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AT the Court at St. James's the 30th Day of March 1756,

P R E S E N T,

The Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council.

Whereas the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the 28th of February 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 March.— 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:— It is thereupon this Day Ordered in Council, 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 30th Day of April next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclamation 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 30th Day of April 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.

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War-Office, April 15, 1756.

Whereas a Power is given to His Majesty in the Act for the speedy and effectual Recruiting of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, that when His Majesty shall be satisfied by the Returns of the Commissioners or otherwise, that a sufficient Number of Recruits in the Whole shall be raised for His present Service, He may be graciously pleased to suspend, or stop the further Execution of that Act, by Proclamation, or Order in Council, or other publick Notice in the London Gazette: And whereas the great Zeal of the Nobility and Gentry for His Majesty's Service hath almost compleated the Corps for which Impressed Men were intended, I am commanded by the King to give this publick Notice in the London Gazette, that His Majesty is graciously pleased to suspend and stop the further Execution of the said Act for the speedy and effectual Recruiting His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, from and after the first Day of May next, till further Notice.

BARRINGTON.

Admiralty Office, April 20:

His Majesty's Ship the Orford arrived at Plymouth the 16th Instant, being sent in by Sir Edward Hawke with two French Ships taken off Cape Ortegal by the Newcastle, one of them of 14 Guns and 57 Men, and having 183 Soldiers on board, bound to Cape Breton; the other a Schooner, bound to Quebec, with Wine, Musket Balls, and Flower.

Constantinople, March 16. Every Thing continues here in the utmost Quiet; the Disturbances among the Janizaries at Belgrade are so entirely settled, that there is no more Talk of that Revolt than if it had never happen'd. The Changes which have been so frequent for several Months past, seem at an End; the present Ministry gives general Content and Satisfaction, so that in all Probability it will be lasting. By the Prudence and Activity of the Vizir, a considerable