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By the Lords-Justices of England,

A PROCLAMATION.

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WHERRAS We have Received Information from the Governour and Company of Merchants of London Trading to the East-Indies, That one Henry Every Commander of the Ship called the Phancy, of Forty six Guns, and One hundred and thirty Men, has, under English Colours, acted as a Common Pirate and Robber upon the High-Seas, and hath presumed under such Colours to Commit several Acts of Piracy upon the Seas of India or Persia, which may occasion great Damage to the Merchants of England, Trading into those Parts; We have therefore thought fit (by the Advice of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council) to Issue this Proclamation, hereby Declaring, That the said Henry Every, together with divers other English Men and Foreigners, to the Number of about One hundred and thirty, did Steal and Run away with the said Ship then call'd the Charles, from the Port of Corona in Spain; And that the said Henry Every hath not any Commission or Authority from His Majesty to Command the Ship or the Men therein, but that the said Henry Every, and such as are with him in the said Ship, are Pirates, and Common Robbers upon the High Seas. And We do hereby Charge and Command all His Majesties Admirals, Captains, and other Officers at Sea, and all His Majesties Governours and Commanders of any Forts, Castles, or other Places in His Majesties Plantations, or otherwise, to Seize and Take the said Henry Every, and such as are with him in the said Ship, and cause them to be punished as Pirates upon the High Seas, and in case of Resistance to Strike and Destroy the said Ship. And We do hereby further Declare, That in case any of the Persons who are in the said Ship with the said Henry Every, shall Discover the said Henry Every, so as that the said Henry Every, or the said Ship may be Seized or Taken, or shall be otherwise Instrumental in Seizing the said Henry Every, or the said Ship, he or they making such Discovery or seizure, shall have His Majesties Gracious Pardon for their Offence: And that such Person or Persons, or any other Person or Persons who shall Discover the said Henry Every, so as the said Henry Every, or the said Ship may be Seized or Taken, or shall be otherwise Instrumental in Seizing the said Henry Every, or the said Ship, he or they making such Discovery or seizure, shall have a Reward of Five hundred Pounds, which said Sum of Five hundred Pounds the Lords Commissioners of His Majesties Treasury are hereby Required and Directed to Pay accordingly.

Given at the Council Chamber at Whitehall, the Seventh Day of July, 1696. In the Eighth Year of His Majesties Reign.

Madrid, July 5. N. S. Don Francisco de Velasco is gone to his Governour of Castalia, and has taken Money with him for payment of the Army, which by the last Letters, lay encamped near Ostallick. Yesterday we received Advice by an Express from Barcelona, that two Spanish Gallies had taken 25 French Vessels, laden with Meal and other Provisions, being bound to Roses for the use of the French Forces; one of which having a good quantity of Gun-powder on board, took fire afterwards, and was blown up. The King has named Don Alonso de Gusman to be Viceroy of Valencia. The last Letters from Ceuta tell us, the Spaniards had beat the Moors from their principal Works, and had demolished the same.

Bilboa, July 5. The 2d Instant arrived here a Fleet of English and Dutch Merchant Ships under Convoy of 4 Men of War; They came last from *Plimouth*.

Vienna, July 11. The Letters from the Imperial Army, dated the 4th Instant in their Camp near *Chomad* on the River *Marosch*, give an account, that it having been resolved to go with a Body of Troops to view *Temeswaer*, the Elector of *Saxony* with Count *Heytersheim*, and Count *Staremborg*, Generals of the Horse and Foot, marched accordingly the 29th past with 4000 Horse, and a Regiment of Hussars; They advanced that day to a place called *Aranka*, continued their march the 30th, and arrived the first Instant, early in the morning, near *Temeswaer*; Some of the Enemies Parties appeared, and skirmished with our Hussars, who had the Vanguard, but there was little harm done on either side. In the mean time the Elector advanced, and placed his Troops within Cannon shot of the Town, and took a full view of its situation; The Enemy fired upon us all the while with their Artillery, and several small Bodies of Horse were sent out to disturb us, but they quickly retired again; We continued in this posture till the afternoon, when his Electoral Highness marched off; The Enemy did not pretend to fall upon our Rear, but let us go away very quietly; We had 10 Men killed, and some wounded, and took several Prisoners, who said, the Garrison consisted of 10000 Men, commanded by 4 Bassa's, having been reinforced upon the apprehensions they are in of a Siege. The 2d the Elector returned to *Aranka*, and the 3d to the Camp at *Chomad*; where they expected the 4000 Saxons in few days. General *Truchses* is encamped with two Regiments of Horse, two of Foot, and two of Dragoons near *Peterwaradin*, and has put 1000 Men on board several Gallies and other Vessels to guard the Entrance into the River *Theysse*. The Advices of the Grand Signior's being on his march towards the *Danube* is confirmed. The Emperor has named the Count *de Harrach* his Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of *Spain*, to make the Compliments of Condolence upon the death of the Queen Mother.

