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By the QUEEN,

## PROCLAMATION, For a General FAST and HUMILIATION.

ANNE R.

**W**E having a deep Sense of the Over-ruling Providence of God, by whose Infinite Wisdom all Things are Directed and Ordered; and taking into Our most serious Consideration the Just and Necessary War against the French King, wherein We, with several other Princes of the States of Europe, are Engaged, upon the Success; whereof Our Common Safety and Welfare of Our Kingdoms, and the Liberty of Europe, do (under God) wholly depend: Have, out of Our Religious Disposition, Ordained, That a General and Publick Fast shall be Observed throughout Our whole Kingdom of Great Britain, that so both We and Our People may Humble Ourselves before Almighty God, in order to obtain Pardon for our Sins, and may, in most Devout and Solemn manner: send Prayers and Supplications to the Divine Majesty, for the removal of those heavy Judgments which Our manifold Sins and Crimes have most justly deserved, and Imploring His Blessing and Assistance on the Arms of Us and Our Allies, and Our Successors, both by Sea and Land, and for Restoring and Re-establishing Peace, Safety, and Prosperity to Us and Our Kingdoms, and the Nations and States in Alliance with Us: And that so Religious a Duty may be Observed at one and the same time, We do by this Our Royal Proclamation, by and with the Advice of Our Privy-Council, Publish and Declare, That We do hereby strictly Charge and Command, That on Wednesday the fourth Day of January next, this Fast shall be Religiously and Observed throughout Our Kingdom of Great Britain: And that so Religious and Orderly Solemnizing the same, We have given Directions to Our Arch-Bishops and Bishops, to cause a Form of Prayer, suitable to this Occasion, to be Used in all Churches and Chapels, and other Places of Publick Worship within their respective Dioceses; and for that end, to take Care for the timely Dispersing thereof. And We have Commanded Our Privy-Council in Scotland, to Issue out such Orders, as may be necessary for the due Observation of this Fast throughout that Part of Our Kingdom of Great Britain, in such manner as shall be there accustomed in like Cases: And We do strictly Charge and Command, That the said Publick Fast be Reverently and devoutly Observed by all Our Loving Subjects, within the said Kingdom of Great Britain, on the said Fourteenth Day of January next, as they Tender the Favour of Almighty God, and would avoid his Wrath and Indignation, and upon Pain of His Punishment as We may justly inflict on all such as Contrary or Neglect the Performance of so Religious a Duty.

Given at Our Court at Kensington the Thirteenth Day of November, 1707. In the Sixth Year of Our Reign.

GOD Save the QUEEN.

**Nov. 8. N. S.** The Prussian Troops are to have their Winter Quarters in this County are expected every Moment. They are part of the Forces which serv'd this last Campaign in Babany, and consist chiefly of Horse. The Chamber has dispatch'd Commissaries to meet 'em on our frontiers, and to direct their March to the several Places appointed for their Reception; and Care is taken in the Disposition of their Quarters, that they may lie ready to cover this Town from the French Parties, which may make Incurfions from Luxemburg,

and the Parts adjacent. There will be in this Place but one Regiment of Foot, and another of Horse, it being resolv'd, that a greater Number of Foreign Troops shall not be receiv'd into the City it self. Five Companies of Wales Dragoons, which lay in Garrison here, are to march within these two Days to join the rest of the Regiment at Liege. The Bishop of Munster, is resolv'd to augment the Number of his Forces that are in the Service of the States General. Letters from Vienna inform us, That the 28th of the last Month, being the Anniversary of the Birth of the Queen Dowager of Spain, was celebrated at the Imperial Court with great Magnificence and Solemnity. The Cardinal of Saxe-Zeitz was there on his Return from Presbourg, where he had been install'd Primate of Hungary. Prince Eugene is expected at Court on the 20th of this Month, to assist at a Council of War. His Imperial Majesty, at the Instance of the King of Sweden, has re-instated Count Zober in his Charge of Chamberlain, and all the Honours and Employments which he enjoy'd before his late Disgrace. These Letters add, That the Malecontents of Hungary had made an Attempt to seize the Castle of Belca, but were repuls'd with considerable Loss. General Starremberg intended to go to Presbourg, and give out some necessary Orders before he return'd to Vienna. By our last Letters from Berlin we are inform'd, That the King of Prussia had declar'd himself highly obliged to the Queen of Great Britain and the States of Holland, for the good Offices and their respective Envoys had done him in his Pretensions on the Sovereignty of Neufchatel; and that his Prussian Majesty expected every Moment to hear that the Tribunal of that Place had pass'd Sentence in his Favour. The French King's Minister having lately presented a Memorial, in which he had mention'd the King of Sweden in a disrespectful manner, we hear the Court of Berlin have transmitted a Copy of that Memorial to his Swedish Majesty. By Letters from Francfort of the 6th Instant we are inform'd, that the Elector of Hanover intended very suddenly to pass by that Place, in his way to Hanover, where his Electoral Highness designs to reside part of the Winter. There have pass'd lately by Francfort several Boats with Recruits for the Troops of that Prince. The Elector of Mayence was still at Aschaffenburg. The same Letters add, That the French Army, before it repass'd the Rhine, had demolish'd all the Lines which they had cast up for the Defence of their Camp between Raftadt and Kuppenheim.

