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AT the Court at St. James's the 4th Day of February, 1757,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by His Majesty's Proclamation; bearing Date the Fourth Day of January last, "For giving Encouragement to Seamen, and "Able-bodied Landmen, to enter themselves "on Board His Majesty's Ships of War; For "granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves; For pardoning such Seamen as have deserted, and "shall return into the Service; And also for "taking up all Straggling Seamen"—His Majesty was pleased to promise and declare, amongst other Things, 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 also that the Bounty of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, should be paid to every such Seaman and Landman respectively, who should, on or before the Tenth Day of this Instant, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by the said Proclamation; As likewise that the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, should be paid to any Person who should, on or before the said Tenth Day of this Instant, discover any Seaman or Seamen who should secret themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's Service:— And whereas the Time limited for paying the said Bounties and Rewards is now near expiring, and it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some longer Time, His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore Order, and it is hereby accordingly Ordered, That the Time limited by the said Proclamation for Payment of the Bounties and Rewards aforementioned be prolonged and extended from the said Tenth Day of this Instant February, to the Tenth Day of March next inclusive; and that the said respective Bounties, and Rewards, be continued to be paid by the Persons, and at the Times directed by His Majesty's aforesaid Proclamation.

W. Sharpe.

Westminster, February 15.

His Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, the Honourable Sir Henry Bellenden, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for granting to His Majesty a Sum not exceeding One Million, Fifty Thousand, and Five Pounds, and Five Shillings, to be raised by Way of Lottery.

An Act to discontinue, for a limited Time, the Duties upon Corn and Flour imported, and also upon such Corn, Grain, Meal, Bread, Biscuit, and Flour, as have been, or shall be, taken from the Enemy, and brought into this Kingdom.

An Act to prohibit, for a limited Time, the Exportation of Corn, Grain, Meal, Malt, Flour, Bread, Biscuit, Starch, Beef, Pork, Bacon, and other Victual (except Fish, and Roots, and Rice, to be exported to any Part of Europe Southward of Cape Finisterre) from His Majesty's Colonies and Plantations in America, unless to Great Britain or Ireland, or to some of the said Colonies and Plantations; and to permit the Importation of Corn and Flour into Great Britain and Ireland in Neutral Ships; and to allow the Exportation of Wheat, Barley, Oats, Meal, and Flour, from Great Britain to the Isle of Man, for the Use of the Inhabitants there.

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army and their Quarters.

An Act for the speedy and effectual Recruiting of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines.

An Act for repairing and widening several Roads leading to, through, and from the Town of Frome, in the County of Somerset; and for giving further Powers to the Trustees, in an Act passed in the Twenty-Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, for repairing the Roads from the Town of Warminster, in the County of Wilts, to the City of Bath, in the County of Somerset, and other Roads therein mentioned.

An Act for amending, widening, and keeping in Repair, several Roads in and near to the Town of Tenbury, in the Counties of Salop, Worcester, and Hereford.

And to three Private Bills.

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