

We have been Censured by F. Rous and Capricious men for being extravagantly Loyal in some of our late Proceedings, but if we were possible to be guilty of Excess in Allegiance and Gratitude to Your Sacred Majesty, we would study to acquire the virtue and honour of such Loyal Extravagance.

And although some evil-minded men have insinuated that our Charter could not be obtained without great difficulty (because the return thereof proved slower than was expected) thereby endeavouring to discourage other Corporations to imitate our well intended Loyalty, yet are we well assured Your Majesty's mind and hand were both ready for a speedy Fiat, which was evidently demonstrated by Your Gracious Call for the dispatch thereof, and eminently quickened thereby; Wherefore we declare to the World, That all delays in that affair are wholly chargeable upon our own Mismanagement.

Therefore as we are obliged both in Reason and Loyalty, we present to Your Majesty our most humble and grateful acknowledgments, for by Your Majesty's Wise and just Government we are happy Subjects, and by Your Royal Grace and Favour we are now made happy Citizens, whereby we are in a capacity to embrace this opportunity of Congratulating Your most Sacred Majesty's and Royal Brother's late providential delivery out of the hands of a Bloody sort of Commonwealth Miscreants who have long thirsted after Royal Blood: And that they may ever be defeated of such their horrid Antimonarchical Conspiracies, is the Prayer, and shall be the careful endeavour of us who have caused our Common Seal to be hereunto affixed this second day of July, in the Five and thirtieth Year of Your Majesty's happy Reign, Annoq. Domini 1683.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Treasurer, the Benchers, Barristers, and Gentlemen under the Bar of the Society of the Inner-Temple.

Humbly Sheweth,

That we Your Dutiful and Loyal Subjects being very apprehensive of a most Traiterous, Bloody, and horrid Conspiracy against the most precious Lives of Your Royal Person and dearest Brother James Duke of York, by an unheard of Villany secretly contrived amongst Atheistical and Fanatick Persons of all sorts, apparently tending to the utter Ruine of the Established Government in Church and State, and thereby to Involve the whole Nation in an Anarchy and Confusion, had not the Almighty God, by whom Kings Reign, timely prevented the same by an happy and unusual Discovery, for which we cannot but adore his infinite Goodness and wonderful Providence.

In a deep sense of these signal Mercies, as in Duty bound, we do sincerely rejoyce in this Miraculous Deliverance, and shall always pray that Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Successors, may for ever continue to be Governors of this Kingdom; and do hereby renew our Engagements to defend the same with our Lives and Fortunes against all Traiterous Associations and Devilish Conspiracies whatsoever.

Stockholm June 16. The 14th instant the Queen of Sweden was brought to Bed of a Prince, who was immediately Christen'd and called *Gustavus*. His Majesty has bestowed the Government of *Wisnar*, upon Major General *Groothausen*.

Madrid, June 24. The Letters from *Cadix* of the thirteenth instant say, That the *Angel*, Captain *Hailles* Commander, together with several Dutch ships, being laden with Wheat and Barley, and that Vice-Admiral *Herbert* continued, with the Ships under his Command, at *Tangier*. We have advice from *Alicant* of the 14th instant, That the week before two Men of War belonging to *Tunis*, and carrying each 40 Guns, had taken on that Coast a Dutch Merchant ship called the *Francis*, being richly laden from *Genova*; and that soon after, they met another Dutch Vessel called the *St. Matthew*, and mounted with 18 Guns; that the Captain, after an obstinate Defence above 24 hours, finding himself disabled to continue the Fight longer, blew up his ship, but endeavouring to make his escape in a Boat, was taken by the Turks, though some of the Men (amongst whom were three English) had better fortune, coming in their Pinnace to *Alicant* with this Relation.

Copenhagen June 21. The Men of War, under

the Command of Vice Admiral *Spier* which were lately sent to Cruise in the *Soumer*, are returned hither, and six others are appointed to Cruise off of the Isle of *Bornholm*. Yesterday the Marquis *de Villars*, Ambassador Extraordinary from the Most Christian King, arrived here, and the same day had a private Audience of his Majesty.

