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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 14th Day of  
*December, 1761,*

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was graciously pleased by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Twenty Second Day of July last, to promise and declare, (amongst other Things) That the Bounties of Five Pounds for every able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every ordinary Seaman, should be paid to every such able and ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who should, on or before the Twelfth Day of September last, enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majesty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board such Tenders as should be employed for raising Men for the Service of the Royal Navy: And that a Bounty of Thirty Shillings should be paid to every able bodied Landman not above the Age of Thirty Five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who should, on or before the said Twelfth Day of September, in like Manner voluntarily enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Two Pounds for every able, and Thirty Shillings for every ordinary Seaman, should be paid to any Person who should discover any Seaman or Seamen who should secret themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's said Service. And whereas the Time limited for paying the said Bounties and Rewards hath been extended to the Twelfth Day of this Instant December; 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 for Payment of the said Bounties and Rewards, be prolonged and extended from the said Twelfth Day of this Instant December, to the Thirty First Day of January next inclusive. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

*Hen. Fans.*

*St. James's, January 30.*

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, Clergy and Freeholders of the County of Cornwall, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, Clergy and Freeholders of the County of Cornwall, assembled at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held for the said County, at Lostwithiel, on Thursday the Fourteenth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and sixty two.

PERmit, Great Sir, your faithful and ever loyal Subjects of your County of Cornwall, to congratulate your Majesty on your Marriage with a Protestant Princess, Illustrious by Birth, and adorned with every Grace and Virtue to delight and bless your Royal Bed; may the happy Union long subsist!

[ Price Three Pence. ]

And Mirtle and Lawrels be always interwoven with the Sacred Gold that encircles your Royal Heads! And may there never be wanting a Royal Descendant from your Majesty and our most gracious Queen, powerful to support the Dignity of the Crown, and wife and good to promote the Felicity of the People! And that these Nations, feeling themselves happy in distant Ages, under the Reign of your August Descendants, may, with grateful Hearts acknowledge and applaud the Royal Source from whence, under Heaven, all their Happiness was derived.

*Hague, Jan. 26.* We have just received an Account of the Demise of the Empress of Russia, who died the 5th Instant at Petersburg: And we likewise hear, that upon the Arrival of that News in Pomerania, his Imperial Highness the Great Duke was immediately proclaimed Emperor, by the Title and Title of Peter III. at the Head of the Russian Army.

*Whitehall, January 30.*

The King has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, London, to chuse a Bishop to that See, the same being void by the Death of Dr. Thomas Hayter, late Bishop thereof: As also a Letter, recommending to the said Dean and Chapter the Right Reverend Father Dr. Richard Oshaldston, now Bishop of Carlisle, to be by them elected and chosen into the said Bishoprick of London.

The King has been pleased to present William Mason, Clerk, Master of Arts, to the Canonry and Prebend of Driffield in the Cathedral and Metropolitan Church of St. Peter in York, together with the Precentorship of the said Church, void by the Promotion of Dr. Thomas Newton to the Bishoprick of Bristol, and in His Majesty's Gift, for this Turn, by Virtue of His Prerogative Royal.

*Dublin, January 19.*

Yesterday being the Day appointed for celebrating Her Majesty's Birth Day, the Flag was displayed on Birmingham Tower, the Great Guns, at the Salute Battery in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix, were fired three Rounds, and answered by Vollics from the Regiments on Duty, drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks: At Noon there was a very splendid Appearance of the Nobility, and other Persons of Distinction at the Castle, to compliment his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, and an Ode was performed upon this Occasion. In the Evening a Play was given, by his Excellency, for the Entertainment of the Ladies, and a Ball at the Castle, which was handsomely illuminated. His Excellency, and the Ladies and Gentlemen, who were very numerous, were dressed in the Manufactures of this Kingdom; and the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, Ringing of Bells, and every other Demonstration of Joy.

General Post Office, January 15, 1762.

Publick Notice is hereby given to all Merchants, and others, corresponding with any Part of the Kingdom of Spain, that no more Letters will be received, or forwarded from hence, directed to any Part of that Kingdom, during the present War.

By Command of the Post-master General,

Hen. Potts, Secretary.

