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A PROCLAMATION.

By the QUEEN,
ANNE R.
WHEREAS Our Parliament stands Prorogued to the Twentieth Day of this Instant October, We, with the Advice of Our Privy-Council, do hereby Publish and Declare, That the said Parliament shall be further Prorogued, on the said Twentieth Day of October, to Thursday the Twenty first Day of November next ensuing. And We have given Order to Our Keeper of Our Great Seal of England, to Prepare a Commission for Proroguing the same accordingly. And We do hereby further Declare Our Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Twenty first Day of November, be Held and Sit for the Dispatch of divers Weighty and Important Affairs. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens and Burgeses of the House of Commons, are hereby Required and Comanded to give their Attendance accordingly at Westminster on the said Twenty first Day of November next ensuing.

Given at Our Court at Kensington the Twenty first Day of October, 1706. In the Fifth Year of Our Reign.
GOD Save the QUEEN.

Genoa, October 14. N. S. The Dutchesses of Savoy embarked here the 21st. past for Oneglia, two of the Gallies of this State being appointed to attend their Royal Highnesses in their Passage thither; but the contrary Winds put them back to Savona, from whence they are gone by Land to Turin. The last Advices from the Confederate Army under the Command of the Duke of Savoy and Prince Eugene are, That having taken Novara, and possessed themselves of the City of Milan, they became Masters likewise of Lodi, and the Country about it, and sent part of their Forces to besiege Pavia, which some Letters say has already surrendered.

Venice, Octob. 17. The Dutchess of Bavaria went from hence the 19th Instant by Sea to Ravenna, intending to proceed to France. The City of Modena continues blocked up by the Imperialists, and the Garison, being in want of many Necessaries, will shortly be obliged to surrender. The Prince of Hesse, having left a Garison of 500 Men at Reverse, is marching with the Forces under his Command towards Guastalla. The Duke of Savoy has given Directions for the repairing the Fortifications of Verceil; in the doing of which a considerable Number of Workmen are continually employed. The French Forces under General Medavi are retired into Mantua and the neighbouring Country: They have a strong Garison in Cremona, which Place the Allies are besieging with the best part of their Army.

Venna, Octob. 19. On Sunday the 13th Instant the Emperor was at our Cathedral, where *Te Deum* was sung for the great Progresses of the Confederate Arms in Italy, a triple Discharge being made at the same time of all our Cannon. Letters from Hungary say, That General Rabutin has taken Cacschan, one of the strongest Places the Malecontents were possessed of; and that a Party of Imperialists has defeated one of 1000 Malecontents near Ebenau, having killed several of them, and taken many Prisoners.

Dresden, October 22. The Deputies of the States of this Electorate presented a Memorial to the King of Sweden the 11th Instant, setting forth their Inability to pay the 625000 Dollars a Month he requires by way of Contribution; and to pray his Majesty to moderate that Demand. The 12th his Majesty caused an Order to be published for his Army, to observe a very strict Discipline. Monsieur Brosie, Aid de Camp to the King of Poland, arrived here lately from that Kingdom, being come by the way of Berlin: He gives an Account of his Majesty's having passed the Weichsel near Petrowin with his own and the Muscovite Horse and Dragons, making together about 22000 Men, and about 10000 Cossacks or Walachians; and that 68 Battalions of Muscovite Foot would soon follow. The Swedes seem to apprehend his marching this way, and have already detached 8000 Horse towards the Frontiers of Silesia.

Hague, October 29. N. S. The Duke of Marlborough went the 27th Instant to Brussels, where he was received with all possible Demonstrations of Joy and Respect. His Grace intends to return the 30th to the Army, which marched the 16th from Cambron, and now lies encamped with the Right at Ghilingen, and the Left within half a League of Enghien. The Enemy seemed to have a Design to attack the Rear as our Troops were passing the Rivulet of Cambron; but found them in so good Order, that they did not think fit to attempt it. Our Army, as is said, will continue in the Field till the new Works at Courtray are perfected, which will not be before the 31st of next Month; and the Troops will then march to the Quarters assigned them. The States of Holland and Westminster are assembled, and have under Consideration the State of the War for the next Year, and the settling of Funds to raise the necessary Supplies for that Service. Two Yachts, with several Merchant Ships, arrived in the Maese yesterday

Kingdoms of New Castile and Valentia; and that the Garison, consisting of Portuguese, remained Prisoners of War: And that the Duke of Orleans was preparing to make an Attempt to return into Piedmont with the Remains of his Army; but his Troops are in so ill a Condition, and in such want of all Necessaries, that it is very improbable he should succeed.

