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AT the Court at St. James's, the 9th Day of November, 1759,

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Proclamation of the 15th of May 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 stragling Seamen," hath been prolonged and extended to this Ninth Day of November, —And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His privy Council, hereby Order that the said Time be prolonged and extended from this Ninth Day of November, to the Thirty-First Day of December next, and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said Thirty-First Day of December next—Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

AT the Court at Kensington, the 23d Day of October, 1759,

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 14th of April last, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of this Instant October.—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the said Prohibition should be continued for some longer Time.—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, Prohibit and Command, that no Person or Persons whatsoever (except the Master General, Lieutenant General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the said 29th Day of this Instant October, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the Twenty-Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, "An Act to impower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Salt Petre, and to enforce the Law for impowering His Majesty to

"prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Salt Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition." And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great-Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Blair.

St. James's, November 20.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council of the Borough and Corporation of Richmond in the County of York, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Lord Ancram, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council, of the Borough and Corporation of Richmond in the County of York.

May it please your Majesty,

A MIDST the general Joy, which has filled the Hearts of your grateful People of all Ranks, for the late signal Advantages gained over the avowed and inveterate Enemies to the religious and civil Rights and Liberties of Europe in general, and to those of Great Britain in particular, it would ill become any Community of your Majesty's Subjects, who may find Access to your Royal Person, to omit their dutiful Congratulations on an Occasion which so justly demands them.

Such is the Number, and such the Variety and Importance of Successful Events which have attended your Majesty's Arms, and those of your Allies, in the Prosecution of the present War, and so distinguished in their Circumstances from the Occurrences to be met with in History, that were they not authenticated by the most solemn Records, the plainest Narrations of the Events themselves might look to Posterity like the Embellishments of an Historian willing to do Honour to his King and Country at the Expence of Truth.

These, most gracious Sovereign, we gratefully acknowledge to have been, under the Blessing of Divine Providence, the genuine Fruits of the Wisdom, Integrity and Firmness of your Majesty's Councils, and the Conduct and Valour of those brave Men, to whom the Execution of them has been so judiciously intrusted, in which we have however to regret that some of them (and one above the rest) have left us only the mournful Satisfaction of celebrating the Glory of their Fall, where the most substantial Gratitude of their Country, had they survived, would have been so eminently due to them.

May your Majesty's paternal Care and unwearied Vigilance for the Rights and Liberties, the Peace and Prosperity of your People, continue to be blessed with the same success, and may your Majesty's Wisdom, Fortitude, and Probity, for ever triumph over the Injustice, Treachery, and Ingratitude, of all your secret and open Enemies, superior to all the vain

