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By the Lords Justices General and General Governours of Ireland.

A PROCLAMATION.

Hu. Armach. Wyndham C. Hen. Boyle.

Hereas his Majesty hath signified to us his Royal Pleasure, that the Parliament of this kingdom, which now stands prorogued to Tuesday the Nineteenth Day of this Instant April, be surther prorogued to Tuesday the Second Day of August next: We do therefore Publish and Declare, that the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is, hereby surther prorogued to Tuesday the Second Day of August next: Whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament are to take Notice accordingly.

Given at his Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the Eleventh Day of April, 1737. By their Excellencies Command, Tho. Tickell.

GOD fave the KING.

Madrid, April 15, N. S. On the 13th Instant their Catholick Majessies, with the rest of the Royal Family, arrived here from the Pardo, and intend to stay at the Buen Retiro till the 24th, when they are to set out for Aranjuez, as usual. The Masters of some French Tartanes having reported at Marseilles, and other Places on the Coasts of Provence and Languedoc, that a contagious Distemper was raging in the Principality of Catalonia, the Magistrates at Marseilles gave immediate Orders, that all Vessels that came from Spain should perform Quarantine, and pass through all the Formalities practised in Cases of a Plague. The Commander at Perpignan having been informed of the Measures that had been taken at Marseilles, thought

proper on his Part to form a Line, by which he cut off all Sort of Communication with Spain by Land, as Marfeilles had done by Sea. A Courier dispatched to Naples by this Court was the first who was resuled Entrance into France, and was obliged to return back to Barcelona: Upon which the Captain General of Catalonia fent an Express hither to acquaint this Court with what had happened upon the Frontiers: And as proper Certificates have fince been transmitted to the Governour of Perpignan, as well as to the chief Commanders in Languedoc and Provence, whereby it appears that neither Catalonia, nor any other Province in this Kingdom have been afflicted with any contagious Distemper, or any thing more than Colds occasioned by the extreme Dryness of the Weather, there is no Doubt but that this false Alarm will soon vanish, and that a free Communication will soon be opened again between these Provinces and those of France.

Dresden, April 29. The Universalia are sent to Poland for the assembling a great Council of the Senators of that Kingdom at Fraustadt on the 8th of July next, at which his Polish Majesty is to assist. Both the Emperor and the Czarina press the Departure of the Saxon Troops for Hungary, and though the Orders are already given for their being ready to march by the middle of next Month, yet it is believed they cannot begin their March till the latter End of it. We have received News here, that Count Munich was gone with 40,000 Men to befiege Oczakow; and that General Lacy, and the Prince of Hesse Hambourg, each with a different Body of Troops, are likewise marched to observe the Enemy and cover the Beliegers. Count Truchses, Major-General in the Russian Service, is arrived here, and had his Audience of the King on the 22d Instant; when he delivered to his Polish Majesty the King his Master's Letter of Recognition.

Whitehall,