Falmouth, October 19. The 15th came in here from cruising the Endraught, a Dutch Privateer, and failed again the next Day; as did also the Jealousy Privateer, bound for Flushing. At the same time came in also three Vessels of Bilbao, homeward bound from London. The 17th sailed hence the Nostra Senora de Begona, of and from Bilbao, laden with Wool and Iron for Amsterdam. The 18th sailed the Hull Galley, of and from Amsterdam, and the Jacob Galley, both laden with Fish; as also the Sunderland with Corn; all 3 bound for the Streights. The same Day sailed the three Vessels above-mentioned for Bilbao; and the Sarah of Cadiz, homeward bound from London. This Day failed the Queen Packet Boat for Lisbon; as did likewise the Welfare, a Privateer of Flushing, to cruise.

Plymouth, October 20. On the 17th Instant failed hence several of Her Majesty's Ships to cruise. The 18th came in here a Ship of Bilbao, bound from thence to Amsterdam. Yesterday and this Day passed by the Westward 4 of Her Majesty's Ships, with about 150 Merchant Ships under their Convoy, bound for Lisbon; and they were joined by about 30 Sail from hence, and by the Franchland Packet-Boat bound for the West Indies. This Day came in here 12 or 14 Ships for Bilbao and Ireland, and two Coasters from London, laden with Groceries; and the Jane Ketch of this Place, homeward bound from Rotterdam.

Dartmouth, October 20. The 18th Instant in the Evening came into our Road the Mary of Topsham, laden with Coals and Cordage from London for this Place. Yesterday came into this Port the Unity of Hastings, laden with Wheat for Lisbon, and another Vessel with Wheat; as also two Hoys for Plymouth, one laden with Stores for the Garison, and the other with Grocery Goods; and a Pink bound for Barcelona: They all came from Spithead the 18th Instant, in Company of a Fleet of Merchant Ships, under Convoy of three of Her Majesty's Ships, and were separated from them the same Night by bad Weather.

Portsmouth, October 22. The 18th Instant failed from Spithead a Fleet of Merchant Ships for Lisbon, under Convoy of several of Her Majesty's Ships. The next Day arrived at Spithead two of Her Majesty's Ships from the Eastward. At the same time came in here the Sorlings and Tartar Pink. This Morning Sir John Leake struck his Flag on board the Prince-George, and set out for London.

Kensington, Octob. 23. The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Brethren, and Capital Burgeses, and other Burgeses and Inhabitants, of the Borough of Dertby, congratulating Her Majesty upon the most glorious and happy Successes of the Arms of Her Majesty and Her Allies, and more especially those under the Command of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, has been presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Lord James Cavendish, one of their Representatives in Parliament. Which Address Her Majesty received very graciously.

Westminster, October 22. The Parliament met this Day, and was further prorogued to the 21st of the next Month.

His Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark, &c. Lord High Admiral of England, Ireland, &c. is pleased to direct; That all such Seamen belonging to Her Majesty's Ship the Chickester, Captain Coal-Commander, as well those removed from the Expectation, as the Weymouth, to serve in the said Ship, as are in or about Town, do forthwith repair on board her at Chatham, otherwise they will be taken up, and prosecuted as Deserters from Her Majesty's Service; the said Seamen being to be paid their Wages before the Chickester sails from the Nore.

By the Receiver-General for Prizes.

Notice is hereby given, That the Officers and Company of Her Majesty's Ship Kent will, on Thursday the 24th Instant, be paid their Proportions of the Prize Goods taken in the Ships St. Ann, and Hope of Stockholm; according to the Directions in Her Majesty's most Gracious Declaration for the Encouragement of Her Seips of War, &c.

The Court of Assistants of the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword-Blades in England do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the Members of the said Company will be held at their House in Birch Lane, London, on Wednesday the 30th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, on special Affairs.

Advertisements.
Lost the 22d Instant, from the Rt. Hon. the Countess of Oxford's House, a little Tanned Beagle Bitch, about 8 or 9 Inches high, long Black Ears, much Red about the Head, White upon her Breast, and her 4 Feet tipped with White. Whoever brings her to my Lady Oxford's Porter in Duke-street, Westminster, shall have Two Guineas Reward.
Lest in a Hackney Coach on Sunday last was Sevennight, a Cane with Amber in the Head of it: If the Coachman or any other