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By the King and Queen,

## A PROCLAMATION

For Appointing Commissioners for putting in Execution an Act of this present Parliament, for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, towards the Reducing of Ireland, and Prosecuting the War against France.

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**W**HEREAS in and by one Act lately Passed in this present Parliament, (Entituled, An Act for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, towards the Reducing of Ireland, and Prosecuting the War against France) it is Enacted, That for the better Assisting, Ordering, and Levying of the several Sums of Money therein and appointed to be paid by the said Act, and for the more effectual putting of the same in Execution, the Persons named and appointed to be Commissioners by an Act of the last Parliament, (Entituled, An Act for a Grant to Their Majesties of an Aid of Two Shillings in the Pound for one Year) together with those Members of this present House of Commons, which were not named Commissioners in the said Act, shall be Commissioners for putting in Execution the said Act, for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, and the Powers therein contained, within all and every the several and respective Counties, Ridings, Cities, Boroughs, Towns and Places, for which they shall be appointed Commissioners respectively, as by the said Act, relation being thereunto had, more fully may appear. The King and Queen's most Excellent Majesties resposing special Trust and Confidence in the Abilities, Care and Circumspections of all and every this Person and Persons which were named and appointed to be Commissioners by the said Act, for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Two Shillings in the Pound, that are now living, do hereby Appoint and Declare them and every of them to be their Commissioners for putting in Execution the said Act of this present Parliament, for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, and all the Powers therein contained, within all and every the several and respective Counties, Ridings, Cities, Boroughs, Towns and Places, for which by the said former Act they are appointed Commissioners. And Their Majesties Resposing the like Trust and Confidence in the Care and Circumspections of those Members of this present House of Commons which were not named Commissioners in the said Act, do by these Presents likewise Appoint and Declare them to be also Commissioners for putting in Execution the said Act, for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, and all the Powers therein contained, within the several Counties, Cities and Boroughs, for which they respectively serve in this present Parliament; and where they or any of them do serve for any particular Cities, Boroughs, or Ports, they shall all as Commissioners for the respective Counties, in which such Cities, Boroughs, or Ports are; And to them the said Commissioners, or to such or so many of them as by the said Act for Raising Money by a Poll, and otherwise, are or shall be in any Cases or Cases requisite and necessary, Their Majesties do hereby give full Power and Authority to put in Execution all the Powers contained or specified in the same Act, and generally to Do, Perform and Execute, or cause to be Done, Performed, or Executed, all Matters or Things whatsoever, which any Commissioners appointed or to be appointed by their Majesties, may or can lawfully Do, Perform, or Execute, in relation to the same, within all and

every of the said several and respective Counties, Ridings, Cities, Boroughs, Towns and Places, for which they are Commissioned and appointed, as aforesaid: Hereby willing and Requiring them, and every of them, from time to time to Proceed and Act according to the Rules and Directions of the said Act of Parliament, and diligently to intend the Execution of this Their Majesties Service as becometh. And this shall be to them and every of them a sufficient Warrant and Discharge in this behalf.

Given at Our Court at Whitehall the Thirteenth Day of May, 1690. In the Second Year of Our Reign.

At the Court at WHITEHALL the 15th of May, 1690.

By the King's most Excellent Majesty, and the Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council.

**H**IS Majesty in Council is pleased to Order, That the Embargo be taken off and suspended from all Ships and Vessels whatsoever within the Kingdom of England, Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, Provided the respective Masters of the said Ships and Vessels give sufficient Security to the Officers of the Customs in the Ports from whence they shall set sail, not to Trade, under pretence of this Liberty, into any Parts of the French King's Dominions, or into any Parts of Ireland which are not under Obedience to Their Majesties.

Cha. Montague.

Rome, April 29. The Cardinal de Bouillon, and the Duke de Chantres, had on Monday last, upon the arrival of an Express from France, a long Conference with the Cardinal Orceboni, about the Accommodation of the Differences with that Crown; and the next day the Ambassador had an Audience of the Pope on the same Subject: But the difficulties that still remain, occasioned by the Pope's stiffness in some of the most important Points in question, do greatly obstruct the conclusion of this matter; for the removing of which, the French promise themselves great Assistance from the Credit the Cardinal de Fourbin (who is suddenly expected here from France) is in with the Pope. The Envoy of Poland had this week his Audience of Leave of the Pope, and at the same time delivered a Letter to him from that King, thanking him for the Promotion of the Bishop of Beauvais to the Cardinalat. The Pope's Gallies are ready to sail from Civita Vecchia with the first fair wind; with these will join 2 of Genoua, and 8 of Malta, making in all 15 Gallies, besides the Vessels that are to transport the Land Forces designed for the Assistance of the Venetians.

Genoa, April 29. The Gallies of Tioffi are arrived here, with 1500 Bombs for the Service of the State of Milan, which were brought ashore on Monday last. The two Gallies of this State, which are bound to the Levant, will part from hence this Evening for Civita Vecchia.

Milan, May 3. Our Governor-General has ordered 30000 Phisippi to be paid to the Romish Cantons on account of their yearly Pension. His Excellency continues to give out Commissions for new Levies, and intends to have a Body of 6000 Germans in the Service of this State. They write from Fein of the 25th past, that the People of Mandovi had sent Hostages thither for the performance of what they had promised; and that the Duke of Savoy had named the Count de Rouvo to be Governor of that Province. These Letters add, that Preparations were making, in order to attack the Paysan.

Vienna,