Francfort, July 18. The German Army commanded by Prince *Lewis* of *Baden*, marched the 11th Instant from *Flekingen* to *Zeiteren*, where they were still encamped the 16th, their Right reaching towards *Langenbruck*; But they expected to march again in a day or two, and 'twas believed they would move towards *Hydelberg* to pass the *Neckar* there. The French Army under the Marschal *de Choiseul* lies on the other side the *Rhine*, near *Stobasin*, having posted several Detachements over against *Mauheim*, and at other Places, to hinder the Germans from passing that River. A Reinforcement has been sent to the Garrison of *Rhinfels*.

Cologne, July 20. The Troops of the Elector *Palatin* continue their march to join the Confederate Army on the *Upper-Rhine*; From whence the last Letters give us ground to believe, that Prince *Lewis* would very suddenly pass that River, in order to some attempt upon the Enemy.

Hamburg, July 20. We have Advice from *Denmark*, that *Du Buis* was got with his Squadron into the Port of *Mandal* in *Norway*, where he was cleaning his Ships; and that Rear-Admiral *B. N. B. B.* having notice thereof, was gone thither to observe him. They write from *Warsaw* of the 5th of this Month, that several Disorders had been committed there, as is usual during the *Interregnum*; and particularly, that some of the ordinary sort of People, had got into the Apartment of the King deceased, and had carried away several rich Goods, though most of them paid very dear for their Booty, being cut in pieces by the Guard that was immediately sent thither. The Archbishop and many of the Senators were come to *Warsaw*; and the Circular Letters were dispatching for summoning the Gentry together, to make a new Election; 'Tis generally believed Prince *James*, the late King's Eldest Son, will be chosen with little opposition.

Liege, July 20. The Forces of *Hesse*, *Lunenburg*, *Holftein*, and *Munster*, decamped the 18th from *Robertmont*, and having passed the River *Ouse* at *Chenay* on two Bridges of Boats, encamped that evening at *Val St. Lambert* near the *Meuse*, about two Leagues from hence; and yesterday they marched again, and are now encamped near *Huy*.

Paris, July 20. The English and Dutch Fleet appeared the 11th of this Month before *Brest*; Which obliged the *Marquis de Nesmond*, who was going out with 5 Men of War, and divers Merchant Men, to return into Port with all the haste they could; The 12th the Enemy sailed towards *Belle-Isle*, and an Express is since come from the *Marschal de Tourville*, who brings an account, that they were before *St. Martins* in the Isle of *Ree*, and had thrown 200 Bombs into the Town, but tells us no particulars. This is certain, that all our Coasts thereabout are greatly alarmed, and that for their defence they keep a great Body of Men in Arms, consisting as well of standing Troops, as of the *Arrierman*, which is a great Charge to the Country, and very much prejudices their Harvest. The Letters from *Piedmont* of the 13th tell us, that a Cessation of Hostilities had been published for 30 days, and that for performance thereof Hostages had been given on both sides; For the French, the Grand Prior of *France*, the *Marquis de Larrai*, the Count de *Tisse*, and the Count de *Rouci*; and for the Duke of *Savoy*, the *Marquis de Tana*, the *Marquis d'Aix*, the *Marquis de Canillac*, and the Count de *Nom*. In the mean time the French Army continued encamped at *Valuera*; The Troops of the Duke of *Savoy* lay near *Turin*; and the Allies near *Moucalier*. They write from *Catalonia*, that the Spaniards continued in their Camp near *Ostalic*; and the French at *Tordera*.

From His Majesties Camp at *Gemblours*, July 23. N. S. On the 19th Instant the Landgrave of *Hesse* continued his March with the German Forces from *St. Lambert* to *St. Nicholas* near *Huy*, where he has halted ever since; and yesterday in the afternoon his Highness came hither with a small Retinue to wait on the King; He Supped last night, and Dined this day, with His Majesty; and is returned this Evening towards His Army, which is to march again to-morrow, and will be the day following near *Namur*, keeping on the other side of the *Meuse*. The President de la *Tour*, Envoy from the Duke of *Savoy*, has had several private Audiences of His Majesty, and is returning to *Brussels*. The Lord Marquis of *Carmarthen*, and the Lord *Cutts*, arrived here this day from *England*. The Army will march on Wednesday next towards *Flanders*.

