

Degree they, or any of them, be, to be aiding and assisting, at the Commandment of the said Officers, in the Performance and Execution of the said Offices, Places, and Employments, as they tender Our Displeasure, and will answer the Contrary at their utmost Perils.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the Seventeenth Day of September, One thousand seven hundred and sixty two, in the Second Year of Our Reign.

G O D Save the K I N G.

A Like Proclamation was issued for continuing Officers in Scotland for the further Space of Four Months; which Proclamation is to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made Use of, in the Place of the Great Seal of Scotland.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 17th Day of September, 1762.

P R E S E N T.

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council the 2d of April last, to direct, That the Bounties of Six Pounds for every able Seaman, and of Three Pounds for every ordinary Seaman, should continue to be paid to every such able and ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who should, on or before the 31st Day of May last, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's 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 His Majesty's Royal Navy: And also that the Bounty of Thirty Shillings should be continued to be paid to every able bodied Landman not above the Age of Thirty Five, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who should, on or before the said 31st Day of May last, voluntarily enter themselves in like Manner to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Five Pounds for every able, and of Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every ordinary Seaman, should continue to be paid to any Person who should discover any Seaman or Seamen who may desert themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's said Service, on or before the said Thirty-first Day of May last. — And whereas the Time limited for paying the said Bounties and Rewards hath been continued and extended to the 30th of this Instant September; And it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer; 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 30th Day of this Instant September, to the 30th Day of November next. And that the said Bounties and Rewards be paid in the Manner directed by His Majesty's aforementioned Order in Council the 2d of April last. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

St. James's, September 18.

The following Address of the Bishops of London, the Dean and Chapter of *Saint Paul's*, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Westminster, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of London, accompanied by several Clergymen, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting,

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bishop of London, the Dean and

Chapter of *St. Paul's*, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Westminster, beg Leave to offer to you our sincere congratulations upon the Birth of the Prince, the Heir to your Crown and Dignities.

Sensible of the great and manifold Blessings this Nation hath long enjoyed under your illustrious Family, especially confirmed to us by your auspicious Government, we feel the most solid Satisfaction within ourselves, upon an Event which promises to perpetuate these Blessings.

The Happiness of your Majesty, and your Royal Consort, accomplished in every Virtue, hath ever been the first Object of our Wishes, upon which our own Welfare so much depends; therefore we most heartily rejoice in this Increase of Felicity to our most Excellent Sovereign and His Queen. At the same Time, with humble and devout Minds, we return the Tribute of our Thanks and Praise to the Divine Providence, for the Goodness of giving this additional Support to the Cause of Protestantism abroad, and the invaluable Constitution of these Kingdoms at home. The pleasing Prospect of a Prince descended from such Parents, to be educated under such glorious Examples, affords the fairest Dawn of prosperous Days to our Posterity.

God grant that your Majesty may long extend the beneficial Influences of your Example to a multiplied Offspring, and to your People! And may the Imperial Crown of these Realms be late transmitted to an Heir of your Virtues, as ripe for Government, as your Majesty, from the first Hour of ascending the Throne, hath most eminently distinguished yourself to be.

These are our ardent Prayers in our public and private Applications to the Throne of Grace; and to promote the Success of these Supplications, shall be the constant Tenor of our uniform Endeavours, by instructing the People committed to our respective Charges, in the Principles of Virtue and true Religion, as the most effectual Means to secure their Obedience and inviolable Attachment to the best of Kings; and by a watchful Care, that the same Principles of Loyalty and Affection, which universally reign in the Hearts of all your Subjects, to your Sacred Person, may descend in our Posterity, towards the Heirs of your Royal House, through all succeeding Generations.

They were received very graciously, and all had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

The following Address of the Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum, the Deputy Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, of the County of Middlesex, and City and Liberty of Westminster, has been presented to His Majesty by Thomas Lane, Esq; the Chairman of the Quarter Sessions of the County of Middlesex, accompanied by George Cooke, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for the said County, and several other Gentlemen, 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 Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum, the Deputy Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, of the County of Middlesex, and City and Liberty of Westminster.

May it please your Majesty,

SENSIBLE of your Majesty's unparalleled Virtues, and full of the tenderest Regard to the Happiness of our most gracious Sovereign, We your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, approach your Sacred Person, with the most sincere Congratulations on the safe Delivery and Recovery of your Majesty's Royal Consort our most gracious Queen.

When we reflect on the numerous Blessings which our Ancestors, as well as ourselves, have enjoyed since the Crown of these Kingdoms has been so happily placed on the Heads of your Majesty's most illustrious House; we find ourselves at a Loss to express the Joy we feel on the Birth of another British-born Prince. This happy Event gives the most pleasing Assurance, that our Religion, Rights, and Liberties,