. in Lille	
d'Erlon - 346	Alix	St. Hilaire to retire; replace with a chef de Bat sure; cavalry regiments weak	

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d'Erlon - 347	Soult	Location of the troops of I Corps	
d'Erlon - 348	[Romain]	Waters and locks	
d'Erlon - 349	Davout	Campagne rations	
d'Erlon - 350	Latour	Campagne rations	
Reille - 120	Davout	Prussians seem to plan to march on Beaumont	
Reille - 121	Davout	Supplying for the troops and horses is difficult	
Reille - 122	Davout	Royalist prints are spread in the campments	
Reille - 123	Generals of the 2nd corps	Soldiers demand supplies from the residents of the villages where they are camped	
Vandamme	Davout	Requests confirmation of Soult's nomination as Major General	C15-2
Gérard	Soult	Five letters from Gérard to Soult, Metz, Army of the Moselle	Private
<i>May 13, 1815</i>			
Soult - Mouvement 12	Roche	Requests information on the formation of Elite National Guard battalions.	
Daure	Soult	Report on administrative services in Laon	C15-2
d'Erlon - 351	Soult	Confirmation of orders received in case of hostilities	
d'Erlon - 352	Lt. Gen. le 16e Div. Mre.	Commercial exchanges with Belgium will begin again	
d'Erlon - 353	Dir. Douanes (same to Rey)	Exchanges with Belgium will begin again	
d'Erlon - 354	Préfet du Nord	Exchanges with Belgium will begin again	
d'Erlon - 355	Flament	Three boats loaded with rye stopped from entering Belgium. Order to allow passage	
d'Erlon - 356	Soult	4 battalions of National Guards arrived in Lille; 3 others will arrive by May 15 & 2nd div. infantry can then be removed from Corps.	
d'Erlon - 357	Durutte	Troops must remain ready for an attack; instructions	
d'Erlon - 358	Lauriers	Authorization of funds to complete squadron	
d'Erlon - 359	Marcognet	Orders for movement in case of attack	

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d'Erlon - 360	Davout	Marcognet went to Paris, as ordered	
d'Erlon - 361	Soult (same to Davout)	Officer [Neylies] deserted. His judgment, attached, to be advertised. Request to pursue families of deserters.	
Reille - 124	Davout	Report on enemy movements at the border	
Reille - 125	Davout	Reille is waiting for troops to arrive	
Reille - 126	Davout	Reille asks for ammunition to train the artillery	
Reille - 127	Davout	Reille asks Davout which reports he must send to Soult	
Reille - 128	Soult	Reille makes a full report on the organization of his troops	
Ruty	Soult	Five letters from Rutty, three letters from Neigre to Soult, May 13–June 1	Private
<i>May 14, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 21903, 39629	Davout	Young guard organization	
Davout	Reille	Role of generals and governors for the defense of France	C15-2
Soult - Mouvement 13	Reille, Vandamme	No holes to be left in the line at the border; all communication with Holland to be stopped	
Soult	Vandamme	Re: the border in Aisne; halt all contact with Holland	C15-2
Ruty	Davout	Report on the artillery of the Armée du Nord	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Situation des escadrons du train des équipages	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Situation des escadrons du train des équipages, April 30	C15-2
d'Erlon - 362	Soult & Davout	Report from deserters.	
d'Erlon - 363	Davout (same to Soult)	4 new battalions of Nat'l Guard arrived in Lille	
d'Erlon - 364	Préfet du Nord	Funds low to feed the Cavalry	
d'Erlon - 365	Préfet du Nord	Relays request for boats to cross into Belgium	
d'Erlon - 366	Cdr. Of 16th Div. Mil.	Requests information on the battalion of Nat'l Guard in Lille.	
d'Erlon	Davout	Information on allied troops in Belgium	C15-2

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Reille - 129	Davout	Plans to save the deposits in case of an unforeseen attack by the enemy	
d'Erlon	Soult	20 letters from d'Erlon to Soult, May 14-June 4	Private
<i>May 15, 1815</i>			
Napoleon	Davout	Vandamme receives a copy of the letter sent to Davout from Emperor, general planning. Copy in C15-23, Registries volume.	
Davout - 1715	Napoleon	All military recalled in Normandie and le Nord to be brought to Paris and incorporated in Jeune Garde.	
Davout	Vandamme	Soult named Major-General	C15-2
Soult - Rapports 14	Ruty	Reports well received. Parc to organize at La Fère. Information for completion of artillery. See Rapports 3.	
Soult - Rapports 15	Lobau	Fortification of Laon	
Soult - Rapports 16	Rogniat	Orders to go immediately to Laon to lead its fortification projects with Sabatier. See Rapports 15.	
Soult - Rapports 17	Reille	Requests report on work in [Mons], Namur, Charleroi; instructions	
Soult - Rapports 18	Reille	To accelerate the work in St. Quentin	
Soult - Rapports 19	Napoleon	Regarding the enlistment ordered of 300,000 men	
Soult - Rapports 20	Napoleon	Draft of 1814 produced only 48,000 men; 140,000 needed	
Soult - Mouvement 14	Davout	All cavalry to be armed with mousquetons; dragoons and grenadiers with rifles	
Soult - Mouvement 15	Davout	Gen. Rogniat to leave immediately for Laon to see defense work. See Rapports 15, 16 & 17.	
Soult	Rogniat	Work to be done in Laon & Reims, to examine in Lafère, St. Quentin, Guise, Ham & Peronne - Copy	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Transmits copies of five decrees; provisions of the Army; attachments	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Report on hospitals and ambulances	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Report on the service des Fourrages (as per Davout)	C15-2
d'Erlon - 367	Soult	Several officers expected have not arrived. Report from the ordonnateur; lacking transportation; lacking funds to pay troops	
d'Erlon - 368	Soult & Davout	Desertion of [Buisseret]. Too many officers are deserting. Colonels will report on all officers	

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d'Erlon - 369	Soult	Will go to Lille May 16 to review National Guard battalions	
d'Erlon - 370	Bonnaire	Will open the locks in Valenciennes to preserve sufficient water in the canal.	
d'Erlon - 371	[Bourgeois]	Have the boats from Mortagne passed the locks in St. Amand? If not, give orders.	
d'Erlon - 372	Reille	Letter transmitted. All is calm on the front. Foreign troops fear staying in one place, perhaps because of desertions	
d'Erlon - 373	[Flamand]	Give the order to let boats pass between St. Amand and Scarpe to transport combustibles for Lille	
d'Erlon - 374	[Bourgeois]	Informed of orders given to Gen. Flamand, invited to second him	
d'Erlon - 375	Préfet du Nord	Inquiry regarding the formation of the Corps des partisans	
d'Erlon - 376	La Poype	As per his request, orders given to Gen. Flamand for the transportation by brigade. Note to see No. 379.	
d'Erlon - 377	Préfet du Nord	Flooding will only occur as a last extreme, without publicity	
d'Erlon - 378	Préfet du Nord	Informed that the Gen. en chef named a commission for the organization of National Guards in Valenciennes	
d'Erlon - 379	Davout	Attempt to re-establish communication with Belgium unsuccessful. Merchandise seized, driver imprisoned. Mail refused. See No. 381.	
d'Erlon - 380	Davout	1st half month salaries paid. Will not be able to meet 2nd half month pay.	
d'Erlon - 381	Soult	Attempt to re-establish communication with Belgium unsuccessful. Merchandise seized, driver imprisoned. Mail refused. See No. 379	
d'Erlon - 382	Latour	Agents from the Court in Gand are in Maubeuge, perhaps forming a council. Gather information in secret	
Reille - 130	Davout and Soult	Report on an officer escaping	
Vandamme	Davout	Enemy movement; note from Prussian deserter, attached	C15-2

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Napoleon - 21915, 39667	Davout	Service of provisions in crisis. Dissolve it in favor of a new one or overhaul it	
Napoleon - 21918		Major-general will only give orders to Armée du Nord; Intendant général also only for Armée du Nord	
Davout	Vandamme	Request information on planning	C15-2



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Soult - Rapports 21	Napoleon	Proposal for recruitment	
Soult - Rapports 22	Napoleon	Regarding recruitment and pay	
Soult - Rapports 23	Neigre	Supplying all reserve batteries	
Soult - Rapports 24	Decree	Decree recalling former military. See Rapports 22.	
Soult - Rapports 25	Napoleon	Recruitment (recall to service) and élèves-gendarmes	
Soult - Rapports 26	Napoleon	Report: requisitioning to ensure subsistence, men returning, caissons; requests funds	
Soult - Rapports 27	Reille	Jordans to enter relations with Belgium; has not been paid	
Soult - Rapports 28	Fouché	Sarrazin being held, requests release	
Soult - Mouvement 16	Vandamme	Requests new statement of situation of 3rd Corps, its artillery, administration; requests information on movement of foreign troops	
Soult - Mouvement 17	Grundler	National Guard battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 18	Ruty	What measures taken to complete batteries and satisfy needs of 2nd Corps? Report to be sent every 10 days	
Soult - Mouvement 19	Rapp	Request to expedite tailoring to complete battalions and squadrons	
Soult - Mouvement 20	d'Erlon, Reille, Vandamme, Gérard, Rapp	Requests an immediate and detailed statement of arms missing in the cavalry	
Soult - Mouvement 21	Boyer	Report on National Guards received. Going forward, requested to give more detail	
Soult - Mouvement 22	d'Erlon	Requests statement of situation of National Guard and speed in arming and dressing the troop	
Soult - Mouvement 23	Davout	Insufficiency of powder and lead to make cartridges	
Soult - Mouvement 24	Davout	Requests that orders be given for the supply of mousquetons	
Soult - Mouvement 25	Rogniat	Officers (génie) assigned to Laon	
Soult - Mouvement 26	d'Erlon	Desertion and trial of [Neylier] and [Buisseret]; list of officers needing to be distanced from Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 27	Generals in charge of National Guards	Statement on the situation of Elite National Guard battalions to be sent every five days.	
Soult	Rogniat	Workers leave Metz to go to Laon	C15-2

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Soult		Napoleon's dictations concerning allocation of ambulances and transports, possibly stolen from archives.	Private
Daure	Soult	Report on services of the Armée du Nord	C15-2
Reille - 131	Davout	A soldier has been caught returning to his home; he seems to have a permit to do so	
Piré		Establishment of correspondence posts for the 6th Corps	C15-2
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Soult - Rapports 29	Daure	Report on the situation of squadrons du train des Equipages is not sufficient. Requests additional information.	
Soult - Rapports 30	Neigre	Emperor has approved plans for the dispositions he noted and the distribution he proposed; requests new Gen work (plan) as consequence	
Soult - Rapports 31	Napoleon	Requests orders for the organization of the cavalry; details given on divisions	
Soult - Rapports 32	Napoleon	Sends names of generals who can replace current ones in Corps and cavalry	
Soult - Rapports 33	Napoleon	3 cavalry officers who crossed to the enemy	
Soult - Mouvement 28	Fouché	Desertion of Sieur d'André, former Dir Gen of the police, and a lancer from his regiment	
Soult - Mouvement 29	Davout	Forwards letters regarding desertions	
Soult - Mouvement 30	Vedel	Emperor is not satisfied with results on the organization of National Guards in 14th div.	
Soult - Mouvement 31	Ray	On the defense of Valenciennes	
Soult - Mouvement 32	Ruty	Emperor has given orders to supply 700 horses to the artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 33	Gérard	Position of the Armée de la Moselle; instructions for his Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 34	Gérard	In response to Prussian hussars entering French territory, satisfaction must be demanded. Request frequent reports on foreign troop movements	
Soult - Mouvement 35	St. Clair	Organization of Elite Guard battalions; reports to be sent every five days	
Soult - Mouvement 36	Curial	Organization, supplying and equipping of Elite Guard battalions; requests frequent reports	
Soult - Mouvement 37	Lobau	Request to name generals, officers and officers of the Etat-major of 6th Corps; 4th regiment hussars to join provisionally the 1st regiment	

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Soult - Mouvement 38	Davout	Informs of instructions to Lobau. See Mouvement 37.	
Soult - Mouvement 39	Ruty	To supply the entire cavalry with mousquetons, all available will be brought toward line for distribution to cavalry in the Armée du Nord	
Soult - Mouvement 40	Lobau	Davout ordered 2000 mousquetons in Paris sent to La Fère for Ruty and 900 from Maubeuge for distribution to cavalry (Nord). See Mouvement 39.	
Soult - Mouvement 41	Boyer	His reports on Elite National Guard battalions show good results. Invited to continue reports	
Soult	Rogniat	All troops must have advance of four days' bread & a half pound of rice	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Report on the services of 1st & 6th Corps, Armée du Nord	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Ambulance service; copy of letter from Davout, attached; tables attached	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Allocation of funds granted by the Emperor; table attached	C15-2
Reille - 132	Soult	Different places along the border are well connected; contraband is impossible to stop	
Reille - 133	Soult	Report on the organization and activities of his troops	
Reille - 134	Davout and Soult	Rumors about the enemy troops massing on the border; lieutenants have fled to the enemy	
Brousseau	Soult	Re: bureau topographique	C15-2
Vandamme	Soult	10 letters from Vandamme to Soult about III Corps in May.	Private

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Soult - Mouvement 42	Davout	Request to supply Brousseau (service topographique) with necessary maps, etc.	
Soult - Mouvement 43	Davout	Mousquetons sent to La Fère for cavalry; porte-mousquetons also required	
Soult - Mouvement 44	Davout	Lacourbe requests funds to complete defense works	
Soult - Mouvement 45	Davout	500 rifles lacking in Belfort for National Guards	
Soult - Mouvement 46	Lauberdière	Emperor surprised by results of Elite National Guard battalion organization in Eure and Seine inférieure	
Soult - Mouvement 47	Lorenz	Must take measures to complete Elite National Guard battalions in the Moselle	
Soult - Mouvement 48	Ruty	2900 mousquetons sent to La mère for distribution to the cavalry	

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Soult - Mouvement 49	d'Erlon, Reille, Vandamme	Informs of mousquetons supplied to La Fère for the cavalry. See Mouvement 48.	
Soult - Mouvement 50	Lecourbe	Only one company of sapeurs is available for the Corps d'observation du Jura	
Soult - Mouvement 51	Neigre	Ten [boats] from l'équipage de pont de Douay to be sent from Paris to a position between Laon and Avesnes for Reille	
Soult - Mouvement 52	Reille	Notice of boats sent to Reille. See Mouvement 51.	
Soult - Mouvement 57	Lobau	8th & 75th lines to join Teste's division in Beauvais; 26th replaced by 75th; 70th to Rocroi; 5th dragoons to rejoin its division	
Soult - Mouvement 58	Teste	Notice of dispositions sent to Lobau. See Mouvement 57.	
Soult - Mouvement 59	Reille	Three 1st squadrons of 5th regiment dragoons left for Cateau-Cambrésis to join 5th division cavalry	
Soult - Mouvement 60	Vandamme	1st & 3rd battalions of 70th regiment to join 10th div. infantry in Rocroi	
Soult	Maret	Re: information in a letter from d'Erlon that Napoléon wants published	C15-2
Soult		Seven pages of notes relating to new organization of Cavalry executed in early June.	Private
Ruty	Soult	Re: distribution of 2900 mousquetons at his disposal in Lafère & Maubeuge. See Mouvement 48 & 49.	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Report on the équipage de réserves de subsistances, table attached	C15-2
d'Erlon - 383	Soult	Cavalry supplies	
d'Erlon - 384	Davout	The numbers received were transmitted to The Commandants d'armes in Valenciennes	
d'Erlon - 385	Reille	Engineers' orders to le Quesnoy, Battalions of National Guard are arriving. Discord in Dept du Nord & Pas de Calais.	
d'Erlon - 386	Latour	Two companies of 6th Battalion arrived; orders to send them to le Quesnoy; 1st Bat. de la Somme in Maubeuge May 21	
d'Erlon - 387	Soult	Several men in National Guard from l'Aisne request to be incorporated into the Army	
d'Erlon - 388	Davout	Reviewed 1st Bat. National Guards in Lille May 17. State of arms, etc. of 7 battalions in Lille. Bad atmosphere in the area. Front calm.	
d'Erlon - 389	Milhaud	Colonel of 7th regiment making illicit requests of host. Complaints will go to Minister of War	
d'Erlon - 390	Milhaud	Colonels, and not majors, must go to Paris for the Champ de mai	

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<i>Sender</i>	<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>Original</i>
Reille - 135	Davout and Soult	The enemy sets camp in Fleurus; Belgians are in Ath; troops are at work in Maubeuge	
Neigre		Measures taken to execute Emperor's orders	C15-2
Mollion	Soult	Forwards decree naming « Payeurs généraux » for Armée du Nord; decree attached	C15-2
<i>May 19, 1815</i>			
Davout - 1728	Napoleon	Report and résumé of correspondence; Vandamme's letter of May 16 highlighted	
Davout - 1730	Lecourbe	Generals must correspond with War Minister and commandants de place; if orders contradict, War Minister's take precedence	
Davout - 1731	Napoleon	Forwards Lemarois' list of enemies of the State; recommendation to seize papers	
Davout	Soult	Note from the Emperor: Quartier Général to move to Laon	C15-2
Soult - Rapports 34	Napoleon	Plan for organization of cavalry	
Soult - Rapports 35	Davout	Requests salary and funds. See Napoleon 21942, 39726	
Soult - Mouvement 53	d'Erlon	Recruitment should be carried out however possible	
Soult - Mouvement 54	Vandamme	3rd & 4th battalions in the depots will set out to the arrondissements of the dept	
Soult - Mouvement 55	Davout	Notice of measure given to Vandamme. See Mouvement 54.	
Soult - Mouvement 56	Davout	Emperor desires to see his plans for the formation of a corps de reserves, 3rd div., 3rd & 4th battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 61	Vandamme	Request exact situation of his army corps and news of the elite National Guard battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 62	d'Erlon	Requests information on two regiments in Dunkerque due to join 1st corps	
Soult - Mouvement 63	Davout	25 cuirassiers in need only horses to join war squadrons; request for 25 horses. See Soult's letter to Davout on May 20 and Davout's letter to Soult on May 22.	
Soult - Mouvement 64	Préval	Emperor requests information on reinforcements for the the cavalry and on depots	
Soult - Mouvement 65	Defrance	See Mouvement 64	
Ruty	Soult	Report on the state of the artillery, margin notes by Neigre	C15-2
Ruty	Soult	No sabers for « voltigeurs ». See Mouvement 69.	C15-2

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Daure	Soult	Arrangements made for all corps to have chevaux de peloton	C15-2
d'Erlon - 391	Payeur à Valenciennes	Payment for the second half of the month. See d'Erlon 415, 417, 426 & 430	
d'Erlon - 392	Girardin	Dispositions for Gen. Gobrecht	
d'Erlon - 393	Girardin	Distribution of deserters' horses	
Reille - 136	Davout	Reille has received orders on what the generals are to do in case of an attack; the order does not apply	
Reille - 137	ordonnateur en chef of the 2nd corps	Soldiers must be given 4 days of bread in advance	
Reille - 138	Davout and Soult	Sends reports of activities on the other side of the border	
Neigre		Report on horses necessary for batteries, parks and équipages de ponts	C15-2
<i>May 20, 1815</i>			
Davout - 1734	d'Erlon	A battalion of line troops sent to the Citadelle in Lille; National Guard battalions capable; requirements for arming battalions of Aisne	
Soult - Rapports 36	Napoleon	Rapp staffing	
Soult - Mouvement 66	Lecourbe	Following review, men who should have been recalled will remain in the National Guard battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 67	d'Erlon	Requests names of National Guards requesting incorporation into the line	
Soult - Mouvement 68	Davout	Boyer reported that 130 men, 18-19 years old, offered to form a flank company; requests that Emperor be informed	
Soult - Mouvement 69	Ruty	Sabres-briquets should go to sous-officiers and grenadiers before voltigeurs. See Ruty's letter to Soult on May 19.	
Soult - Mouvement 70	d'Erlon, Reille, Vandamme, Lobau	« Lettre en conséquence ». See Mouvement 69.	
Soult - Mouvement 71	Neigre	When horses from 5th squadron du train d'artillerie & remaining material from 3rd corps & arrive in La Fère, send what lacks in 3rd corps to Rocroi	
Soult - Mouvement 72	Davout	Requests men be sent to 12th regiment dragoons in order to send horses to war squadrons	
Soult - Mouvement 73	Lecourbe	Need to accelerate completion of Elite battalions forming in [Belfort]	
Soult - Mouvement 74	Davout	180 horses delayed in Fontenay where road is blocked; have horses sent to squadrons rather than depot	

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Soult - Mouvement 75	Davout	Requests orders be given for all officers généraux etc. to be at their posts by June 1.	C15-2
Soult - Mouvement 76	d'Erlon	Equipage de ponts sent from Douai to Guise; all artillery and ambulances must be ready for movement by June 5, troops supplied	
Soult - Mouvement 77	Reille	All artillery and ambulances must be ready for movement by June 5, troops supplied	
Soult - Mouvement 78	Vandamme	Imperial decree on the organization of retired military; one battalion to be in Charlemont	
Soult - Mouvement 79	Gérard	Imperial decree on the organization of retired military; one battalion to be in [Thionville]	
Soult - Mouvement 80	Rapp	Imperial decree on the organization of retired military; one battalion to be at the Citadelle in Strasbourg, one in Landau and one in [Bitche]	
Soult - Mouvement 81	d'Erlon	Imperial decree on the organization of retired military	
Soult - Mouvement 82	Davout	3rd & 4th battalions of 93rd line to go to Avesnes to join 2nd Corps; uniforms and equipment will be sent	
Soult - Mouvement 83	d'Erlon	Citadelle in Lille to be guarded by an Elite battalion; troops to be withdrawn, Corps concentrated and ready to march by June 5	
Soult - Mouvement 84	Gérard	4th Corps must be in place before June 5; requests information on formation of partisans	
Soult - Mouvement 85	Suchet	Order to gather infantry and cavalry in front of Chambéry; all dispositions must be fulfilled before June 5 and army ready to march	
Soult - Mouvement 86	Lecourbe	Requests exact position of National Guard divisions in Besançon and Vesoul to be ready before June 1 and camped behind Belfort before June 8	
Soult - Mouvement 87	Rapp	Communicates orders to Suchet, see Mouvement 85; should reinforce cavalry by 15-16,000 men and infantry by 4,000	
Soult - Mouvement 88	Berkheim, Royer, Molitor	Communicates order to Suchet & Rapp, see Mouvement 85 & 87, regarding the organization of National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 89	Davout	« Avis » (of orders to Suchet, Rapp & others?). See Mouvement 85, 87 & 88.	
Soult	Davout	Orders of Napoléon sent to Suchet, dispositions for movement June 5. See Mouvement 85.	C15-2
Soult	Davout	Orders of Napoléon sent to Gérard, dispositions for movement June 5. See Mouvement 84.	C15-2
Soult	Davout	Curassiers in Blois to come to Versailles for horses, then to their squadrons. See Mouvement 63 and Davout's letter to Soult on May 22.	C15-2

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Soult		Napoléon's dictations relating to the departure to the frontier, particularly Avesnes.	Private
Monthion	Soult	Copy of report of daily expenses of the topographic service	C15-2
Daure	Soult	Ambulances destined for the cavalry	C15-2
Daure	Soult	State of the provisional organization of the treasury, Armée du Nord	C15-2
d'Erlon - 394	Bomairé	Orders given to arm the battalion arrived	
d'Erlon - 395	Bomairé	Foreign deserters should be brought to Q. G. For their arms and horses	
d'Erlon - 396	Préfet de Seine et Marne	6th battalion National Guards arrived in Condé May 19; 238 men deserted en route, needs clothing	
d'Erlon - 397	Davout	All regiments will have horses and ambulances by June 1. See d'Erlon 401.	
d'Erlon - 398	Davout	[Rousseau] requests reinstatement. See d'Erlon 400.	
d'Erlon - 399	Davout	Arrival of various battalions, much desertion, in need of clothing	
d'Erlon - 400	Davout	Rousseau requests reintegration. See d'Erlon 398.	
d'Erlon - 401	Soult	All Corps will have horses and ambulances by June 1. See d'Erlon 397.	
d'Erlon - 402	Latour	The depot of the 95th line will leave Maubeuge	
d'Erlon - 403	[Dupré]	Request for the mayor of Quenoy to remain denied. He must go to Paris.	
d'Erlon - 404	Davout & Soult	People arriving from Belgium assure that nothing announces hostilities to begin. Comte de Lille is in Gand and Wellington in Brussels.	C15-2
d'Erlon - 405	Rousseau	Request for reinstatement has been forwarded to Davout. See d'Erlon 398 & 400.	
d'Erlon - 406	Girardin	Capt. [Hypets] must complete resignation forms to request retirement	
d'Erlon - 407	Napoleon	Telegraph sent with orders to arrest de Valensule did not arrive in time. See d'Erlon 411 & 438	
Reille - 139	Commander of Maubeuge	No orders have been sent for the supplies of the National Guard; how must soldiers be organized?	
Reille - 140	General in charge of the National Guard in the Somme	Troops that were to be sent to Maubeuge are instead directed to Le Quesnoy; no news of other troops	
Reille - 141	Soult	Troops receive their bread for 4 days in advance, but there is a rice shortage	



