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By the King and Queen,

## A PROCLAMATION For a GENERAL FAST.

William R.

**W**HEREAS for about a Year last past, a Wicked Rebellion hath been Carried on and Maintained against Their Majesties in Their Kingdom of Ireland, (which is known to be inseparably Annexed to the Imperial Crown of England) which Rebellion hath been Contrived, Incouraged, and chiefly Supported, by the French King, Desigining by that means to make an absolute Conquest of the said Kingdom, and hold it as a Province, or else to bring a total Ruine and Destruction upon the same; for which, and other Causes, Their Majesties have been Oliged to enter into a Just and Necessary War against the said French King. And whereas His Majesty is Resolved, by the Assistance of God, Vigorously to prosecute the said War by Sea and Land; and so Effectually to Reduce that Kingdom to its due Obedience, that Their Majesties Good Subjects there may not only be Released from the present Force and Violence, but be Secured against all such Aggressions for the Future, and be Settled in a Firm and Lasting State of Peace, Safety, and Prosperity: For which purpose, His Majesty hath determined to make a Royal Voyage and go thither in Person, putting His Trust in Almighty God, (who hath by his marvellous Providence hitherto Preferred and Conducted His Majesty) That he will vouchsafe a special Blessing on this His righteous Undertaking, and thereby Consume the Deliverance of these Kingdoms. Their Majesties taking the Premises into Their most Serious Consideration, have thought fit to Appoint, and do, by and with the Advice of Their Privy Council, hereby Appoint and Command a General and Publick Fast and Humiliation to be Observed throughout this Realm in most Devout and Solemn manner, for Supplicating Almighty God for Pardon of our Sins, and Imploring His blessing and Prosperity of His Arms in Ireland, and the Naval Forces, to be Religiously Kept and Observed on Wednesday the Twelfth day of March next, throughout Their Majesties Kingdom of England, Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, and thenceforward to be observed on the Third Wednesday in every Month successively, during the present War. And for the more Orderly Solemnizing of the said several Fast Days, Their Majesties have given Directions to the Right Reverend Bishops of this Kingdom, to Compose a Form of Prayers suitable to this Occasion, to be used in all Churches and Chapels, and other Places of Publick Worship; And have given Charge for the Dispersing thereof through their several Diocesses in the whole Kingdom. And Their Majesties do most Expressly Charge and Command, that the said Fastings and Prayers be Sincerely, Reverently, and Decently, Performed by all Their Loving Subjects, as they tender the Favour of Almighty God, and upon Pain of such Punishments as Their Majesties can justly inflict upon all such as shall Contemn or Neglect so Religious a Work.

Given at Our Court at Whitehall the Twentieth Day of February, 1689. In the Second Year of Our Reign.

Vienna, February 16. The Letters from N<sup>o</sup> 7 of the 29th of the last Month, tell us, That they work day and night on the Fortifications of that place, which are already considerably advanced. That great Supplies of Provisions and Ammunition had been sent thither from B<sup>l</sup>.grade. That General Peterini had sufficiently provided for the Security of the neighbouring Garrisons; and had

sent an Officer to Widen, to receive the 1500 Horses which the Prince and States of Valachia are to furnish, according to their late Agreement with Prince Louis of Baden, for remounting the Imperial Cavalry. That they were not Turks, but Hungarians and Arnores, that fell upon the Garrison of Kazanek, and cut most of them in pieces. And that a German Officer, who had made his Escape, reported, That the Prince of Hanouer, Colonel Strasser, and several other Officers that were thought to have been killed, were Prisoners, and in the hands of the Turks. Fresh Advices from the Frontiers of Valachia say, That General Heuser had quitted Bagarest, the Capital City of that Province, and was retired with the Imperial Troops (whose Quarters on that side lay too open to the Tartars) towards the Frontiers of Transylvania, where he had ordered them to Encamp. The Turkish Envoys are still at Comorra, and pretend to be indisposed, but the Interpreter Lakowitz is sent thither to call upon them to proceed on their Journey towards Turkey.

Francfort, Feb. 21. The Elector of Triers arrived here the 19th Instant from Ausbourg, and parted again this day for Coblenz, the place of his usual Residence.

Cologne, Feb. 24. We have an account from Munichen, That their Imperial Majesties parted from thence on the 13th Instant, with the whole Court, on their return towards Vienna. The Confederates are preparing a great Magazine at Natis.

Hambourg, Feb. 21. We hear from Poland, That the Dyer had entered upon the Consideration of the Matters proposed to them by the King; the chief Points of which were, The Prosecution of the War; the Payment of the Arrears due to the Army; and the Regulating the current Money of that Kingdom. They write from Berlin, That Preparations were making for their Electoral Highness's Journey to Prussia, but the time of their setting out was not yet fixed.