**Falmouth, Nov. 13.** On the 11th 3 Dutch Doggers, of and for Zurickzee, from Bourdeaux, sail'd from hence; and at the same time the Neptune Galley, of and for London, from Lisbon, Captain Southen Commander.

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*Plymouth, Nov. 14.* On the 12th came in a Swede from Gottenburgh, laden with Mafts and Iron, bound for this Place. This Day arrived the Jufrow of and from Bergen, with Deals for Lisbon; the Hope of and from Arundel, with Deals, bound hither; the Antelope of and from Leverpole, with Rock-Salt, taken the 12th Instant by two Privateers, and ransom'd for 800*l.* bound also hither. There came in also that Day a Dutch Privateer from cruizing.

*Hull, Nov. 15.* Yesterday about 10 Sail of our loaden Vessels went down the Humber, and put to Sea in the Evening, with the Rochester-Prize, for London, having a fair brisk Gale at West.

*St. James's, Nov. 18.* The Marquis Benedicti Viola, Envoy Extraordinary from the Republick of Geneva, had this Day his publick Audience of Her Majesty; introduc'd by Sir Charles Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies: After which he had also an Audience of his Royal Highness.

*There are Four Mails due from Holland.*

*Whereas one William Sale was some Years since convicted in the Ecclesiastical Court at Canterbury, of having forged Holy Orders for himself, and for his own Father, under the Hand and Seal of the late Bishop Pearson of Chester; upon which he was deprived of the Living of Swury in the Diocese of Canterbury: And whereas a Person, of the same Name of William Sale, came lately to Eden-Bridge in the Diocese of Rochester, and there taught School, read public Prayers, and preach'd several times, without License from the Bishop; and having been often warn'd to come and exhibit his Letters of Orders to the Diocesan, or his Court, he never appear'd with them, but alleged, that they were registred in the Court of Canterbury, and in possession of the Arch-Deacon there. These are therefore to advise and require the same William Sale to appear before the Lord Arch-Bishop of Canterbury his Grace, or before the Bishop of Rochester, within the Space of one Month after the Date of these Presents, to produce his true Letters of Orders, if he has any; or else he shall be proceeded against farther in the Bishop of Rochester's Court; and Notice shall be publicly given of him to all the Archbishops and Bishops of England and Ireland, that he is justly supposed to be the foresaid William Sale, who was convicted at Canterbury for forging Orders, upon evident Proof, besides the Authentic Copying of his own Father.*

Nov. 3. 1707.

THO. ROFFEN.

*Advertisements.*

This Day is publish'd, Dr. Grabe's First Volume of the SEPTUAGINT, containing the Five Books of Moses, with Joshua, Judges, and Ruth; printed from the most ancient Alexandrian Manuscript, and adorned with several Copper Plates, both in Folio and Octavo, which will be delivered to Subscribers, with the Allowance of the Seventh Copy, at the Price of 13*s.* 9*d.* in Folio small Paper, a Guinea the large, and 10*s.* 9*d.* in Octavo; but sold to them which have not subscribed for 16*s.* in Folio, and 12*s.* 6*d.* in Octavo, by R. Smith at Exeter-Exchange in the Strand.

Fourteen Sermons Preach'd upon several Occasions, Together with a large Vindication of the D. Arise contain'd in the Sermon preach'd at the Funeral of Mr. Thomas Bennet. By Francis Autebury, D. D. Dean of Carlisle, Preacher at the Rolls, and Chaplain in Ordinary to Her Majesty. Printed for Jonah Bowyer at the Rose in Ludgate-Street, near St. Paul's Church.