Hague, July 24. N. S. Monsieur *Dickvelt* is come hither from *Amsterdam*, and will return in few days to the Army. The Preparations are continued in *Flanders* for some great Undertaking. On Friday last sailed out of the *Texel* divers Mer-

chant Ships bound to the *East* and *West Indies*, *Spain*, and the *Straits*, under Convoy of several Men of War.

Falmouth, July 13. A Dutch Privateer called the *Hambal* of *Flushing* is come in here from cruising on the French Coast, and brought in with him two Prizes, the *Sancta Maria*, and the *Tulia*, laden with Wine, Brandy, and Salt, and bound from *Nantes* to *Dunkirke*.

Plymouth, July 16. The English and Dutch Men of War, that lately sailed hence with a Fleet of Merchant Ships to *Bilboa*, having seen them safe in that Port, are returned hither.

Dunle, July 18. On the 15th came into the Downs 4 Dutch Men of War from *Holland*, with about 60 Sail of outward bound Merchant Ships.

Advertisements.

Several Papers relating to Money, Interest and Trade, &c. Written upon several Occasions, and Published at different Times. By Mr. John Locke. Printed for A. and J. Churchill at the Black Swan in Parer Noster-Row.

A Choice Collection of Lessons for the Harpsichord or Spinnet. Composed by the late Mr. Henry Purcell. Printed on Copper Plates for Mrs. Frances Purcell, Widow of the Author, and sold for her by M. Playford at his Shop in the Temple-Charge, Fleetstreet.

The Perfection of the Evangelical Revelation, being the Eighth and Last Sermon for the year 1695. Preached by John Williams D. D. at the Lecture Founded by the Honourable Robert Boyle. Those of the present year by the same Author, belonging to the same Argument, concerning the Rule of Scripture, and the way of Interpretation, will be suddenly published in their Order. Printed for Richard Chitwell and Tho. Cockerill, Sen. and Jun.

Spicilegium quod maxime conducit ad Puerorum Nutriendum ingenia. Sive, Nova quorundam Græcorum Epigrammatum collectio, versione latina, & Necessariis Notis explicata. Cum Indice cum Verborum tum rerum, in Usum Scholæ Felbediensis, Com. Effexiæ. S. Lydiae, Gymnasiarcho. Printed for M. Bouwicke at the Red Lion in St. Paul's Church-Yard; Price 1 s.

Whereas the Trustees and Relations of Alderman Backwell deceased, did formerly make a Proposal of paying 21 l. 10 s. per Cent. in Money of the said Alderman's Debts, and the Remainder Principal and Interest, by Assignments on part of the Hereditary Revenue of Excise. These are to give notice, that the said Parties are preparing proper Methods for putting the said Proposal on foot again, of which further notice will be given as soon soon as they are thought.

M. R. Laurence Payne, a Frenchman, hath taken a convenient House to take Boarders in Bethnal-Green near Hackney, to whom he will teach French, Latin, and Greek.

A Youth named Michael Marland, aged about 15, of a fair Complexion, flesh Coloured, with short Hair, and a dark grey Cloth Coat, and light Cloth Waistcoat, with Silver Holets and Buttons, absented his Master the 14th Instant. If he will return he shall be kindly received; Or, Whoever gives notice of him, so that he may return to his Master, at Whitehall Coffee house, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

A Young Man who went from his Master on the 6th Instant, and that week sent his Father a Letter, directed to be left at his Masters, dard from Washings, if he will return to his Father or Master, he shall be kindly received.

Lost the 10th Instant near Leicesterfields, a Brass Cap of a Spring Clock, with a Figure on the top of it, and two Figures more, all Brass gilt, the Cap was pierced through, and lined with blue Silk. Whoever will bring them to Mr. Lowndes at the Dial in Pall-Mall, shall have 20 s. and if bought their Money again with content.

Rid away with on 9th Instant, a brown Mare 5 years old, Love 14 hands high, Saddle Back, well risen on the Crest, a handsome Forehand, a white Snip, a Rose Tail, a Goose Rump, one Footlock behind white, thorn Mare, Walks, Trot, and Gallop. Whoever secures the said Mare, and gives notice to Mr. William Whetel in the Isle of Dogs, or to Mr. John Mather at the White Hart, Cripple-Gate, shall have a Guinea Reward.

Tolen or Strayed out of the Grounds of Mr. William Bodenham of the Parish of Bosbury in Herefordshire, a dark brown Gelding above 14 hands high, has all his Paces very well, a blaze in his Face, one white Foot before, a cut Tail, 6 years old, and is very fat. Whoever gives notice of him, so as he may be had again, to Mr. Richard Celloway at the Rose Inn in Knightbridge, or to Mr. William Bodenham of Bosbury, shall have a Guinea Reward, and all Charges born.