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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 9th Day of *November*, 1757,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the Twentieth of September 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 Fifteenth Day of this Instant November: 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 Fourteenth Day of January next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January 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 Fourteenth Day of January 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.

Hague, Nov. 25. Last Night we received an Account, that the Town of Schweidnitz, in Silesia, was taken on the 12th Instant, after a general Assault had been given the Day before, in which the Garrison behaved incomparably well; and the Governor only capitulated at Noon the next Day, behind the Entrenchments he had made upon the Great Market Place.

By our last Letters from Dresden, the King of Prussia arrived there on the 17th Instant, with ten Battalions. The Day before his Prussian Majesty arrived there, the Queen of Poland died suddenly of a Fit of an Apoplexy. The Execution-Army of the Empire (at least, as much as remains of it) is separated from the French, and retired towards Bamberg in Franconia.

St. James's, November 28.

This Day Major Grant, Aide de Camp to his Prussian Majesty, arrived from the Prussian Army in Saxony, with Letters to the King, which he had the Honour to deliver to His Majesty in a private Audience.

Admiralty Office, November 26, 1757.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the 26th Year of His Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information hath been sent to this Office, That the Ship Friendship, Henry Jarvis, Master, of Newcastle upon Tyne, Burthen about 200 Tons, laden with Groceries, and other merchantable Goods, consigned to divers Persons at Newcastle, was, on the 18th Instant, between Seven and Eight o'Clock at Night, drove on the Sand called Holm Heads off Lowestoffe, where she now lays a Wreck.

J. Cleveland.

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