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Whitehall, July 27, 1754.

**W**H E R E A S, on the 17th Instant, a Written Paper of Verses was dropt in the Market Place at Oxford, containing the most infamous and audacious Expressions of Treason, Sedition, and Rebellion, and such false, wicked, and traiterous Aspersions of His Majesty's Sacred Person and Government, as must raise the utmost Indignation and Abhorrence in all those, who have any Sense of the Duty, and Gratitude, they so justly owe to His Majesty, or the least Regard to the Peace and Happiness of the Nation, under His Majesty's most mild and gracious Government: In order that the Author, or Authors, of the said presumptuous, seditious, and treasonable Paper, or any Person, or Persons, concerned in writing, publishing, or dropping the same, as aforesaid, may be discovered, and brought to the Punishment due to so high and heinous an Offence; These are, in His Majesty's Name, strictly to require and enjoin all His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, and all other Civil Magistrates whatsoever, to make diligent Search after the Author or Authors, Publisher or Publishers, of the said seditious, treasonable, infamous, and abominable Paper, and that, on discovering him, her, or them, they do immediately apprehend and seize the said Person, or Persons, and carry him, her, or them, before a proper Magistrate, that the said Offender, or Offenders, may be prosecuted for the said Offence, according to the utmost Rigour of the Law. And all His Majesty's loving Subjects are hereby strictly charged, that they do use their utmost Endeavours to discover and apprehend the said Offender, or Offenders. And for the Encouragement of all Persons to be diligent and industrious in their Endeavours to make such Discovery, His Majesty does, hereby, promise a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds to any Person, or Persons, who shall discover the Author, or Authors, or Publisher, or Publishers, of the said detestable, treasonable, and seditious Paper, or any of them, so as such Offender, or Offenders, be convicted thereof: For the Payment of which aforesaid Reward, His Majesty hath given the necessary Orders to the Lords Commissioners of His Treasury.

H O L D E R N E S S E.

*Erratum.* In last Saturday's Gazette, in the first Line of the above Advertisement, for the 13th Instant,

*Lisbon, June 18.* The Departure of the Court to Belem is fixed for Sunday next; in which Journey their Majesties are to be accompanied this Year by the Queen Dowager, as also by the Infants Don Anthony, and Don Emanuel. 'Tis confidently reported, that the King intends shortly to make a numerous Promotion of General Officers.

*Rome, July 1.* On Friday last, being the Eve of St. Peter and Paul, Patrons of this City, the Pope went in great State to the Vatican Church; and being returned to the Palace, the Constable Colonna delivered to him the white Horse and Purse of Gold, being the annual Present from the King of the Two Sicilies. At Night there were great Rejoycings throughout the City; a grand Firework was play'd off, and several Discharges were made of the Cannon of the Castle of St. Angelo.

*Stockholm, July 6.* The King intends going to Scania, and some other of the Southern Provinces of this Kingdom, towards the Beginning of next Month. On Saturday last died Baron Siobald, one of the oldest General Officers in the Service of this Crown.

*Stockholm, July 10.* We are informed by Express, that the Gothick Lyon, a Ship belonging to our East India Company, that left Canton the 30th of December, arrived safe in the Road of Gottenbourg on Sunday last, having on Board a very valuable Cargo.

*Dresden, July 10.* The Prince Royal has nominated the young Count Calenberg, his Polish Majesty's Minister to the Elector of Bavaria, to be his Adjutant General, in the Room of Count Witzthum, who was lately killed in a Duel. The last Letters from Warsaw informs us, that his Majesty enjoys a good State of Health, and is very successful in his Endeavours to reconcile the Differences that have arisen between several of the principal Families in that Kingdom.

*Vienna, July 10.* Her Imperial Majesty is perfectly recovered of her late lying-in, and appears in Publick, and transacts the Business of her Hereditary Countries as before. Count Keyserling, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Court of Russia, has received, by an Express from Petersbourg, the Ribbon, and other Ensigns of the Order of St. Andrew, with which the Empress his Mistress has lately honoured him.

*Vienna, July 13.* Yesterday the Emperor was present at a great hunting Match in the Neighbourhood of Neustadt: After which he visited the Military School, where he was splendidly entertained at Dinner by Count Leopold Daun, Governor of that Establishment, and in the Evening he returned to Schonbrun. The Departure of the Court for Presbourg will take Place some Day next Week; but their Imperial Majesties intended Journey to Moravia and Bohemia is deferred till the 16th of next Month.

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