Just publish'd, Sermons preach'd upon several Occasions, none of them before printed. By Sir William Dawes Baronet, D. D. and Chaplain in Ordinary to Her Majesty. Cambridge, Printed at the University-Press, and are to be sold by Tho. Speed, over against Jonathan's Coffee-house in Exchange Alley in Cornhill, London. Price 5*s.*

It being reported, That Sir William Read, Her Majesty's Oculist, is dead; this is therefore to certify, That he is recover'd of his late Indisposition, and to be advis'd with at Birmingham and Stafford, where he shall reside for some time, having perform'd many Cures in the adjacent Parts, upon the Blind and other Diseases. His Brother Mr. Brindlen is constantly to attend Her Majesty's Seamen and Soldiers, who are cur'd gratis. The Lady Read and he are the only Persons instructed in that Art by Sir William, who have lately Coach'd several of Cataracts, and restor'd them to Sight, and cured

others of the most difficult Diseases of the Eyes; and gives Advice and proper Medicines at Sir William's House in Durham Yard in the Strand, London, that the Publick may not be impos'd upon by Counterfeiters that make use of his Name.

At a General Meeting of the Members of the Amicable Contributionship, held at their Office at Tom's Coffee-house in St. Martin's Lane, near Charing-Cross, on Thursday the 13th Instant, upon a Scrutiny, the Persons following were declared to be duly elected Directors for the Year ensuing, v*z.* Out of the old Directors, Mr. Hawley Bigg, Mr. John Green, Mr. Cha. Hooper, Mr. John Knowles, Mr. Thomas Phillips, Mr. Thomas Pearce, Mr. Matthew Remington, Mr. Giles Redgate, Mr. Isaac Terrell, Mr. Bryan Turberville. Out of the Members, Mr. John Chaplin, Thomas Highmore Esq; Mr. Charles Hulse, Mr. Henry Lidgbud, Mr. Hugh Marchant, Mr. Edw. North, Captain John Ousing, Mr. James Patterson, Mr. John Parsons, Mr. Jeremiah Ridge.

Lost on or about the 14th Instant, Mr. John Mead's Note for Payment of 1000*l.* to Mr. William Allington, on demand. Whoever brings it to Mr. Mead at his Shop near Temple-Bar, shall receive a Guinea Reward, Payment being stop'd.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against William Carver, of Botesdale in Suffolk, Mercer, intend to meet the 19th of December next, at 9 before Noon, at Henry Waters's Coffee-house in Barbury St. Edmunds in Suffolk; where such Creditors as have not yet proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, and pay their Contribution-Money; the Commissioners intending them to make a Dividend of the Bankrupt's Estate.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Thomas Martin, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on Friday the 5th of December next, at 3 after Noon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and where all Creditors that have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they'll be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend, which will be forthwith made.

Whereas William Ramsley, late of the City of Worcester, Merchant, hath surrendered himself; and been twice examined, and attend the Commissioners on Friday the 5th of December next, at 9 in the Afternoon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, to sit in Examination; where the Creditors are desired to be present, either to, or dissent from, the Allowance of his Certificate.

Mr. George Leapidge, of Budge-Row, London, and John Wicks of the Borough of Southwark, Skinners, being Assignees of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Richard Read, of London, Haberdasher of Hats, all Persons who have any Money, or have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or they'll be immediately sued for the same. Also all Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid Contribution-Money, are to come to the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on the 25th of December next, at 3 after Noon.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Thomas Astley, of Ashley in the County of Chester, Cheesemonger, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to tender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 24th Instant, and the 20th of December next, at 9 before Noon, at the Septh Beas's in Altrincham in the said County, Inholder; and pay their Debts, and at the same time these Assignees, such as have any Effects of his in their Hands, are to pay the same, or they'll be sued for the same, by Order of the Commissioners.

Whereas Henry Flaxer, late of Woburn, in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge, Chapman, hath surrendered himself, and been twice examined, the Commissioners intend to meet on the 26th of December next, at 4 after Noon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-Money, and to Cause why a Certificate should not be signed.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Edward Ford of Topsham in the County of Devon, Salt-boiler, and he having surrendered himself, the Commissioners intend to meet on the 27th Instant, at the Salvation in Topsham aforesaid, when the Creditors are to come in and prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against John Hudson Senior, and William Hudson Junior, late of London, Haberdashers and Partners, intend to meet at Godsmiths Hall in Fleet Lane, London, on the 15th of December next, at 3 in the Afternoon, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, or they'll be excluded the said Dividend.

Whereas the acting Commissioners against William Whaley, late of Retell in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, have notified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord High-Chancellor of Great-Britain, That he hath in all things conformed to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 17th of December next.

Lost from Drayton by Elton in Middlesex, the 12th Instant, a black Gelding 14 Hands and half high, 2 years old past, a white in his Face, and one white Heel behind. Whoever finds him to Josiah Watton at the Lion and Still in West-Smithfield, shall have a Guinea Reward, and other good things.