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Reille - 142	Davout and Soult	The enemy gathers in Charleroi and imposes on the local population	
<i>May 21, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 21942, 39726	Davout	Soult's salary and expenses. See Rapports 35.	
Davout	Soult	Re: information provided by d'Erlon on pay for administrative services; taxes to collect for this purpose.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Soult	All officers and military agents must return to their respective corps by June 1. See Mouvement 75 and Soult's letter to Davout May 20.	SHD C15-3
Soult		Notes based on discussions with Napoleon - «war will not take place for 15-20 days», in private collection.	
Soult - Rapports 37	d'Erlon	Battalion arriving from Rouen in Dunkerque requires evaluation; Emperor requests information on the enemy	
Soult - Rapports 38	Vandamme	Emperor requests information on Prussian troops	
Soult - Rapports 39	Lobau	47th line regiment to remain in Paris awaiting new dispositions	
Soult - Rapports 40	Davout	Organizational changes: 47th line regiment to remain in Paris. See Rapports 39. 26th to replace 75th in 6th Corps. See Mouvement 57. 19th & 65th need replacing.	
Soult - Mouvement 90	Molitor	Emperor surprised by results of Elite National Guard battalion organization in the 5th division is not complete	
Soult - Mouvement 91	Ruty	Organization of the artillery cannot be changed; if movements communicated intend to complete it, operate with care and report well	
Soult - Mouvement 92	d'Erlon, Vandamme, Reille, Lobau	Communicates correspondence to Rutty. See Mouvement 91.	
Soult - Mouvement 93	Major chargé de l'organisation 31e régiment	Requests position of his depot	
Soult - Mouvement 94	Chabert	Organization of Elite National Guard battalions in Grenoble little advanced; instructed to take measures to obtain better results	
Soult - Mouvement 95	Davout	Letter on the defense of Dunkerque sent to Laval; requests decision on his requests including funds for works	
Soult		Napoléon's dictations relating to orders to the west, with Napoléon's expectation that the war would take place in 15-20 days.	Private

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Daure	Soult	Raising and organization of the new companies each department must provide.	SHD C15-3
Daure	Davout	Report on the definitive organization for the ambulance service for the Armée du Nord.	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 408	Frère	La Tour d'Auvergne, arrested at border, was to be tried as deserter. Frère had him released. Why? Where is he? See d'Erlon 409 & 475	
d'Erlon - 409	Davout	La Tour d'Auvergne released on orders of Frère. Inquiry in process. See d'Erlon 408 & 475.	
d'Erlon - 410	Davout	The 29th line arrived. Deserters lost en route will be signaled to the gendarmerie.	
d'Erlon - 411	Dir. De la Cie télégraphique	Valensule likely had time to flee, but initiative appreciated. See d'Erlon 407 & 438.	
d'Erlon - 412	Commission for org of N.G.	The composition of Canoniers Sedentaires must not be changed. See d'Erlon 413.	
d'Erlon - 413	Canonnier Sédentaires (off's)	The composition of Canoniers Sedentaires must not be changed. See d'Erlon 412.	
d'Erlon - 414	Davout & Soult	Battalions expected have arrived. In good spirits. In need of uniforms.	
d'Erlon - 415	Davout & Soult	Funds lack to pay the second half of May's pay due. See d'Erlon 391, 417, 426 & 430.	
d'Erlon - 416	[Vallerot]	Requests information regarding battalions of National Guard to arrive.	
d'Erlon - 417	Payeur de la 16e Div.	Requests information on funds. See d'Erlon 415.	
d'Erlon - 418	Conseil d'org. de la G. N°1	Six grenadiers de la G.N. will be incorporated into the Canonniers Sédentaires.	
d'Erlon - 419	Bonnaire	Clothing for National Guard	
Reille - 143	Davout	How should deserters be prosecuted?	
Reille - 144	Davout	Reille sends an officer to Saint Quentin to send him reports on the works being done there	
Reille - 145	Davout and Soult	Enemy troops have left Charleroi after their review; a peasant was shot by a sentinel	
Reille - 146	Soult	Maubeuge has finally received a battalion of National Guards, but it seems there is a mistake	
Reille - 147	Soult	Reconnaissance done on Beaumont	
Vandamme		Excerpts from a report: Prussians leave Rochefort and Dinant for Namur. Liège ceded by Prussians to the Prince of Orange.	SHD C15-3

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<i>Sender</i>	<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>Original</i>
Vandamme	Davout	Summary of reports: Dutch garrison to replace Prussians in Dinant; Hussards Rouge from Berg occupying Prussian posts, Prussians taxing & requisitioning.	SHD C15-3
Lavalette	Davout	Courriers delayed when cities are closed. Requests night opening for anticipated couriers.	SHD C15-3
Walkiers	Davout	Information from the northern borders: number and spirit of allied troops, Wellington wants Prussians under his orders, Belgians pro-Emperor.	SHD C15-3
Dame	Davout	Attachment to entry No 8: Summary table of the organization of ambulances for the Armée du Nord.	SHD C15-3
<i>May 22, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 21954, 39772	Soult	Send six engineers who know roads/bridges in Belgium and along Rhine to follow the Etat-major général. See Mouvement 104.	
Napoleon - 21955, 39773	Soult	Vandamme to move from Chimay to Marienbourg	
Napoleon - 21956, 39774	Soult	If Lille is threatened, 16th division to position itself between Lille and Dunkerque	
Davout - 1739	Soult	Requests Soult to wait for Emperor's decisions before issuing orders to generals; Davout prepared to resign if situation continues	
Davout	Soult	Gen. Bourcier & depot at Versailles lacking horses for the 25 men coming from Blois. See Movement 63 and Soult's letter to Davout on May 20.	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 41	Davout	Soult replies to request to delay orders. See Davout 1739.	
Soult - Mouvement 96	Davout	Boyer reported on Elite National Guard formation in 18th division to be completed at 420 men per battalion; orders to prefects to clothe and equip them	
Soult - Mouvement 97	Boyer	Report received and dispositions prescribed. See Movement 96.	
Soult - Mouvement 98	Ruty	Organization of equipages for artillery of army	
Soult - Mouvement 99	Davout	9th regiment chasseurs à cheval lacks 60 men; 4th squadron can't leave until material for clothing received; arms and harnesses	
Soult - Mouvement 100	Reille	Order to judge [Pess] and [Beruadel], 72nd line regiment. See Mouvement 111.	
Soult - Mouvement 101	Davout	d'Erlon reports arrival of National Guard battalions, lacking uniforms and equipment. Instructed to order prefects to complete.	
Soult - Mouvement 102	Davout	Complaint sent from Conseil d'admin of 14th regiment re: forced recruitment	

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Soult - Mouvement 103		Reply to complaint, sent to Davout. See Mouvement 102.	
Soult		Napoléon's dictations, very important plans for the Armée du Nord and the upcoming operation.	Private
d'Erlon - 420	Préfet du Pas de Calais, la Somme & Gen. Commt 16e Div.	Instructions for recruiting in Pas de Calais to complete 3rd and 4th battalions	
d'Erlon - 421	Préfet de la Seine Inférieur	Regarding battalions of National Guard for the 16th Div. See d'Erlon 423.	
d'Erlon - 422	Davout	4th battalion destined for Ste Menehould arrived in Maubeuge. Requests intentions. See Mouvement 109.	
d'Erlon - 423	Préfet de la Seine Inférieur	Regarding battalions of National Guard for the 16th Div. See d'Erlon 421.	
d'Erlon - 424	Davout	St. Sauveur, to be chef d'état major of the 2nd div. cavalry, not yet arrived.	
d'Erlon - 425	Davout	Regarding Col. Gueures, Major [Vige Maussillon] and chef de bat Gagemont	
d'Erlon - 426	Davout	Impossibility to pay the second half-month of pay. See d'Erlon 391, 415, 417 & 430.	
d'Erlon - 427	Davout & Soult	Elite battalions of National Guard arrived in St. Omer and Boulogne.	
d'Erlon - 428	Davout & Soult	M. de [Chamaille] was arrested crossing into Belgium; will be taken to Paris.	
d'Erlon - 451??	Davout & Soult	Detailed accounting of troops & atmosphere in Lille subsequent to review.	
Reille - 148	Davout	Troop movements in order to ensure one regiment of light infantry in every division	
Reille - 149	Erlon	Forwards to d'Erlon copy of a letter sent by Davout to arrest the colonel of the 3rd chasseurs	
Reille - 150	Soult	National Guards continue to arrive in Maubeuge, but is that their final destination?	
Reille - 151	Davout and Soult	Sends report on the enemy position in Belgium	
Reille	Davout	Forward report from Walckiers de St. Amand, information on foreign troops.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Numerous foreign troops in Dinant; Prussians in Hastin learned Meuse is forgeable; 4th C <sup>ie</sup> of 4th Escadron in Rocroi.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Copy of previous	SHD C15-3

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Soult - Rapports 42	Teste	Requests details on persons identified as contrary to the service of the Emperor	
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Soult - Mouvement 104	Carnot (Minister of Interior)	Six engineers with knowledge of bridges and roads in Belgium and along the Rhin to join the état-major général. See Napoleon 21954, 39772.	
Soult - Mouvement 105	Le Clerc	Orders four battalions to march from Sainte Meneshould to Stenay; augment number of partisans. See Mouvement 115.	
Soult - Mouvement 106	Vandamme	Notice of orders given to Le Clerc. See Mouvement 105.	
Soult - Mouvement 107	Davout	Notice of orders given to Le Clerc. See Mouvement 105.	
Soult - Mouvement 108	Lobau	Notice of orders given to Le Clerc. See Mouvement 105.	
Soult - Mouvement 109	Reille	4th battalion destined for Ste Meneshould to remain in Maubeuge. See d'Erlon 422.	
Soult - Mouvement 110	Davout	4th battalion destined for Ste Meneshould to remain in Maubeuge. See Mouvement 109 & d'Erlon 422.	
Soult - Mouvement 111	Davout	Excerpt of report from Reille about desertion of Pess and Bernardel. See Mouvement 100.	
Soult - Mouvement 112	d'Erlon	Emperor is satisfied with the company of canonniere of National Guard in Valenciennes	
Soult - Mouvement 113	Neigre	Order to send arms and munitions to reserve battery of 3rd Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 114	Reille	2 men arrested for encouraging desertion; will be tried	
Soult - Mouvement 115	Le Clerc	Orders sent for four battalions to go to Stenay must wait for new orders from Emperor. Requests situation of division. See Mouvement 105.	
Soult - Mouvement 116	Lobau	Notice of counter-order sent to Le Clerc. See Mouvement 115.	
Soult - Mouvement 117	Davout	Notice of counter-order sent to Le Clerc. See Mouvement 115.	
Soult	Vandamme	Position in Rocroi good. Road important. Order to recall cavalry and to form a line of avant-postes.	SHD C17-193
Soult	Reille	Decree, signed Daure & dated 21 May, forwarded: 26 companies (équipages auxiliaires) raised for the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-3
Daure	Douradon	All military personnel must be at the posts assigned on June 1. See Mouvement 75, Soult's letter to Davout May 20 and Davout's letter to Soult May 21.	SHD C15-3
Daure	Douradon	Requests needs in terms of Effets de Campement	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 429	Donzelot	Clothing for the 13 <sup>e</sup> léger.	
d'Erlon - 430	Soult	Impossibility to effect the second half-month of pay. See d'Erlon 391, 415, 417 & 426.	

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d'Erlon - 431	Davout	Col. of 3rd regiment chasseurs, ordered arrested, has already been sent to Paris.	
d'Erlon - 432	Davout	Requests orders for where to place National Guard in the 16th Div. See d'Erlon 433.	
d'Erlon - 433	Duhesme	Placement of National Guards. See d'Erlon 432.	
d'Erlon - 434	Soult	Will go to Lille May 25 to review National Guard decree for retired military battalions. Prevention of malicious activity.	
d'Erlon - 435	Soult	Formation of National Guard battalions; having no spies in Belgium, information on foreign troops is uncertain.	
d'Erlon	Soult	d'Erlon cannot provide exact and detailed information about the enemy as his request for funds was denied by Davout.	SHD C15-3
Reille	Soult	Decree, signed Daure & dated 21 May, forwarded: 26 companies (équipes auxiliaires) raised for the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-3
<i>May 24, 1815</i>			
Soult - Rapports 44	Napoleon	Soult's salary and compensation for expenses. (Out of order in the Registries)	
Soult - Mouvement 118	Lobau	Those recruited by Teste should be taken to closest depot for outfitting; Min. award of 30 canonniers needed to complete 4th regiment artillery. See Mouvement 119.	
Soult - Mouvement 119	Davout	30 canonniers needed to complete 4th regiment artillery. See Mouvement 118.	
Soult - Mouvement 120	Davout	20 dragoons needed for 4th regiment reserve cavalry; 7th regiment dragoons having difficulty, proposes 2nd regiment to supply them	
Soult - Mouvement 121	Lobau	Comm't de la force publique must address reports to the Major-Général.	
Soult - Mouvement 122	Rovigo	Letter of May 23 received with excerpt on the movement of foreign troops.	
Soult - Mouvement 123	Lobau	Approves order to Piré to put gendarmes of 6th corps at the disposal of Langeron to find and retrieve deserters	
Soult - Mouvement 124	Rouyer	Requests detailed report on the state of organization of Elite National Guard battalions	
Daure	Soult	Tables of the organization of the service of Equipages Militaires; judged insufficient in side-note	SHD C15-3
Daure	Soult	Payeurs Généraux named, method to execute payments to armies in France and beyond borders	SHD C15-3

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d'Erlon - 436	Davout & Soult	Three National Guard battalions arrived in Condé. Desertion remains a problem. Orders have been given to complete their provisions.	
d'Erlon - 437	Davout	Gen. Duhesme is in charge of the organization of Battalions of retired or reformed military. Orders forwarded.	
d'Erlon - 438	Soult	Orders to arrest [Valensulle] were not able to be executed. See d'Erlon 407 & 411.	
d'Erlon - 439	Davout	Orders regarding only majors and battalion heads to go to Paris for Champ de mai not received. Col. were sent.	
d'Erlon - 440	Davout & Soult	A person arriving from Belgium reports great movement of foreign troops, report of Russian officers' arrival not credible.	SHD C15-3
Reille - 152	Davout and Soult	Two enemy deserters say the regiment is in Mons; Communications with Vandamme are good	
Reille - 153	Davout	What should be done of suspicious men caught around the border?	
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Ordres du jour: all military personnel to their posts, funds allocated to procure horses.	SHD C15-3

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Napoleon - 39804	Evain	Arranging departure of Guard artillery??	
Napoleon	Fouché	Send an agent to Noyon.	Private
Davout	Soult	Decree for the formation of 38 companies in the Armées du Nord, Moselle and Rhin	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 43	Napoleon	Defense of Strasbourg	
Soult - Rapports 45	Reille	Battalions arriving in Maubeuge must be armed, exercised, clothed, equipped & reviewed	
Soult - Rapports 46	Gérard	Concentration of IV Corps, including Vichery's division. Instructions for organization and formation	
Soult - Rapports 47	d'Erlon	National Guard destined for Boulogne to go to Dunkerque. Requests plan for National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 125	Lobau	Teste will take 3rd & 4th battalions of 40th Line regiment to replace 15th line regiment in his division	
Soult - Mouvement 126	Ruty	7 men from 4th artillerie à cheval to leave from the Imperial Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 127	Ruty	Importance of familiarizing the troop with target shooting	
Soult - Mouvement 128	Reille	4th division of 64th and 4th division of 15th légère to go directly to Avesnes	
Soult - Mouvement 129	Davout	Forwards a request from colonel of 5th dragoons for regiment near capital	



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Soult - Mouvement 130	Chabert	Report on 7th div. National Guard received, to be completed at 720 men	
Soult - Mouvement 131	Davout	Requests copy of orders to distribute mousquetons to grosse cavalerie	
Soult - Mouvement 132	Davout	Communicates report from Lobau on the 2nd regiment cuirassiers lacking men for horses. Requests orders for colonels to return	
Soult - Mouvement 133	Lobau	Needs of 2nd regiment called to the attention of Min. of War who has made funds available	
Soult - Mouvement 134	Fouché	Forwards police reports sent to Lobau for Cdr. of public forces in le Nord	
Soult - Mouvement 135	Suchet	Forwards a report from Rovigo; requests punishment for officers guilty of poor treatment of soldiers	
Soult	Reille	Emperor intends Reille to keep the battalions that arrive in Maubeuge & to arm them. Reille to inform of officers needing to be replaced.	SHD C15-3
Soult	d'Erlon	Orders given to remedy the pay situation in the 16th division	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 441	Davout	Formation of Colonnes mobiles for the recall of military from le Nord & Pas-de-Calais. Recruitment.	
d'Erlon - 442	Officers, Canonniers Séd.	The Emperor is pleased with the companies of canonniers formed in Valenciennes.	
d'Erlon - 443	Soult	Recruitment for the I Corps in the Nord, Pas-de-Calais and la Somme.	
d'Erlon - 444	Davout & Soult	Nothing new on the line. Will go to Lille for a review of National Guard, return May 27.	
d'Erlon - 445	Major du 45 reg't [Condé]	Cadres of 3rd Battalion to go to Amiens.	
d'Erlon	Davout	Foreign troops assembling; mood in Pas-de-Calais and Dunkerque bad; Arnauld's refusal to obey Vasserot.	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon	Soult	Copy of preceding	SHD C15-3
Reille - 154	Erlon	Reille explains to d'Erlon the new dispositions regarding the National Guards and their distribution	
Ordinateur en chef 2 Corps	Soult	Report on administrative services, forwarded by Reille.	SHD C15-3
Ordinateur en chef 2 Corps	Soult	Report on the state of ambulance cantines in the 2nd Corps, forwarded by Reille.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Movement of foreign troops on the border; deserted officer (Polish origins) from 5th hussars	SHD C15-3
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Napoleon - 39811	Davout	Requests all guards available in Paris for parade	



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Davout	Soult	Funds available for clothing for the 9th Regiment. Sheets and knits, orders given to hurry their arrival	SHD C15-3
Davout	Soult	M. Laigle in Paris to ensure delivery of funds for pay due to the 16th division and to 1st & 2nd corps.	SHD C15-3
Daru for Davout	Soult	All measures taken to equip the 18th regiment of Dragoons	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 48	Napoleon	Girard to replace Lamarque as commander of 7th Infantry Division??	
Soult - Mouvement 136	Davout	Request to accelerate arming of National Guard in the 19th division	
Soult - Mouvement 137	Davout	Requests new orders for formation of six companies of grenadiers of National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 138	Davout	Gerard has executed all orders; request orders for Balthus to form a parc de reserves	
Soult - Mouvement 139	d'Erlon	Requests information on the defense of Bavay and of Watten and [Boubourg]	
Soult - Mouvement 140	Davout	Lecourbe proposes to complete sapeurs in 18th div. artillery to 120 men, drawing from National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 141	Puthod	Minister is aware of difficulties arming National Guard; requests plan to hasten arming	
Soult - Mouvement 142	Puthod	Letter received; Minister will give instructions on the composition of elite battalions of National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 143	Gérard	Minister has been informed of the importance of a parc de reserves (Moselle) to be commanded by [Baltier]	
Soult - Mouvement 144	Lecourbe	Minister has been requested to authorize completion of sapeurs in 18th infantry division to 120 men (see 140)	
d'Erlon - 446	Arnaud	To request him to correspond with the Gen. Comm. Pas-de-Calais	
d'Erlon - 447	Vasserot	Arnauld requested to transmit report. / Lahoussaye does not know Arnaud de St. Sauveur and did not request him as chef d'état maj.	
d'Erlon - 448	Soult & Davout	Battalions arrived in Maubeuge. Desertion still a problem. Bourbon loyalists encourage desertion with rumors.	
d'Erlon - 449	Soult & Davout	Letters from Belgium announce that allied army will move June 1 or 15. Uprisings in Pas-de-Calais & Dunkerque. Gen. Arnauld refusing to correspond with Vasserot	
Reille - 155	Davout	Reille still doesn't know how to prosecute deserters	
Reille - 156	Davout and Soult	Another officer has fled to the enemy; still no order on how to prosecute	
Reille - 157	Soult	Suspicious men are arrested; what shall he do with them?	

