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AT the Court at St. James's the 27th Day of January 1756,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty,

Lord Chancellor,	Lord Hobart,
Lord President,	Lord Delawarr,
Lord Privy Seal,	Lord Berkeley of Stratton,
Lord Chamberlain,	Lord Edgcumbe,
Duke of Bedford,	Lord Sandys,
Duke of Marlborough,	Lord Anson,
Duke of Queensberry,	Mr. Vice Chamberlain,
Duke of Newcastle,	Mr. Secretary Fox,
Duke of Dorset,	Mr. Chan ^r of the Exchequer,
Earl of Holderness,	Lord Chief Justice Ryder,
Earl of Buckinghamshire,	Horatio Walpole, Esq;
Earl Cornwallis,	Sir John Ligonier,
Viscount Barrington,	Sir George Lee.

It is this Day ordered by His Majesty in Council, that Charles Knowles, Esq; the present Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Island of Jamaica, be, and he is hereby permitted and allowed to resign the Government of the said Island, agreeable to the Request made by him in his Letter to the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, dated the 25th Day of July last. *W. Sharpe.*

Whereas the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the 18th of December last, for paying the respective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and also to all Able-bodied Landmen, who should voluntarily enter themselves in His Majesty's Royal Navy; And likewise for paying the Rewards to Persons discovering Seamen who should conceal themselves, will expire upon the 31st Day of this Instant January— And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given should be continued to be paid for some Time longer: — His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, that the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to such Seamen and Landmen respectively, who shall, on or before the 29th Day of February next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclama-

tion of the 11th Day of November last. And likewise that the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Persons who shall, on or before the said 29th Day of February next, discover any Seaman or Seamen, who shall conceal themselves, so as such Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majesty's Service. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly. *W. Sharpe.*

St. James's, January 27.

This Day Signior Celestia, Minister charged with the Affairs of the Republick of Genoa, had his first Private Audience of His Majesty to deliver his Credential Letters, to which he was introduc'd by the Right Honourable Henry Fox, Esq; one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Rome, Jan. 3. The Pope has appointed Cardinal Delci to succeed the late Cardinal Carraffa as Dean of the College of Cardinals, and also to the Bishoprick of Ostia and Velletri. Cardinal Guadagni is appointed Sub-Dean and Bishop of Porto, and Cardinal Sacripanti succeeds in the Bishoprick of Frascati. The Magistrate of Health, on Notice that all Suspicion of Pestilential Sickness is ceased in Albany, has ordered the Quarantine to be taken off, and a free Commerce to be restored with them.

Florence, Jan. 10. Last Week a Shock of an Earthquake was felt at Ferrara, which occasioned some Damage to the Buildings of that City.

Madrid, Jan. 11. By Letters from Cadiz of the 6th Instant, there is Advice, that the British Convoy sailed from thence that Morning, with a very fair Wind; and that the Convoy expected from Spithead in that Port, was arrived there the Day before, after a Passage of 33 Days; the Weather they had met with in the Bay, having been so bad, as to oblige them to separate. The Experiment Man of War, which was one of them, is arrived at Gibraltar, where the Chesterfield was also hourly expected.

Brussels, Jan. 20. Our last Advices from the Frontiers of France import, that Orders have been sent to all the Troops, in the interior Parts of the Kingdom, to hold themselves in Readiness to march on the first Notice; but their Destination is not mentioned. It is added, that Recruits and Horses are coming in daily in great Numbers from all Parts.