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By the Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

A PROCLAMATION.

HARCOURT.

WHEREAS the Parliament of this Kingdom stands prorogued to Thurfday the Fifteenth Day of this Instant; we do publish and declare, That the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is, hereby further prorogued to Tuesday the Twenty-seventh Day of this Instant September; whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons in this present Parliament, are to take Notice. Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 12th Day of September, 1774.

By his Excellency's Command,
The Waite.

GOD save the KING.

Nasles, August 30. The Harvest has not been plentiful this Year, which has prevented this City from making the necessary Provision for its own Consumption at the usual Price, so that the Magazines are still very deficient.

Berlin, September 10. His Prussian Majesty returned to Potzdam last Sunday in perfect Health, from his late Journey into Silesia.

St. James's, September, 1774.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, That, in the Night between the 31st of August and the 1st Instant, some Persons unknown broke in at one of the Windows in the Long Room of His Majesty's Custom-House at Plymouth, and broke open the Customers, Comptroller's, and four other Desks; in one of which was deposited upwards of Six Pounds, Private Property, which was feloniously taken and carried away, and a File and an Iron Draw-Pin, used by Carpenters, (both which appear to have been stole the same Night out of a Tool-Chest lodged in a Shipwright's Yard) were left behind.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Offence, is hereby pleased to promise His most Gracious Pardon to any one of them who shall discover his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And as a further Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to the Person making such Discovery; to be paid by the Receiver-General of His Majesty's Customs, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Edward Stanley, Secretary.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Victualling-Office, September 14, 1774.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 19th of October next; they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Hull, and be in Want thereof: Also Fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The said Commissioners will also be ready, on the same Day, to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to supply Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Lyn in Norfolk, and be in Want thereof: Also Fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Hull and Lynn respectively.

And all Persons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasions are desired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 19th of October.

East-India House, September 13, 1774.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenball-Street, on Thurfday the 13th of April 1775, for the Election of Six Directors of the said Company, for four Years, in Pursuance of an Act passed in the 13th Year of His present Majesty's Reign.

And the said Court do further give Notice, that by the above-mentioned Act, no Person will be entitled to vote at the said Election who shall not have been possessed in his or her own Right of 1000*l*. Stock for Twelve Calendar Months, except in the Cases provided for in the said Act; that every Person possessed in like Manner of 3000*l*. Stock will be entitled to give two Votes; that every Person possessed in like Manner of 6000*l*. Stock will be entitled to give three Votes; and that every Person possessed in like Manner of 10000*l*. Stock, or more, will be entitled to give four Votes, at the said Election; and that no Person in any Circumstance will be qualified to vote, unless for Stock standing in his or her own Names.

Laudable Society for the Benefit of Widows, Queen's-Arms Tavern, St. Paul's Church-Yard, September 7, 1774.

A General Meeting of this Society will be held at Soper's-Hall, Water-lane, Black Fryars, on Monday the 10th of October next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon,