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Reille - 158	Davout and Soult	Reports on the enemy do not say much; troops are circulating from and to Charleroi and Mons	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Report from the outposts; information on the movement of foreign troops along the Belgian border	SHD C15-3
Domon		Report on 3rd Corps, 6th Division Cavalry Brigades	SHD C15-3
Goris		Location of the seven National Guard Battalions of Asnes	SHD C15-3

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Napoleon - 21975, 39824	Davout	The organization and departure from Paris of the National Guard	
Napoleon - 39840	Soult	Army's forces reduced, will likely act in one direction; money sent for secret expenses	
Bertrand - 5800	Peyrusse	Funds requested for trip indemnities	
Bertrand - 5801	De Bassano	Sends 30 tickets for the Diane Galery	
Bertrand - 5802	Leduc	100 francs must be given to [Centini] for his services to Napoleon on the Île d'Elbe	
Bertrand - 5803	[Deriot]	A soldier should be installed in cardinal Fech's palace in order to send a message at his arrival	
Bertrand - 5804	[Devon]	2000 tickets are delivered to the electors for the parade of the Champ de Mai	
Bertrand - 5805	Carnot	Bertrand has sent 15 tickets to the presidents of the deputations	
Bertrand - 5806	Baron Locré	Electors must be placed in the living rooms of the State Counsel	
Bertrand - 5807	Duchess of Rovigo and Countess Montalivet	They will be of service next week.	
Bertrand - 5808	[Deriot]	The tickets must allow an entry in the Salle des Maréchaux and in the Salon bleu	
Bertrand - 5809	Carnot	Sends tickets for different rooms at the Tuileries	
Bertrand - 5810	Carnot	Sends 2000 tickets for the Museum	
Davout	Soult	Decree for the creation of a commission of high police in the 16th division. Allix named president.	SHD C15-3
Daru (for Davout)	Soult	Contract concluded for the supply of meat in readiness for war	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 49	Napoleon	Organization of Elite National Guard	

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Soult - Rapports 50	Napoleon	Measure to place équipages militaries under direction and supervision of the artillery advantageous, should be extended	
Soult - Rapports 51	Semele	Composition of the garrison in Strasbourg	
Soult - Rapports 52	Teste	Organization of Elite National Guard; mission well started; push a column to Arras; powers extended to Pas-de-Calais	
Soult - Rapports 53	d'Erlon	Informs of Teste's mission (see Report 52); situation in Pas-de-Calais	
Soult - Mouvement 145	Davout	Request orders for easily reparable guns to be repaired before those requiring more time	
Soult		Ordre du jour: no sous-officier should be employed as a secretary or servant; all must fulfill their real service call	SHD C15-3
Soult	Lobau	Regimentary ambulances. Copy to Bonnemains.	SHD C15-3
Soult	Davout	Minutes: the decree of 11 May omits several pay categories. Requests decision from the Emperor.	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 452	Frère	Formation of battalions of retired military	
d'Erlon	Soult	Needs of Lille for defense; trouble in Lille and Dunkerque; Numbers for National Guard Battalions	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Movement of enemy troops: Alarm amongst the Prussians	SHD C15-3
Domon		Report of a Saxon deserter	SHD C15-3
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Napoleon - 21980, 39841	Davout	Long - garrisons in the north in preparation for war	
Bertrand - 5811	Duc de Vicence	Sends a list of colleges	
Bertrand - 5812	Reps of Quart. Gen.	Tickets were sent to the presidents; what employees will be necessary?	
Bertrand - 5813	Dériot	Will admit the two employees that are necessary into the Tuileries	
Bertrand - 5814	Peyrusse	Sends a bill of 885 francs	
Bertrand - 5815	Dériot	Madame's order	
Bertrand - 5816	Fontaine	Invites him to his house to speak - Is this the architect	
Bertrand - 5817		See 5819	

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Bertrand - 5818		See 5820	
Bertrand - 5819		Note dictated on how to maintain to the yards, perhaps around the palace	
Bertrand - 5820		Note dictated: the duchess of Bourbon must leave the palace	
Bertrand - 5821	« Mr »	The Duchess of Bourbon must leave the palace by June 1	
Bertrand - 5822	« Monsieur »	The Duchess of Bourbon must leave the palace by June 1	
Bertrand - 5823	« Mons. »	The Duchess of Bourbon must leave the palace by June 1	
Davout	Soult	Decree re: the organization cavalerie depots with instructions for Gen. Margaron, Comm. Sup. of one.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Soult	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Reille	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Reille	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Salomon	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Vandamme	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Hullin	Council to be held on the defense of Paris	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 54	Davout	Requests appointment for Col. Aguado	
Soult - Rapports 55	Davout?	Guilleminot to replace Lemoine ; Gressot to replace Guilleminot	
Soult - Mouvement 146	Duvernois	Report on the organization of Elite National Guard received ; operations must be completed before new destination considered	
Soult - Mouvement 147	Lecourbe	Requests information on the defense of [Mulhouse]	
Soult - Mouvement 148	Leval	Report on Dunkerque received; new battalions of National Guard to arrive soon	
Soult - Mouvement 149	Davout	Teste has received order to extend his mission, etc. See Reports 52 & 53	
Soult - Mouvement 150	Lobau	Notice of orders above - [Teste's mission: See Report 149]	
Soult - Mouvement 151	Davout	Sends excerpt from d'Erlon's letter re: Dunkerque & d'Arnaud's refusal to send service reports; requests orders be issued	

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Soult - Mouvement 152	Gérard	Letter re: arming of gardes nationales sédentaires et corps des partisans received; orders given to [Dir. of] artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 153	Engineering of 2 Division Militaire	Emperor requests a detailed report on the defense of the Place de [D]	
Soult - Mouvement 154	Lobau	Report from d'Erlon on battalions included information on desertion; give orders to gendarmerie to find and bring back deserters	
Soult - Mouvement 155	Radet	Instructions to give orders to gendarmerie to find and bring back recent deserters	
Soult - Mouvement 156	Basset de Châteaubourg	Instructions to give orders to gendarmerie to find and bring back recent deserters	
Soult - Mouvement 157	Gazan	Instructions to give orders to gendarmerie to find and bring back recent deserters	
Soult	Davout	Excerpt from d'Erlon: trouble in Pas-de-Calais and Dunkerque; Arnauld refuses to report to Vasserot	SHD C15-3
Soult	Reille	Two men from the 6th Lancers arrested.	SHD C15-3
Soult	Reille	Trial of deserters.	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 450	Soult & Davout	Funds lacking.	
Reille - 159	Soult	Reports on the position of the troops, their supplies and equipment; rice is still rare	
Reille - 160	Soult	Reille has asked the commanding officers of Le Quesnoy, Maubeuge, Avesnes and Landrecies to send reports to Soult on their position	
Reille - 161	Davout	Troops are not well clothed and need shoes	
Reille	Soult	Div. of avant-garde boats not yet arrived in Guise. Statement of battalions and provisions.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Note to accompany the Saxon deserter's report and that on the movement of foreign troops.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Gadan, in possession of a seditious manuscript, arrested. Manuscript sent to Fouché.	SHD C15-3
Domon		Report May 27-28 from Cmd. of the division of light cavalry in the 3rd corp.s	SHD C15-3
Mollien	Soult	Acknowledges delays in ensuring sums for d'Erlon's 1st Corps received for payment.	SHD C15-3
Thierry	Soult	Request reimbursement and assimilation to active divisions.	SHD C15-3

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Napoleon - 39853	Davout	Grouchy named Commander and Chief of Cavalry of the Armée du Nord	
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Napoleon - 21987, 39854	Davout	Movement of guard artillery; requests orders to complete	
Napoleon - 39871	Drouot	Movement of guard artillery	
Napoleon - 39872	Drouot	Movement of young guard	
Bertrand - 5824	[Delors]	The Museum will be open for the electors' stay	
Bertrand - 5825	Fourcault Pavant	Fourcault Pavant should come by to see Bertrand	
Bertrand - 5826	Peyrusse	Peyrusse must send 4 conform stamps to Bertrand	
Bertrand - 5827	Alesme	Asks him to name [Patis Vidal] sous-officier on the Île d'Elbe	
Bertrand - 5828	Carnot, Gen. off., Lobau, Drouot, Dumont	They are all invited to a council regarding the event at the Champ de Mai	
Bertrand - 5829	Carnot	The Minister is invited to participate to the council regarding the event at the Champ de Mai	
Bertrand - 5830	[Grand] Maréchal	Disposition of the Guard at the Champ de Mars and around the École militaire	
Bertrand - 5831		Positions of the personnel at the ceremony of the Champ de Mai	
Davout	Soult	Has written to d'Erlon to order line troops to leave <i>les places</i> of 16th division, to be replaced by Nat'l Guard	SHD C15-3
Davout		What must be written to the Intendant Général?	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 56	Napoleon	Recommends Girard for 7th, Guilleminot for 11th, and Revest for chef d'état major of 3rd Corps	
Soult - Rapports 57	Napoleon	Names of generals ready to be employed on the line	
Soult - Mouvement 158	Maréchal de Camp Dentzel	Service of prisoners of war; instructions for information on foreign troops	
Soult - Mouvement 159	Davout	Requests confirmation of system of correspondence with Comm'ts des places	
Soult - Mouvement 160	Fouché	Sends excerpt from Thierry's reports	
Soult - Mouvement 161	Radet	Forwards Imperial decree for the creation of Commission of Haute Police in 16th division	
Soult - Mouvement 162	Radet	Detachement de la force publique & its needs	
Soult - Mouvement 163	Reille	8th infantry (Lefol) will move from 2nd Corps to the 3rd Corps under Vandamme	

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Soult - Mouvement 164	Vandamme, Rutu, Rogniat, Daure, Radet	8th infantry (Lefol) will move from 2nd Corps to the 3rd Corps under Vandamme	
Soult - Mouvement 165	Reille	New detachment going to Avesnes to join the 9th division infantry	
Soult - Mouvement 166	Lobau	Detachment from 17th Dragons en route to Laon to join 6 division	
Soult - Mouvement 167	Reille	Detachment from 2nd regiment light infantry left Paris for Avesnes to join 6th division	
Soult - Mouvement 168	Vandamme, Rutu, Rogniat, Daure, Radet	Detachment left Chalon sur Marne for Rocroi to join its regiment in the 11th division infantry	
Soult - Mouvement 169	Reille	Detachment from 12th regiment light infantry en route to Avesnes to join 7th division	
Soult	Rogniat	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
Daure	Douradon	8th Division infantry (Gen. Lefol) going from 2nd to 3rd corps.	SHD C15-3
d'Erlon - 453	Milhaud	Order troops to remain within the boundaries of their area. Affaire des Cuirassiers du 12e. See Nos. 454 & 464(2).	
d'Erlon - 454	Davout & Soult	Leveque, Capt. of 8th regiment, disappeared, crossed border. Cuirassiers in 12th regiment protecting contrebandiers clashed, one death. See Nos. 453 & 464(2).	
d'Erlon - 455	Soult	Canonniere reply to Emperor's compliment. See No. 442.	
d'Erlon - 456	Davout	Report on MM Querel, Vigo de Roussillon, Gagemont	
d'Erlon - 457	Soult	Has requested information on defensive state in Watten, Bourgourg.	
d'Erlon - 458	Soult	Formation of National Guard in Lille in regiments, brigades & divisions	
d'Erlon - 459	Soult	Replacement of Boumain by Taubin in Condé is perhaps a worry. See Nos. 476 & 477.	
d'Erlon - 460	Soult	When leaving Lille, a young man from Gand presented himself. Donzelot will interrogate. Will send results. See Nos. 472 & 479.	
d'Erlon - 461	Leval	Several battalions of National Guard to be sent to Dunkerque.	
d'Erlon - 462	Soult	Statement on National Guard arrived in the 16th Div.	
d'Erlon - 463	Frère Florin	Sent a provisional commission of Corps franc	

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d'Erlon - 464	[Soulier]	Forwarded the communication of Frère Florin to be completed.	
Reille - 162	Davout and Soult	Reports say that Prussians are desperate to see the Russians arrive	
Reille		Ordre du jour as a result of foreign agents present in the territory.	SHD C15-3
Vandamme	Davout	Declaration of a Prussian deserter; state of provisions and dress.	SHD C15-3

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Napoleon - 21994, 39883	Drouot	Preparing guard for June 5 departure	
Bertrand - 5832		Sends tickets for the ceremony of the Champ de Mai	
Bertrand - 5833	Hulin	Bertrand thinks Hulin is in charge of both military and marine dispositions; he wants to talk to him	
Bertrand - 5834	Drouot	Sends 150 tickets for the ceremony of the Champ de Mai; places must be arranged for the electors' wives	
Bertrand - 5835	Montesquiou	Bertrand asks him to choose 12 ushers to ensure the service at the Champ de Mai; Baillon must print new tickets	
Bertrand - 5836		Baillon must print new tickets	
Bertrand - 5837	Archich. and de la [Chezi]accused of arson. Requests	[Chezi] has asked for the grace of Napoleon in a judicial affair	
Bertrand - 5838	Princes and Princesses	Sends tickets to the princes and princesses for the ceremony of the Champ de Mai. Indications on the way they should dress	
Bertrand - 5839	Hulin	Hulin should talk to the Baron Hamelin about the deputations of the military and of the marine corps	
Davout	Grouchy	Grouchy named Commandant en chef of the cavalry of the Armée du Nord.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Reille	M. de Rouille, resigned from Army, is Belgian and should be allowed to return to his country.	SHD C15-3
Davout	Soult	Re: letter of May 26; compagnies de sapeurs.	SHD C15-3
Dame	Soult	Sends reports on provisions and treasury.	SHD C15-3
Soult - Rapports 58	Napoleon	Retired military to be reviewed to form battalions of veterans	
Soult - Rapports 59	d'Erlon	Instructions to remove officers suspected to be loyal to the crown; prepare Lille	
Soult - Mouvement 170	Davout	10th regiment requests recruits	



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Soult - Mouvement 171	Ruty	11th regiment light infantry to go from 7th division to the 5th; 11th regiment to the 7th division & 3rd regiment to the 5th	
Soult - Mouvement 172	Daure	Informed of orders in Mouvement 71	
Soult - Mouvement 173	Davout	Reille gave notice of desertion of eight soldiers in 1st squadron, 9th division infantry	
Soult - Mouvement 174	Lobau	Requests information on gardes nationales who replace troops in 16th division	
Soult - Mouvement 175	Neigre	Communicates letter from Ruty on needs of the artillery in La Fère and Douai. Requests Davout to correspond with Ruty	
Soult - Mouvement 176	Vandamme	Detachment in Reims from 88th regiment to join regiment in 3rd Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 177	Davout	National Guard in 5th division; measures to dress and equip the battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 178	Davout	Authorization to form a division in Lille; excerpt of letter from d'Erlon	
d'Erlon - 463.2	Préfet de la Somme	Cadres of 19th, 25th & 45th regiment should have arrived at destination	
d'Erlon - 464.2	Milhaud	Affair des cuirassiers. The 12th must distance itself from the river and border. See nos 453 & 545.	
d'Erlon - 465	[Augereau]	Valin, in the 2nd Co. Canonniers, is excused from National Guard.	
d'Erlon - 466	[Daruste]	Changes in position on June 1. Maréchaux de camp will be in center of brigade.	
d'Erlon - 467	Marcognet	Instructions for the division. Maréchaux de camp in center of their brigades.	
d'Erlon - 468	Arnault	Gagemont in charge of recruitment in Belhune and St. Omer. It was wrong to incorporate men in 1st regiment. Conform to present orders. See No. 469.	
d'Erlon - 469	Gagemont	Message sent to Arnault. See no 468.	
d'Erlon - 470	Davout	In assignment of Nat'l Guard, no battalions designated for Bouchain or St. Venant. <i>Original is Soult's copy.</i>	Private
d'Erlon - 471	Soult	Informs him of the letter to Davout	
d'Erlon - 472	Donzelot	Instructions for 2nd brigade. Also for 1st, 3rd & 4th. Report of depositions of officer from Gand & Brussels. See Nos. 460 & 479.	
d'Erlon - 473	Frère	To inform him of dispositions sent to Donzelot.	
d'Erlon - 474	La Poype	Same letter sent to Frère. See No. 473.	

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d'Erlon - 475	Davout	Response from Frère regarding Sr. Latour d'Auvergne. See Nos. 408 & 409.	
d'Erlon - 476	Soult	To express need to keep [Boumain] in Condé as Comm. Sup. See Nos. 459 & 477.	
d'Erlon - 477	Davout	See 476.	
Reille - 163	Davout	The 8th division has already been moved; it will be placed under Vandamme's command	
Reille - 164	Davout	The battalions sent to the 5th division are too weak; the forces must be evened out	
Reille - 165	Davout and Soult	Enemy troops are rallying in Charleroi	
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Bertrand - 5840	[Denon]	Bertrand has received a portrait of the Emperor, he wants Denon to choose it and make sure it's installed quickly	
Bertrand - 5841	Fouché and Gaudin	Sends tickets and will send more	
Bertrand - 5842	Lefebvre Desnouettes	Lefebvre needs to explain to Guerchy why and how he has distributed tickets; dispositions of the people as the ceremony	
Bertrand - 5843	Hulin	Sends a program of the ceremony; asks him to ensure that the personnel is well placed	
Davout	Soult	Received letter of 29 May re: treasury	SHD C15-3
Soult - Mouvement 179	Davout	Forwards letter from Col. Grouchy; difficulty to put together a corps at this depot	
Soult - Mouvement 180	Rouyer	Letter received; results on organization of National Guards praised	
Soult - Mouvement 181	Davout	Boyer reports that 30 battalions of Elite National Guard are organized in 18th division	
Soult - Mouvement 182	Boyer	Emperor is satisfied with the completion of the battalions; Min. is aware of artillery battery lacking	
Soult - Mouvement 183	All Commandants of Division Militaires	Order to send the exact composition of battalions	
Soult - Mouvement 184	Le Courbe	Proposal transmitted to Minister; National Guard must not be attached to active army, but artillery workers may be employed (See 140, 144)	
Neigre	Soult	Information on artillery parks	SHD C15-3
Ruty	Soult	Report on provisions and arms	SHD C15-3

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d'Erlon - 478	Davout	Recommends two officers for reinstatement.	
d'Erlon - 479	Soult	Copy of the interrogation by Donzelot of François Jacquin, arrived from Belgium. See Nos. 460 & 472.	
d'Erlon - 480	Leval	Battalions ordered to Dunkerque. The 55th must go immediately to Valenciennes.	
d'Erlon - 481	Donzelot	Death of Marie Delescule, a servant killed accidentally by [Valtigon] of the 13e léger. [Valtigon] should be not set free.	
d'Erlon - 482	Payeur de la 16e Div.	Distribution of funds available	
d'Erlon - 482	Soult & Davout	Reports that the garrison at Ypres has increased, perhaps with 2000 Prussians. Communication with Belgium opposed. Recruitment positive.	
Mollien	Soult	Letter from d'Erlon regarding pay. Funds sent to Lille.	SHD C15-3

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Bertrand - 6000	Ministre des relations extérieures	Reports on the conduct of the Austrians while Napoleon was on Elba	
Soult - Rapports 60	d'Erlon	Napoleon approved Fauconnet's command of National Guards at Lille.	
Soult - Rapports 61	Davout	Prefers General Bonnaire for command at Condé	
Soult	Rogniat	M. Laigle to replace M. Lambert as Inspecteur en chef	SHD C15-4
Soult		Ordre du jour,	SHD C15-4
Soult		Ordre du Jour, expedited 5 June at 8 p.m.; text nearly identical to above Ordre du Jour	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 484	Donzelot	Donzelot will leave Lille on 4th and be at Valenciennes on the 5th	
d'Erlon - 485	Soult	Suspicious military identified, will be removed. Placing National Guard at Lille	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 486	Dessalles	Organization of National Guards	
d'Erlon - 487	Soult	Cdr. of the Citadelle at Lille	
d'Erlon - 488	Cdr. Citadelle, Lille	Responsibilities of the command	
d'Erlon	Soult	Donzelot will leave Lille on 4th and be at Valenciennes on the 5th, 1 Corps will mass about Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 489	Davout	Donzelot will leave Lille on 4th and be at Valenciennes on the 5th, 1 Corps will mass about Valenciennes	SHD C15-4

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d'Erlon - 490	Davout	English brigade fired 9 shots at a French brigade near Calais	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 491	Davout	Poor state of munitions of National Guard	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 492	Davout	A letter from Duke de Bellune	
d'Erlon	Villeneuve	Order re: transport of Gottlieb Samuel, double agent	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 493	Davout	Order re: activities of Gottlieb Samuel, double agent	
Reille - 166	Davout	The 5th division is still weak and needs new troops; it would be a great occasion to split the troops from the 6th division	SHD C15-4
Reille - 167	Superior Commanders of Maubeuge, Landrecie, Le Quesnoy and Avesnes	Reille forwards Davout's letter to other commanding officers	
Reille - 168	Davout	Soldiers must only take from the local population what is allowed; commanding officers assure they have received no complaints	SHD C15-4
Reille - 169	Davout and Soult	Rumors say that Russian cavalry has arrived in Ostende; the enemy is in Charleroi and has not moved	
Reille - 170		Instructions in case of an invasion by the enemy and where troops should position themselves	
Reille	Davout	Funds for Jordans to establish correspondence with Belgium	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Detachment of 117 men left Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Request for 'garnisaires' for 800 Garde Nationale	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	2nd foreign regiment arrived in Rocroi. Arrests made in Cauvin.	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Copy of previous, small changes	SHD C15-4
Lemoine		Order of the Division	SHD C15-4
Lemoine		Ordre du Jour de la Division, cars transporting English to Brussels.	SHD C15-4
Lobau		Ordre du Jour	SHD C15-4
Plaige	Davout	State of provisions, state of artillery, report from 30 May-June 1, state of the military	SHD C15-4

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Molard	Davout	Departure of several companies from Pommeraye	SHD C15-4
Desnoyers	Davout	Departure of 8th battalion from la Somme to Aire.	SHD C15-4
d'Arnauld	Davout	Departure of the National Guard from the Seine-et-Marne to Valenciennes.	SHD C15-4
Jouffroy	Davout	Request for gunners	SHD C15-4
Jordans	Soult	Espionage, deserters & lack of funds	SHD C15-4
Lambel	d'Erlon	Fort at Watten	SHD C15-4
Piré	Rippert	Ordre de la division	SHD C15-4
Capitaine Hullin	d'Arnauld	Summary of equipment lacking at Gien	SHD C15-4
Bonnemains		State of the number of cartridges in Laon, with attachment.	SHD C15-4
Vigogne	Bonnemains	Justification for late report	SHD C15-4
Laurent	Dumonceau	List of people arrested and placed under surveillance.	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Durriens	Request for guns	SHD C15-4
<i>June 2, 1815</i>			
Bertrand - 6001	Roul		
Bertrand - 6002	Carnot	Regional info; notes on employees; women who have dined with the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6003		Women who have dined with the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6004	Mollien	Money lacking to pay troops; what budget for Île d'Elbe?	
Bertrand - 6005	Peyrusse	Money lacking to pay troops; what budget for Île d'Elbe?, funds received	
Bertrand - 6006	[Bonnet]	Troops were sent to Bomert, pacify the region	
Bertrand - 6007	Caporal [Fernes]	Sends a request in which Prince Joseph takes interest.	
Bertrand - 6008	Carnot	Redirect information on the Pays de [Get] to Carnot	
Bertrand - 6009	Leduc	Leduc must produce a mandate for 100 francs for Prévost	

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Bertrand - 6010	[Desmaris]	A woman has arrived, furniture missing	
Bertrand - 6011	Caporal [Demichel]	Recommends corporal [Fajaz]	
Bertrand - 6012	Montalivet	Some forest employees have to be watched	
Bertrand - 6013	Davout	Major [Mollivault] has been arrested; Lemarrois requests his liberation	
Bertrand - 6014	Carnot	Palace guards are minister's responsibility when Emperor is absent	
Bertrand - 6015	Réguis	Crossed out	
Bertrand - 6016	Peyrusse	Criticisms uttered by [Mr Chambellan]	
Bertrand - 6017	[Marsol]	[Marsol] not yet placed	
Bertrand - 6018	Peyrusse	Peyrusse must pay same gratification to officers of same rank	
Bertrand - 6019	Drouot	Was Mr [Puttrich]'s gratification forgotten or omitted willingly?	
Bertrand - 6020	Lorion	Requests a place for [Jenaint], Bertrand refers him to Carnot	
Bertrand - 6021	Gaudin	Thanks Gaudin for helping Marcy	
Bertrand - 6022	Napoléon	Italian officers should be incorporated in the Army of the Alps, receive their pay	
Bertrand - 6023	Duc de Bassano	The Duc de Bassano will talk about the 10,000 francs donation in the Moniteur	
Bertrand - 6024	Sahut	Asks Sahut to send him a list of the people he still needs to invite for dinner	
Bertrand - 6025	Sahut	List of people to whom tickets must be sent	
Bertrand - 6026	[Desville]	[Desville] must send four ushers to mail letters from the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6027	De Flahault	Recommends Mr [?]	
Bertrand - 60??	[Roul]	Gratifications, [Roul] should write to the War Minister	
Davout	Napoleon	Forwards Vandamme's letter of May 30: 8th Inf. Division commanded by Lefol	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	The army will be treated as if on the <i>pied de guerre</i> as of May 1st 1815	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Standardization of the reports sent	SHD C15-4

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Davout	Gaudin	Altercation between smugglers and custom officers at Orchies	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon	Altercation between smugglers and custom officers at Orchies	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Replacement of an unworthy head of the Garde nationale	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	Troop movements and situation	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	Troop movements	SHD C15-4
Davout	Frère	Troop transfer from La Fère to Amiens	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 185	Circulaire à M. les Commandants de place	Updating Soult of military situation using Prints	
Soult - Mouvement 186	d'Erlon	Authorize trial of Corporal Lévêque, who had deserted	
Soult - Mouvement 187	Davout	Notice of Lévêque's desertion.	
Soult - Mouvement 188	Vandamme	Notice of men to join the 8th Infantry Division at Avesnes	
Soult - Mouvement 189	Daure	Relaying request of Rudy for furnishing artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 190	l'ordonnateur Thibaut	Notice of request for artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 191	d'Erlon	About arming National Guard	
Soult - Mouvement 192	Neigre	About asking Drouot about an 8-gun battery meant for young guard	
Soult - Mouvement 193	Davout	About Vandamme's arrest of seditious individuals	
Ruty	Soult	Sending more men to the pontonniers companies	SHD C15-4
Rogniat	Soult	Résumé of Rogniat's mission	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Rice distribution	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Report on administrative services (received 9 June)	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Transport of fodder	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Supply of sicles	SHD C15-4
Daure	Davout	Indemnity to give to officers	SHD C15-4

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Reille - 171	Davout, Bureau of salaries	Soldiers and officers have not been paid	
Vandamme	Davout	Results of the multiple reports received	SHD C15-4
Lemoine	Quartier général de Chimay	People using Caraman's trees and fishing in his reserve	SHD C15-4
Chatry de la Fosse	Davout	Fourth company will join war squadrons	SHD C15-4
La Poype	Davout	Situation at Lille	SHD C15-4
d'Arnauld	Davout	Troop movements in Saint-Omer	SHD C15-4
[Préfet du Nord]	Vandamme	Suspension of transfer of the sous-préfecture from Hazebrouck à Cassel - Copy	SHD C15-4
Dumonceau	Vandamme	Arrest of 16 people at Stenay	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Durrieu	Formation of «Corps francs» in the Aisne Departement	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Durrieu	Men and horses provided to the Aisne Departement	SHD C15-4
Parent	[Ordonnateur]	Camp tools	SHD C15-4
Leval	Président de la Commission de haute police	Suspension of measures of rigor in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Florent	d'Arnauld	Situation of the Saint-Omer dépôt	SHD C15-4
Florent	d'Arnauld	Troops left to join war battallions	SHD C15-4
Pauchet	d'Arnauld	Situation of the 2nd battallion of the Garde nationale	SHD C15-4
Koenigsegg	Vandamme	Inspection of Mariembourg, [Rely], Neuville, Philippeville, Givet, Rocroi	SHD C15-4
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Napoleon - 22005, 39937	Soult	Requests itinerary for Gérard to Philippeville (12th); Guard to Soissons (10th) & Avesnes (13th)	
Napoleon - 39908	Davout	Lobau gives command of 1 Division to Lt. Gen	
Napoleon - 22002, 39912	Davout	Jerome's assignment to 6th Division under Reille	
Napoleon - 22003, 39909	Davout	Grouchy made commander of Cavalry, initial orders	
Napoleon - 22004, 39936	Davout	Notify Corps/Armies of Grouchy's command and cavalry reorganization	