Brussels, Feb. 23. The Count de Bergeyke, who has been in Flanders to settle some Matters about the Payment of the Troops, returned hither this Evening. A party of the Garrison of Audenard has lately defeated 300 French Horse, who were come between that place and Courtray, with a design to have seized upon all the Horses in the Spanish Villages, having killed 10 or 12 of them, (of which number was a Captain and a Lieutenant) and taken several Prisoners. Another of our Parties had this week the like Success in a Rencontre with some French Troops near Chatteroy. We hear, That the Prince of Leige has promised to joyn 6000 Men with the Confederate Forces against the next Campaigne.

Hague, Feb. 23. The 25th Instant Don Colonna Envoy Extraordinary from Spain, and the Sieur Dieff, who is here in the same Quality from the Elector of Brandenburg, were in Conicrence with the Deputies of the States General about the mater of the Contributions. The Count de Berka has made his Vitis as Plenipotentiary from the Emperor; and the other Plenipotentiaries, that are yet wanting, are daily expected. The Preparations for the Campaigne go on very vigorously.

Falmouth, Feb. 20. Yesterday passed by this Harbor a Fleet of about 40 Sail of Merchant Men to the westward, the Wind at N. E.

Plimouth, Feb. 23. The 19th Instant sailed from hence about 40 Sail of Hamburgers, Swedes, Danes and Dutch Merchant Ships, under the Convoy of two Men of War, to wit, a Swede and a Hamburger. The 20th came in here a great many Merchant Ships with their Convoy from Spitzhead. The Fleet with the Queen of Spain is arrived in Torbay, the Wind is now at W. N. W.

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*Letter, Feb. 22.* Yesterday morning was seen by the Light from this place, several great Ships standing to the Westward, which, it's believed, was the Fleet attending the Queen of Spain.

*Portsmouth, Feb. 25.* On the 20th Their Majesties Ships the *Ruby* and *James Ogleby* arrived at 9 o'clock from the Eastward. The Men of War and Merchant Ships bound for the *West-Indies*, sailed this morning from *St. Helen's*.

*Clifton, Feb. 24.* This morning arrived here a Gentleman from *Belfast*, who says, That the *murdering* men under the Command of Colonel *Woolley*, had had a sharp Dispute with 3 or 4000 of the Irish, Commanded by the Duke of *Berwick*, near *Corran*, and had routed them, and burnt the Town, with the Provisions that were laid up there: That of the Rebels above 300 were killed, and several Officers and others taken Prisoners, with the loss only on our side of about 18 Men. There are several other Particulars reported of this Action, which we forbear mentioning, till we have the Confirmation of it.

*Whitehall, Feb. 26.* The *Sieur Alfeld* Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Denmark*, had the 23d Instant Audience of the Queen Dowager, and this day of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of *Denmark*, being Conducted by *Sir Charles Coote* Master of the Ceremonies.

Members chosen for the ensuing Parliament.

<i>Alborough,</i>	<i>Sir Henry Johnson.</i> <i>William Johnson Esq;</i>
<i>Buck,</i>	<i>The Lord Viscount Fitzharding.</i> <i>Sir William Basset.</i>
<i>Hereford,</i>	<i>Sir Edward Wyndham.</i> <i>John Hunt Esq;</i>
<i>Northampton,</i>	<i>Sir William Langham.</i> <i>Sir Thomas Samuel.</i>
<i>Peterborough,</i>	<i>William Brownlee Esq;</i> <i>Gilbert Dolben Esq;</i>
<i>Shaftesbury,</i>	<i>Sir Matthew Andrews.</i> <i>Edward Nicholas Esq;</i>
<i>Wilson,</i>	<i>Thomas Wyndham Esq;</i> <i>Sir Richard How.</i>
<i>Worcester County,</i>	<i>The Lord Marquis of Worcester.</i> <i>Thomas Morgan Esq;</i>
<i>Eastloe,</i>	<i>Charles Treloveny Esq;</i> <i>Henry Treloveny Esq;</i>
<i>St. Mawes,</i>	<i>Sir Joseph Tredenham.</i> <i>John Tredenham Esq;</i>
<i>Huntingdon County,</i>	<i>The Honorable Robert Mountague Esq;</i> <i>John Dreyden Esq;</i>
<i>Huntingdon Town,</i>	<i>The Honourable Sidney Wortley alias Mountague Esq;</i> <i>The Honourable Richard Mountague Esq;</i>
<i>York County,</i>	<i>Thomas Lord Fairfax.</i> <i>Sir John Kay.</i>
<i>Hyden,</i>	<i>Henry Guy Esq;</i> <i>Matthew Appleyard Esq;</i>
<i>Hindon,</i>	<i>Robert Hyde Esq;</i> <i>Thomas Chaffin Esq;</i>
<i>Berks,</i>	<i>Sir Henry Winchcomb.</i> <i>Sir Humphrey Forester.</i>
<i>Hastings,</i>	<i>Daniel Onslow Esq;</i> <i>George Bridges Esq;</i>
<i>Midshire,</i>	<i>Sir Thomas Taylor.</i> <i>..... Rider Esq;</i>

