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By the QUEEN,

A PROCLAMATION.

ANNE R.

W Hereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Our late Dear Brother King William the Third, intituled, An Act for the Attainder of the Pretended Prince of Wales of High Treason, the Person Pretended to be Prince of Wales, during the Life of the late King James, and since his Decease, pretending to be, and taking upon himself the Stile and Title of King of England, by the Name of James the Third, stands Attainted of High Treason: And whereas the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament Assembled, did, by their humble Address, beseech Us, That whenever We should Judge it Necessary, We would be Graciously pleased to Issue Our Royal Proclamation, thereby promising a Reward to any Person who should Apprehend and Bring the said Pretender to Justice, in case he should Land, or attempt to Land, either in Great Britain or Ireland, suitable to the Importance of that Service, for the Safety of Our Person, and the Security of the Protestant Succession in the House of Hanover: And by their said Address, did also humbly entreat Us, That We would insist upon, and renew Our Instances for the speedy Removing the said Pretender out of Lorrain; And notwithstanding We have since insisted upon, and renewed Our Instances, in the most pressing Manner, for that Purpose, Our Endeavours have not proved Effectual, but he still continues, and is Entertained there: And whereas We have lately received Information upon Oath, That divers Persons have, within Our Kingdom of Ireland, in open Defiance of Our Laws, been Traiterously Listed as Soldiers, under pretence of Entering into the Service of the said Pretender, and on such Pretence have been Conveyed out of Our said Kingdom of Ireland; We therefore, from a just Resentment of such Indignities and Treasonable Practices, have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy-Council, to Issue this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby Command and Require all Our Officers Civil and Military, and all other Our Loving Subjects, to use their utmost Endeavours to Apprehend the said Pretender whenever he shall Land, or attempt to Land, in Great Britain or Ireland, or any other of Our Dominions, and him being Apprehended, to carry before the next Justice of the Peace, or other Magistrate, who is hereby required to Commit him to Goal for High Treason, and thereof to give Notice immediately to One of Our Principal Secretaries of State. And for the encouraging all Persons to be Diligent and Careful in endeavouring to Apprehend the said Pretender, as aforesaid, We do hereby further Declare, That whosoever shall Apprehend the said Pretender, and bring him before some Justice of the Peace, or other Magistrate, as aforesaid, shall have and receive, as a Reward, the Sum of Five thousand Pounds, whereof Our High Treasurer, or Commissioners of Our Treasury for the Time being, are hereby required to make Payment accordingly; and if any of the Persons who shall Adhere to, or Assist the said Pretender, shall Apprehend him, as aforesaid, he or they, who shall so Apprehend him, shall have Our Gracious General

Pardon, and shall also receive the said Reward of Five thousand Pounds, to be paid in manner aforesaid.

Given at our Court at Kensington, the 21st Day of June, 1714. In the 13th Year of Our Reign.

God save the QUEEN.

Westminster, June 25. Her Majesty having granted a Commission under the Great Seal, empowering the Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord Privy Seal, and other Lords Commissioned, to Pass the Royal Assent, in Her Majesty's Absence, to some Bills agreed to by both Houses of Parliament; this Day the Lords Commissioners sent a Message to the House of Commons by Sir William Ocker, Gentleman-Usher of the Black-Rod, to desire the House to come up to the House of Peers with their Speaker, to be present at the Passing the Bills into Acts. The Speaker and the House went up accordingly, and the Lords Commissioners Passed the Royal Assent to

An Act to prevent the Growth of Schism, and for the further Security of the Churches of England and Ireland, as by Law Established.

An Act for Encouraging the Tobacco Trade.

An Act for Repairing and Amending the Highways between the Town or Village of Tittensor, and the most Northern Part of Talke on the Hill in Butt-lane, in the County of Stafford.

An Act for making more Effectual an Act passed in the 7th and 8th Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third, intituled, An Act for Erecting of Hospitals and Work-houses within the City of Bristol, for the better Employing and Maintaining the Poor thereof.

An Act for the more effectual Amending the Highways leading from Roylton, in the County of Hereford, to Wandford-bridge, in the County of Huntingdon.

And to Five Private Bills.

Petersbourg, June 2. N. S. On the 31st past the Czar's Fleet from Ritzar with his Fleet, consisting of Ninety seven Men of War of several Rates, besides a considerable Number of small Vessels, with the Land Forces, amounting to Fourteen thousand Men, on Board. The Turkish ships are first to be Conveyed to the Isles of Brossio, from whence they may sail securely along the Coasts of Finland, and join the Mulcovite Army commanded by Admiral Appaxian. His Majesty intends afterwards to turn towards Revel, in order to meet the Danish Squadron which is expected there from Copenhagen, together with Four of his own Men of War. As soon as the Czar has made this Conjunction, he is resolved to go and Attack the Swedish Fleet under the Command of Admiral Watrang.

Vienna, June 20. N. S. Their Imperial Majesties are removed from Laxembourg to the Favorita, where they intend to pass the remainder of the Summer. Some Days ago we received an express from Baden with an Account, that on the 5th Instant the Congress was opened for concluding a Peace between the Empire and France. It is said the Emperor's Plenipotentiaries are order'd not to have any Communication with Monsieur Mellared, the King of Sicily's Minister; as also not to receive any Remonstrance upon that Subject from the Ministers of other Princes. Count Tostensohn, a Swedish Officer, is arrived here from Turkey, and has been frequently in Conference with the Ministers of this Court, but it is not yet known upon what Subject. Monsieur Matueof, the Mulcovite Ambassador here, is appointed by the Czar to go with the same Character to King Augustus. The Emperor is resolved to use his Endeavours to restore Tranquility in the North, and for that purpose it is said he intends to propose a Cessation of Arms between the Princes engaged in the War. They write from Transylvania that great Diligence was used in repairing the Fortifications of the Places in that Principality, and it was believed the whole Work would be finish'd before Winter. It is reported, that the King of Sweden is set out from Demir-Tocca, in order to return through the Hereditary Countries into his own Dominions.

Hague, July 3. N. S. The States General have lately written a Letter to the most Christian King, to thank his Majesty for his good Offices in bringing the Treaty of Peace between Spain and this Republick to a Conclusion. Signor Tioni,