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AT the Court at St. James's, the 1st Day of February, 1760,

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 the 11th of this Instant February; — 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 the aforesaid 11th Day of this Instant February, to the 24th Day of March next; and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 24th Day of March next. — Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

William Sharpe.

St. James's, February 12.

The following Address of the Bailiffs and Burgeses of Scarbrough in the County of York, has been presented to His Majesty by William Osbaldiston, Esq; being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

The most humble Address of the Bailiffs and Burgeses of the Loyal and Maritime Borough of Scarbrough in the County of York, in Common Council assembled.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiffs and Burgeses of Scarbrough in the County of York, in Common Council assembled, crave Leave to approach your Imperial Throne, with Hearts full of that Duty and Affection to your Sacred Person and Government, which become the most faithful Subjects to the best and greatest of Kings.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Permit us to congratulate your Majesty, with Hearts dilated with the most sincere and unfeigned Joy upon the many signal Successes with which it has pleased Divine Providence to bless and distinguish your Majesty's Arms by Sea and Land, in the Course of this just and necessary War.

We are truly sensible how highly those Events conduce to the Honour, Interest, and Safety of your Kingdoms, to the supporting the Reputation of the British Arms, and to the securing and extending the Glories of your Majesty's Reign.

Grant us Leave also in particular to declare our grateful Sense of the paternal Care your Majesty has been pleased to take of the Shipping and Commerce of your Subjects, to which (under God) their present flourishing Condition is so much owing.

We cannot sufficiently admire your Majesty's Wisdom, Clemency and Magnanimity, after such Advantages, in offering to your Enemies Proposals for bringing about a speedy, safe, honourable and lasting Peace; and at the same Time (lest they should not have the desired Effect) in using your utmost Efforts to carry on the War with Vigour, in order to accomplish so happy an Issue.

Our Duty and Allegiance to your Majesty, our Zeal for the Protestant Succession in your Royal Family, are steady and unchangable. Our most hearty Wishes for the Continuance of your Majesty's long Life and auspicious Reign over us, are most sincere.

Given under our Common Seal in the Town Hall at the same Borough of Scarbrough, the 18th Day of January 1760, and in the 33d Year of your Majesty's Reign.

Hague, February 5. By our last Letters from Saxony it appears, That the King of Prussia's Head Quarters were on the 27th past still at Freyberg, and that no Alteration has happened in the Position of any of the respective Armies in that Neighbourhood, where every Thing remained quiet. The Forces under the Command of the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick occupy the Villages and little Towns which lie between Freyberg and Chemnitz; and they are said likewise to enjoy perfect Tranquility in their Quarters; his Highness himself continues at Freyberg. We hear, That in Saxony, as well as in the King of Prussia's Dominions, Recruits are raised with all possible Expedition, and that Officers of different Ranks have lately been dispatched from Freyberg and from Willsdruff to discipline the new Levies made in Brandenburg and in Silesia. On the 24th the Thaw began in Saxony, and the Weather there had been very mild ever since. We have received the News of the Death of his Serene Highness the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel, which happened at Rintelen on the Night of the 28th past.

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