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By the King,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

G E O R G E R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the fifth Day of this Instant December, We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, That the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said fifth Day of this Instant December, to Tuesday the Twenty first Day of January next ensuing: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of Great Britain to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do hereby further declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Twenty first Day of January next, be held, and sit for the Dispatch of divers weighty and important Affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Westminster, on the said Twenty first Day of January next.

Given at Our Court at St. James's the Fourth Day of December, 1728, in the Second Year of Our Reign.

G O D Save the K I N G.

AT the Court at St. James's the 4th Day of December, 1728.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Arthur Viscount Irwin to be Lord-Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and of the Town and County of Kingston upon Hull, his Lordship this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

St. James's, December 7.

His Royal Highness Prince Frederick landed at Harwich on Tuesday last, and on Wednesday in the Evening arrived here.

This Day the Court of Lord-Mayor and Aldermen of the City of London waited on

[Price Two-Pence.]

His Royal Highness Prince Frederick, and Mr. Baron Thomson Recorder of the said City, made their Compliments to His Royal Highness in the following Speech.

May it please your Royal Highness,

THE Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London most humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Royal Highness on your safe Arrival in Great-Britain.

They are so sensible of the many Blessings they have enjoyed since the happy Accession of your Royal Grandfather to the Crown of these Realms, and under the Protection of their present most gracious Sovereign, that they cannot view your Royal Highness but with the utmost Satisfaction.

It was impossible for them not to have heard of that most engaging Disposition of Mind, and of those illustrious Qualities which have so eminently distinguished your Royal Highness even in the Beginning of Life.

And they cannot sufficiently express their Joy, when they consider that now your Royal Highness will have the happy Advantage of observing the many Princely Virtues of your Royal Parents: You will have frequent Opportunities of perceiving His Majesty's Vigilance, His Care, His tender Regard, and unwearied Endeavours for the Welfare of His People; and all the amiable Qualities of Her Majesty our most gracious Queen, who makes it the Study of Her Life to promote Piety and Virtue, and to encourage every thing that is good and praiseworthy.

Such great Examples, Sir, cannot fail to confirm your own virtuous Inclinations, and lead you on to the accomplishing of true Glory.

These Reflections yield a most agreeable Prospect of the Continuance of our present Felicity. And as these His Majesty's most faithful Subjects have abundant Reason to pray for (what they are sure is the most desirable of all Things on Earth to your Royal Highness) Health and long Life to His Majesty; they also beg Leave to assure you, Sir, of their most hearty Affection, and good Wishes for your Royal Highness's Welfare and Prosperity.

And then they all had the Honour to kiss his Royal Highness's Hand.

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