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Munich, December 19.

**A**N Express arrived here on the 17th, with Advice of the Decease of the Archbishop of Saltzbourg, on the preceding Day, in the 74th Year of his Age.

*Berlin, December 21.* Last Monday the Carnival Diversions began here with the Opera of Pyramus and Thisbe, which was performed in the Little Theatre in the Palace. On Tuesday there was a Ridotto in the Opera House; Wednesday an Italian Comic Opera was acted at the Little Theatre in the Palace; Thursday Evening there was a brilliant Court, and a splendid Supper in the Queen's Apartments; and Yesterday Evening, Britannicus, a Serious Opera, was acted at the Theatre in the Opera House.

St. James's, December 27.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Herman Katenkamp, Esq; to be Consul in Sicily and the adjacent Islands.

St. James's, December 28, 1771.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That John Perrin, of Rotherfield Grays in the County of Oxford, Blacksmith, went from Home on Friday the 9th of November last, to Henley upon Thames, where he staid some Hours, and was seen there between Nine and Ten in the Evening, but has not been since heard of; therefore there is great Reason to suspect that the said John Perrin has been murdered: If any Person will give Intelligence where the said John Perrin now resides, (if alive) he shall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, on Application to Mr. Newell, Town Clerk of Henley upon Thames: And, if it shall appear that the said John Perrin is murdered, His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in such Murder, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually committed the said Murder) who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices in the same, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement, a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby promised to any

[ Price Three-Pence. ]

Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid (except as before excepted) to be paid on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders, by Mr. Newell, Town Clerk of Henley upon Thames aforesaid.

N. B. The aforementioned John Perrin is about 60 Years of Age, luffy, and about five Feet ten Inches high; he had on a dark-coloured Thickset Frock, black Waistcoat, and Leather Breeches; wore his own dark brown Hair, and had a Scar on his Left Cheek.

Navy-Office, December 24, 1771.

Whereas by an Act passed the last Session of Parliament Money was granted for paying a Bounty for this Year, of Two Shillings and Six Pence a Day to Fifteen Chaplains, and Two Shillings a Day to Fifteen more Chaplains, who have served longest on board His Majesty's Ships of War; provided it appears, by the Books of the said Ships, that they have been actually borne and mustered thereon for the Space of Four Years during the late War with France and Spain; and provided likewise, that such Chaplains do not enjoy the Benefit of some Ecclesiastical Living or Preferment, from the Crown or otherwise, of the present annual Value of Fifty Pounds:

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice to all such Chaplains as are within the aforesaid Description, that they are forthwith to apply to this Office to be admitted to the said Bounty; and at the same Time to deliver a List of the Ships they have served in, together with an Affidavit made before a proper Magistrate, that they do not enjoy the Benefit of any Ecclesiastical Living or Preferment, from the Crown or otherwise, of the present annual Value of Fifty Pounds, in order that Lists may be made out for the Payment of the aforesaid Bounty.

Viſtualling-Office, December 23, 1771.

The Commissioners for Viſtualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 29th of January next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) from, and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Fresh Beef to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at South Carolina, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office.

And all Persons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasion are desired, to take Notice, That