

they belong, and entering him or themselves on board any other of our said Ships or Vessels, as aforesaid, in order to the obtaining the Bounty Money herein before granted; We do hereby likewise direct, declare, and command, that such Seamen and Landmen belonging to any of our Ships or Vessels of our said Royal Navy, as shall absent themselves from any of the said Ships or Vessels, to which they shall belong, and shall enter themselves on Board any other of our said Ships or Vessels, in order to the obtaining the said Bounty Money, shall not only lose the Wages due to them in the Ship or Vessel which they shall so leave, but also be severely punished according to their Demerits. And we do hereby further declare, that if such Men in our Service, who are or shall be permitted to be absent by such Tickets as aforesaid, do not repair on Board their respective Ships or Vessels by the Time allowed by such Tickets, they shall not only be liable to be impressed, but to suffer such further Punishment, as by Law may be inflicted on them for such their Neglect. And we do hereby also strictly charge and command all the Captains and Officers of our Ships, and others, who shall be employed in the impressing of Men for our Fleet, that they take particular Care not to impress or entertain any Persons whatsoever, who shall not be fitly qualified to serve in our Royal Navy.

Given at our Court at St. James's the Seventh Day of February, 1733. in the Seventh Year of our Reign.

G O D save the KING.

By the KING,

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

For recalling and prohibiting Seamen from serving Foreign Princes and States.

G E O R G E R.

WHEREAS we are informed that great Numbers of Mariners, and Seafaring Men, our natural born Subjects, are in the Service of divers Foreign Princes and States, to the Prejudice of our Kingdom; we have therefore thought it necessary (by and with the Advice of our Privy Council) to publish this our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby strictly charge and command all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever, and wheresoever (being our natural born Subjects) who are in the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or do serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel, that forthwith they, and every of them do (according to their known and bounden Duty and Allegiance) withdraw themselves, depart from, and quit such Foreign Services, and return home to their native Countries: And further we do hereby strictly prohibit and forbid all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever (being our natural born Subjects) from entering, and do charge and command them and every of them, from henceforth to forbear to enter themselves into the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or to serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel whatsoever, without our

special Licence first had and obtained in that behalf; to all which we expect due Obedience and exact Conformity. And we do hereby publish and declare, that the Offenders to the contrary shall not only incur our just Displeasure, but be proceeded against for their Contempt according to the utmost Severities of the Law. And we do hereby declare, that if any such Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, or other Seafaring Men (being our Subjects) shall be taken in any Foreign Service by the Turks, Algerines, or any others, they shall not be reclaimed by us, as Subjects of Great Britain.

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Hague, Feb. 16, N. S. Letters from Paris relate, that a Body of Troops commanded by Lieutenant General the Marquis de Maillebois, having opened Trenches before Tortona the 26th of last Month, the Governour of that Place retired with his Garrison into the Castle on the 28th, presently after which the Inhabitants of the Town gave up the Keys to the French. The Night between the 29th and 30th Trenches were opened against the Castle, and on the 12th Instant the Duke de la Tremoille arrived Express at Court, with an Account that the said Castle had surrendred, the Garrison being allowed to retire to Mantua. The States of the Province of Holland will reassemble here the 24th Instant; their Pensionary is in so good a State of Health, that it is expected he will assist in the Assembly; and it is hoped certain Domestick Affairs that require their Determination, will then be finally settled.

Navy-Office, Feb. 4, 1733.

These are to give Notice, That on Monday the 18th of this Month, will be paid at the Pay-Office in Broad-Street, the Two Months Pay in Six, due to His Majesty's Ships under-mentioned, to the Times against their Names express'd, to the Seamen's lawful Attornies, in pursuance of an Act of Parliament on that Behalf, viz.

Scaford, 7 August, 1733.

Winchelsea, 31 August, 1733.

The Managers and Directors of the Charitable Corporation Lottery give Notice, that they will begin the Work of Cutting off the Tickets into their respective Boxes A and B, on Monday the 18th Instant, at their Office in Dover-street, near Piccadilly, by Nine a-Clock in the Forenoon, proceeding in the first Place with the Blank and Benefit Tickets, which are to be cut into Box B, and so continue the Work of Cutting from Day to Day till all the Tickets for each of the Boxes A and B shall be compleatly cut therein, and the said Managers and Directors do also give Notice, that they will begin to draw the said Lottery, at Exeter-Change in the Strand, on Monday the 4th of March next, at Nine a-Clock in the Morning, and will continue Drawing from Day to Day (Sundays and Fast-days excepted) till the whole be compleated, according to the Directions of the Act of Parliament in that Behalf: Therefore all Persons entituled to Tickets now lying at the Bank uncall'd for, are desired to take out the same before the drawing of the said Lottery begins.

Attendance is daily given at Stationers-Hall, Ludgate-Street, for the Delivery to Subscribers of the new Edition of THUANUS in Latin, in Seven Volumes in Folio, from Nine in the Morning till Twelve, and from Two in the Afternoon till Five, Saturdays excepted.

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