

before the Customor, Comptroller or Collector of the Port where such Quarantine shall be performed, or the next Port thereunto, or before any of their Deputies and any one Justice of the Peace near adjoining to such Port, that such Ship or Vessel, and all and every Person and Persons therein, have duly performed their Quarantine as aforesaid, and that the Ship or Vessel, and all the Persons on Board, are free from Infection; that then the respective Persons coming in such Ship or Vessel, (a Certificate of such Oaths being made by the Persons before whom the same shall be taken) shall be permitted to go on Shore; but the Goods imported in such Ship or Vessel, together with the Bedding of the Sailors, shall be landed, opened and aired, and so remain a Week, and after may be brought to their Places of Discharge, other than Hemp and Flax, Paper or Books, Silk Raw Thrown or Wrought, Linnen, Cotton Wooll, Cotton Yarn or manufactured, Wooll Raw, or in any wise Wrought, Feathers, Grograin or Mohair Yarn, human Hair, Goats Hair, Carmentia Wooll, Carpets, Camblets, Burdets, or other Manufactures of Silk and Cotton, Kid Skins, and Skins in the Wooll or Hair, Spunges, Wine and Oil in Chests, Thread Stockings, all Goods pack'd with Straw or Cotton, Straw Hatts and Brushes, Matting and Artificial Flowers: Which the Officers of his Majesty's Customs shall cause to remain on Board such Ship or Vessel, and not permit to be landed, till an Account thereof shall be given unto their Excellencies in Council, and Orders shall be given concerning the same.

That the Places for Landing and Airing the Goods imported by such Ships or Vessels as are or shall be liable to the Forty Days Quarantine, shall be such Places as shall be appointed by his Majesty's Officers of the Customs, who are hereby impowered and required to appoint proper Places for the same.

That whatever Ship or Person shall receive any Men or Goods from on board any Ship or Vessel under Quarantine, shall be compelled to perform the like Quarantine.

That such Persons as after Quarantine performed shall be employed in the Hold of any such Ship or Vessel, for the Taking any Goods not liable to retain Infection from Hemp and Flax, Paper or Books, Silk Raw Thrown or Wrought, Linnen, Cotton Wooll, Cotton Yarn or Manufactured, Wooll Raw, or in any wise Wrought, Feathers, Grograin or Mohair Yarn, human Hair, Goats Hair, Carmentia Wooll, Carpets, Camblets, Burdets or other Manufactures of Silk and Cotton, Kid Skins and Skins in the Wooll or Hair, Spunges, Wine and Oil in Chests, Thread Stockings, all Goods pack'd with Straw or Cotton, Straw Hatts and Brushes, Matting and Artificial Flowers, shall be obliged to perform a New Quarantine of Forty Days.

That the Captains of every of his Majesty's Ships of War, who shall meet any such Ship or Vessel coming to any of the Ports of this Kingdom, shall take due Care to prevent the

Landing any Goods, Seamen, or Passengers from on Board the same, until they shall be put under the Direction of the Officers of his Majesty's Customs.

That the Commissioners, and other Officers of his Majesty's Customs, do use their utmost Diligence and Care, that the Quarantine, before directed, be duly performed.

That the Commanders of his Majesty's Ships of War, as likewise the Commanders of his Majesty's Forts and Garrisons lying near the Sea-Coast, be aiding and assisting to the said Officers of his Majesty's Customs in stopping all such Ships as aforesaid, and in bringing them to the Places appointed for the Performance of their Quarantine, and in the due Performance thereof. And the Lords Commissioners of his Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the principal Officers of the Ordnance, and his Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

*Ja. Vernon.*

*Admiralty Office, July 23, 1743.*

His Majesty's Ships the Monmouth, commanded by Captain Windham, and the Medway, commanded by Captain Cokburne, being on a Cruize off the Canary Islands, stood into the Road of Sta Cruz in the Island Gomera, on the 20th of May, in order to destroy the Forts, and batter the Town. They were fired at from three Forts; but the Ships anchoring within less than a quarter of a Mile of them, entirely demolished the Forts, and beat down the greatest Part of the Town, and then put to Sea on their Cruize, having received very little Damage.

*Whitehall, July 16, 1743.*

*Whereas some loose and disorderly Person or Persons did, in February and March last, cut down and destroy great Numbers of young planted Oaks, belonging to Pelasant Reeves, Esq; in the Manor of Aborfield in the County of Berks, and did, on Sunday the Twelfth of June last, get into the Garden belonging to the Dwelling House of the said Pelasant Reeves, at Aborfield aforesaid, and took away and destroyed great Quantities of Fruit, and other Things of Value; And did also on the 19th of the said Month of June come to the said House with the same felonious Intent, but were prevented from doing any further Mischief: In order to the discovering and bringing to Punishment the Persons concerned in the said Crimes, their Excellencies the Lords Justices are pleased to promise his Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any Person concerned therein, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

*E. WESTON.*

*And as a further Encouragement for such Discovery, Nath Mason, of the Chancery Office, London, Gent. will pay to any Person or Persons making the same, the Sum of Twenty Pounds, to be paid upon the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders.*

*Nath Mason.*

General