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By the Lords Justices, APROCLAMATION.

Tho. Cantuar. J. Sommers C. S. Pembroke G. P. S. Shrewsbury.

Hereas We formerly received Information from the Governor and Company of Mer-chants of London Trading to the East Indies, That one Henry Every, Commander of the Ship called the Phansie alias Charles, of Fourty six Guns, and One hundred and thirty Men, had, under English Colours, committed several Asts of Piracy upon the Seas of India cr Persia, whereupon We Issued a Proclama-tum, hearing Date the Sewenteenth Day of July last, for the Taking and Apprehending the Stud Henry Every, and such other Persons as were with him in the said Ship, in Order to have them Punished as Pirates and Common Robbers upon the High Seas; And whereas We have finee the Issuing the faid Proclamation received further Information from the said Gover-nour and Company of Merchants Trading to the East Indies, That the said Henry Every hath changed his Name, and now goes by the Name of Henry Bridgman, and that James Cray, Thomas Summerson, Edward Kirwood, William Down, John Reddy, John Stroger, Nathaniel Pike, Peter Soanes, Henry Adams, Francis Frennier, Thomas Johnson, Joseph Dawson, Samuel Dawson, James Lanie John-Cost, Charles Follows, Follows Follows Lewis, John Sparks, Joseph Goss, Charles Falconer, James Murray, Robert Rich, John Willer, John King, Edward Savill, William Philips, Thomas Jope and Thomas Belisha, together with soveral others whose Names are not yet Discovered (amongst whom were Fifty two French-men, Fourteen Danes, and others of other Nations) were with the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, in the said Skip Phansie, when the several Ads of Piracy were committed, and were Aiding and Affifting therein, and shared in the Plunder so by them Piratically taken, to the amount of One thousand Pounds a Man or thereabouts; And whereas We are Informed, That the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, with several other Persons abovenamed, have, since they committed such AEEs of Piracy, left the said ship in the Island of Providence, and are arrived in Ireland in two small sloops, and have there adjusted themselves, some of which Persons remain there, and others are come into this Kingdom and the Kingdom of Scotland. Kingdom of Scotland, as two of their Accomplices, who are now Taken and in Custody, have Confessed and Diclared: We have therefore thought fit (by the At-wice of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council) to Issue this Proclamation, hereby Declaring, That the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, together with the find several Persons above named, and others, Engish-men, Scotch-men, and Foreigners, to the numtwo of about One hundred anatherty, and Steal and Run away with the faild Ship from the Port of Corunna in Spain; and shar neither the faid Henry Every alias Hildgman, nor any of the Perfous abovenimed had

any Commission o- Authority from His Majesty to Command the faid Ship, or the Men therein; but that the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, and the several other Persens above named, and juch others as were with them in the Jaid Ship, are Pirates and Robbers upon the High Seas. And We do hereby Charge and Command all His Majesty's Admirals. Captains, and other Officers at Sea, and all His Majesty's Governors and Commanders of any Fores, Castles or other Places in His Maj str's Plantations, and all other Officers and Persons what socret, to Seize and Appreciant the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, James Cray, Thomas Summerton, Edward Kirwood, William Down, John Reddy, John Stroger, Nathaniel Pike, Peter Soanes, Henry Adams, Francis Frennier; Thomas Johnson, Joseph Dawson, Samuel Dawson, James Lewis, John Sparks, Joseph Goss, Charles Falconer, James Murray, Robert Rich, John Miller John King, Edward Swift, William Lohn Miller Miller Lohn Miller John Miller, John King, Edward Savill, William Philips, Thomas Jope, and Thomas Belisha, and fuch others as were with them in the faid ship (who may probably he known and discovered by the great Quantities of Gild and Silver of Foreign Coins which they have with them) in order that they may be brought to Justice, and Juster the just Punishment of the Law, as Pirmes upon the High Seas. And We do hereby further Declare, That in ease any of the Persons abou. named (except the Said Henry Every alias Bridgman) or any other Persons who were in the faid Ship with the faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, shall Discover the said Henry Every alias Bridgman, in any other of the Persons abovenamed, jo as they may to Seized and Taken, in order to be brought to Justice, in and they making such Discovery shall have His Majefly's Gracious Pardon for their Offinees. And Wa do hereby further Declare, That such Person in Persons, or any other Person or Persons who shall Discover to faid Henry Every alias Bridgman, so as he may be Seized or Taken, or shall be otherwise Instru-mental in Seizing the said Henry Every alias Bridg. man, he or they making Juch Discovery or Seizure, shall have the Reward of Five hundred Pounds prom. Jed in the faid former Proclamation, for the Discovery and Scizure of the faid Henry Every. And that in case any Person or Persons shall Discover any of the other Persons abovenamed, so as they may be Silved or Taken, or shall be otherwise instrumental in Scients any of the Jaid Persons, he or they making such Discovery or Seizure, shall have a Reward of Pife; Pounds for every of the said Persons, whom he or they shall so Discover or Seize, which said several Sums of Five hundred Pounds and Fifty Pounds, the Lords Commif. sioners of His Majesty's Treasury are hereby Required and Directed to Pay accordingly.

Given at the Council Coamber in Whitehall, the 10th Day of August, 1696. In the 8th Year of His Majetly's Regin.

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