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To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return this most gracious Answer.

I Receive, with very particular Satisfaction, from fon numerous and deferving a Body of My Subjects, thefe dutiful Affurances of their Zeal for My Perfon, and Government : These Cordial, Expressions of their Abborrence of all Disrespect to My Crown, and Dignity.

The Welfare of My People, and the Security of the flourishing and extensive Commerce of My Kingdoms, bave ever been, and ever will be, the Invariable Objects of My Care, and Attention : These invaluable

AT the Court at St. James's, the 20th of May, 1763,

PRESENT,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Day the Right Honourable Francis Lord Le Despenser, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham, took the Oaths appointed to be taken, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION.

For Pardoning and Discharging Soldiers now in Custody for Desertion.

GEORGE R.

W Hereas divers Soldiers, duly enlifted, or in Pay as Soldiers, in certain Regiments and Military Corps, which have been fince difbanded or difembodied, and in other Regiments or Corps now fubfifting, have deferted Our Service, and thereby incurred the Penalties respectively inflicted for such Offence, by several Acts of Parliament passed for punishing Mutiny and Defertion : And whereas many of the faid Deferters have been apprehended at various Times, and committed for fafe Cuftody to the feveral Goals or Prifons belonging to the Counties, Towns, or Places, where fuch Deferters have been found or apprehended, to the End that they might be proceeded against according to Law; the Names of which Deferters have been, from Time to

Dan¹ Gallopine Jof. Stevenfon Rt Lewis John Raymond Joi^h Curtis Zeph^h Eade B. Gaudichau Shevel and de Micnes Sam¹ Chambers Sam. Tolfrey **Timothy Yeats** Philip Schumacher Henry Leigh John Philpot John Van Sommer Thomas Moore Samuel Free Avery Jebb J. Davenport John Castell Charles Wm Blunt Jnº Fletcher Tho^s Jones Francis Philip Fatio Stephen Cazalet Arch^d Maclane Henry Woodfall Wm. Owen John Le Breton William Clark John Dorrien

Richd Ruffell **Broome Witts** T. Afhurft Maclane Nath. Modigleani John Dunbar William Lem Iaº Kenworthy John Hoghes Anty Merry Nics Lutyens Benjamin Champion John Hankey Robert Knipe John Small Philip de la Haize William Hunter Ranald M Donell John Wenham Stilborne Withy John Blake Allan Auld Fred^k Pigou, jun. Tho^s Abr^m Ogier Mark Cramer Rich^d Muilman Jonⁿ Perrie John Dean Michael Pourke John Lefebvre Ifaac Buxton Alex^r Farquhar Samuel Athawes

Bleffings, I truft, will be rendered stable and permanent by the Peace which I have concluded; whereby wast Countries are added to the British Empire, the Improvement of which must produce Solid, and Lasting Advantages to all My Subjects.

The Merchants, and Traders, of the City of London, may firmly rely on My Constant Protection, and Favour; and on My Steady Refolution ever to support them, in the full and free Enjoyment of their Rights, Liberties, and Privileges.

They were all most graciously received ; and had the Honour to kifs His Majefty's Hand.

Time, transmitted to our Secretary at War for the Time being, purfuant to the Provisions of fuch Acts of Parliament made for Punishing Mutiny and Dcfertion as aforefaid : And whereas We are gracioufly, disposed to extend Our Royal Mercy to the faid Offenders, who may be hereafter useful to their Country in following their honeit and lawful Occupations, in Cafe they are enabled thereto, by receiving Our free Pardon ; and being difcharged out of Cuftody in Confequence thereof ; We have therefore thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy-Council, to iffue this Our Royal Proclamation, and We do hereby for Us, Our Heirs and Succeffors, pardon and remit all and every fuch Offence and Offences of Defertion, from any fuch Regiments or Military Corps, committed by any Perfon or Perfons now in Cuftody as aforefaid : And We do alfo releafe and discharge the faid Offenders from all Profecutions, Imprisonments, and Penalties, commenced or incurred, for, or by reason of any such Offence or Offences : And We do hereby, by and with the Ad-vice of Our faid Privy-Council, declare Our farther Pleafure, and do will and require all and every Goaler and Goalers, Keeper and Keepers of any Goal, House of Correction, or Prison, where any fuch Deferter or Deferters is or are in Custody, to discharge him or them forthwith, without Fee or Reward, upon receiving a Certificate or Certificates under the Hand of Our Secretary at War for the Time being, that the Name or Names of fuch Deferter or Deferters, do appear to him to have been transmit-ted to the War Office, pursuant to the Provisions of any of the faid Acts. And We hereby further Charge and Command