Paris July 10. The 27th past the Sieur *Forstner* arrived at *Molsheim*, to compliment their Most Christian Majesties, the Dauphin, and the Duke and Dutcheis of *Orleans*, in the name of the Duke of *Wirtemberg*, upon their arrival in those parts, as the Baron *de Gronneck* performed in the like compliments to them the next day, on the part of the Marquis of *Baden Dourlach*. The 29th the Court parted from *Molsheim*, and came the next day to *Bouquenon*. The first Instant the Dauphin went to the Camp, which is formed half a League from *Bouquenon*, consisting of 28 Battalions of Foot under the Command of the Duke *de Villeroi*. The 2d. his Majesty came into the Camp, and saw the Army drawn up in Battalia, and perform their Military exercises. The third, his Majesty took a review of each Company. The fourth, the Dauphin gave Orders for the attacking of a Fort near the Camp, which was accordingly performed in the Evening, in the presence of their Majesties. The Duke and Dutcheis of *Orleans* made use of this opportunity to make a Visit to the Electress Dowager Palatine, near *Bouquenon*. We have advice from *Provence*, That on the 12th instant Monsieur *du Luque* arrived before *Algiers*, with the Fleet under his Command.

Deal July 4. This day his Grace the Duke of *Grafton* arrived in the *Dowers*, where he found His Majesty's Ships the *Grafton*, the *Henrietta*, the *St. David*, the *Woolwich*, and the *Montague*.

Advertisements.

A new Map of *Ferusalem* in two large Sheets, the exactest that ever was Published, describing as it stood in the greatest beauty, the chief places of the Temple, the King's, with a description about the Map treating at large of every thing remarkable from its first Foundation to the time of its Destruction; Pasted on Cloth and Coloured, 5s. in Sheets 2s. Sold by Robert Green at the Rose and Crown in Bug-Row, and by W. Berry at the Globe between Charing-Cross and White Hall.

These are to give Notice to all the Creditors of Benjamin Hinton of London, Goldsmith; That a Writing of Agreement between him the said Benjamin Hinton and several Trustees, on behalf of all his Creditors, is begun to be Signed and Sealed by many of them, whereby all his Estate is transferred for payments of Principal and Interest, and the same is now left at Mr. Ambrose's house, an Attorney in the Stocks Market, near the corner of Lombard street, whither all Persons concerned are desired speedily to repair to peruse and subscribe the same; the time limited for the perfecting thereof being one Month from the 21th of this Instant June, and the failure or refusal of any Creditor to subscribe the same within the said time, may be of great prejudice to all the Creditors as well as unto himself.

Lost on Sunday last, being the first of July, a black and white Spaniel Birch, all her feet white, and black mottled Spots on them, a white Blaze in her face, and her Nose Mottled black, a pretty deal of white on the top of her Tail, all white about her Neck, lost out of St. James's Park. Whosoever brings news of her to the King's Dog-keeper living in St. James's Park, shall have ten shillings reward.

Stolen on Wednesday or Thursday last out of a Ground at Handcross Cookfield in Suffex, a Sorrel Mare 14 hands high with a Star, having a wound with a Prong in the heel of her near Foot, and all her Paces, by a short Man with a mixt coloured Cantlet Coat lined, having a Scar on his right Eye-brow, his Hair black and something straight. There have also strayed or been stolen out of the Grounds of Mr. Dilk of Rufford in Essex, a brown bay Gelding 14 or 15 hands high, his Main half thorn, and a short Gallop; as likewise one Sorrel Gelding 15 or 16 hands high, his Main thorn, 9 years old, and trots and gallops foul. Whosoever shall give notice of any of the said Horses or Mare to John Davenport at the Golden Heart in West-Smith-field, London, shall receive one Guinea for a Reward for each of them.