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Whitehall, Feb. 28.

THIS day was Published His Majesty's Proclamation, by which His Majesty upon the Humble Address of the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses in Parliament assembled, has thought fit, *Strictly to Charge and Command all Popish Recusants, Natives or Denizens, being above the Age of Sixteen Years, That they do, according to the Statutes in that behalf made, Repair to their respective Places of Abode, and if they have none, then to the Places where their respective Father or Mother is, or shall be Dwelling, and do not thereafter Remove or Pass above Five Miles from thence. And His Majesty does likewise Charge and Command all Papists and Persons Reputed so to be (except Merchant Strangers, Settled Householders, and other Persons Excepted in the Statutes made in this behalf) on or before the Tenth Day of March next, to Depart out of the said Cities of London and Westminster, and from all Places within the Distance of Ten Miles of the same. And His Majesty does hereby Command the Lord Mayor of London, and all other Justices of the Peace, and other Officers within the said Cities, and Ten Miles of the same, That they make Strict Search for, and proceed against all such of them as shall presume to Remain, Repair or Return within the Limits aforesaid, according to the Statutes in that Case provided; and particularly the Statute made in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty and of the late Queen Mary of Blessed Memory, Intituled, (An Act for the Amending Papists and Reputed Papists from the Cities of London and Westminster, and Ten Miles Distance from the same) by Tendering to them the Declaration therein mentioned, and otherwise, according to the said Act. And His Majesty does likewise Charge and Command the aforesaid, and all other Justices of the Peace whatsoever, who shall know or be Informed, that any Person is, or is Suspected to be a Papist, to Tender unto such Person the Declaration aforesaid, and proceed thereupon, according to one other Act made in the said First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty and the said late Queen, Intituled, (An Act for the better Securing the Government, by Disarming Papists and Reputed Papists.) And for the better Discovery of Persons Disaffected to the Government, and that being Discovered, their Disloyal and Wicked Purposes and Attempts may be Disappointed, His Majesty does strictly Charge and Command all Justices of the Peace, and other Officers in that behalf Authorized, That where they shall find or be Informed of any Person, who by reason of his Conversation, Discourse or other Demeanour, shall be suspected not to be well affected to His Majesties Government, they do Tender unto such Person the Oaths Appointed by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty and the said late Queen, Intituled, (An Act for the Abrogating of the Oath of Supremacy and Allegiance and Appointing other Oaths) and that in Case of Refusal to take the same, due Prosecution be made thereupon. And for the more effectual Performance thereof, the said Justices of Peace are to make and keep Entries or Records of such their Proceedings, in order to the Tendering the said Oaths against the Person so Refusing; it being His Majesties Pleasure, that the said Law be Executed to the utmost against such Offenders. And His Majesty does Charge and Command particularly Require all Deputy Lieutenants and Justices of the Peace, That they do meet Monthly, to Inquire into and Inform themselves of the Affairs of their respective Counties and Divisions in relation to the Premises, and take special Care to Preserve the Peace, and prevent all Unlawful Meetings and assemblies against His Majesty and His Government, and that they give Information of the Proceedings and Discourses to the Lords of the Privy Council, and to the Privy Council.*

Messina, Jan. 25. N.S. This day arrived here 8 English Men of War and 2 Fire Ships, with the Merchantmen under their Convoy bound to Venice, Constantinople, Smirna and Scanderoon. Two Zealand Privateers, called the Walkera and Black Eagle, are come into this Port with two French Prizes, the St. Gio Bapt. and the Prudent, being both very rich Ships, bound from Alexandria to Marseilles.

Genova, Feb. 12. The last Letters from Toulon say, there were about 26 French Men of War in that Road; and that the whole Fleet would be ready to sail in the beginning of March. They fit out their Gallies at Marseilles.

Leghorn, Feb. 12. The Navy Rose, Captain Broome Commander, returned into Port this morning and brought in with him 3 small Prizes, two of them laden with Corn, and bound to Marseilles, and the other an empty Vessel. A Ship called the Fisher is arrived here from Scotland.

Venice, Febr. 17. This Week arrived here the Eagle Galley, William Underwood Master; The Eagle Sloop, Joseph Eagle; The Ormond, Captain Thomas Robinson; The Houseful Jacob, George Langhorn; The Providence, William Middleton; The Lion, John Parry, from England and Iceland; They left the Turkey Ships under Convoy of 8 Men of War, about 15 days ago near the Golphs Mouth.

Vienna, Febr. 22. The Letters from Hungary say, a strong Party of Turks was marched with several pieces of Cannon from Belgrade, and 'twas thought they designed to attack a small place called Betsch, on the River Theysse; Upon no ice whereof, the Governor of Peter Waradin had sent out a Detachment of that Garrison to observe the Enemy. The States of Austria have resolved to raise the Recruits the Emperor desires for his Forces in Hungary, and that they shall without farther trouble be delivered to the Officers on the Frontiers. They send from hence great quantities of Provisions and Ammunition to be laid up in the Magazines in Hungary, and the Officers are Commanded to repair the next month to their several Commands.

