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AT the Council Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 20th Day of *March*, 1760,

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 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 24th of this Instant March; — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer—It is therefore hereby ordered in Council, that the said Time be prolonged and extended from the aforesaid 24th Day of this Instant March, to the 10th Day of May next; and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 10th Day of May next. — Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

*William Sharpe.*

*Admiralty-Office, February 23, 1760.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a late Act of Parliament, intituled, An Act to explain and amend an Act made in the Twentieth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and the more speedy and effectual manning His Majesty's Navy; and for the better Prevention of Piracies and Robberies by Crews of private Ships of War, a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Friday the Twenty-eighth Day of March next, at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

Notice is also hereby given, that for the future an Admiralty Session will be held in the several Months of March and October in every Year, pursuant to the Directions of the said Act of Parliament.

*Ph. Stephens.*

*Custom House, London, March 22, 1760.*

WHEREAS on Friday the 14th of this Instant March, at Night, a large Gang of Smuglers

were assembled at East Dean in the County of Sussex, in order to be aiding and assisting in the Running, Landing and Carrying away a large Quantity of Uncustomed Goods out of a Smuggling Cutter then lying near the Shore: And whereas Henry Bean, one of the Officers of the Customs at East Dean aforesaid, and several other Officers of the Customs, did attempt to go on Board the said Cutter, in order to examine and search the same, but were forcibly and violently obstructed and hindered in the Execution of their Duty, by several Persons belonging to the said Cutter, who stood upon the Deck with Lighted Matches in their Hands, swearing they would sink the Boat, in Case the Officers attempted to come on Board, by which Means the Officers were prevented from doing their Duty, and a large Quantity of Prohibited and Uncustomed Goods were afterwards run out of the said Cutter: The Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in order to bring the Offenders to Justice, do hereby promise a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS, for the apprehending and taking each of the said Offenders, to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs on Conviction.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
*William Wood, Secretary.*

*Rome, March 8.* A few Days ago M. Carali, the Treasurer General, with Mess. Forti and Rubini, attended by four Architects and Engineers, set out from hence for Fiumicino, to examine that Harbour, and to cause it to be repaired immediately, the Sea having so much damaged its Entry, as to greatly obstruct all Vessels coming up the Tyber to this City with Provisions and other Necessaries. On the 28th, Notice was sent here from Civita Vecchia, of the Arrival, at that Port, of a Transport with 225 Jesuits from Lisbon.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 25, 1760.*

Orders for the Court's Change of Mourning on Sunday next, the 30th Instant, for the late Landgrave of Hesse Cassel, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fring'd or plain Linnen, white Gloves, black and white Fans and Tippetts, white Necklaces and Earrings.

The Men to wear Black full trimm'd, fring'd or plain Linnen, black Swords and Buckles.

On Sunday the 6th of April, the Mourning to be changed again, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, colour'd Ribbons, Fans and Tippetts.

The Men to continue in Black full trimm'd, and to wear colour'd Swords and Buckles.

And on Sunday the 13th of April, the Court to go out of Mourning.

*George*

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