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Napoleon - 22006, 39927	Drouot	Regarding the Guard's initial movements and organization	
Bertrand - 6028	[Pom]	Napoleon wants him [Pom] gone by the evening	
Bertrand - 6029	Merlin		
Bertrand - 6030	Roederer	To tell Mr [?] to come by his house	
Bertrand - 6031	[Poulton]	Asks [Poulton] to come by his house	
Bertrand - 6032	Chambellan de service	Sends Mr [?] to the chamberlain in case the Emperor wants to see him	
Bertrand - 6033	[Duchess] de Vicence and Madame [Beauvenu]	Tells both women that they will be of service next week	
Bertrand - 6034	Mollien	Asks to be paid him what is owed to him	
Bertrand - 6035	Sahut	Sends him to Carnot for information about the Orne	
Bertrand - 6036	Napoléon	Reports on the National Guard in Lyon	
Bertrand - 6037	Peyrusse	Asks to be paid what is owed to him	
Davout	Reille	Davout has forwarded to Napoléon Reille's requests for troop reorganization	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon	Reille wants to even out the number of men in his divisions	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon	Reille wants to even out the number of men in his divisions	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon	Reille wants to even out the number of men in his divisions	SHD C15-4
Davout	Neigre	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Ruty	The distribution of the artillery must be redone	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Reille	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4

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Davout	Grouchy	Definitive organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Pajol	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Excelmans	New organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Milhault	Definitive organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Ammunition purveyor is in default	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Elite Garde Nationale battalions are to be moved from Boulogne to Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Movements of the generals Lemoine, Ledru and Thévenet - Copy	SHD C15-4
Davout	Frère	Leval sends report of disorder in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	Frère	Leval sends report of disorder in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	Leval	Disorder in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	[Froment]	Davout asks Froment to make known the measures taken against the disorder	SHD C15-4
Davout	Dupuy	Needs of Philippeville will be met	SHD C15-4
Davout	Rottembourg	Patriotic donation of three days worth of salary	SHD C15-4
Hastrel	Salamon	Sends the service letters for Grouchy; will do the same for Soult	SHD C15-4
Soult - Rapports 62	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor: transmission of letter from Gen. Rey	AF IV 1938
Rey	Soult	Requests protection for families, confirmation of decorations	AF IV 1938
Soult - Rapports 63	Minister of Interior	Diligence administrator forced son to emigrate	
Soult - Mouvement 194	Radet	Gendarmerie for GHQ to depart for Laon, as well as Radet	
Soult - Mouvement 195	Lobau	Lobau's men should be assembled at Laon by 8th and Avesnes by 13th	
Soult - Mouvement 196	Grouchy	Depart Paris and go to GHQ in Laon	
Soult - Mouvement 197	d'Erlon	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to I Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 198	Reille	Notification of reorganization of cavalry and the division attached to II Corps	SHD C15-4

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Soult - Mouvement 199	Vandamme	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to III Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 200	Lobau	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry, VI Corps will not have a division attached	
Soult - Mouvement 201	Gérard	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to IV Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 202	Rapp	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to V Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 203	LeCourbe	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to Corps Jura	
Soult - Mouvement 204	Suchet	Notification of reorganization of Cavalry and the division attached to Corps Alps	
Soult - Mouvement 205	Pajol	Notice of command of 1st Corps Cavalry and orders to establish it at Marle	
Soult - Mouvement 206	Exelmans	Notice of command of 2nd Corps Cavalry and orders to establish it at Guise	
Soult - Mouvement 207	Kellerman	Notice of command of 3rd Corps Cavalry and orders to establish it at Vervins	
Soult - Mouvement 208	Milhaud	Notice of command of 4th Corps Cavalry and orders to establish it at Cateau-Cambrésis	
Soult - Mouvement 209	Ruty	Notice of reorganization of Cavalry, and need for outfitting with artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 210	Neigre	Notice of reorganization of Cavalry, and to make arrangements for it	
Soult - Mouvement 211	Grouchy	Order to go to Laon and take command of cavalry, reorganization of cavalry - Copy	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 212	Davout	Notice of orders to Grouchy	
Soult - Mouvement 213	Daure	Notice of new organization of Cavalry	
Daure	Soult	Reports on different problems encountered by the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Camp's equipment is insufficient in Laon	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Daure will provide for the needs of the 3rd corps	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Construction of four ovens of 500 rations each in Reims	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Requests detailed report of equipment needed by the 3 <sup>e</sup> corps	SHD C15-4
Neigre	Ruty	Supply of canons for the reserve	SHD C15-4
Neigre	Ruty	State and number of canons in the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4

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Drouot	Soult	Troops leave for Compiègne on June 4	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 494	Frère & La Poype	1st Battalion National Guards in Lille	
d'Erlon - 495	Soult & Davout	Retired military recalled	
d'Erlon - 495	Soult	Officers arrive in Valenciennes; Drouot wants to keep them, dismiss others	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 496	Davout	Arrest of Fieret & Dumont, letter from Comte de Lille	
d'Erlon - 497	Reille	Le Quesnoy to join d'Erlon's arrondissement	
d'Erlon - 498	Davout	Letter from Taubin; request for replacement commander.	
d'Erlon - 499	Marcognet	Troops to gather at mill to await orders	
d'Erlon - 500	Davout	Taubin "blew his brains out" at 4 p.m.	
Reille - 172	Davout and Soult	Prussian troops are moving toward Luxembourg and are still numerous in Charleroi	SHD C15-4
Reille	Vandamme	Reille evacuated the communes he still occupied in the Canton of Trelon	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Rounds made in the places on the border	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Reconnaissance by the Prussians at the border; shots fired at the customs officers	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Reconnaissance by the Prussians at the border; shots fired at the customs officers	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Captain Cachera's report on the spirit of the 1st regiment of hussars	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot		Punishments for soldiers; death penalty for Brobèque for desertion	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Douradon	Troops will arrive in Rocroi on June 9	SHD C15-4
Boilleaud	Guilleminot	20,000 men assembled at Charleroi, troops from Hanover come to Charleroi	SHD C15-4
Teste	Davout	Teste arrives in Arras, men and supplies are late	SHD C15-4
Teste	Soult	Troops needed in the Pas-de-Calais	SHD C15-4
		Teste is sent to the Pas-de-Calais to ensure tranquility	SHD C15-4
Piré	Soult	Copy of Lobau's report on the consequences of the financial cuts in salary	SHD C15-4

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Piré	Lobau	Discontent of the troops due to a change in salary	SHD C15-4
Domon		Charles X becomes king and wants to send 2000 cossacks to the Vendée; other reports	SHD C15-4
Bonnemains		Regiments must have buttons indicating their actual number	SHD C15-4
Rippert	Bonnemains	Number of sickles necessary for each regiment	SHD C15-4
Fouché	Davout	Trouble among Dunkerque's inhabitants	SHD C15-4
Leval	Davout	Measures to arrest 10 leaders of the anti-Napoléon events in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Dériot	Davout	Artillery and sappers leave for Compiègne on June 4	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Sends Lenoir's report on Dunkerque's fortifications and armament	SHD C15-4
Arnauld	Davout	Arnauld will now correspond with Vasserot and not Frère	SHD C15-4
Arnauld	Davout	Situation of the 28 <sup>e</sup> de ligne	SHD C15-4
Castille	Davout	Asks to hasten the arrival of the 15th company of canoniers	SHD C15-4
Auberon	Davout	Troops arrive in Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Saint-Michel	Davout	Pressing need for clothes for his seven battalions	SHD C15-4
Préfet de l'Oise	Lobau	Sends report on the departure of elite battalions of the Garde Nationale of Oise	SHD C15-4
Massé	Douradon	To whom must the 7088 bottles received be sent?	SHD C15-4
Parent	Douradon	What must be done with the bottles?; Complaint concerning camarade Berand	SHD C15-4
Dunkerque's notability	Leval	Dunkerque's notability says it played no part in the city's disorder	SHD C15-4
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Bertrand - 6038	Duc d'Otrante	Requests passport to go to England for business affairs	
Bertrand - 6039	Napoléon	Draft decree to appoint Mr. [Lenez] sous-inspector of forests	
Bertrand - 6040	[Brouard]	Bertrand will present Gen. Brouard to the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6041	Mouton-Duvernét	Bertrand proposes Mouton-Duvernét for active employment in the army	

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Bertrand - 6042	[Lasalutte]	Letter received, delivered	
Bertrand - 6043	Off. of Île d'Elbe?	Sums due to officers from Elbe, draft decree for Aubert	
Bertrand - 6044	Napoléon	Several requests for the Legion of Honor and decorations	
Bertrand - 6045		4 men must [see] Bertrand ([Cheolard, Barrarini, Bougan & Bargigli])	
Bertrand - 6046	Napoléon	Request payment of monthly stipend for Mr. Poggi	
Bertrand - 6047	Davout	Requests a place in the guards (Alps) for Mr. Rodole	
Bertrand - 6048	Napoléon	Request new post for Precept Prévost, with draft decree	
Bertrand - 6049	Drouot	Request nomination of Preverand du Monceau for Lt. (Artillery)	
Bertrand - 6050	Napoléon	Legion of honor for Pinet and [Legrare]	
Bertrand - 6051		The list of shows must be brought to the Tuileries	
Bertrand - 6052	Sahut	Request six men to come by ([Fabre, Libre, Bouzan, Bertarini, Bagigli, Cholard])	
Davout	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor : destination of 28 battalions, 2nd division.	AF IV 1936
Davout	Napoléon	New organization of the Cavalry Tables	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Orders for the 2nd company to join their Army Corps	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Répartition du génie	SHD C15-4
Davout	Rogniat	Notes on the defense of the Somme received	SHD C15-4
Davout	Ruty	Re: artillery	SHD C15-4
Davout	Pajol	1 <sup>er</sup> Corps Cavalerie to be quartered in La Capelle	SHD C15-4
Davout		Five letters from Davout to Generals	Private
Soult - Rapports 64	Napoleon	Armée de la Moselle itinerary to border; dispositions of Armée du Nord	
Soult - Rapports 65	Napoléon	Report: Status of men and horses, Armées du Nord & Moselle, Imperial Guard	AF IV 1938
Soult	Napoléon	Report on Gérard's IV Corps' movement to the frontier	Private

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Soult - Mouvement 214	Davout	Forward a copy of Ruty's letter concerning pontoon companies	
Soult - Mouvement 215	Ruty	New organization of I Corps cavalry	
Soult - Mouvement 216	Pajol	Changes to I Corps cavalry, HQ in La Capelle, troops in La Capelle and Nouvion	
Soult - Mouvement 217	Ruty	Changes to I Corps cavalry, artillery	
Soult - Mouvement 218	Grouchy	Changes to I Corps cavalry, in La Capelle, not in Marles	SHD C15-4 - Copy
Soult	Davout	New organization of I Corps cavalry	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout/Grouchy?	Itinerary for 14th Division cavalry	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout/Grouchy?	Itinerary: Haguenau to Hirson, Thionville to Guise	SHD C15-4
Soult	Rogniat	War pay	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout	Orders for new cavalry organization	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout	State of the Engineers (génie)	SHD C15-4
Soult	Daure	Organization of the cavalry - draft of Soult	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Report on provisions, hospitals, equipment, reply annotated.	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	provisions	SHD C15-4
Daure	Davout	Indemnités et traitements (des Généraux)	SHD C15-4
Daure	Davout	Caissons to transport papers	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 501	Girardin	Orders for movement	
d'Erlon - 502	Soult	Taubin's suicide	
d'Erlon - 503	Davout	Off. G <sup>al</sup> needed to replace Taubin, Death of Col. [Taubin]	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 504	Davout	1st Corps to be in Valenciennes June 6	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 505	Soult	Position of Bavay, fortification of Quesnoi	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 506	Soult	Deserters and recruitment	SHD C15-4

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d'Erlon - 507	Davout	Zylaf requests transfer	
d'Erlon - 508	Sub-prefect in St Omer	Recalled military sent to National Guard must return (Gagemont)	
d'Erlon - 509	d'Arnauld	Recalled military sent to National Guard must return (to Gagemont)	
d'Erlon - 510	Prefect of le Nord	Supplies, rations & recalled military	
d'Erlon - 511	Gagemont	Recalled military	
d'Erlon - 512	Prefect of Pas-de-Calais	Recruitment	
d'Erlon - 513	Soult	Review of troops, Organisation des Gardes Nationales	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 514	Davout	arrest of [Sr] d'Arnaud de St. Sauveur	
Marcognet		Ordre du jour: to judge a soldier for desertion	SHD C15-4
Reille - 173	Ordonnateur	Colonel Cornebise must leave for Paris	
Reille - 174	Davout	Colonel Cornebise's allegiance is suspicious	
Reille - 175	Davout	Reconnaissance party crossed border; shots	SHD C15-4
Reille	Soult	Letter re: 4th Div. crossed border; troops ready for review	SHD C15-4
Reille	Soye	Order for Col. Cornebise - complete	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Intendant Général	Caissons to transport papers	SHD C15-4
Lacroix		Ordre du jour re: syphilis	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Rations	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Résumé of reports on the enemy	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Résumé of reports on the enemy	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Request for instruction	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Notice of 16 arrested in Stenay	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Re: proclamations prussiennes	SHD C15-4



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Guilleminot		Ordre du jour: Serg. Nadule	SHD C15-4
3e Corps [Guilleminot]	Lemoine	Ordre du jour	SHD C15-4
3e Corps [Guilleminot]	Davout	Résumé and letter to transmit interrogation	SHD C15-4
Lemoine		Interrogation of F. Hartemberg	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Davout	Austrians celebrate victories, cross borders	SHD C15-11
Hulot	Ruty	Overuse of ammunition	SHD C15-4
Hulot	Ruty	Organization of arms and munitions	SHD C15-4
Lafosse	Davout	National Guard in Pas-de-Calais, report	SHD C15-4
Rovigo	Davout	Insurrections in Pas-de-Calais	SHD C15-4
Bourcke	Davout	Desertions & Mont d'Haure	SHD C15-4
Kail	Davout	Devotion to the Emperor	SHD C15-4
Préfet du Pas de Calais [Dumont]	Davout	Provisions for siege; ordinance	SHD C15-4
Amey	Davout	10 notables of Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Préval	Davout	Corps assembled	SHD C15-4
Bonnemains		Order for the 6th division cavalry	SHD C15-4
Hargenvilliers	Salamon	Excerpt of a letter from Gen. Laval - commodities	SHD C15-4
Hargenvilliers	Salamon	Excerpt of a letter (requesting cavalry)	SHD C15-4
[Thiebault]	[Cte ...]	Request for artillery	SHD C15-4
	Hargenvilliers	Note to transmit two letters	SHD C15-4
Lt. de gendarmerie à Givet (Panier?)		Daily report	SHD C15-4
Goris		Position of troops	SHD C15-4
		Duplicate of Goris' position of troops	SHD C15-4

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Command't Chateau Bouillon	Sevelinge	Treason in the Duchy of Bouillon	SHD C15-4
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Napoleon - 22011, 39942	Davout	Regarding ADCs to Prince Jerome	
Bertrand - 6053	Major-Général	Referral of [Goedomisk], Polish officer, for employment in headquarters	
Bertrand - 6054	Leduc	Pay [Goedromisk] and Bartolini 1000 f	
Bertrand - 6055	Caulincourt	Mr. Theologue, translator on Île d'Elbe, seeks employment	
Bertrand - 6056	Chambellan de service	Bertrand will send Pietrasanta to see the Chamberlain	
Bertrand - 6057	Napoléon	Request places for [Bartoleni and Mounith] in police service	
Bertrand - 6058	Mayor of Lyon	Details received and confirmed by M. [Corelius]	
Bertrand - 6059	Napoléon	Sapey requests deputation from the College of Yvri	
Bertrand - 6060	Davout	Request money to equip Desmarquet, who is ordered to the army	
Bertrand - 6061	Gaudin	Bouzan to be named Engineer of the Cadastre	
Bertrand - 6062	Guerchy	Inform Guerchy of the opening of the legislative body	
Bertrand - 6063	Sahut	Tell Sahut to go to the Emperor's study	
Bertrand - 6064	Madame Michel	Requests son's name in order to offer a promotion	
Davout	Girard	He will command 7th Division of 2nd Corps	Inédits Napoleoniens 1
Davout	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor: d'Erlon to Valenciennes, concerns of La Poype	AF IV 1939
Davout	Napoléon	Concerns for safety of Lille at departure of Donzelot's division	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Notice of orders to Neigre: Pontonniers to go to Soissons to join Imperial Guard	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	Notice of orders to Neigre, Pontonniers to go to Soissons to join Imperial Guard	SHD C15-4
Davout	Drouot	Notice of counter-order: 2nd company trains et equipages to go to Soissons, not Laon.	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commandant le département de l'Aisne	Notice of counter-order: 2nd company trains et equipages to go to Soissons, not Laon.	SHD C15-4

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Davout	d'Erlon	Minute de la lettre écrite: orders to General La Poype. Report to the Emperor. d'Erlon to Valenciennes; La Poype worried.	SHD C15-4
Davout	Neigre	Order of movement	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau, copy to Soult	Notice of order of movement sent to Neigre	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commissé ordonnateur de la 1 <sup>ère</sup> Division militaire	Notice of order of movement sent to Neigre	SHD C15-4
Davout	Grouchy, copy to Soult	3rd regiment of Chasseurs ordered to Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon + Commissé ord	3rd regiment of Chasseurs ordered to Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	3rd Chasseurs ordered from Versailles to Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau + l'ordonnateur de la 1 <sup>ère</sup> division militaire	Order for 3rd regiment of Chasseurs to go to Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Davout	La Poype	La Poype to organize and supply men, d'Erlon will send a cavalry regiment	SHD C15-4
Davout	Grouchy	Orders for a new distribution of the cavalry - Copy	SHD C15-4
Davout	Grouchy	Orders for a new distribution of the cavalry - minute	SHD C15-4
Davout	Gérard	Metz requests to re-establish communication with Germany	SHD C15-11
Davout	Lt. G <sup>al</sup> . C. <sup>dt</sup> la 16 <sup>e</sup> D. <sup>ion</sup> M. <sup>re</sup> à Lille	Orders for 1st Chasseurs à cheval (light cavalry) to return from Béthune	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	Orders for 1st Chasseurs à cheval (light cavalry) to return from Béthune	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Recall of the 1815 conscripts; decree of March 28; La Meuse excepted	SHD C17-193
Davout	Salamon	Instructions given to Gazan to secure defense.	SHD C15-4
Soult - Rapports 66	Napoleon	Dispositions of depots/garrisons	
Soult - Rapports 67	Napoléon	Jerome had told Soult of his command of 6th Division and request for Guilleminot	AF IV 1938
Soult - Rapports 68	Napoleon	Eagles of Light Infantry regiments, Dragoons, and Light Cavalry - request for instructions	
Soult - Mouvement 219	Lobau	Notice of regiment to join 19th Infantry Division arriving in Paris on June 7th	

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Soult - Mouvement 220	d'Erlon	Response to letter of June 3rd, Napoleon approves d'Erlon's suggestions	
Soult - Mouvement 221	Rogniat & Rutty	Per report of June 2nd: instructions for battery in Laon	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 222	Rogniat	Per report of June 2nd: instructions for battery in Laon	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 223	Commander of l'Oise à Beauvais	Order 8th Light Infantry to leave for Arras	
Soult - Mouvement 224	Teste	Notice that 8th Light Infantry will arrive in Arras by June 11th	
Soult - Mouvement 225	Lobau	Notice that 8th Light Infantry will arrive in Arras by June 11; Teste will join VI	
Soult - Mouvement 226	Davout	Notice of 8th Light Infantry provisions; order to General Teste to go to Arras	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 227	Rutty	Receipt of May 31st report from Neigre: supplies of ammunition are considerable	
Soult - Mouvement 228	Davout	Contact G <sup>al</sup> Defrance regarding state of cavalry regiments	
Soult - Mouvement 229	Davout	Notice of Labau's orders to Laon, suggesting that Rogniat organize the sappers with Army Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 230	Rogniat	Execute orders given re: movement - the copy relating to Armée de la Moselle	
Soult - Mouvement 231	Lobau	Notice of provision of engineering regiment	
Soult - Mouvement 232	d'Erlon	Notice of Rogniat's orders and provision of engineering regiment	
Soult - Mouvement 233	Rouyer	Order 2nd Division National Guards to Metz/Thionville to receive orders from Gérard	SHD C15-11
	Rouyer	Order 2nd Division National Guards to Metz/Thionville to receive orders from Gérard - Copy	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 234	Lanusse	Notice of movement of 2nd Division of National Guards - Copy	SHD C15-4
	Lanusse	Notice of movement of 2nd Division of National Guards - Copy	SHD C15-11
Soult - Mouvement 235	Davout	Notice to put into operation orders to follow given itinerary to be at Rocroi by 13 June	SHD C15-11
Soult - Mouvement 240 & 241	Rapp	Notice of Gérard's orders and Rouyer's relieving Gérard and how to cooperate with Rapp	
Soult - Mouvement 242	Rutty	Notice of Gérard's orders and Rouyer's relieving Gérard and how to cooperate with Rapp	
Soult - Mouvement 243	Rogniat	Notice of Gérard's orders and Rouyer's relieving Gérard and how to cooperate with Rapp, - Copy	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 244	Davout	Notice of Gérard's orders and Rouyer's relieving Gérard and how to cooperate with Rapp	

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Soult - Mouvement 245	Daure	Notice of Gérard's orders and Rouyer's relieving Gérard and how to cooperate with Rapp	
Soult	Grouchy	The Emperor will suppress white aglets for the First cavalry regiment - Copy	SHD C15-4
Soult	Gérard	Orders to march to Rocroi - notes	SHD C15-11
Soult	Gérard	Orders to march to Rocroi - Draft meant for registry	SHD C15-11
Ruty	Soult	Distribution chart for all batteries for cavalry divisions; state of the artillery staff	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Distribution of horse artillery batteries to the newly formed cavalry divisions - part of above, need charts	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Composition of the artillery staff for the cavalry corps	SHD C15-4
Rogniat	Soult	Request for funds to provide for fortification works in Laon and Reims	SHD C15-4
Rogniat	Soult	Report on the Armée du Nord; organization of staff and equipment.	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradou	Orders for the 14th Cavalry to go to Hirson and to the 15th Dragoon to go to Guise	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Lieutenant-General Count Piré complains about biscuit-bread.	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Report on the organization of food, etc. Organization for auxiliary crews, hospitals, post	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Organization to feed the Armée du Nord (staff and material)	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 514	Milhaud	Milhaud named commander of 4th Corps	
d'Erlon - 515	Girardin	Girardin to report to Grouchy	
d'Erlon - 516	Lahoussaye	Lahoussaye's cavalry division dissolved	
d'Erlon - 517	Commander at Le Quesnoy	[Bahilleur Thomas] retired by Davout	
d'Erlon - 518	Commander at Le Quesnoy	Letter received. Artillery to complete arming	
d'Erlon - 519	Soult	Wellington's activity in Ninove; 20,000 men in Casteau	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 520	Davout	Wellington's activity in Ninove; 20,000 men in Casteau	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 521	Reille	Permission to use Le Quesnoy's 'mutentions'	
d'Erlon - 522	Prefect of le Nord	Construction of a dam at Valenciennes	