*Norfolk,* *Sir William Coote.*  
*..... Esq;*

*Lincoln,* *The Lord Viscount Castlereagh.*  
*Sir Thomas Holford.*

*Chichester,* *Sir Thomas Miller.*  
*..... Esq;*

The *Privy Council* of all the *Provinces* taking into Consideration the *Importation* and *Use* of the *Opium*, taken at the Exchange of *London* and *Westminster*, and *other* *Places* of the *City* of *London* and *Westminster*, and *other* *Places* of, have thought fit to give notice, that they neither will, nor will grant any License for the *same* *Opium* to any part of the *Kingdom*, and *other* *Places*, that the *same* *Opium* be *imported* and *used* according to the *Law* and the *Order* of the *Magistrates*, and *Officers* of the *Peace*, and *other* *Officers* for the *offering* the *same*.

Advertisements.

The Juice of Liquorice, black, brown, and white, extraordinary well prepared, and very good for the safe curing of Coughs, Hiccups, and other Disorders of the Lungs, and all manner of Coughs, by Mrs. Kinner, who hath the honour to prepare it for her Royal Highness the Princess of Denmark. It is to be had at Mr. Burch at the King's Sun near the Little Savoy-Gate in the Strand, where it may be spoken with till 10 in the Morning, and from 4 till 9 at Night. It may also be had at the Duke of Northumberland's head at the Entrance of the Pall-mall.

The German Balls, so much used in Germany for preserving and Beautifying of Boots and Shoes, and keeping the Feet dry, and now brought over into England by the Inventor, and found by experience here to be of like use and benefit. Are sold only by Mr. Tho. Hodgkin at his House next the Dolphin Inn a West-Smithfield, London, and whom he does appoint. The price 6 Pence apiece, with a Paper of Directions how to use them.

Great Improvements having been made upon the worst of Lands by Raygrass, many People of England, but especially of Scotland and Ireland, being unacquainted of the great Profit and Advantages thereby, may have Printed Directions, shewing the proper Soils and Husbandry gratis; and may be accommodated with the Seeds, as also Clover-grass Seeds, Hop-clover Seed cleaned, St. Foy's Seeds, and La-Lucern Seeds, &c. for the Improvement of Land, By Frank Walfon at the House de-la-croix against the May-pole in the Strand, London.

Lost on Friday night the 21th Instant in the Strand, or left a Hackney Coach, a Picture of a Lady in Limning, set in Gold, with a Christal upon it, and a Shagreen Out-case. Whoever brings it to Mr. Robt. Junior, in Henrietta-street in Covent-Garden, shall have 4 Guinea's Reward.

Whereas a Draped-berry Coat was taken the 24th Instant (it is supposed by mistake) out of the Lobby of the Council Chamber, with some Papers; These are to give notice, That whoever restores either of them to the Keeper of the Council Chamber, shall have a reasonable Reward.

The Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt against Francis Cromwell and John Symond of London, Chapmen, intend to meet at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 15th of March next, at nine in the morning, when a Dividend will be made of the Estates of the said Bankrupts as far as the same hath been gotten in; of which, all persons concerned are to take notice.

The Commissioners named in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Loader late of London, Merchant, have appointed to meet at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on Monday the 17th of March next, at three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to make a Dividend of the said Loader's Estate; and the Creditors of the said Loader are to take care to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution at the same time, lest they be excluded.

This is to give notice to all persons concerned in the Statute of Bankrupt against Benj. Brewster of Norwich, who have received their Dividends of 7 s. and 3 s. and 6 d. per pound, may receive them at the house of Samuel Brewster in Threadneedle-street, London.

Lost from the Old Plow in Printers-street in St. James's Westminster near Leicester-fields, the 26th Instant, a Tankard marked with R C K, a Tumbler with no Mark, and a Spoon marked with F A K. Whoever gives notice thereof as aforesaid, shall have 40 s. Reward.

These are to give notice, That there is now come over from Newburgh in Germany three choice Canary wines, to be sold at reasonable Rates by Tho. Blind at the Black Bull at Tower Dock, London.

Taken away from a Gentleman on the 10th Instant, betwixt Cobham and Ripley, by 5 Highway-men, a white Saddle-horse about 14 hands, tender footed before, his Mane lying on the near Side, thick necked. Whoever gives notice of him to the Post-Master at Kingston upon Thames in Surrey, shall have 10 s. Reward and Charges.

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