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Westminster, March 19.

HIS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Henry Bellen-den, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Com-mons being come thither accordingly, His Ma-jesty was pleased to give the Royal assent to,

An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain Sum of Money out of the Sinking Fund, and for applying cer-tain Vicaries, remaining in the Exchequer, for the Ser-vice of the Year, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-one.

An Act for enabling His Majesty to raise a certain Sum of Money, towards paying off, and discharging, the Debt of the Navy, and towards Naval Services, for the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-one; and for allowing further Time for making Affi-davits of the Execution of Articles, or Contracts, of Clerks to Attornies, or Solicitors, and filing thereof.

An Act for enabling His Majesty to raise the Sum of One Million, for the Uses and Purposes therein mention-ed, and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament, and for exempting any Annuities, or Sums of Money, granted, or to be granted, to the Royal Family, from the Payment of Taxes.

An Act for rendering more effectual the Provisions in an Act made in the Twelfth and Thirteenth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third, intituled, An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown, and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject, relating to the Commissions and Salaries of Judges.

An Act to continue the Duties for Encouragement of the Coinage of Money.

An Act for applying the Money, granted in this Ses-sion of Parliament, towards defraying the Charge of the Pay of the Militia of that Part of Great Britain called England, when unembodied, and of the Cloathing of the Part of the said Militia now unembodied, for one Year, beginning the 25th Day of March, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-one.

An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

An Act for the better Preservation of the Game, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland; and for repealing Part of an Act, passed in the 24th Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for the better Preservation of the Game in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

An Act for repairing the Parish Church of Croydon, in the County of Surrey.

An Act for amending and widening the Road, from the Town of Stone, to Wordsley Green Gate, and from the West End of Bilston-street in Wolverhampton, to the High-street opposite to the Old Bush in Dudley, and from a Place called Burnt Tree near Dudley, to Bir-ningham, and from the Market Cross in Wolverhampton to Cannock, in the Counties of Stafford, Worcester, and Warwick.

An Act for rendering more effectual several Acts passed in the Tenth Year of Her late Majesty Queen Anne, in the Eleventh Year of His late Majesty King George the First, and in the Eleventh Year of His late Majesty King George the Second, for enlarging, amending, and main-taining the Road from Dartford to Northfleet and Graves-end, and from Gravesend to Chalk, and from Northfleet to Chalk, and from thence to the Stones End near the Parish Church of Strood in the County of Kent.

[Price Six-Pence.]

An Act for amending and widening the Roads from the Turnpike Road, upon Gatherley Moor, in the County of York, to Staindrop in the County of Durham, and from the said Turnpike Road near Smallways, across the River Tees, to Winston in the said County of Dur-ham, and for building a Bridge over the said River, at or near Winston Ford.

An Act for repairing and amending the Road leading from Whitecross, in the Parish of Leven in Holderness, in the East Riding of the County of York, to the Town of Beverley in the said County.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from the Borough of Appleby in the County of Westmorland, through the Township of Orton, to Kirby Kendal, and from Orton to the Turnpike Road near Shapp, and from Highgate, near Tebay, in a Part of the Highway be-tween Appleby and Kirby Kendal, through the Town of Kirby Steven, to the Town of Market Brough in the said County.

An Act for continuing so much of an Act passed in the Thirteenth Year of King George the Second, intituled, An Act for making more effectual two Acts of Parliam-ent passed in the Seventh and Tenth Years of her late Majesty Queen Anne, for preserving and enlarging the Harbour of Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland, and for repairing and amending the High Roads leading to the said Harbour and Town of Whitehaven, as relates to the Preserving and Enlarging of the said Harbour.

And to Twenty-two Private Acts.

After which His Majesty was pleased to make the following most gracious Speech.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I Cannot put an End to this Session, without de-claring My entire Satisfaction in Your Proceedings during the Course of it. The Zeal you have shewn for the Honour of My Crown, as well as for My true Interest, and that of your Country, which are ever the same, is the clearest Demonstration of that Duty and Affection to my Person and Government, of which you so unanimously assured Me at your First Meeting. Nothing could so much add to the Pleasure which these Considerations afford Me, as that I am now able to acquaint you with the great Progress made of late by the Combined Army in Germany, under the Command of Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick. I formerly told you, That the Na-ture of the War, in those Parts, had kept the Cam-paign still depending; and it now appears, to the Surprise of my Enemies, that the superior Ability and indefatigable Activity of My General, and the Spirit and Ardour of My Officers and Troops, have greatly profited of this Perseverance, notwithstanding all the Difficulties arising from the Season.

By your Assistance, I have taken the best Care to recruit that Army in an effectual Manner; and have made such a Disposition of My Fleet for the next Summer, as may most advantageously defend My Kingdoms; protect the Commerce of My Subjects; maintain and extend Our Possessions, and Acquisi-tions; and annoy the Enemy.

As in all My Measures I have nothing in View but the Security and Felicity of My Dominions, the Sup-port of My Allies, and the Restoring of the Publick Tranquility, I trust in the Divine Providence, to give a happy Issue to Our farther Operations.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I cannot sufficiently thank you for your Unani-mity, and Dispatch, in providing for the Expences of My Civil Government, and the Honour and Digni-ty of the Crown: And I think Myself as much obliged to you, for the prudent Use, which in fram-ing that Provision, you have made of my Consent