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d'Erlon - 523	Frère	160 boats to go from Douai to Lille	
d'Erlon - 524	Soult and Davout	Le Quesnoy: Dupré unfit and Thomas ordered to retire	
d'Erlon - 525	Soult	Milhaud to be in Cateau June 7 with the 13th Cavalry and an artillery company	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 526	Davout	Note to accompany last testament of Col. Taubin	
d'Erlon - 527	Soult	To accompany act of the Comte de Lille, fidelity medals	
d'Erlon - 528	Frère	Order to move troops to Le Quesnoy not given by d'Erlon	
d'Erlon - 529	La Poype	Promotions	
d'Erlon - 530	Allix	1st battalion of the 54th to join 1st Division	
d'Erlon - 531	Lapoye	Orders to send National Guard to front on June 2 <i>not</i> from d'Erlon	
Reille - 176	Davout	Allied armies' movements near Charleroi	SHD C15-4
Reille - 177	Soult	Orders given for new organization of the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Reille	Soult	Movements of enemy troops on Charleroi	SHD C15-4
Reille	Vandamme ou Domon	Dommanget sent to Vandamme as 'Mar. de camp' with 4th, 9th & 12th regiment Chasseurs	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Transcription of interrogations: of an ex-customs officer and of a deserter	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Ordre du Jour	Ordre du jour: the Bourbons' & their agents.	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Completion of weaponry, pack-horses, etc.	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Soldiers must have everything they need in order to prevent desertion	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Douradon	Movements of Chasseurs, Hussars and Lancers with itinerary	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Davout	Organization and position of various troops of the Army of the Moselle	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Soult	Organization and position of various troops of the Army of the Moselle	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Lanusse	Eagles for regiments	SHD C15-11
Lobau	Soult	Information on 6th Corps	SHD C15-4

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Lobau	Davout	Excerpt of letter from Bettinger: royalists, Gardes Nationales in Moselle, civil authorities	SHD C15-4
Géant		Two detachments of the 17th Dragoons and the 1st Hussars reached their destination	SHD C15-4
	Davout	Distribution of the troupes du génie in the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4
		Condition of the dragoons	SHD C15-4
Panier		Transcription of the interrogation of Lucher, deserter of the Prussian army	SHD C15-4
Panier		Transcription of the interrogation of Moreaux, coming from Wesel	SHD C15-4
Evain	Salamon	Order from the Emperor: Pontonniers to go to Soissons	SHD C15-4
Desnoyers	Davout	Actions taken for Aire's conservation.	SHD C15-4
Bigarne	Davout	Military actions taken to secure Bouchain and to defend it in case of siege	SHD C15-4
Carnot	Davout	Information sent by Mr. Cochelet. Discontent in la Meuse	SHD C15-11
Lavalette	Soult	Service des postes	SHD C15-4
Margaron		Ordre du jour	SHD C15-4
Commandant Sup Verdun		Defense works	SHD C15-4
Montalivet	Caulaincourt	Inquiry regarding the distribution of 2,000,000 to Napoléon's former servants	95AP/11
Monthion	Grouchy	Five letters from Davout to generals	Private
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Napoleon - 22022, 39968	Drouot	Orders for the Guard	
Napoleon - 39965	Davout	Cavalry generals should go to their commands	need
Napoleon - 39969	Drouot	Place guard in column on road to Laon.	
Napoleon	Davout	Lille's garrison; move line infantry out of places	Inédits Napoleoniens 1
Napoleon	Davout	Various appointments including Berthezène; Lille	Inédits Napoleoniens 1
Napoleon	Davout	Generals should go to their commands	Inédits Napoleoniens 1

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Bertrand - 6065	Montesquiou	The Emperor grants full ranks to Gen. Belliard	
Bertrand - 6066	[Pachod]	The Emperor will see him June 7	
Bertrand - 6067	Grand Chambellan	Request 12 hussars for the legislative corps; Geurchy will place them	
Bertrand - 6068	Comte Lavallette	Legislative corps set to take place June 7 at 4 p.m.	
Bertrand - 6069	[Vallet]	[Mallet] requests position as war commissioner	
Bertrand - 6070	[Jobard]	To propose position in the Young Guard	
Bertrand - 6071	Decree	[Catuffe] for captain of dragoons	
Bertrand - 6072	Napoléon	Requests from [Sauvage, Auchois, Boisselier and the widow Mangin]	
Bertrand - 6073		Limay proposed for decoration	
Bertrand - 6074	Duc de Vicence	Diplomatic forum	
Bertrand - 6075	Bourse	Request to place children in school	
Bertrand - 6076		Paris priest ([Paillin]) to speak about parish priest of Meudon	
Bertrand - 6077	Caffarelli	Requests state of appointments (money) due to officers	
Bertrand - 6078	Leduc	To pay officers, Cafarelli with write up the statement	
Bertrand - 6079	Peyrusse	Request observations re: a letter and some funds from sales	
Bertrand - 6080	Ministre de la Marine	Request a copy of the budget from Île d'Elbe from May 7.	
Bertrand - 6081		Minister of Treasury has sent funds	
Bertrand - 6082	Napoléon	Worry over funds sent	
Bertrand - 6083	Hulin	The opening ceremony of the Chambers	
Bertrand - 6084	General [Durossel]	The opening ceremony of the Chambers	
Bertrand - 6085	Napoléon	Extraordinary charges (by Defermon and Montaliver) examined	
Davout - 1750	Vandamme, d'Erlon, Gérard, Reille	Hostilities imminent	



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Davout	Napoléon and Soult	Troops move to Rocroi	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon and Soult	Troops move to Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon, Frère, Lemarois, Lobau	Gazan named Commandant en chef in defense of la Somme	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	(Napoléon &) Soult	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Defrance	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commt 18th Division in Dijon	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Margaron	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commre des guerres, Aube	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Hulin / Lobau	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Hulin / Lobau	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais - draft?	SHD C15-4
Davout	ordonnateur de la 1re divon milre à Paris	15th regiment of dragons leaves Bar-sur-Aube for Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Davout	Governors and commanders of the 16th Div & of Somme and Aisne	Nomination of Gazan as commander in chief	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon and Ordonnateur	Troops leave Granville for Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Reille and Ordonnateur	Troops leave Paris for Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme and Ordonnateur	Order to reunite troops coming from Besançon to the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4
Davout	Hulin / Lobau	Troops must leave Paris for Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Ordonnateur of the 1st Division	Troops must leave Paris for Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Captain Leblanc charged with bribery	SHD C15-4
Davout	Gazan	Situation of the troops; copies of orders sent to commanders	SHD C15-4
Davout	[Westrel]	Baron Chemineau proposed to assume commandment of Landau	SHD C15-4

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Davout	Lobau	Gazan gets command - Davout still refers to Lobau as commandant 1st Division Militaire	SHD C15-4
Davout	Rovigo	Situation in Pas de Calais; General Teste will go there with 3 battalions	SHD C15-4
Davout	Caulaincourt	English ship fires nine cannonballs on a French ship	SHD C15-4
Davout	Hulin/Lobau and Ordonnateur	Orders to move two companies from Strasbourg & Metz to Vincennes	SHD C15-11
Davout	Gérard and Ordonnateur	Orders to move an artillery company from Metz to Vincennes	SHD C15-11
Davout	Hulin/Lobau?	2nd battalion must join the 7th infantry division	SHD C15-4
Davout	Salamon	2nd battalion will join the 7th infantry division	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon and Soult	2nd battalion of 82nd regiment will join the 7th infantry division	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	36 letters from Davout to Soult, May 13–June 6	Private
Davout	Lobau	Copy of circular sent to governors under Gazan's command	SHD C15-4
Davout	Ducos	Instructions for the defense of Longwy	SHD C15-11
Davout	Miollis	Memorandum of 31: rapport of Div. Cdr.s and Gov.s of strongholds	SHD C15-11
Davout	Lenoir	Measures to ensure calm in Dunkerque have not been applied	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 237	Neigre	Orders for General Neigre concerning Guise and La Fère	SHD C15-4
Soult - Rapports 69	Davout	Requests orders re: officers' pay	
Soult - Mouvement 236	Davout	Two decisions of Napoleon with orders to execute	
Soult - Mouvement 237	Neigre	Urgent that bridge crew at Guize be organized	
Soult - Mouvement 238	Ruty	Urgent that bridge crew at Guize be organized	
Soult - Mouvement 239	Davout	Urgent that bridge crew at Guize be organized	
Soult - Mouvement 246	d'Erlon	Officers for garrisons and national guards	
Soult - Mouvement 247	Davout	Send generals/officers to command divisions/brigades formed by d'Erlon	
Soult - Mouvement 248	Lobau	21st division will be given necessary cavalry & gendarmerie	

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Soult - Mouvement 249	d'Erlon	Lobau will be at Avesnes, Reille at Maubeuge; prepare to march the 13th	
Soult - Mouvement 250	Reille	Lobau will be at Avesnes, Reille at Maubeuge; prepare to march the 13th	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 251	Vandamme	Army of the Moselle will leave the 7th, replaced by Rouyer's troops. Camp near Chimay. Be prepared to march within 3 hrs of rec'ing orders.	SHD C17-193
Soult	Vandamme	Duplicate - Army of the Moselle will leave the 7th, replaced by Rouyer's troops. Camp near Chimay. Be prepared to march within 3 hrs of rec'ing orders.	SHD C17-193
Soult - Mouvement 252	Lobau	Lobau will be at Avesnes, Reille at Maubeuge; prepare to march the 13th	
Soult - Mouvement 253	Grouchy	Cavalry must be at their destination by the 12th	
Soult - Mouvement 254	Daure	Notification of movements; prepare subsistence	
Soult - Mouvement 255	Rogniat	Notification of the movements of the Armée du Nord, (same to Ruty & Davout?)	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout	Movements ordered to the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th corps; prepare subsistence	SHD C15-4
Soult	Reille, d'Erlon, Lobau, Grouchy, Daure	Notes for Orders given for movements of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th corps - registry entries notated.	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Barrois's division arrives in Soissons; reports on different equipments	SHD C15-4
Daure	Davout	Barrois arrived in Soissons. Report on supplies, services, etc.	
Daure	Soult	Ambulance and rations services are ensured by the 6th corps	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Asks for list of the commissioners & assistants under Douradon's command	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 532	Davout	Mr. Dumont's resignation	
d'Erlon - 533	Bassano	d'Erlon named pair de France	
d'Erlon - 534	Davout	d'Erlon named pair de France	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 535	Soult	Lt. Milhaut received orders, will go to Cateau	
d'Erlon - 536	[Dumas]	Status of canonniers sédentaires in Valenciennes	
d'Erlon - 537	Davout et Soult	Desertion of an officer of 4th Infantry Division under Lt. Gen. Durutte	
d'Erlon - 538	Davout	Movements of Jacquinot's, Milhaud's and Vincent's troops	SHD C15-4

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d'Erlon	Chief of Movement of Troops	Excerpt of letter from d'Erlon to Davout	SHD C15-4
Marcognet		Ordre du jour: Formation of a war council to judge a deserted soldier	SHD C15-4
Reille - 178	Davout	Letters of patent sent; Le Quesnoy is now under d'Erlon's orders	
Reille - 179	Soult	Enemies in Marbais and Mons; deserters have come to the French side - both originals exist	SHD C15-4
Reille	Davout	Enemies in Marbais and Mons; deserters have come to the French side - both originals exist	SHD C15-4
Reille	Davout	Anonymous letters sent to the generals to bribe them	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	3 reports of enemy movements; Prussians spread proclamations, with attachment	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Ordre du jour: Army corps will get salary boosts	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Douradon	The Swiss regiment moves from Rocroi to Chimay	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Davout	Detachments are organized	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Baron Gérard	Code to use for sensitive correspondance	SHD C15-11
Milhaud	Soult	Milhaud's new commandment; Movement to Cateau-Cambrésis	SHD C15-4
Watier	Davout	Waits for cavalry divisions; seniority rights not being respected	SHD C15-4
Bonnemains	Daure	Asks for the funds to complete the armament of his 4 regiments	SHD C15-4
Bonnemains	Soult	Review of arms; requests orders to complete the arming of 6th Cavalry	SHD C15-4
Thiébauld	Monthion	Organisation of the army posts - multiple pages	SHD C15-4
Projean	Davout	Armament of Rocroi; desertion in the 6th battalion of the Ardennes	SHD C15-4
Maurin	Douradon	Itinary of troops sent to Marle to replace troops that left, itinerary attached	SHD C15-4
Lefevre [Magnier]	Ordonnateur of the 3rd corps	The city can't pay for the rations claimed by the 3rd corps	SHD C15-4
Caen	Salamon	Sends Davout's orders about Gazan's commandment	SHD C15-4
Carnot	Davout	Generals want to replace civil authorities in the border communes	SHD C15-4
Defrance	Soult	Resources and men available in the cavalry deposits of the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4

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Bourcier	Davout	Troops leave for Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Disorder in Dunkerque, orders to arrest delinquants	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Siege supplies and armament are insufficient	SHD C15-4
La Poype	Davout	Requests instructions for forces in Lille	SHD C15-4
La Poype	Davout	Requests cavalry	SHD C15-4
Margaron	Davout	Departure of the 4th company from Aire	SHD C15-4
Sabatier	Davout	Doullens is put in a state of siege	SHD C15-4
Major Petiet	Davout	Péronne is put in a state of siege	SHD C15-4
Walckiers	Davout	Seditious writings scattered by the enemy at the border; enemy gets stronger, with attachments	SHD C15-4
Plaige	Davout	3 battalions arrived in Landrecies from Lyonne	SHD C15-4
Alexandre de Lameth	Davout	Nominates a new prefect and a new deputy prefect	SHD C15-4
Raoul		Report on the defense of the Vosges	SHD C15-11
Sarrelouis		Excerpt from a letter: Information on the position of enemy outposts	SHD C15-11
Payeur 4th Division	Baron Gérard	Work orders to be paid	SHD C15-11
Lucotte	Davout	Notice of departure of a detachment before counter-orders were received; Itinerary	SHD C15-11
[Count d'Authouïard]	Col. [Boulay]	Vehicles for the artillery park	SHD C15-11
Ducos	Davout	Arms and provisions for the defense of Longwy.	SHD C15-11
Chef de cavalerie		Requests Salamon to expedite order for 15th dragoons to go to Beauvais	SHD C15-4
Pelletier		Communicates an anonymous letter	SHD C15-4
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Napoleon - 22030, 39976	Bertrand	Orders for the Maison etc.	
Napoleon - 22025, 39982	Davout	Orders for Jerome, Girard, Berthezène, Grouchy, Mortier, and others	

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Napoleon - 6853	Davout	Orders for Duhesme and Barrois	
Napoleon - 1659	Davout	Appoint Haxo commander of the guard engineers	
Napoleon - 1661	Davout	About the northern department garrisons	
Napoleon - 22027, 39996	Soult	Intercept communications at frontier	
Napoleon - 22028, 39997	Soult	Soult's mission to Lille	
Napoleon - 22029, 39998	Soult	Orders for Lobau	
Napoléon	Soult	Orders Lobau to depart and arrival of Guard at Laon	Private
Napoleon - 22032	Dejean	Orders to tour the north and report daily	
Napoleon - 22031, 39991	Drouot	Orders for Guard	
Napoleon - 1664	Drouot	Appointment of Guard general offices	
Napoleon - 22033	Gourgaud?	L'officier d'ordonnance to Somme and return to Avesnes.	
Napoleon - 1665	Gourgaud?	L'officier d'ordonnance to Metz and return to Avesnes.	
Bertrand - 6086	Fouché	Request passport for [Mr. Micellaret] to go to America	
Bertrand - 6087	Napoléon	Political authors (Poulton; Michel) Michel & Catuste refused sermon to king	
Bertrand - 6088	[Henin]	Praise for his success.	
Bertrand - 6089	Montalivet	Concerning a sum advanced in 1814	
Bertrand - 6090	Napoléon	National Guard in Lyon	
Bertrand - 6091	Radet	The House vivandière requires certificate	
Bertrand - 6092	[Rousseau]	Requests Rousseau to write	
Bertrand - 6093	Des Maris	Visit to Madame - her gallery and dresses.	
Bertrand - 6094	[La Chèze]	Information on his affair sent to Prince. He will have safe passage.	
Bertrand - 6095	Gaudin	Boat from Elbe in Walonia. Request orders for transport to Paris.	

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Bertrand - 6096	Matthieu	Desire to be useful	
Bertrand - 6097	Duc de [Bassan]	St. Cloud offers a canon	
Bertrand - 6098	[Estand]	Indemnities	
Bertrand - 6099	Schultz	Sent back to Minister of Police	
Bertrand - 6100	[Lady Fitzgerald]	Lady Fitzgerald	
Bertrand - 6101	Fouché	Passport request for Mr. Campbell	
Bertrand - 6102	Grand Écuyer	Note to copy and excerpt His Majesty's letter	
Bertrand - 6103	De [Turenne]	Request to complete Emperor's equipage	
Bertrand - 6104	Lavalette	Napoleon will go to Soissons	
Bertrand - 6105	[Foulers]	Courier sent	
Bertrand - 6106	[Roucke]	Equipages in Compiègne to go to Soissons	
Bertrand - 6107	Aide de camp de service	Horses to go to Soissons	
Bertrand - 6108	Gourgaud	Officers to go to Soissons	
Bertrand	Caulaincourt	Note to the Grand Ecuyer (at midnight): coordination to ensure that the Emperor has the necessary	95AP/11
Caulaincourt		Livery service for the opening ceremony of the Chambers	95AP/11
Caulaincourt	Montalivet	Note to forward the distribution of the 2,000,000	95AP/11
Caulaincourt	Montalivet	Gardes Forestiers du parc de Versailles	95AP/11
Davout	Napoléon	Report on movement of troops	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Reille will reorganize his division	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Notice of Gen. Gazan's mission & letter of June 6	SHD C15-4
Davout		Gazan named Commandant en chef	SHD C15-4
Davout		Ordre du Ministre: establish a defensive line	SHD C15-4

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Davout	Soult	Minute de la lettre & report: 18th div marching to Corbeil and Laon	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	18th division marching to Corbeil and Laon	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Minute de la lettre: Gen. Gazan,	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Erlon	Minute de la lettre: Remove cavalry from Lille	SHD C15-4
Davout	La Poype	Minute de la lettre: Remove cavalry from Lille	SHD C15-4
Davout	Reille	Emp. approved exchange, 2e léger & 3 ligne	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lobau	Col. Gérard at Soissons	SHD C15-4
[Davout]	Lobau & ordonnateur, 6th	Movement of troops	SHD C15-4
Davout	Gérard	63rd line to leave Metz for Sézanne; 96th line remains	SHD C15-11
Davout	Gérard	Desertion in Sarrelouis	SHD C15-11
Davout	Ordonnateur, 3rd Div.	Orders for services to 63rd Reg en route to Sezanne	SHD C15-11
Davout	Hulin	Minutes of the letter: Movement of troops	SHD C15-4
Davout	Leclerc	Guns of the 12th Leger sent, reg't to join 7th div.	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commis. ord. de la 1ère Div.	Request food and services for troops in movement	SHD C15-4
Davout	Gérard	Order to move 63rd line from Metz to Sézanne	SHD C15-11
[Davout]	Commre des Guerres (Marne)	Sapeurs & génie to Château Thierry	SHD C15-4
Davout	Commt Dept. Marne	Sapeurs & génie to Château Thierry	SHD C15-4
[Davout]	Lobau & ordonnateur, 6th	Sapeurs & génie to Château Thierry	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 256	Vandamme	Recruiting officers are returning to depots	
Soult - Mouvement 257	Grouchy	Cavalry in Paris will return to their regiments	
Soult - Mouvement 258	Lobau	Concentrate 6th Corps in Avesnes; Imperial Guard in Laon	
Soult - Mouvement 259	Vandamme	Detachments are marching to Rocroi	



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Soult - Mouvement 260	Reille	2nd Battalion of 82nd Regiment to arrive in Avesnes	
Ruty	Soult	Report: location of the troops (artillerie - Nord)	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Abusive consumption of ammunitions	SHD C15-4
Neigre		Execution of orders (artillerie - Nord)	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Rapport on administrative services	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Provisions of the troops (Nord, Moselle)	SHD C15-4
Daure	Ordinateur du 3e corps	Employees of the postal service, 3e Corps	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Clothing stored by the 3rd & 4th line	SHD C15-4
Grouchy	Valmy	Food and ammunition to distribute	SHD C15-4
Grouchy	Soult	Movement of reserve cavalerie & their quarters	SHD C15-4
Grouchy	Monthion	Returning service letters (cavalerie) for signature	SHD C15-4
Sénécal		Order of the day	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 539	Guiot	Work in Marciennes & St Amand, reports on foreign movement	
d'Erlon - 540	Frère	Two attachments regarding recruitment missing	
d'Erlon - 541	La Poype	Appointment of new Lt. Gen. to National Guards at Lille	
d'Erlon - 542	Davout	Request for instruction regarding numbers sent	
d'Erlon - 543	[Sapré]	Canonnières sédentaires	
Reille - 180	Davout	Fleurs de lys found in the 93rd	SHD C15-4
Reille - 181	Soult	Blücher and Wellington in Charleroi; Belgian deserters	SHD C15-4
Reille - 181	Davout	Blücher and Wellington in Charleroi; Belgian deserters	SHD C15-4
Reille		Ordre du jour: Call of patriotism for the troops	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Advised by Belg. officer, taking precaution to protect border	SHD C15-4

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Vandamme	Davout	Itinerary of 6th Div Cav to Marle by orders of Emperor	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Propaganda on the border: Proclamation & armistice of Neapolitan states	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Duchy of Bouillon hostile to France	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Enemy movements	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Enemy movements	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Douradon	Bad bread	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Davout	Billeting of the garrison in Soisson	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Baron Gérard (4th div, Nancy)	Arms supplied	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Lanusse	Order to forbid communication; enemy spies	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Davout	Multiple itineraries	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Davout	6th light & 111th line to Brienne and Arcis sur Aube	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Lanusse	Transmit Davout's message: Search for spies	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Baron Gérard (4th div, Nancy)	Confidential memorandum: search for the spies	SHD C15-11
Bonnemains	Soult	Funds needed to arm the dragoons	SHD C15-4
Panier		Report: news of the enemy; report of desertion	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Hulin	News from Laon	SHD C15-4
Carnot	Vandamme	Transfer of the sub-prefect (from Hazebrouk to Cassel)	SHD C15-4
[Deleau]	Salamon	Work at Ch. Thierry, letters from the Minister, orders	SHD C15-4
Firino	Monthion	Notice of 1000fr given to Jordan	SHD C15-4
Colonel Gérard	Davout	Request for instructions if Emperor comes to Soissons	SHD C15-4
Vasserot	Davout	Insufficient garrison at Pas-de-Calais, desertions from Nat. Gd	SHD C15-4
Froment	Davout	Letter record re. crime: eagle defaced	SHD C15-4

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Charrière	Davout	54th line left for Lille, Calais without defense	SHD C15-4
Charrière (Chappy)	Davout	Calais and Gravelines in danger without men	SHD C15-4
[Cachera]	Dumenceau	Measures taken in Bouillon against France	SHD C15-4
Hulin	Davout	2nd bat, 82 line to arrive in Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Ladoucette	Davout	Communication re-established between Bitche and Haguenau	SHD C15-11
Ladoucette	Davout	Memo to mayors to help families of those in the army	SHD C15-11
Ladoucette	Davout	Telegram: preparations of the defense of the strong holds	SHD C15-11
Ladoucette	Davout	State of siege at Metz; Provisions; instructions for civil authorities	SHD C15-11
St. Remy		Belgian officer provides information on spies, translation attached	SHD C15-11
[druri]		Report of Prussian deserter	SHD C15-11
Chastel	Exelmans	Emplacement de la division	SHD C15-4
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Bertrand - 6109	[Dumesnil]	Apostille re: appointment of head of gunners	
Bertrand - 6110	Fouché	Request post for son of Toussaint family	
Bertrand - 6111	Toussaint	Asks the name of Toussaint son	
Bertrand - 6112	Coste	Coste seeks placement	
Bertrand - 6113	Poncelot	Poncelot to send a list of what is owed to him	
Bertrand - 6114	Cavagnari	Cavagnari should send his request to the Grand Aumonier	
Bertrand - 6115	Bartelimi	To be put on the « état de gratification »	
Bertrand - 6116	Olivier	Olivier asks for a placement; Bartelemy's gratuity	
Bertrand - 6117		Amount of Mr. Bartelimi's gratuity	
Bertrand - 6118	Sahut	Declares a second lettre de change of 25,000 francs	