Cologne, March 2. The Venerian Ambassadors who are going to England, arrived here on Tuesday last; They were Entertained the next day by the Magistrates at the Town House, and yesterday proceeded on their Journey to Holland.

Hamburg, March 2. The Ministers of Sweden, Brandenburg, and other Princes, continue their Endeavours for composing the Difference between the King of Denmark and Duke of Holstein, with a very good prospect of Success. The Matter about the Succession to the Duchy of Mecklenburg Gustraw is likewise in Negotiation.

Paris, March 2. All the Talk here at present is of the design of Invading England. On Tuesday the 23rd of February, the late King James parted from St. Germain, (the French King having the Night before taken leave of him) and went in a Post Calash to Calais; Being come to St. Denis, he Signed an Instrument or Deed, in the presence of a Publick Notary, and sent it afterwards to the French Court; By which 'tis said he obliges himself to repay to the French King the Expences he has put him to. The Duke of Berwick, who has been privately in England, and returned from thence the 24th of the last month, N. S. met him on the Road, and afterwards went on to give the French King an account of Things. In the mean time the Marechal de Beaufiers has drawn the Troops from our Frontier Garrisons of Flanders and Picardy towards Dunkirk and Calais, where they are to Embark under the Command of the Marquis

quis de Harcourt ; About 300 Transport Ships are got together from the Ports of Normandy and Britany ; And the Men of War, fitted out in the Ports of the Ocean, are sailed thither to protect them.

Brussels, March 4. We have an account, That the French have drawn a Body of their Troops towards *Dunkirke* and *Calais*, and have got Vessels together to Transport them ; That the late King *James* is come to *Calais*, and the *Marsch de Bufflers* to *Dunkirk*, and that they have begun to Ship the Troops. The Elector of *Bavaria* has sent the Count de *Monsferole* to *England*, to give the King an account of the Enemies Preparations. Prince *Vandermont*, after having assisted at a Council of War, went this day to *Flanders* ; And several English Regiments are marched to *Ostend* to be in a readiness to Embark there for *England*.

Ostend, March 4. The French draw together a great many Troops about *Dunkirk* and *Calais*, and have begun to Ship them. The late King *James* came to *Calais* the 2d instant. Several Men of War are come from their Western Ports, with whom *du Bart* with his Ships is to joyn, to protect their Embarkations ; They may be in all about 17 or 18 Men of War, Commanded by *Monfieur Gabaret*, Lieutenant General, who went on Board at *Dunkirk* the 28th past. *Monfieur Overkerke* is come hither with the English Troops, who will be Shipt to morrow.

Hague, March 6. Orders are given to all the Dutch Men of War to go out with all Expedition ; 7 from the *Texell* are already at Sea ; and those from the *Goree*, Commanded by Vice Admiral *Callenburg*, wait only for a Wind. The Transport Ships that came last from *England* are stopt at *Hilvoetsluis* to carry some of the Troops back if it be necessary. The Venetian Ambassadors are come to *Rotterdam*.

Plymouth, Feb. 25. This day sailed hence His Majesty's Ship the *Litchfield*, with several other Men of War to the Eastward.

Dzale, Feb. 29. Admiral *Russell* sailed the 27th out of the *Downes* with the Fleet under his Command, towards the French Coast ; and off the *South Foreland* was joyned by Sir *Cloudesty Shovell* with the Ships from the River. The *Solebay* and some other Ships came in yesterday, and this day, from the Northward. Several Men of War from the Westward have joyned the Fleet.

Whitehall, March 1. This morning came in Letters from Admiral *Russell*, dated on Board His Majesty's Ship the *Victory* the 28th of *February*, which bring an account, That he was then at Anchor off *Grevelin* ; My Lord *Berkeley* lay half way between the Admiral and *Dunkirk* ; Sir *Cloudesty Shovell* had lookt into *Bullen-Bay*, but saw no Ships or Barks there ; The Fleet sailed along the Coast as near *Calais* as they could, where a great many Vessels lay crowded together ; There might be between 3 and 400 of all sorts ; And the French were very busie in raising Batteries to protect them. There lay 17 or 18 French Men of War, great and small, among the Sands of *Dunkirk* in the *Fleamish Road*, who were to have convoyed the Transport Ships ; Mr. *Russell* had

taken some Prisoners, who said, the French did not think we had at Sea any considerable number of Ships together, and were much surpris'd to see such a Fleet.

Whitehall, Febr. 29. Divers of the Conspirators against His Majesty's Life are Apprehended, and have been Examined before the Lords of the Council, and will be brought to their Trial in few days.

