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By the KING and QUEEN, A PROCLAMATION

For Apprehending of Colonel JOHN PARKER.

MARIE R.

WHereas Colonel John Parker being in Custody in the Tower for High Treason, (for which a Bill of Indictment was found against him the last Term) did upon Saturday night last make his Escape, and doth Abscond himself, flying from Justice; We have therefore thought fit, by the Advice of Our Privy Council, to Issue this Our Royal Proclamation; And We do hereby Require and Command all Our Loving Subjects whatsoever, to Discover, Take, and Apprehend the said Colonel John Parker (being about Forty years of Age, a Fair Man, somewhat long Visaged, with a sharp Chin, and a high thin Nose, and is a little marked with the Small Pox, his Hair brown, (but he generally wears a fair Periwig) his Size is rather less than a middle Stature, he speaks with a Soft Speech and Smiling Countenance, he goes a little Lame, pretended to be by some Wound he received) and being Apprehended, to carry him before the next Justice of Peace, or Chief Magistrate of City or Town Corporate, whom We do hereby Require to Commit him to the next Goal, there to remain until he shall be there delivered by due Course of Law; And We do hereby Require the said Justice or Chief Magistrate immediately to give Notice thereof to Us or Our Council; And We do hereby Promise, that whosoever shall Discover and Apprehend the said Colonel John Parker, and bring him before some Justice of Peace, shall have and receive the Reward of Four hundred Pounds for so doing; And We do hereby Authorize and Require Our present Commissioners of Our Treasury, and Our High Treasurer and Commissioners for the Treasury for the time being, to make Payment of the said Sum accordingly; And We do hereby Publish and Declare, That if any Person or Persons, after this Our Royal Proclamation, shall directly or indirectly, Conceal, Harbour, Retain, Keep, or Maintain the said Colonel John Parker, or shall Contrive or Conspire at any means whereby he may Escape from being Taken or Arrested, such Person or Persons shall be Prosecuted with the utmost Severity of Law; And We do hereby Declare, That if any Person or Persons who have been Instrumental in his Escape, or have had any hand in Concealing him, shall Discover and Apprehend the said Colonel John Parker, so that he shall be brought before Our Chief Justice of the Kings-Bench, or some other of the Judges of the said Court, or some Justice of the Peace, or Chief Magistrate of City or Corporation, such Person or Persons so Instrumental in the said Escape, and Discovering, Apprehending and Bringing in the said Colonel John Parker, shall Have and Receive Our Gracious Pardon for his or their Offence aforesaid: And such Person or Persons as have or do Conceal the said Colonel John Parker, and shall discover and bring him in, as aforesaid, shall not only Have and Receive Our Gracious Pardon for such Offence, but shall also Have and Receive the like Reward of Four hundred Pounds to be paid in manner aforesaid.

Given at Our Court at Whitehall the Fourteenth day of August, 1694. In the Sixth Year of Our Reign.

Rome, July 31. The Meeting of the Congregation about the Business of Liege is put off again till the 10th of the next Month; and the French Cardinals endeavour all they can to obtain a longer delay. The Imperial Ambassador is on his departure for Vienna.

Lisborne, Aug. 2. By a Bark which came from Toulon the 28th of the last Month, 'tis confirmed, that the French Fleet was all haled within the Castles, except 6 Frigats, who were designed abroad to cruise, and that they have planted Cannon along the Marine, and 'twixt every two Guns a Mortar-piece. Yesterday arrived here a Tartane in 13 days from the Coast of Barbary, and brought advice, that a War being broke out between the Governments of Argiers and Tunis, their Forces came to a Battle on the 26th of June, in which the Tunisiens were worsted, and all their Artillery and Baggage taken, with a great many Prisoners; Their General Mahomet Bey fled to the City of Tunis; and the Algerines were marching to attack that place.

Turin, Aug. 6. The Duke of Savoy marched the 3d Instant from Briasque with his own and the German Forces, and is now encamped between Carvours and Garfogliani; but the Spanish Troops lie still between Oriasque and St. Cecond; Their design seems to be to destroy all the Forage in those parts. We hear yet nothing of any motion of the Enemy, except it be that 3 Battalions are lately come to Pignerol to reinforce that Garrison: The Marechal de Catinat continues with the rest of the French Forces in his Camp near Fenestrelle.