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Bertrand - 6119		Note to request payment for bills	
Bertrand - 6120	Tilly	Asks Tilly to come talk to him on June 9	
Bertrand - 6121	Napoléon & Gavin	Requests Mr Gavin as replacement for a disloyal agent	
Bertrand - 6122	Gavin	Gavin receives placement	
Bertrand - 6123	Gavin	Gavin will receive reimbursement for his expenses	
Bertrand - 6124	Duc de Vicence	Request for orders re: two coaches from Elba in Marseilles	
Bertrand - 6125	[Faitier]	Requests position for Mr. Coupon	
Bertrand - 6126	[Pleffel]	Recommends Mr. Peffel for Dir. of Courriers	
Bertrand - 6127	Davout	Asks a commanding post for [Bauvay]	
Bertrand - 6128	Davout	Recommends Deschamps to Davout	
Bertrand - 6129	Drouot	Recommends Carpentier to Drouot	
Bertrand - 6130	Note	Du Tertre's return	
Bertrand - 6131	[Fenier], [Vaugier], Coupon	Thanks for employing [Vaugier]; recommends Coupon	
Bertrand - 6132	[Graveraud]	LaChèze pardoned, recommended to Graveraud	
Bertrand - 6133	Napoléon	Budget for the theaters	
Bertrand - 6134	[Grand Chambellan]	Sr. Memon	
Bertrand - 6135	Carnot	Recommends Barbier to the Minister of Internal Affairs	
Bertrand - 6136	[Gotille]	Letter received; will reimburse expenses	
Bertrand - 6137	[Madame Blanzini]	300 francs offered to help	
Bertrand - 6138	Grand Chancelier de la légion d'honneur	Recommends Mme Blanzini	
Bertrand - 6139	[Mlle] de Sainte Suzanne	Mlle de Ste Suzanne to address request to Mme directly	
Bertrand - 6140	Carnot	Recommends Lemoine's request to the Minister of Internal Affairs	

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Bertrand - 6141	Lechenet	Capt. Lechenet can present his eagle at the first review	
Bertrand - 6142	Gilly	Presents Mr. [Moreau]; more information needed	
Bertrand - 6143	Dames	G. Mar. makes his intentions known to His Majesty	
Bertrand - 6144	[Elde Darby]	Invites him to come see him and his wife	
Bertrand - 6145	Napoléon	Recommendation of several officers	
Bertrand - 6146	[Rousseau]	Audience with His Majesty - missing	
Bertrand - 6147 - missing	Napoléon	Request to name Pons to Engineering adjunct	
Bertrand - 6148		6 postmen ask for a gratuity	
Bertrand - 6149	Napoléon	Pietra Santa requests position	
Bertrand - 6150	Napoléon	[Audten] attached to Min. of Interior	
Bertrand - 6051	Napoléon	Request information from Bassano	
Bertrand - 6152	Napoléon	Ramolino requests title and allocation	
Bertrand - 6153	Napoléon	Lundo requests allocation	
Bertrand - 6154	Napoléon	[Bunnourris] requests nomination to Legion of Honor	
Bertrand - 6155	Leduc	Request theater budget	
Bertrand - 6156	Napoléon	Request to name Blanchier fils to St Cyr	
Bertrand - 6157	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor	
Davout - 1752	Napoleon	Requests Haxo to remain in Paris to finish work	
Davout - 1753	Napoléon	Orders for generals to depart	AF IV 1937
Davout	Napoléon	Report to Emp: Vandamme request Guilleminot; Revest to Etat-Maj	AF IV 1939
Davout	Vandamme	General Berthezène replaces General Lemoine	SHD C15-4
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Davout	Napoléon and Soult	Dragoons leave [Mouliers] for Laon	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Conscripts recuite new troops	SHD C15-4
Davout	Amey	Napoléon ends disciplinary measures in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	Leval	Napoléon ends disciplinary measures in Dunkerque	SHD C15-4
Davout	Miollis	Weakness of authorities, audacity of royalists in Metz	SHD C15-11
Davout		Distribution of the eagles	Private
Bureau du Mouvement		Sent messages to 6th and 3rd division.	SHD C15-4
Soult - 261	Grouchy	15th Regiment ordered to Beauvais	
Soult - 262	Rogniat	Neigre to go to Soissons, attached to IG	
Soult - 263	Vandamme	6th Division sending detachment to Avesnes	
Soult - 264	Grouchy	Exchange of 6th Chasseurs	
Soult - 265	Vandamme	Exchange of 6th Chasseurs	
Soult - 266	Reille	Exchange of 6th Chasseurs	
Soult - 267	Davout	Exchange of 6th Chasseurs	
Soult - 268	d'Erlon	Detachment from 85th depot to Valenciennes	
Soult - 269	Bonnemains	Condition of carabiners; 4th regiment dragoons exchanged rifles	
Soult - 270	Ruty	Execute new organization of the artillery	
Soult - 271	Davout	Communicate itineraries for modifications as needed	SHD C15-4
Soult - 272	Davout	Letter from Puthod, uniforms needed	
Soult - 273	Lobau	9th company arrived in Laon; 4th Battalion to [Corbeil]	
Soult - 274	Vandamme	3 companies 28th line to Corbeil	
Soult - 275	Reille	2nd line to join 5th; 8th to join 6th; 11th to remain with 7th	

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Soult - 276	Daure, Rutý, Rogniat, Radel, Dentzel, Lebel	At reception of letter, GHQ to leave Laon and go to Avesnes	
Soult - 277	Duc de Vicence	Excesses of Prussian cavalry on the frontier	
Soult - 278	Ruty	Triquenot to dispatch artillery park to Avesnes	
Soult - 279	Triquenot	Dispatch artillery park at La Fère to Avesnes	
Soult - 280	Commander of bridge crews	Leave Guise on 12th to go to Avesnes	
Soult - 281	Neigre	To leave La Fère; contact Minister of War on subject	
Soult - 282	Davout	Neigre and bridge crew to leave for Avesnes	
Soult - 283	Ruty	Arming irregularity of 6th division National Guard	
Soult - 284	Reille	All communications to be intercepted	SHD C15-4
Soult	Davout	Conflicts between divisions: troops must be moved	SHD C15-4
Soult	Ruty	Increase artillery attached to the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Soult	Rogniat	Marlaincourt goes to the Armée des Alpes	SHD C15-4
Soult	Rogniat	The Quartier général to leave for Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Soult	Gressot	Order from Nap: collect info from Armée du Rhin - Copy	SHD C15-4
Radet	Soult	Report on men and horses of the gendarmerie	SHD C15-4
Radet	[Soult]	Public force in the Armée du Nord is not strong enough	SHD C15-4
Rogniat	Soult	Orders to assemble the engineering troops	SHD C15-4
Rogniat	Soult	Fortifications in La Fère and Laon	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Davout	Arming cavalry and dragoons; guns have not arrived	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Must National Guards be admitted in the artillery?	SHD C15-4
Evain	Davout, Salamon	Orders for artillery to join artillery park in Metz	SHD C15-11
Daure	Soult	Funds needed; charts included	SHD C15-4

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Daure	Soult	Report: provisions for troops leaving Laon for Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Roads to be taken by evacuated sick troops	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Sickles must be delivered to the 3rd corps	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Articles to be sent to Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Sénécal		Troops gather under the eagle	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 544	Guiot	Dissension in Dunkerque	
d'Erlon - 555 (original mistake in numbering)	[Dumont]	Funds needed to complete [pumps] in Le Quesnoy	
d'Erlon - 556	Alix	Defense of Col. Degrometry, accused of being a royalist	
d'Erlon - 557	Davout	Vote on new constitutions (45th de ligne)	
d'Erlon - 558	Soult	1st Corps ready at Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 559	L'Aigle	Pay for canonniers sédentaires	
d'Erlon - 560	ordonnateur 16th Div	Request supplies for men and hospital	
Reille - 182	Soult	Soldiers have provisions and uniforms	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Distribution of eagles; troops will receive alcohol	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Troops arrive in Chimay	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	News of the enemy	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Chasseurs arrive under the authority of Dommanget	SHD C15-4
Chief of the 8th division [Vachas]	Davout	Reports on the establishment of police comities	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Lanusse	Corps francs from their departments to occupy the line	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Lanusse	Hostilities imminent; secure the rivers	SHD C15-11
Durrieu	Soult	6th corps from Laon to Maubeuge; transport; nat'l guard	SHD C15-4
Teste	Soult	Troops are behind schedule	SHD C15-4



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[Lostende]		Prussian deserter gives news of the enemy	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Royalist propaganda calls for desertion	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Troops are insufficient at the border	SHD C15-4
Comm't Sup. de Bouchain	Davout	Supply of grain in Bouchain; d'Erlon arrives	SHD C15-4
Sengent	Davout	Copy of a royalist print, attached	SHD C15-4
Sengent	Davout	Amiens put in a state of siege	SHD C15-4
Thierry	Radet	Two reports on the distribution of public forces	SHD C15-4
Lemoine		Colonels to ready their troops to march	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Hulin	Wants officers to receive campaign supplies	SHD C15-4
Panier		Questioning of two Prussian soldiers	SHD C15-4
Panier		Questioning of a deserted soldier	SHD C15-4
Prefect of the Oise	Hulin	National guards are leaving the Oise, attachment	SHD C15-4
d'Arnauld	Davout	30 agitators from Saint Omer sent to the police	SHD C15-4
Jalabert	Davout	Not enough troops in Montreuil	SHD C15-4
Jouffroy	Davout	Men and artillery leave with Milhaud	SHD C15-4
Bonnaire	Davout	Suspicious letter seized at the boarder	SHD C15-4
Regismanset	Davout	Not enough troops in Béthune	SHD C15-4
Royalist officer		Hostility to Bonaparte in northern France	SHD C15-4
Carnot	Davout	State of the 14th elite Nat'l Guard in la Moselle	SHD C15-11
Lanusse	Davout	Movement of the 9th léger, 59th and 11th infantry depots	SHD C15-11
[Chauvez]	« Mon Général »	Work in Metz near completion; conflicting orders	SHD C15-11
Hugo	Lanusse	Beginning June 9, 1st battalion will begin target exercise	SHD C15-11

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Laurent	[Lanusse]	Defense of the borders	SHD C15-11
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Napoleon - 40016	Davout & Drouot	Guard HQ to Laon	
Napoleon - 1671	Davout	Command of Lille	
Napoleon - 1673	Davout	Belliard to Metz by June 11th	
Bertrand - 6158	[Des Maris]	Beds for palace and tents	
Bertrand - 6159	Napoléon	Request Claret-Glauber as aide de camp	
Bertrand - 6160	Montesquiou	Request Montesquiou to communicate with Cabell	
Bertrand - 6161	Peyrusse	Peyrusse to pay Lequatre	
Bertrand - 6162	[Thureau]	G <sup>al</sup> Thureau invited to an audience with the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6163	Montalivet	Is [Nestoud] capable of service to the Emperor?	
Bertrand - 6164	Napoléon	Recommendation of Lenoir	
Bertrand - 6165	Clavet or Savonnière	Bertrand asks for the cook Chandelier's bill	
Bertrand - 6166	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor: Letort named aide de camp	
Bertrand - 6167		Re: execution of orders to aides de camp	
Bertrand - 6168	Letort	Requests Letort to inform him when he was named aide de camp	
Bertrand - 6169	Napoléon	Requests to place brother of Mr. Emery and Mr. Mialaret	
Bertrand - 6170	Grand Chancelier de la légion d'honneur	Request protection for Mr. Charrot	
Bertrand - 6171	Baillon and Deschamps	Inform of appointments as adjuncts to the Palace	
Bertrand - 6172	Baillon	Order appointing Baillon	
Bertrand - 6173	Leduc	Request for accounts of financial help given	
Bertrand - 6174	Napoléon	Request for bonuses	

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Bertrand - 6175	Montalivet	Liquidation of succession	
Bertrand - 6176		Regarding sale of wife's goods	
Bertrand - 6177	Leduc	Request for a book and map	
Flahaut	Napoléon	Promotion of officers	AF IV 1939
Davout - 1754	Jourdan	Hostilities imminent	
Davout	Com'g Gen's, Inspectors & Conseil d'adm	All cavalry called back to service; no pay if not active.	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Communication with foreigners must stop	SHD C15-4
Davout	Lt. Gen.	Communication with foreigners must stop	SHD C15-4
Davout	Général Commandant	Copy for the generals: Communication with foreigners must stop	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	2nd lancers to go to 1st cavalry corps	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Minutes of previous letter (#14)	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon (copy to Soult)	Report: 85th line to Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4
Davout	Napoléon	Report: 2nd Lancers to Armée du Nord	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Gérard to take orders from Maj Gen re: men to send to Emp.	SHD C15-4
Davout	Colonel Gérard	Reply to inquiry re: protocol for visit from Emperor	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Cavalry to be dispatched as complete regiments, not detachmt	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Situation in Bouillon communicated to Emperor	SHD C15-4
Davout	Grouchy (copy to Pajol)	2nd lancers left for army; change of itinerary	SHD C15-4
Davout	Gérard	All communication with foreigners must cease immediately	SHD C15-11
Davout		Lettre de Service: Belliard Commandt en Chef 3e & 4e Div.	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Gérard left Bitsch; Belliard appointed, in Metz 11 June	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Objectives of his appointment	SHD C15-11

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Davout	Belliard	Follow-up to instructions. Copies of instructions given to others	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Copy: cease all communication with foreigners across borders	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Appointment of Belliard; Send officer to brief him on forces, etc.	SHD C15-11
Davout	Dumonceau, Cmd of 2nd Div	Counter-order: 2nd Lancers to go to La Capelle, not to Philippeville	SHD C15-11
Davout	Gérard	Orders of Emperor transmitted by the Minister only, North excepted	SHD C15-11
Davout	Préfets	Gazan and Belliard named Cdr. in chiefs	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Artillery park to move from La Fère to Avesnes	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	New organisation of the cavalry; orders received and given	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Provisions and military equipment, postal service	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Cavalry ambulance formation delayed; no funds	SHD C15-4
Daure	Douradon	Bonuses and compensation	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 561	Davout	Girl arrested for carrying letters to foreigners, other arrests	
d'Erlon - 562	Soult	Foreign troops in Mons, draft in Belgium, Bouchain	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 562	Davout	Foreign troops in Mons, draft in Belgium, Bouchain	
d'Erlon - 563	Davout	Suspicion that Degrometry is a royalist	
d'Erlon - 564	Soult	Note to accompany report on Watten & Bourbourg	SHD C15-4
Reille	Davout	No fleurs de lys remain in the 93rd regiment	SHD C15-4
Reille	Vandamme	Re: June 13, Moselle movement & evacuation of Avesnes; clothing	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	1st, 82nd & 92nd invited to LaFère to pick up swords requested	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Make sure that no one can leave France	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Payment for May & 1st half of June	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	Interrogation of two Prussian deserters	SHD C15-4

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Vandamme	Soult	Army of Moselle to Rocroi, ready to march when ordered	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Quality of provisions	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Lanusse	Positions of the 2nd division of the Nat'l Guard	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Davout	Position of 2nd Div. Nat'l Guard; Instruction to Rouyer & Méraige	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Davout	Report: Some trouble with the Bavarians	SHD C15-11
Préfet du Nord	Davout	Improvement in public spirit, fewer desertions, etc.	SHD C15-4
Lenoir	Davout	Report, attached, from merchant from London & Belgium	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Hulin	Russian and Prussian desertions	SHD C15-4
Langeron	Hulin	Lefevre de Milly to go to Paris; request he remain at Ch. Thierry to complete org of Nat. Guards	SHD C15-4
Desnoyers	Davout	Not enough men at Aire	SHD C15-4
Margaron	Davout	Location of cavalry	SHD C15-4
Hastrel	Houlin	Col. Gérard received title of Command. Sup. at Soissons	SHD C15-4
Jouffroy	Davout	Arrival of 73 men at Donai to form 2 companies for Guise	SHD C15-4
Arnauld	Davout	Reports from St. Omer; request for troops	SHD C15-4
Cdr of Landriers [Prainin]	Davout	Will second Gen. Gazan's operations to defend North	SHD C15-4
La Poype	Davout	Questions orders re: changes in defense of Lille by Gen Frère	SHD C15-4
Chappe (Comm. Gen. of Calais)	Davout	Telegraph. Allix's orders for 2 companies defending Gravelines not executed	SHD C15-4
Terrie, Comm. D'Ardres	Davout	No garnison in Ardres	SHD C15-4
[Brouillard]	« Mon Général »	Confirming his arrival in Laon	SHD C15-11
		June 9-20. Defense of Vosges, Moselle, Meuse.	SHD C15-11
Saint-Jacques	Napoléon	Report: the place de Verdun	SHD C15-11
Dumonceau	Davout	Defense of the Meuse line, the road from Luxembourg to Namur	SHD C15-11

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Dumonceau	Vandamme	Defense of the Meuse line, request for garrisons and Corps francs	SHD C15-11
Miollis	Davout	100 shots fired to announce Champ de Mai & acceptance of constitution	SHD C15-11
Miollis	Mon cher Général	Percheron provisionally named Chief of Staff of Metz	SHD C15-11
Delort	Monseigneur	Division will be in Metz June 10, in Hirson June 15	SHD C15-11
Rouyer	Davout	Per order, his division ceases to be a part of the Army of the Moselle	SHD C15-11
<i>June 10, 1815</i>			
Napoleon - 6860		Crabbé promoted to Colonel	
Napoléon	Reille, d'Erlon, Vandamme, others	Order of the day: position of the Army on the 13th, signed by Napoléon, Bertrand, and Monthion. Copy	SHD C15-4
Bernard - 6862	Davout	Napoleon approves of something - Bertrand for Napoleon	
Bernard	Bacler D'Albe	Request for maps detailing the Sambre from Landrecis to Namur, and the country between the Sambre and the Meuse.	Private
Davout - 3397	Soult	Report of the spy Gottlieb Samuel sent to Soult	
Bertrand - 6178	Grand Écuyer	The last horse brigade must leave for Soissons	95AP/11
Bertrand - 6179	Bussy	Bussy must go to Laon; he will not announce the arrival of Bertrand - draft	
Bertrand - 6180	Caffarelli	Cafarelli must stay in Paris to command a division under Davout's orders - draft	
Bertrand - 6181	Grand Écuyer	Napoleon leaving for Soissons and then Laon, where he should arrive on June 12, and Avesnes - draft	
Bertrand - 6182	Soult	Napoleon will stop in Guise; the canon must not be fired in Avesnes nor Maubeuge - draft	
Bertrand - 6183	Drouot	The Guard must leave for Avesnes as soon as possible, - draft	
Bertrand - 6184	Grand Écuyer; Soult	Send all the horses and the household to Avesnes - draft	
Bertrand - 6185	Grand Écuyer; [Collin]	Send personnel to Laon for Napoleon's dinner - draft	
Bertrand - 6186	Grand Écuyer	[Fontiers] must leave to take charge of the equipment - draft	
Bertrand - 6187	Reille	The quartier général in Avesnes June 12; Reille to place soldiers.	SHD C15-4
Bertrand - 6188	Drouot	Drouot to tell Mortier to have his quartier général in Avesnes on June 12 - draft	

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Bertrand - 6189	Gourgaud; Soult	Send an officer to Soult; the Emperor will be in Avesnes on June 13 - draft	
Bertrand - 6190	Soult	Position of the Army on June 12. The army will advance on the 14th either through Maubeuge on Mons, or to the right on Charleroi.	Private
Bertrand - 6191		Order of the march	95AP/11
Bertrand - 6193		Ordre du Jour for the position of the army on June 13. Original is Vandamme's copy.	SHD C17-193
Bertrand - 6192	To the Generals	Position of the army on June 12 - draft	
Bertrand - 6194	Napoléon	Gratifications for those returned from Elba Island	
Bertrand - 6195		M. [Demares], back from Elba, offers services	
Bertrand - 6196		Rumoruis was presented for chef de bataillon	
Bertrand - 6197		[Marevisi] named Capt. [Rumoruis] is his head of battalion. [Chivier] put in active service	
Bertrand - 6198	Napoléon	Decorations for Ponze	
Bertrand - 6199	Davout	Request for a place for M. de [Creneilles]	
Bertrand - 6200		Request place for Sr. Bronet	
Bertrand - 6201	Davout	Request authorization for payment	
Bertrand - 6202	Ministre de la Marine	Recommending officers having well-conducted themselves (in Corsica)	
Bertrand - 6203		Note to speak about MM Recel and Montalivet	
Bertrand - 6204	Soult	Orders Soult to send duplicates of the orders he'll receive.	Private
Bertrand - 6205	Napoléon	Of 124 officers, exemplary officers in Corsica, 21 chosen (for honors)	
Bertrand - 6206	Napoléon	Nominations for superior employment	
Bertrand - 6207	Lavalette	Bellune in Illyser?	
Bertrand - 6208		Persons who conducted themselves well in Avignon. M. Boulun?	
Bertrand - 6209	Des Maris	Sending an « etat » that can't be sent to Napoleon because of his imminent departure	
Bertrand - 6210		An eagle to the people of Elba Island for their conduct	

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Bertrand - 6211		M. De [Lamonturier] is well employed, as are his two children	
Bertrand - 6212	The generals	Cover letter for Ordre du Jour; Emperor will be in Avesnes June 13 am & wants generals there, order attached. Original is Vandamme's copy.	SHD C17-193
Bertrand - 6213	De Guerchy	Guerchy & Baillon to go to Soissons to prepare for Emperor, then to Laon, then to Avesnes	
Bertrand - 6214	Major Général	Ordre du jour for June 13	
Bertrand - 6215	Caffarelli	Cafarelli to remain in Paris to command the division under the orders of Davout	
Bertrand - 6216	Reille	Place groups so that enemy does not know. Forbid communication strictly	
Bertrand - 6217		M. (blank) will go to Soult. He will transmit the dispatch and wait in Laon for new orders	
Bertrand - 6218	Colin	A caregiver will stay in Soissons for Emperor's lunch, another in Laon for his dinner	
Bertrand - 6219	Rovel	Leave at once with the Emperor's house for Avesnes. Prepare for Emperor in Soissons, Laon and Avesnes	
Bertrand - 6220		[Guchenne] should leave	
Lavalette	Caulaincourt	Orders executed. Request new orders when possible; horses in limited supply.	95AP/11
Caulaincourt		Service leaving on June 10, 1815	95AP/11
Davout	Prefect of Pas de Calais	Siege supplies for many cities of the North, letter attached	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Has informed Napoléon of the Prussian movements	SHD C15-4
Davout	Reille	Has informed Napoléon of the Allies' movements	SHD C15-4
Davout	Vandamme	Davout gives instructions on the movements of Vandamme's corps	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Orders given to Savary for the formation of a gendarmerie company	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Multiple detachments sent to join their corps in the North	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	Troops leave Metz to join the army of la Moselle	SHD C15-4
Davout	Soult	National Guards leave Soissons for Laon	SHD C15-4
Davout	Fouché	30 individuals hostile to the gouvernement should be forced out of St Omer	SHD C15-4
Davout	d'Arnauld	Informs that list of individuals has been forwarded to Fouché	SHD C15-4



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Davout	Belliard	Transmission of instructions: in case of invasion, take to the country	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Instructions given to Gen. Rouyer & Lanusse. Request to write daily	SHD C15-11
Davout	Carnot	Prefect of the Meuse complained of false measures taken by military authorities	SHD C15-11
Davout	Soult	Orders given for 2nd Division Nat'l Guard reserves to position between Metz & Theionville	SHD C15-11
Davout	Gérard	Has forwarded to Emperor information given by Mr. Dandlau for provisions	SHD C15-11
Davout	Gérard	Departure of Gen. Belliard; instructions to Rouyer & Lanusse	SHD C15-11
Davout	Belliard	Instructions to Gen. Rouyer & Lanusse. Request to write daily	SHD C15-11
Davout	Comte Frère, same to Gazan	Expedition is preparing in British ports: measures must be taken to stop any landing	SHD C15-4
Soult - Mouvement 285	La Poype, Governor of Lille	Organize 200-300 mounted partisans	
Ruty	Soult	Horse equipment must be increased from 24 to 35 francs per horse	SHD C15-4
Ruty	Soult	Postillons' clothing, with « extrait de la lettre » attached	SHD C15-4
Daru	Reille	Measures taken to feed the wives and children of the custom agents	SHD C15-4
Daure	Napoléon	State of the finances of the army	SHD C15-4
Daure	Soult	Report on the organisation of the different army services	SHD C15-4
Grouchy	Soult	Positions occupied by the cavalry	SHD C15-4
Sénécal	Davout	The march of the cavalry corps' deputation has been modified	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon - 565	Rey	Dutreberg released from garde à vue	
d'Erlon - 566	Davout & Soult	Detachment from 85th regiment stopped in Lisieux, late to arrive Valenciennes	
d'Erlon - 567	Labour Maubourg	"Repartition" of National Guards superseded.	
d'Erlon - 568	Davout	Duterbeck released; [Deghengui] & ex-mayor of Condé arrested	
d'Erlon - 569	Davout & Soult	Recruitment 3rd Battalion upset by desertions	
d'Erlon - 570	Leval	Supplies coming from abroad permitted entry in France	

