

principal persons of the Kingdom of Arragon and Catalonia have written with much earnestness to the Queen Regent, to find out some expedient which may best conduce to the satisfaction of all parties.

The Duke de Medina de las Torres is said to be lately dead.

From Candia we have advice, that the Visier (though his Army suffer exceedingly by the ill weather, and more by the frequent sallies made upon them) still continues before the Town, and has received several recruits of men sent to him by the Grand-Segnior, who intends the next year to renew the Siege with more violence than ever: Monsieur de St. Andre Monbrun is pretty well recovered of the wound he lately received on a S.illys.

*British, Dec. 21.* The weather having been of late very tempestuous, most of the Fleet intended for the Barbados and other parts of the West Indies, are as yet kept in Port. The Providence is put back into Port much disorder'd by storm, some other ships that were in her company, having the good fortune to put out to sea, 'tis hop'd are prosperously pursuing their voyage.

This morning a Dutch man of War of 32 Guns was forced up the Channel, and is now at Anchor in this Port.

*Porsmouth, Dec. 22.* This day was happily and well launched here, the *Noneshob* Frigate, which in probability may prove an excellent ship.

*Whitehall, December 23.* This day his Majesty was pleased in Council to Order His Proclamation to be Issued out for prevention of Robberies, Murders and Burglaries, and for the apprehension of Edward Madox alias Morgan, John Blanchard alias Major, Lodowick alias Lewis alias Peter Deval, John Mawer alias Marr, William Woodington alias Widrington, Humble Ashenhurst alias Needham, Swift Nix alias Clarke, John alias William Philips commonly called Captain Philips, William Dudly, Howard Coney, John Cassels alias Castles, Laurence Clarke, John Martin, Thomas Lambert, John Hawkins alias Jenkins, William Moore, William Stavely, Tripp, David Lloyd, William Stanesby, Thomas Bradshaw, George Paynter, and Henry Lassells; all of them persons notoriously known to be such as daily commit such offences in despite and defiance of the Law; and are some of them indicted, and are all of them well known to be of one party and knot; and commonly keep company the one with the other, and with others, who already are convicted of those offences, &c. His Majesty thereby commanding all his Loving Subjects and Officers of Justice, to use all diligence and endeavour for the apprehending all and every the persons above-named, and all others who have committed, or shall commit, any of the said offences: Declaring His Will and Pleasure that all Justices of the Peace take Order and see that due watches and wards be constantly kept by Horse and Foot; and after notice of any such Murder, Robbery, or Burglary committed, that Hue and Cry be immediately raised and pursued with diligence both by Horse and Foot for the apprehension of such Offenders; strictly requiring and commanding that all Financiers, Keepers of Common Ordinaries, Gaming-Houses, Inn-Keepers, House-Keepers, and all other persons that keep Lodgings, Chamberlains, and Officers, and Keepers of Common Ostleries, and all other persons whatsoever, where any of the persons a-

bove-named, or any others, that have committed, or shall commit, any of the crimes aforesaid, shall come or be, or whither they or any of them shall resort, do immediately apprehend them; or cause them to be apprehended and carried before some Justice, &c. otherwise to be proceeded against and punished as far as by Course of Law they may: His Majesty being pleased to declare, that whosoever shall before the 24th of June next ensuing apprehend, or cause to be apprehended any of the persons above-named; so that they be brought into custody, and shall prosecute them or any of them to a Conviction, they shall within 15 days after such Conviction have a reward of Ten pounds for every one of the said persons so apprehended and convicted; and the Sheriffs of the Counties where such Conviction shall be made, are thereby required upon the Certificate of the Judge, or under the hands of two or more Justices of the Peace before whom it is made, to pay the same out of the Publick Moneys received by them in their Counties, which shall be allowed them upon account in the Exchequer. And all persons who keep Horses at Livery, or lett Horses to hire in any part of the Cities of London or Westminster, Burrough of Southwark, or Counties of Middlesex & Surrey, are required and commanded to give a just account to the two next Justices of the Peace, (who are empowered to meet together and send for them) of all such Horses as he or they keep at Livery, or lett to hire, and who are the Owners, with the place of his or their abode; farther declaring, that if any person furnish another with horses, who shall commit any of the said offences, they shall be proceeded against according to the utmost severity of Law; as by the Proclamation at large will more fully appear.

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The Lords Commissioners of the Treasury being informed by His Majesties Grand Commissioners of Excise sitting in Aldersgate Street London, that notwithstanding due publication is made by them from time to time, what Tallies are paying in course upon the Countrey Excise; yet that several persons have neglected to bring in their Tallies and receive their Moneys due thereupon though ready to His Majesties great prejudice: Their Lordships have thought fit so order, and do hereby publish, that such as have, or shall neglect to bring in their Tallies, and take their Moneys in their course, when the same is ready for them, that they shall have no interest allowed for the same, any longer than to the time that the same was ready and remained in Chish so them.