Venice, August 7. There are Letters from Napoli di Romania of the 18th of July, which advise, that the Captain General Zeno had sent a Squadron of Gallies to meet the Count de Steinau General of our Land-Forces (who parted with the great Convoy from Corfou on the 6th of the same Month) intending so soon as he arrived, to sail with the whole Fleet towards the Archipelago. The Senate have this week received Letters from Signior Delfino Proveditore General of Dalmatia, which contradict the news we had some days before by a Barque from Spalato, of the Turks having quitted their design upon Cyclut; for he gives an account that the Bassa's of Bosnia, Albania, and Erzegovina, were come within half a days march of that place, having with them 14000 Men, and several Pieces of Cannon and Mortars; But that he did not apprehend the Town to be in any danger, there being in it a Garrison of 1300 Men, provided with all things necessary for their defence, and he himself designed to march in few days with all the Force he could draw together for their relief: There are other

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other Letters which say, that the Turks had attacked the Tower of *St. Angelo*, which is an advanced Post belonging to *Cyclus*, but that they were repulsed with loss.

Vienna, Aug. 7. The last Advices from *Hungary* tell us, that the Imperial Forces continued to draw together about *Peter-Waradin*; and that 15 Pieces of great Cannon for Battery, and 6 Mortars, with a considerable quantity of Bombs and Carcasses, were ordered to be sent to the Army from *Buda*. They write from the Frontiers, that the Grand Visier parted from *Philippopoli* on the 10th of the last Month towards *Sophia*: That a Body of about 10000 Turks was encamped near *Semendria*, where they had laid a Bridge over the *Danube*: And that a Party of 1000 Men had passed the River *Marosh*, and had put some Provisions into *Gyula*.

Francofort, Aug. 15. The Elector of *Saxony* has sent 5 or 6000 Men more to reinforce his Troops on the *Rhine*. They arrived the 13th in the neighbourhood of *Hailbron*, where they would refresh themselves for 2 or 3 days, and then march to the Confederate Camp which is removed nearer to *Durlach*. The Marschal de *Lorge* lies still about *Crewzansch*.

Cologne, Aug. 17. The 13th Instant a Party of 150 Imperial Hussars met 200 French Horse about two miles from *Rbins*, and routed them, killing 46 upon the place, and taking 50 Prisoners, among whom were 3 Captains.

Paris, Aug. 16. The French Court returned yesterday from *Trianon* to *Verfailles*, and goes the 20th to *Fontainebleau*, where the Dauphin is shortly expected from *Flanders*. They now own here, that the damage occasioned by the Enemies Bombs at *Diep*, was very considerable, for besides the ruining of the Town, a very great quantity of Merchandize was burnt; and this loss has so far affected the City of *Rouen*, as to make divers Bankrupts there: The new Converts suffered in this occasion both by the Fire and the Rage of the People. The Letters from *Pignacol* of the 6th say, that the Duke of *Savoy's* Forces had quitted the neighbourhood of that place, and were marched to *Benire* and *Bagnoles*; and that Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* was gone with 5000 men to reinforce the Blockade of *Casal*. They write from *Catalonia*, that the Duke of *Noailles* had given orders for repairing and augmenting the Fortifications of *Offalric*, and that the French Forces were marched towards *Tordera* and *Blanes*, where they would go into Quarters of Refreshment. The Marschal de *Tourville* was by our last Advice still at *Toulon*.

From the King's Camp at *Sombref*, Aug. 19. Yesterday morning, very early, the Army marched from *Mont St. Andre*, and came into this Camp, late at night; Our Right reaches towards *Flerus* and *Mele*, and our Left towards the Wood of *Bertenchamp*, *Sombref* being in the Front. The Enemy upon notice of our march, began theirs yesterday at Noon, and continued it all night, being now encamped between *Templon* and *Masy*, having the Rivulet called *Orn* before them, within a league and half from us. 'Tis believed we shall soon remove from hence, and march towards *Flanders*.

Hague, Aug. 20. The President de *La Tour* will part from hence on Monday next for *Berlin*. They write from *France*, that the Inhabitants of *Calice* have removed all their Goods and Merchandizes of any value to places more remote from the Sea for fear of being Bombed; and that they are under the like apprehensions at *St. Malo*. The Baron de *Heckeren*, Envoy Extraordinary from this State to the King of *Sweden*, is preparing for his return to *Stockholme*.

Falmouth, Aug. 11. On Tuesday last came in here a small Dutch Caper on cruising on the French Coast, where he took 5 small Prizes. And this day arrived in this Port 3 Dutch Capers with two Prizes; The one a French Ship of 16 Guns bound home from *Newfoundland*; and the other a Vessel bound from the *Sireights* to *Nantes*.

Yarmouth, Aug. 13. On Friday last came into this Road a Fleet of above 200 Sail or laden Colliers with their Convoy.

Whitehall, Aug. 13. This day arrived here an Express, who came by the way of the *Groyne*, with Letters from Admiral *Russell* dated the 25th

of the last Month in *Altea-Bay* about 15 Leagues to the Eastward of *Alicant*, where he was put in by contrary Winds. He had sent away the *Turkey* Ships under the Convoy of 5 Men of War; and had taken a Frigate of 16 Guns, being one of the French Scouts; who said their Fleet was at *Toulon*.