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d'Erlon - 571	Dumas	Pay for sedentary companies	
d'Erlon	Davout	Wants troops intercepted by Vedel to be sent to Valenciennes	SHD C15-4
d'Erlon	Davout	Distribution of retired officers along the northern border	SHD C15-4
Reille	Davout	The enemy has reinforced its line at the border	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Deserters were robbed: those found guilty must be punished	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Distribution of axes	SHD C15-4
Lacroix	Rottembourg	Villages to evacuate on June 12th, some must be occupied	SHD C15-4
Guilleminot	Lemoine	Measures must be taken to intercept all communications with foreigners	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Davout	Dumonceau wants to make a new division on the border when the fighting starts	SHD C15-4
Vandamme	Soult	News of the enemy	SHD C15-4
Gérard	Lanusse	All foreign correspondance must be intercepted	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Baron Gérard	Bonnet appointed to command 3rd & 4th Divisons	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Soult	Accelerated itineraries for 13th inf, 12th & 6th cav; Bourmont in Rocroi 13 June, grand parc 16 June	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Davout	Nomination of Gen. Bonnet, since replaced by Belliard. Left the necessary for Bonnet with Lanusse	SHD C15-11
l'Ordonnateur [Dumart]	Baron Gérard	Food supplies for troops of the Vosges and measures taken to provide them	SHD C15-11
Jouffroy	Davout	Organisation of the canonniers of the National Guard in Douay: they need clothing and equipment	SHD C15-4
Malraison	Soult	Record of the organisation of the canonniers of the National Guard in Douay	SHD C15-4
Playoult de Bégat	Douradon	Bread rations sent to Marienbourg; Delay in the production of bread	SHD C15-4
Gazan	Davout	Excerpt of report: there are too few men in the Somme, sent by Marchand, orig. letter « chez Decaux », excerpt attached	SHD C15-4
Frère	Davout	Troops leave Ardes for Amiens	SHD C15-4
Dumonceau	Vandamme	Evacuation of the Duché de Bouillon, with attachments	SHD C15-4
Jouffroy	Davout	6th company leaves for Guise	SHD C15-4

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Jouffroy	Davout	112 men arrived in Douay, will leave for Guise	SHD C15-4
Froment	Davout	Suspends the departure of troops for Lille because replacements are late	SHD C15-4
Froment	Davout	Complains that troops in Bergues are sent to Lille	SHD C15-4
Le Roy	Davout	Troops are stopped by General Vedel	SHD C15-4
Delaporte	Soult	Order given to reunite military companies	SHD C15-4
Margaron	Davout	13th dragons leaves to join the army	SHD C15-4
Allix	Davout	The general in Calais says he doesn't have enough troops	SHD C15-4
Trézel	Lemoine	Berthezène replaces Lemoine who must leave for Mézières	SHD C15-4
Trézel	Douradon	Equipment to deliver to troops	SHD C15-4
Juchereau	Colonel d'Erlon	Man sent to Paris for having plans to kill Napoléon	SHD C15-4
Dir. of vivres et Fourrages, 4th Div. [Tisset]	Baron Gérard (à Nancy)	Food supplies	SHD C15-11
Delort	« Monseigneur »	3rd division cavalry requests one additional day to arrive; Itinerary attached	SHD C15-11
Gressot	Davout	Delort arrived in Metz; difficulty to hasten if horses are to be serviceable; itinerary	SHD C15-11
Lanusse	Davout	6th Company of Artillery workers left Metz for Valenciennes	SHD C15-11
Lanusse	Davout	Lanusse requests command of an active division	SHD C15-11
Ducos	Davout	Will execute orders: off duty officers to go to chef-lieu	SHD C15-11

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Napoleon - 22040, 40024	Davout	Tell Suchet hostilities commence on the 14th	
Napoleon - 22042, 40026	Davout	Ney to be at Avesnes by the 14th	
Napoleon - 40030	Lavalette	Limit use of post horses on Napoleon's Route	
Bertrand - 6221	[Ertaud]	[Appointment for M. Feydel?]	
Bertrand - 6222	[Demers]	Complaints against Mercier not as serious as others	

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Bertrand - 6223	Grand Écuyer	Asks the Gd. Ecuyer the part of his force in the army	
Bertrand - 6224		Address of Sahut	
Bertrand - 6225	Duc de Bassan	Order to retain lodging of Sr [Monau]	
Bertrand - 6226	Pachod	[Pachod] - Bertrand spoke to the Emperor	
Bertrand - 6227	Comte Réal	Medal of Chartant requires engraving	
Bertrand - 6228	[Moli?]	Recommendation of M Pietrasanta	
Bertrand - 6229	Pietrasanta	Request to forward letter to Mollien	
Bertrand - 6230	Carnot	Recommendation of Sr. Chauvin [Williot]	
Bertrand - 6231	Leduc	Request for a statement of sums paid	
Bertrand - 6232	Desmaris	Mme requests several lights for the house	
Bertrand - 6233	Réal	[Bonneau] has revelations that could interest Count Real	
Bertrand - 6234		Order to go to Laon to join Napoleon	
Bertrand - 6235		Procedures for letters going to the Tuileries	
Bertrand - 6236	Mayor of Reims	Request for employment for Mme Malles	
Bertrand - 6237		Finances, to be paid	
Bertrand - 6238	Napoléon	Pension for M. Bartolemi	
Bertrand - 6239	Reille	Duplicate of the order for June 13.	SHD C15-5
Bertrand - 6240	Lavalette	Send a dispatch rider to take two letters (rush)	
Bertrand - 6241	[Turreau]	Two copies of the order received.	
Bertrand - 6242	Peyrusse	Please pay M. [Forune] the sum due	
Bertrand - 6243		Address of Madame Maisonneuve	
Bertrand - 6244		List of costs of the personnel of the Grand Maréchal	

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Bertrand - 6245		Location of chaplains	
Bertrand - 6246		List of officers [ord'ce] at arrival in Paris & in 1813	
Bertrand - 6247	Napoléon	Reports to the Emperor: chaplains, theater	
Bertrand - 6248	[Eurtaut]	Request for expense report for the various [tables] of the house	
Bertrand - 6249	Peyrusse	Request Minister of Police to submit the funds for April	
Bertrand - 6250	[Grand Chambellan]	M. Gillis given the place of bailiff	
Bertrand - 6251	[Mazères]	Please invite Mazeres to lunch	
Bertrand - 6242	Davout	Recommends Cat Desmarquis, please confirm in his grade	
Bertrand - 6253	Napoléon	Request to consider additional officers from Elba for bonuses	
Bertrand - 6254		Report on the costs of the theaters	
Bertrand		Very important Order of the Day for position of the Army on the 13th, a duplicate of the order sent on June 10. More confirmation of the Charleroi preference.	Private
Lavalette	Davout	Mars arrested for correspondence against the government	SHD C15-5
Davout - 1775	Ney	Ney to Avesnes by 14th	
Davout	Napoleon	Report to the Emperor: Proposal to form garrisons in the Places	AF IV 1939
Davout	Napoleon, Soult, and Grouchy	Report to the Empereur on the departure of troops	SHD C15-5
Davout	Soult	Multiple troops departures	SHD C15-5
Davout	Vandamme	The General commanding engineering is at Vandamme's disposition	SHD C15-5
Davout	Hulin	Order for dragoons to leave Laon for St Dizier; road they must take	SHD C15-5
Davout	[Soult]	4th company of sappers must follow the troops from the 3rd corps	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 286	Frère, Commander 16th Division Militaire	Provisions (clothing, équipages, arms) for National Guards in Lille	
Soult - Mouvement 287	Frère, Commander 16th Division Militaire	Order 5th Battalion of Seine and Oise to Valenciennes, 4th Battalion to Quesnoy	

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Soult - Mouvement 288	Margaron	Form regiments and report to General Gazan	
Soult - Mouvement 289	Defrance, commanding cavalry depot	Form regiments and report to General Gazan	
Soult - Mouvement 290	Gazan	Inform of provisions, and report on movement/ composition	
Soult?		Notes relating to organization of the northern garrisons.	Private
Ruty	Soult	Multiple troops prepare to leave	SHD C15-5
Rogniat		Engineering troops are on the move	SHD C15-5
Daure	Soult	Report on supplies, ambulances, and equipment	SHD C15-5
Daure	Douradon	Asks for two assistants to ensure the cavalry service	SHD C15-5
d'Erlon - 572	Bouchain	Flooding of Valenciennes and Condé	
d'Erlon - 573	Davout & Soult	Distribution of retired military recalled	
d'Erlon - 574	Davout	Col. Morin at Dunkerque	
d'Erlon - 575	Prefect of le Nord	Not enough single men to enlist	
d'Erlon - 576	Allix	Two companies must be marched back to their Corps	
d'Erlon - 577	M. l'ordonnateur	Knit fabric to go to 19th regiment	
d'Erlon - 578	Donzelot	Fabric ordered sent to 19th regiment	
d'Erlon - 579	Min. of the Interior	Promotions within the National Guard	
d'Erlon	Hulin	Corporal sentenced to prison will be sent to Colonel Clement	SHD C15-5
Reille - 183	Soult	12th and 6th of chasseurs switched; Reille wishes he had been informed	SHD C15-5
Aubernon	Davout	The quartier-général of the 2nd corps moves from Avesnes to Maubeuge	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Davout	News of enemy; movements of gen's, supplement attached	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Soult	News of enemy; movements of gen's; interrog. of Prussian deserter, attached	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Davout	Vandamme invited to banquet for reception of the troops' eagle	SHD C15-5

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Vandamme	Davout	All communications with foreigners are forbidden	SHD C15-5
Guilleminot	Berthezène	Troops must only be followed by the necessary laundresses	SHD C15-5
Guilleminot	Berthezène	Stop all communication across the northern and eastern borders	SHD C15-5
Guilleminot	Berthezène	Copy of Vandamme's letter: patriotism of the residents of the Ardennes	SHD C15-5
Lefol	Douradon	If there is not enough equipment, it must be shared by different troops	SHD C15-5
Chef de Bat [D Naker]	Vandamme	56th Regiment will celebrate the return of their eagle.	SHD C15-5
		Copy of an order naming Valmy to command the 3rd corps of cavalry	SHD C15-5
Panier		Questioning of two Prussian deserters	SHD C15-5
Panier		Prussian troops on the Meuse are getting stronger	SHD C15-5
Bosse	Davout	Needs more funds for the men hired to spot spies	SHD C15-5
Charrière	Gazan	Situation in Calais: the city will not hold	SHD C15-5
Dumonceau	Davout	The departure of supplies from the Marne is late, letter attached	SHD C15-5
Jouffroy	Davout	Men and horses leave for Guise	SHD C15-5
La Poype	Davout	Asks for 200 to 300 horses	SHD C15-5
Margaron	Davout	Received service letters for General Ludot and Colonel Thevenez	SHD C15-5
Rapatel	Douradon	What to do with the carriage for the transport of the État-Major's papers	SHD C15-5
Regismanset	Davout	Disapproves of the nomination of Gazan and of the use of troops	SHD C15-5
Regnault		Report on supplies, ambulances, funds and equipment	SHD C15-5
Bonnemains		Operations of Bonnemains' brigade	SHD C15-5
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Napoleon - 22047	Davout	Depots, men, Moselle, etc.	
Napoleon - 22048	Davout	Laon is susceptible, requests things	

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Davout	Vandamme	Measures taken to reinforce the three regiments of chasseurs of attached cavalry division.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Vandamme	Inactive officers serving in the corps francs will receive payment	SHD C15-5
Davout	Vandamme	Margaron will prioritize the depots for Vandamme's mounted chasseurs	SHD C15-5
Davout	Fouché	Lemoine will command in Mézières, his predecessor Herbin Dessaux must be monitored	SHD C15-5
Davout	Commander in Peronne	Artillery depots move from Douay to Vincennes	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 291	Ruty	Napoleon has not authorized National Guard soldiers to enter the artillery troops - must send list to Minister of War	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 292	Commander of Army at Landrecy	Napoleon ordered 4th battalion of Elite National Guards of Yonne to garrison Quesnoy	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 293	Frère	Inform of above dispositions	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 294	Grouchy	Movement of detachment of 2nd lancers to rejoin regiment, now 4th Division of 1st Cavalry Corps	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 295	Gazan	Deputy Minister of War just informed Soult that Gazan was put in command of many places - Soult wants to be kept informed	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 296	Davout	Notification of report of organization of 2nd/3rd artillery companies of Douay National Guards	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 297	Daure	Read report of 8th on evacuations of sick of Armée du Nord - at time unaware of movement of army, now according to operations, changes?	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 298	Daure	On proposal of d'Erlon, military hospital established at Bouchain - give necessary orders for prompt establishment	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 299	d'Erlon	Informed of above (to Intendent General)	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 300	Davout	Informed that order to Maréchal de camp Fernig to go to Lille to take command of National Guards.	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 301	Davout	Forwards request of General Garbé to obtain his two nephews for ADCs	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 302	Radet	Forward the table of nominations sent by Duke of Rovigo of people appointed to the armies who have served in Belgium and the Rhine	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 303	Radet	Emperor has ordered that gendarmerie of GHQ must be appointed by the Department, not Paris, and formed by Radet	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 304	Daure	Due to difficulty procuring horses due to lack of funds, Daure may make a requisition in Department of North for service of ambulances	SHD C15-5



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Soult - Mouvement 305	Gérard	Gérard must hasten march - take position behind Vandamme and be ready to attack Sambre on 14th.	SHD C15-11
Soult	Grouchy	Crossed-out draft of forwarding the orders of the 10th. Similar order sent (see Soult-Mouvement 307)	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 306	Lobau	6th Corps established in front of Avesnes, GHQ at Beaufort, and lists villages to occupy	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 307	Grouchy	Forwards orders of June 10th to Grouchy - delineates occupation of Cavalry Corps, Grouchy to be at Solre, complete evening of June 13	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 308	Delort	Join 4th Cavalry Corps of Milhaud and arrive on 15th at Beaumont	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 309	Grouchy	Dispositions of 4th Cavalry and Delort's progress communicated	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 310	Ruty	Difficulty of moving artillery park of La Fère, which would be facilitated by arrival of horses on the 13th	SHD C15-5
Soult	Lobau	Appears to be a duplicate of Soult-Mouvement 306, and was crossed out in the notes.	SHD C15-5
Soult	Vandamme	3rd Corps to Beaumont on June 13. Direction will be given June 14. Gérard to join him there. Delort to leave for Rocroi June 14, then Beaumont.	SHD C17-193
Soult	Grouchy	Four corps sent to Avesnes and then dispatched in two groups	SHD C15-5
Soult	Napoleon	Report to the Emperor: location of the Army corps on June 13 per Napoleon's orders.	AF IV 1938
Soult	La Poype	Composition of Lille's garrison; troops will join it	SHD C15-5
Daure	Napoleon	Extensive report on the different services of the army, with many attachments	AF IV 1938
d'Erlon - 580	Bertrand	Ordre du jour for June 13th received	
d'Erlon - 581	Soult	Duplicate Ordre du jour for June 13th received	SHD C15-5
d'Erlon - 582	Rey	1st Corps to move	
d'Erlon - 583	—	1st Corps cantoned near Valenciennes	
Marcognet		3rd division must move to Pont sur Sambre; composition of the division	SHD C15-5
Reille - 184		Order for the movement of multiple divisions; troops must not be seen by the enemy	
Piré	Soult	Asks to keep the 6th regiment of chasseurs in his division	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Davout	Gives information on the enemy's positions	SHD C15-5

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Vandamme	Davout	Sends royalist prints	SHD C15-5
Saint Geniez	Vandamme	Report on the border and the enemy's forces [the report seems to have been forwarded by Vandamme] - attached to above	SHD C15-5
Trézel		Ordre du Jour	SHD C15-5
Trézel	Douradon	Vandamme will review the Corps, possibly with Jerome.	SHD C15-5
Frère	Soult	Asks for the approbation of the troops' distribution in the North	SHD C15-5
Frère	Davout	The order from June 9th is being executed; deposits are on the move	SHD C15-5
Frère	Davout	State of the soldiers coming from Lille's prisons	SHD C15-5
Gazan	Davout	The garrison in Calais is sufficient	SHD C15-5
Gazan	Davout	Sends a letter from General Frère on the distribution of troops in the North	SHD C15-5
[Delasalle]	Davout	Missing troops in Calais	SHD C15-5
d'Arnauld	Davout	Still doesn't have a garrison	SHD C15-5
Duc de Gaëte	Davout	Will stop all foreign communications	SHD C15-5
Fauoas	Grouchy	Asks to stay with General Piré	SHD C15-5
Fririon	Hulin	Retired soldiers are recalled	SHD C15-5
Jallot	Duc de Feltre	A traitor's report to Ghent, note on the spirit and on the force of the 3rd corps of the Northern Army	SHD C15-5
	Napoleon's soldiers	Partisan print from the enemy	SHD C15-5
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Napoleon - 22049		Position of the Army on the 14th	
Napoleon	Soult	Countermands the order to send Vandamme back to Philippeville, original and draft	Private, draft @ NL-HaNA, Falck, 2.21.006.48 inv. nr.71
Napoleon	Soult	Orders equipages to HQ at Avesnes.	Private

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Napoleon	Drouot	Dispositions of the Guard - draft	NL-HaNA, Falck, 2.21.006.48 inv. nr.71
Davout	Soult	Davout sends to Lille the camp equipment for 5000 men	SHD C15-5
Davout	d'Erlon	Approves of the distribution of retired officers in the North	SHD C15-5
Davout	Vandamme	Waiting for Napoleon's orders on demonstrations of the partisans' corps	SHD C15-5
Davout	Frère	Only the Emperor can give answers to Count Frère's demands	SHD C15-5
Davout	Frère	Reminds him of the instructions given on the way to establish positions	SHD C15-5
Davout	Gazan	Sends a copy of a letter from Frère on the means to take to defend the border	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 311	Vandamme	Orders Vandamme back to Philippeville for attack Charleroi on the 14th. «...but the Emperor has again ordered execution of order of the 10th.»	SHD C17-193
Soult - Mouvement 312	Gérard	« New orders from Emperor will change those previously given » go to Philippeville to take second line behind 3rd Corps	
Soult - Mouvement 313	Lobau	Go to Beaumont and give dispositions	
Soult - Mouvement 314	Gazan	Forward copy of report from Director of Engineering at Saint-Omer - situation of Watten and Bourbourg	
Soult - Mouvement 315	Davout	Maubeuge's powder supplies used for Army, Davout should have it replaced as soon as possible.	
Soult - Mouvement 316	Ruty	Bridge crews to go, this evening, behind Solre, road to Beaumont	
Soult - Mouvement 317	Ruty	Immediately change direction of horse battery of former 5th Cavalry Division of Army of Moselle - battery goes to Beaumont	
Soult - Mouvement 318	Rogniat	Orders company of sappeurs of Lefol Division to join 3rd Corps, and send HQ sappeurs company to Maubeuge to continue work	
Soult - Mouvement 319	Vandamme	Send current dispositions	
Soult - Mouvement 320	Leval, commandant at Dunkerque	Order battalion of National. Guards to Gravelines, and send a garrison to Bergues	
Soult - Mouvement 321	Commandant at Valenciennes	Ordered, something about elite battalion of national guards and weapons that arrive on the 13th	
Soult - Mouvement 322	Commandant at Laon	Ordered to make field battalion of National Guards for Bethune	

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Soult - Mouvement 323	Commandant at Soissons	Reiterate order to force march 2nd Battalion of National Guards to Soissons	
Soult - Mouvement 324	Commandant at Calais	Send detachment to Ardres to garrison	
Soult - Mouvement 325	Commandant at Valenciennes	Send various battalions of National Guards to their places	
Soult - Mouvement 326	Davout	Notice of disappearance. Request to provide for completion of a garrison of Laon, Vitry, Soisson and of all the "places" of [the source] (l'Aisne?)	
Soult - Mouvement 327	Cammandant Maubeuge, Valenciennes, Lille	Prohibit all communication with the country	
Soult - Mouvement 328	Daure	Delivery hoods to 200 [?]. Attached to artillery park	
Soult - Mouvement 329	Caulaincourt	Forward letter from commandant at Condé, on the 11th, ??? Violated French territory	
Soult - Mouvement 330	Gérard	Asks for composition of bridge crew with Army of Moselle. Asks Gérard to send officers to Metz to learn of movements of the enemy	
Soult - Mouvement 331	Grouchy	Napoleon approves 6th and 12 regiments of chasseurs remain where they are at present - Reille was informed of this	
Soult - Mouvement 332	Reille	Informed of above	
Soult - Mouvement 333	Minal	Informed of measures to be taken for departure of GHQ - and to inform Rutty, Rogniat, Radent, Daure etc. when informed of departure	
Soult - Mouvement 334	Radet	Informed of above	
Soult - Registre 1	Senior Generals of the Army	Position de l'armée le 14	SHD C17-193, SHD C15-5
Soult	Davout	Has given direct orders for troops to go north; asks the Minister to order more troops in the North	SHD C15-5
Soult	Girardin	Girardin will be Chief of the État-Major of cavalry of the Armée du Nord	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult	Gazan	Precautionary measures must be taken for the safety of northern cities	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult		Position of the army on the 14th	Private
Soult	Napoleon	Report mentions a squadron leader who has lost confidence of his colonel.	Private
Rutty		Report on the state of the artillery on June 13	AF IV 1938
Rutty		Report on the permanent supply depots of the Meuse	AF IV 1938

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Radet		Provisional instruction for the commanding officers of the public force	SHD C15-5
Radet	Monthion	Asks for more officers for the État-Major	SHD C15-5
Daure	Ordonnateur du 3e corps à Philippeville	Order of movement for the 3rd corps	SHD C15-5
Lacroix	Jerome Bonaparte	The 2nd company of sappers will be part of the 6th division of infantry	SHD C15-5
Gérard	Soult	Indicates division locations; is marching to join Vandamme	SHD C15-11
Fouché	Davout	Arrests have been made in Stenay without informing the prefect	SHD C15-5
Prefect of the Aisne	Davout	Has received the order placing Gazan as commander of the North	SHD C15-5
Dumonceau	Davout	Troops have left Châlons for Avesnes on the 10th	SHD C15-5
Lavoy	Soult	State of the armament in Valenciennes	SHD C15-5
Rippert	[S]arlot	General Piré will have the line visited	SHD C15-5
La Poype	Allix	Has received the May 25th decree but has doubts about its possible execution	SHD C15-5
Charrière	Davout	News of the enemy brought by the captain of a commercial boat	SHD C15-5
Charrière	Davout	Embargo established on all boats; Mayor of Calais wants smugglers to have the right to come in	SHD C15-5
d'Arnauld	Davout	Boats have been called back to the northern strongholds	SHD C15-5
Bourk	Davout	Situation of the garrisons in Givet and Charlemont	SHD C15-5
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Napoleon - 22050	Joseph	GHQ moving to Beaumont, hostilities begin on 15th at Charleroi	
Napoleon - 22051, 40042	Davout	Advancing on 15th, possible battle with Prussians	
Napoleon - 22052	Army	Proclamation - anniversary of Marengo & Friedland	
Napoleon - 40044	Soult	Order of Movement	
Davout	Napoléon et Soult	38 men will leave Versailles for Avesnes on June 15th and will arrive on June 22nd	SHD C15-5
Davout	Soult	Troops will leave Paris for Avesnes on June 15th to join their divisions	SHD C15-5

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		Itinerary of troops from Paris toward Avesnes on June 15th	SHD C15-5
Davout	Margaron	132 well-equipped men will leave Versailles for Beauvais on June 15th	SHD C15-5
Davout	Margaron	A detachment left Caen on June 11th for Rocroi: keep it in Beauvais when it gets there	SHD C15-5
Davout	Multiple officers	2000 horses of the gendarmerie will be used by the cavalry	SHD C15-5
Davout	Bourcier	6th squadron of lancers must leave Versailles on the 15th for Beauvais	SHD C15-5
Davout	Bourcier	The 4th corps of artillery must leave on June 15th from Versailles to La Fère	SHD C15-5
Davout	Amiens' Commander	Davout has transferred the royalist print posted in Amiens to the police	SHD C15-5
Davout	Bergues' Commander	Sends a National Guard battalion in Bergues	SHD C15-5
Davout	Bethune's Commander	Backup arrives from the Pas-de-Calais and the Eure; Bethune's commander must choose men for foreign operations	SHD C15-5
Davout	Hesdin's Commander	Advises him to take precautions against desertion	SHD C15-5
Davout	Hulin	1000 guns will be sent from Soissons to Laon	SHD C15-5
Davout	Frère	Troops must be divided between Dunkerque and Bergues; Dunkerque must give a garrison to Bergues	SHD C15-5
Davout	Gazan	Dunkerque must give a garrison to Bergues	SHD C15-5
Davout	Leval	Dunkerque's garrison will have to ensure Bergues' safety	SHD C15-5
Davout	Caffarelli	Detachments of the 84th and 72nd from Paris must leave for Avesnes on June 15th - draft included	SHD C15-5
Davout	Commissioner Ordannateur of the 1st division	Provide for the needs of the 84th and 72nd marching to Avesnes.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Caffarelli & Commissioner of the 1st division	Detachment of 4th regiment artillerie à cheval will leave Versailles for Beauvais. Order given, itinerary to provide for troops	SHD C15-5
Davout	Cafarelli	132 lancers of the 6th Regiment to Beauvais.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Cafarelli & ordonnaeur of the 1st division	132 lancers of the 6th Regiment to Beauvais.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Allix	Has received the June 1st decree of the high police commission	SHD C15-5