The Patentees for making the thick Paper Hangings in Imitation of Japan, Wainscot, Forest, and Tapestry Work, do hereby give Notice, That their true Sorts are Sold by Wholesale only at their Chief Warehouses in Aldermanbury, and at their Japan Warehouse near the George and Vulture Tavern in Cornhill, and by Retail at the said Warehouses, and at Mr. *Nehemiah Wilmoats* at the Swan near Aldgate, at Mr. *Charles Browns* at the Crown in Newgate-street, at Mr. *J. Brooks* at the Ship near the May-Pole in the Strand, at Mr. *Joseph Dewels* at the Globe, Mr. *John Brothwaite* at the Fleece, both near the New Exchange in the Strand, at Mrs. *Susannah Tookers* at the end of St. Martins-lane near Charing-Cross, at Mrs. *Lettice Wilds* at the Falcon by St. Andrews Holbourn, at Mr. *Joseph Comiers* next the Standard Tavern in Leicester-Fields, Stationers, and at Mr. *John Ackerleys* at Broken-Cross at the end of Tuttle-street, and no where else, where all Persons may be Accommodated with any of their Sorts for White Money, either Half Crowns, Shillings, or Six Pence, if not plain Brass or Copper.

Advertisements.

✶ The Pen-Mans Paradise : A Copy Book ; Containing all the usual kinds of this Kingdom : Adorned with great variety of Figures and Emblimes invented and performed by Command of Hand. By *John Seddon*. Sold by *Will. Court* at the Mariner and Anchor on Tower-Hill.

✶ The Compleat Flute Master ; Or, the whole Art of Playing on the Recorder, laid open in such easie and plain Instructions, that by them the meanest Capacity may arrive at a Perfection on that Instrument. The Second Edition, with Additions of several new Lessons, made by the late Famous Mr. *Henry Purcell*. Sold by *John Walsh*, Musical Instrument Maker in Ordinary to His Majesty, at the Golden Harp and Hoboy in Katharine-street near Somerset house in the Strand ; and *John Hare*, Musical Instrument Seller, at the Golden Violin in St. Pauls Church-yard, and at his Shop in Freeman-yard in Cornhill, near the Royal Exchange.

✶ Mr. Millers curious Collection of Pamphlets, which began to be Sold by Auction on Thursday last in Westminster-Hall, will be continued this day, at 9 in the morning, and so on the following days, till Sold.

Deferred out of Capt. *Thomas Pollexfens* Company in the Honourable Marquis de *Fuizans* Regiment of Foot, *Nathaniel Finer*, a luffy man, full faced flaxen hair, aged about 21, and *James Clark*, well set, black Hair, aged about 24, both of *Dedham* in Essex ; *John Sandwich* of *Rochester*, thick well set, black lank Hair, a cut on one of his Lips, swarthy Complexion, aged about 35. Whoever gives notice of them to *John Adon Esq;* at the two Yellow Posts in York-Buildings, shall have 5 Guineas for Pisher, 3 for Clark, and two for *Sandwich*: If they will return by the 12th instant they shall be kindly received.

A Messuage and 14 Acres of Garden Ground, at the Neat-Houses, Westminster, part divided into several Tenements, in the Occupation of *Joseph Austine*, and other Persons, with the Stock thereon, is to be Lett or Sold for 12 years, by *Sir Rob. Legard*, Kt. one of the Masters of the Court of Chancery. A Particular may be seen at his Office in Chancery-lane.

Lost about 20 days since from the Swan Inn at Holborn Bridge, a Small Box, wherein was a Book of Accounts belonging to *Jeremy Burgis*, and other Things. Whoever gives notice of the Book, to *William Alderley* at the Plough in Bread-street, so as it be restored, shall have 20 s. and shall be well Rewarded for any of the other Goods.

ON Thursday the 23th of April next, a Plate will be Run for of 15 Guineas value, at the Paddock Course in Kingston Wick ; where any Gentleman may put in their Greyhounds.

Lost on Monday last near the Royal Exchange, a Letter Case with several Notes, and one Receipt to *Nic. Puddlebury* from the Orphans Fund for 65 l. on *John Bowman*. Whoever brings it to Mr. *Batton* at his Coffee house near the Royal Exchange, shall receive to s. Reward.

A Black brown Nag, about 14 hands high, his left Eye out, was left at Chelsea at *Samuel Munday's*, the 7th of February last, by one who pretended to be a Seaman. Whoever has lost the said Nag, paying the Charges, may have him again.

White Mr. *Puddlebury*, who kept the Colour Shop at the White Bear in the Strand, has left of his Trade ; All Gentlemen and others who have any Occasion for Obedient, may have them at reasonable Rates, and the Hand to be Lett.