Whitehall, Aug. 15. We have an account that Their Majesties Ship the *Weymouth* has brought into *Plimouth* a French Privateer of 8 Guns, which she took the 11th Instant off of *Scilly*. The *Jersey* has taken off of *Albrough* a *Dunkirke* Privateer of 6 Guns and 44 Men. And the *Lizard* has taken off of *Lundy* an open Shalop with two Patercoes and 15 Men.

Advertisements.

The Gentleman's Journal for the War, being a Description of many strong Cities and Towns of Europe, with exact Draughts of the Fortifications of each Place. Part the Third, containing Descriptions and Draughts of *Lige*, *Coni*, *Oudenard*, and *Philipsburg*. The First and Second Parts describing *Durlik*, *Machticht*, *May*, *Muniz*, *Breb*, *Cadiz*, *Pignacol*, *Casal*, *Coblenz*, *Bonn*, *Charleroy*, *Aeth*, *St. Malo*, *Belle-Isle*, *Newport*, *Olderde*, *Mons*, and *Namur*. Printed for *Abel Swall* and *T. Child* at the Unicorn at the West-End of *St. Paul's Church-Yard*.

THE Company of White Paper makers in England, will expose to sale by Inch of Candle several sorts of Writing and Printing Paper, on Thursday the 23d Instant, at 9 in the morning, at their House in *Queen Street*, *London*, where the Paper may be viewed, and Printed Catalogues will be delivered at any time before the sale.

B AINET Goundry, aged about 19, a thin swarthy Man, went his own Hair, being black and lank, in a brown Cloth Coat, and a grey Country-like Hat, went away from his Master *John Gibson*, Joyner, in *Langacre*, the 15th Instant. Whoever gives notice of him to his Master aforesaid, so as he may be apprehended, shall have a *Guinea Reward*, and Charges.

J AMES GRAY, Pawn-Taker, in *Newton-street*, *Holborn*, hath left off his Trade, and all Persons that hath any Goods or Pawns in his hands, are desired to fetch them away by the first of *October* next, or else they will be exposed to sale.

GOOD shining and strong Gunpowder made by *Peter Azire* of *Oare* near *Faversham* in *Kent*, is now to be sold at his House in *Grafton-street* in *Soho* at the Sign of the Gunpowder-Mill, by *Whole-sail* and *Retail*, as also *Saltpetre*.

LOST from behind a Coach between *Kingston* and *Gifford*, on the 2d Instant, a black Boy 12 years old, in a grey Coat, with Brass Buttons, and Blue Stockings, a Scar on the left side of his Forehead, was seen on the 3d to pass through *Kingston* with two Seamen. Whoever brings him to *Barfon's Coffee-House* in *Cornhill*, shall have 10s. Reward, with reasonable Charges.

LOST between *Crook-lane* and *Watling-street*, on Sunday the 11th Instant, a *Portmanua* wherein was a *Pocket-Book* and several other Writings. Whoever bringeth the same to *Mr. Davis's Coffee-House* near the *Half-Moon-Tavern*, *Aldersgate-street*, shall have a *Guinea Reward*.

LOST from the 20th of June last from a Coach Wagon between *Birmingham* and *Stony-Stratford*, 5 Pictures, being 2 Men Heads and 3 Women rolled up without Frames. Whoever brings them to the *Ram* in *Smithfield*, or the *George-Inn* at *Wheaten* in *Northamptonshire*, shall have 10s. and Charges.

STolen or strayed out of the Grounds of *Mr. Oswald West* of *Ebbeborne* in *Wilts*, on the first Instant, a black brown Mare, 15 hands, one hind foot white, 7 years old; also a black Colgett, about 15 hands, with a bald face, and the near foot before white, some white hairs in the neck, and a long tail with the reprobent gristed. Whoever gives notice of either of them to *Mr. George West* at the *Cow's Face* in *Charter-House-Yard*, *London*, or to *Mr. Jonathan Gumbleton* at the *Cross Keys* in *Salisbury*, shall have a *Guinea Reward*, and reasonable Charges.

STolen or strayed out of the Grounds of *Bernard Pawler Esq.* at *Saithreall* in *Somersetshire*, on the 22th past, a dark brown Nag, above 14 hands high, a white Star in his Forehead, with P. on the near Buttck. Whoever gives notice of him to *Mr. W. Long*, *Meister*, in *Bath*, or to *Mr. Francis Brixey* at the 3 Crowns in *Fleet-street*, *London*, shall have 20s. Reward.

LOST the 4th Instant between *Brentford* and *London*, a Bay Mare 14 hands high, one white Foot, about 4 years old, with a Bridle and Saddle. Whoever gives notice of her, that she may be had again, to *Mr. Wells* at the *Crown* between the two *Temple-Gates*, *London*, or at *Benets Coffee-House* in *Brentford*, shall have a *Guinea* and Charges.