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Davout	Fouché	A print from Amiens encourages the National Guard to rebel	SHD C15-5
Davout	Dumonceau	Supplies in the Department of the Marne are running late	SHD C15-5
Davout	Marne's prefect	Supplies in the Department of the Marne are running late	SHD C15-5
Chief de division de Cavalerie	Salamon	Cavalry assembled at Versailles by Bourcier will move to Beauvais	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 335	Broussaud	Appoint geographical engineers to note positions of the Corps with accuracy	
Soult - Mouvement 336	Radet	Send a Chef d'Escadron of gendarmerie with detachment to arrest Lengines (?) and to spend night with luggage etc., start at 4 a.m. tomorrow	
Soult - Mouvement 337		An officer of the gendarmerie will carry out above provisions.	
Soult - Mouvement 338	Lieutenant Generals of the Army	Send disposition report every evening with officer - the original to Vandamme	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 339	Grouchy	Notice of the departure of various detachments that left their depots to rejoin army - see Minister of War's letter dated June 11th	
Soult - Mouvement 340	Davout	Battalion of National Guards at Château Thierry was not moved by Soult's order	
Soult - Registre 2	Lieutenant Généraux of the Army	Ordre du Mouvement	
Soult	Vandamme	Ordre du Mouvement - original sent to Vandamme	SHD C17-193
Soult	Rogniat	Ordre du Mouvement - copy provided by the family of Rogniat in 1859	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult	Grouchy	Ordre du Mouvement - copy provided by du Casse in 1865	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 3	Vandamme	Avoid Marchienne-au-Pont	
Soult - Registre 4	Grouchy	How to approach Charleroi	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 5	Gérard	Prussian troops in Jamignon	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult	Grouchy	How are the adjutants actually used?	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult	Grouchy	Grouchy will send officers with reports on positions and operations and who will return with Soult's orders.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult	Vandamme	Itinerary toward Charleroi should be modified; enemy posted in Jamioulx	SHD C15-5 - Copy

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<i>Sender</i>	<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Summary</i>	<i>Original</i>
Soult		Notes dictated by Napoleon.	Private
Soult		Order of movement dated June 14. Note, the auction summary is “amusing,” as in wrong.	Private
Daure	Soult	Report: Provisions made upon receiving the order of movement	AF IV 1938
Topography Svc		Detail of practicable routes, Beaumont to Charleroi	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Napoléon	Sends a letter from General Pajol with information on the enemy	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Soult	Artillery troops are in a deplorable state	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Soult	The four cavalry corps are missing officers	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Soult	Positions of the four cavalry corps; headquarters in Bossus; rumors of an attack on June 15th	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Kellerman	If he had known the positions of the Guard, he would have shared them; the bivouacs have negative effects	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Pajol	Pajol must move to Bossus; soldiers’ luggage; precautions against the enemy	SHD C15-5 - Copy
d’Erlon	1st Corps	The Corps will be awoken at 4 a.m., at which time the Order of the Day will be read	Private
Reille - Registre 185		Order of movement for June 14	
Reille	Soult	What to do about the deserters signaled by Bachelu - reports follow	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Davout	Arrived in Beaumont & will execute orders received. Transmission of four attachments.	AF IV 1938
Vandamme	Davout	Has received his letter assuring him that the service of the 3rd corps will be maintained	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Davout	Movements made by the 3rd corps and those that should be made	SHD C15-5
Vandamme		Encouragements for the French troops of the 3rd corps against the enemy	SHD C15-5
Guyardin	Douradon	Supplies to send to Beaumont; headquarters of the 3rd corps will be sent to Clermont; produce a lot of bread	SHD C15-5
Trézel		A man must be sent every evening to headquarters; he must know it well in order to deliver orders fast & distribution of the inspection service	SHD C15-5
Lemoine	Davout	Dumonceau has left for Dinant on June 14th; only 900 men remain in Mezières	SHD C15-5
Gérard	Soult	Cannot execute order to send officers to Metz for info on enemy movement; no funds; margin notes	SHD C15-11
Gérard	Soult	Positions occupied by the various divisions	SHD C15-11



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Frère	Soult	Asks for guns for 150 volunteers stationed in Lille	SHD C15-5
Frère	Soult	Has operated the modifications on the northern garrisons asked by Davout	SHD C15-5
Durand	Davout	Measures taken to ensure the embargo and to be lenient with fishermen; is missing troops and guns	SHD C15-5
Durand	Davout	Established an embargo on boats including fishing boats: causes trouble with the fishermen	SHD C15-5
Préval	Salamon	Some cavalry detachments will go to Beauvais	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Hulin	A National Guard battalion arrives in Laon from Soissons; dragoons' deposit leaves for St-Dizier	SHD C15-5
Dumonceau	Davout	Napoleon has ordered him to leave for Charlemont with the third of the garrison from Mezières	SHD C15-5
Ducos	Davout	A spy has brought news of the enemy	SHD C15-5
Kail	Davout	Has set an embargo on all boats in the port of Gravelines	SHD C15-5
Allix	Davout	Wants to take back the commandment of his division; complains about La Poype	SHD C15-5
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Bigarne	Davout	Measures taken against deserters of the National Guard	SHD C15-5
Leclerc des Essarts	Belliard	Will name commanders for the Forest of Argonne; how many National Guards will he have?; exposes his positions	SHD C15-5
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Napoleon 22054	Joseph	Hostilities commence. @3 a.m.	
Napoleon 22055	President Council Ministers	Update on day, signed by Fain. @9 p.m.	
Napoleon 22056		Army Bulletin	
Davout	Soult	La Poype's proposition of setting up a cavalry corps of 200-300 horses in Lille has been rejected	SHD C15-5
Davout	Bonnaire	Has received the encrypted letter Bonnaire sent him; will send it to the police	SHD C15-5
Davout	Réal	Sends an encrypted letter; he must try to find the individuals responsible	SHD C15-5
Davout	Dumonceau	Dumonceau must organize the seven deposits of his division	SHD C15-5
Davout	Boulogne's Commander	The fishermen do not have to obey to the embargo; they must give their word to respect instructions	SHD C15-5

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Davout	Prefect of the North	Congratulates him on his zeal and on the improvement of the public spirit in the Northern departments	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 341	Drouot	Informed of Reille's complaint against Godefroy and Dauterman - asked to check if these men joined the guard; if not, judge them.	
Soult - Mouvement 342	Gérard	Ensure the march of the pontonniers which Davout had sent from Metz on the 12th for his command	
Soult - Mouvement 343	Commandent of Avesnes	Send battalion to Beaumont to take prisoners	
Soult - Mouvement 344	Langeron	Notice of above provisions.	
Soult - Mouvement 345	Colonel Gérard	Relating to battalion of national guards for prisoner escort	
Soult - Mouvement 346	Davout	Notice of above provisions	
Soult - Mouvement 347	Grouchy	Stop for the night, rally your troops and send a report on the day.	
Soult - Mouvement 348	Dentzel	Address the state of the prisoners.	
Soult - Mouvement 349	Radet	Dentzel will send prisoners to Avesnes or Beaumont - assure he has sufficient escort.	
Soult - Mouvement 350	Davout	Garrison of Philippeville makes a patriotic donation of 9 days' pay.	
Soult - Mouvement 351	Commandant Avesnes	A squadron of lancers will arrive in Avesnes to escort convoys.	
Soult - Mouvement 352	Commandant Valenciennes	Military police must be directed to Le Quesnoy.	
Soult - Mouvement 353	Commandant Quesnoy	Direct the squadron of lancers to Avesnes.	
Soult - Mouvement 354	Davout	The 10,000 guns requested are destined to complete the National Guards armory.	
Soult - Mouvement 355	Reille, Vandamme, Grouchy	Request the records of the wounded from the 15th.	
Soult - Mouvement 356	Davout	Letters are forwarded that try to get troops to defect.	
Soult - Registre 6	Reille	Cross the Sambre and straddle the Brussels road. @8 a.m.	137AP/18 - Copy
Soult - Registre 7	d'Erlon	Cross the Sambre and scout the directions of Mons and Nivelles. @10 a.m.	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 8	d'Erlon	Support Reille's advance on Gosselies. @3 p.m.	SHD C15-5
Soult - Registre 9	Gérard	Gérard will move toward Châtelet to attack the enemy in Fleurus; does he have the 14th division of cavalry?	SHD C15-5
Soult - Registre 10	Delort	Take position behind Charleroi	SHD C15-5

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Soult	d'Erlon	Bring 1st Corps to the left bank of the Sambre and join the 2nd Corps at Gosselies - report to Ney	SHD C15-5
Soult		Notes on the advance on Charleroi.	Private
Daure	Davout	Supplies in Charleroi; no funds left	SHD C15-5
Ney	Soult	Report on Gosselies; location of Ney's troops; report from Lefebvre-Desnouettes attached. @11 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Lefebvre-Denoëttres	Ney	Marches on Frasnè; enemy retreats to Nivelles; Belgians are in Mons. @9 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Napoleon @10 p.m.	Report on the day's advance. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Pajol	Pajol will form the avant-garde and will be in communication with Grouchy while marching on Charleroi	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Comte de Valmy	Valmy must go to Bossus and then to Charleroi; itinerary	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Milhaud	Troops to march at 4:30 a.m. to arrive in Bossus at 5:30 sharp.	SHD C15-5
d'Erlon	Soult	d'Erlon is preparing to pass the Sambre; asks for orders	SHD C15-5
d'Erlon	Soult	Reports on the advancement of his troops and the position of the enemy	SHD C15-5
Reille	Soult	9 p.m. report of the day's advance and engagements.	SHD C15-5
Vandamme	Napoléon	Fontenelle, 10 p.m.: Barth & Cardinal command; enemy behind Fleurus; placement of divisions	SHD C15-5
Lobau	Soult	Lobau marches to Charleroi	SHD C15-5
Gérard	Soult	Bourmont's defection to the enemy	SHD C15-5
Gérard	Soult	Location of various divisions	SHD C15-11
Pajol	Grouchy	10 p.m., report from day's battle. Vandamme did not support.	SHD C15-5
La Poype	Davout	Informs Davout of his troubles with Allix's police commission	SHD C15-5
Frère	Davout	Orders and chain of command (La Poype) unclear.	SHD C15-5
Desnoyers	Davout	Has no garrison; National Guards are sent to him too slowly and many desert; everything is missing	SHD C15-5
Peteil	Davout	Artillery troops retrograde to Douay	SHD C15-5
Kail	Davout	Embargo is extended to the fishermen	SHD C15-5

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Kail	Davout	Embargo was not applied to fishermen; it is the prefect's decision, not Kail's	SHD C15-5
Allan	Davout	Sends copies of royalist prints	SHD C15-5
Bosse	Davout	Since the individuals that were arrested were set free, desertion has started again	SHD C15-5
Eymard	Davout	The six forts between Audresselles and Boulogne are abandoned	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Caffarelli	A National Guard battalion leaves for Béthune; no garrison left in Laon; not enough guns; St Quentin is missing supplies	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Soult	A National Guard battalion leaves for Béthune; Laon is now missing soldiers	SHD C15-5
		Notes on the location of troops.	SHD C15-5
		Army Bulletin	

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Napoléon - 22057, 40051	Joseph	Update on the campaign and Letort's wound.	
Napoléon - 22059, 40050	Grouchy	Composition of the right wing of the northern army under Grouchy's command; Napoléon goes to Fleurus; Grouchy will attack in Fleurus	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Napoléon - 22058, 40052	Ney	Napoléon goes to Fleurus; Ney will command the left wing of the army and Grouchy the right wing. Arrived between 11 a.m. and noon.	137AP/5
Napoléon - 40053	Ney	Attack with the greatest impetuosity all that is before you. @1 p.m.	137AP/5, SHD C15-5 - Copy
Napoléon	Grouchy	Copy - With Pajol and Exelmans, reject the Prussian army beyond Sombref and prevent the junction of the Prussian troops coming from Namur. @1 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Davout	Frère, Gazan, Caulaincourt, Crès, Carnot, Lavalette	The port in Vimereux will not be submitted to the embargo: correspondence between France and England will go on	SHD C15-5
Davout	Fouché	Sends a letter about the bad spirit of the rich people of Grandpré, with attachment	SHD C15-5
Davout	Soult	Sends a copy of a decree putting many places of the North in a state of siege	SHD C15-5
Davout	Vandamme	Pay set as commander in chief of an army corps	SHD C15-5
Davout	Frère	16th Div. returning interior, except 7th foreign regiment remaining in Montreuil	SHD C15-5
Davout	Gazan	7th foreign regiment remaining in Montreuil, should retreat behind the Somme if necessary	SHD C15-5

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Davout	Fouché	Free passage of ships serving correspondence with England	SHD C15-5
Davout	Salamon	To send order requested to the Minister of Police	SHD C15-5
Davout	Chappe	Complains of telegraph malfunctions.	Private
Soult - Registre 11	All the Generals of the North	No honors for Napoleon in the advanced posts.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 12	Ney	Kellerman's cavalry made available, report position of I and II Corps	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 13	Kellerman	Move to Gosselies under the orders of Ney	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 14	Lobau	VI Corps to take a position halfway between Charleroi and Fleurus	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 15	Drouot	The Guard must move to Fleurus	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 16	Gérard	4th corps must move to Sombref; Gérard must take Grouchy's orders	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 17	Vandamme	3rd corps must move to Sombref; Vandamme must take Grouchy's orders. @8 a.m.	SHD C17-193
Soult - Registre 18	Grouchy	March to Sombref.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 19	Ney	Take Quatre-Bras and distribute the divisions - investigate in all directions.	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 20	Ney	An officer of lancers has informed Napoleon of the enemy at Quatre-Bras. Ordered again to take.	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 21		Reserve park under protection of Lobau	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 22	Lobau	Come to Fleurus, leave battalion in Charleroi to protect park. @3:30	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult - Registre 23	Ney	Attack what is in front of you and maneuver to Sombref and Bry @2 p.m., with duplicate	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 24	Ney	Orders to envelop St Amand and Bry, fate of France is in your hands!, @3:15 p.m. and duplicate @3:30	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 25	Joseph	Announces victory at Ligny. @8:30 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Soult?		Very important notes for a report on the activities of June 15. Note, the auction summary indicates the absence of a "Bulletin Analytique" – were this and many other items stolen from the archives?	Private
Radet	Soult	The guard is not disciplined; he has taken measures; asks for gendarmes	SHD C15-5
Ney	Soult	Ney just received Soult's orders; sends a copy of the dispositions he has taken. @11 a.m.	SHD C15-5

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Ney	Soult	The attack against the English was complicated due to misunderstandings. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5
Heymès (Ney)	Reille	Ordre de Mouvement	137AP/18 - Copy
Grouchy	Soult	Positions of the cavalry corps. @5 a.m.	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Napoléon	Prussian troops arrive; Grouchy will move to Sombref. @5 a.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Napoléon	Girard confirms the enemy's arrival around Brie's mill, near Sombref. @6 a.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Napoléon	Prussian troops arrive in Sombref; Grouchy will move to Sombref. @6 a.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Exelmans	Grouchy	Losses of Vincent's brigade; asks a reward for the troops who distinguished themselves	SHD C15-5
Friant	Morvan	Ordre du jour; soldiers must respect their ranks, too many women	SHD C15-5
Arsonval	Noguès	Order to leave for Gosselies. @3 a.m.	SHD C15-5
Reille - Registre 186	Soult	Report of the advance on June 15	
Reille	Ney	Report of Girard on Prussians at Saint-Amand. Flahaut informed Reille of Orders. @10:15 a.m.	137AP/18
Trezel	Berthezene	Asks for 50 men per division for Vandamme	SHD C15-5
Lobau	Napoléon	Report to the Emperor: the enemy appears not to be in great force or number	SHD C15-5
Kellerman	Ney	Report on his charge against the enemy; the success was not maintained due to lack of men. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5
Kellerman	Soult	Sends an English flag taken on the 16th by Guiton's Brigade	SHD C15-5
Bonnemains		Excerpt from Bonnemains' report on the battle of Ligny	SHD C15-5
Frère	Davout	Eagles sent from Paris put in 1st & 6th regiments of artillery	SHD C15-5
La Poype	Davout	Movement of troops, gendarmerie lacking, no cavalry, correspondence with Dunkerque, the Lys	SHD C15-5
[D'Awersbach]	Davout	Deposits have all been moved except the 7th regiment constituted of foreigners in Montreuil	SHD C15-5
Flamand	Davout	Sedition in Douai; Densy arrested, Lesage sought. Civil authorities & National Guard complacent	SHD C15-5
Dupré	Davout	State of artillery, ammunition and supplies at Douai	SHD C15-5
Fouché	Davout	Asks for orders that allow ships to ensure the correspondence between France and England in Vimereux	SHD C15-5

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Fouché	Davout	Petition from Artaize Roquefueil	SHD C15-5
Fouché	Davout	Exaggerated fears and unnecessary precautions taken in 14th Division	SHD C15-5
Simon-Lorière		Notes on the battle of Ligny	SHD C15-5
[le Mieuvés]	Cafarelli	Measures taken in case enemy troops should penetrate territory	SHD C15-5
		[Seems to be a German document]	SHD C15-5

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Bertrand	Grouchy	Support advance via Marbais. @~11:30 a.m.	699 Mi, SHD C15-5 - Copy
Bertrand	Grouchy	Teste division under his orders; follow enemy, Emperor's HQ to four chemins; occupy Namur. @~noon	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Napoléon	Grouchy	Verbal order to pursue the Prussians. @1 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Davout	Soult	First Corps volunteer chasseurs to leave Noyon for Maubeuge	SHD C15-5
Davout	Caffarelli	To give orders to 1st Corps chasseurs volontaires de la Seine to go to Maubeuge.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Frère	1st Corps volunteer chasseurs to leave Noyon for Maubeuge	SHD C15-5
Davout	Caffarelli	2nd lancers and 7th hussars sent to Breteuil and Senlis, under orders of Gen. Margaron	SHD C15-5
Davout	La Poype	Lack of harmony between generals at Lille. Harmony must be restored so that internal enemies don't take advantage.	SHD C15-5
Davout	Commdt Sup à Calais	Will lift embargo on fishing boats and smugglers if no relationship with England established and all foreign letters presented	SHD C15-5
Soult - Mouvement 361	Langeron	Movement of National Guards Battalion	
Soult - Mouvement 362	Daure	Sent utensils for 5,000 men to Lillie	
Soult - Mouvement 363	Commandant Avesnes	Forward detachments coming from Paris to the army by Beaumont and Charleroi	
Soult - Mouvement 364	Reille, Lobau, Rutty, Gérard	Notice of above arrival of detachments.	
Soult - Mouvement 365	Commandant Avesnes	Unite columns of march, formed from deserters and crews furnished by other departments.	
Soult - Mouvement 366	Général Frère	Napoleon ordered 10 battalions of National Guards to be stationed at Avesnes	



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Soult - Mouvement 367	Commandant Avesnes	Notice of National Guard battalions intended to escort prisoners	
Soult - Mouvement 368	Ruty	Order to replace the daily consumption of ammunition	
Soult - Mouvement 369	Lieutenant Général Lebel	Measures to ensure order and tranquility of the houses where the headquarters will go.	
Soult - Registre 26	Ney	Announces victory of Ligny, orders to take position or notify if cannot	137AP/18
Soult - Registre 27	Davout	Announces victory of Ligny, the need for troops.	SHD C15-5 - 2 Copies
Soult	Ney	Napoleon is at Marbais, will support Ney taking Quatre Bras. @noon	137AP/18
Radet	Soult	Tremendous disorder in Fleurus.	SHD C15-5
Daure	Davout	Evacuation of the injured and enlargement of hospitals	SHD C15-5
Daure	Davout	Lack of surgeons and hospital personnel	SHD C15-5
Daure	Soult	State of the injured in Fleurus	SHD C15-5
[LeBel]		Morning report about ambulances at GHQ	SHD C15-5
Ney	Soult	Report to Soult on position of Wellington.	Private
Grouchy	Napoleon	Gembloux occupied. Prussian retreat. Will pursue. 20,000 out of combat at Ligny. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Vandamme	3rd Corps to march at 6 a.m. the following day to Sart-à-Valhain .	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Vandamme	Order to continue past Sart-à-Valhain so that Gen. Gérard can take position behind.	SHD C15-5
Grouchy	Gérard	To order cavalry in Roty to leave at dawn for Grand-Lez.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Gérard	Request for Gen. Gérard to march, following Vandamme. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Exelmans	Waiting for orders to march against the Prussians. Pajol in their pursuit in direction of Perwez.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy	Pajol	Orders to leave June 18 to join M <sup>al</sup> Grouchy. Push hard on the route to Namur. @10 p.m.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy		First report from Sart-à-Valhain	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy		Second report from Sart-à-Valhain	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Grouchy		Third report from Sart-à-Valhain	SHD C15-5 - Copy



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Exelmans	Grouchy	Moment on Gembloux. Points occupied by the enemy. Request for light cavalry to help his dragoons.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Bonnemains	Exelmans	Enemy occupied Tourines until 8:30 p.m. Bonnemains awaiting orders.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Pajol	Grouchy	Advantage over the enemy. Will pursue with Teste division. Request help from Subervie's division.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Cappelle		Report of ammunition used by artillery of Guard division.	SHD C15-5
d'Erlon	Ney	Report of I Corps position	137AP/18
Reille's Registry - report from Frasnés	Ney	Troops start their move in Brussels' direction; they are stopped by English and Scottish troops; the enemy suffered many losses	
Vandamme	Grouchy	Two Prussian generals confirm 20,000 men put out of combat at Ligny.	SHD C15-5 - Copy
Guyardin	Berthezène	15 men from the 11th division to escort a shipment of goods from Charleroi. @6 a.m.	SHD C15-5
Guyardin	Berthezène	Ordre du Jour - Instructions on submitting posting letters.	SHD C15-5
Guyardin	Berthezène	Ordre du Jour - Distribution of break and spirits to the 3rd corps	SHD C15-5
[LePos/Marioz]		Report on the battle of June 16, with a state of losses and casualties	SHD C15-5
Berthezène		Report on the attack in and near Fleurus and St Amand	SHD C15-5
[Del Veaux]		Report of losses in the 11th division (3rd Corps) on June 16 (note: accounting error)	SHD C15-5
Domon	Vandamme	Report of 3rd Cavalry Division and 12th Regiment of Chasseurs	SHD C15-5
Dupré	Soult	A detachment of 3rd lancers destined for Le Quenoy	SHD C15-5
Gazan	Davout	Request for support (personnel) for the subsistence of troops during their march	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Caffarelli	Request pay for gardes (champêtres) sent to arrest deserters	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Col chef état maj. 1st div.	Transport of prisoners	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Col chef état maj. 1st div.	Retired, reformed and former military	SHD C15-5
Langeron	Col chef état ma. 1st div.	Mobilizing National Guard; no garrison in Laon; request troops from St. Quentin	SHD C15-5
Prefet Aisne	Caffarelli	Conscription hitting its limits; many young men active guards or married	SHD C15-5
Rovigo	Davout	An officer came to inquire how the Commission of the high police (under Gen. Alix) functioned	SHD C15-5

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Dériot	Davout	Four regiments, voltigeurs et tirailleurs, will garrison in Laon until they are complete enough.	SHD C15-5
Cafarelli	Davout	Details on location of 21st, 25th & 46th line regiment (St Quentin) & 95th (Beauvais) to be sent.	SHD C15-5
Dumonceau	Davout	The enemy left gives June 16 to go to Namur. 17th line of Belgian customs officers dispersed.	SHD C15-5
Plaige	Davout	Daily report of the troops.	SHD C15-5