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By the KING,

## A PROCLAMATION,

*For Recalling and Prohibiting Seamen from serving Foreign Princes and States: For giving Encouragement to Seamen and able-bodied Landmen to enter themselves on Board His Majesty's Ships of War; and for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves.*

GEORGE R.

**W**HEREAS We are informed, that great Numbers of Mariners and Seafaring Men, Our natural-born Subjects, are in the Service of divers Foreign Princes and States, to the Prejudice of Our Kingdom: And whereas Our Service doth, at this Time, require a speedy Supply of Seamen and Seafaring Men, to Mann such of Our Ships as are now ready to be Commissioned, We have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy-Council, to publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby strictly charge and command all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever and wheresoever, (being our natural-born Subjects) who are in the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or do serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel, that forthwith they, and every of them, do (according to their known and bounden Duty and Allegiance) withdraw themselves, depart from, and quit such Foreign Services, and return Home to their native Countries. And farther, We do hereby strictly prohibit and forbid all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever, (being Our natural-born Subjects) from entering, and do charge and command them, and every of them, from henceforth, to forbear to enter themselves into the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or to serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel whatsoever, without our special Licence first had and obtained in that Behalf; to all which We expect due Obedience, and exact Conformity. And We do hereby publish and declare, That the Offenders to the contrary shall not only incur Our just Displeasure, but be proceeded against for their Contempt, according to the utmost Severities of the Law. And We do hereby declare, That if any such Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, or other Seafaring Men, (being Our Subjects) shall be taken in any Foreign Service, by the Turks, Algerines, or any others, that they shall not be reclaimed by Us, as Subjects of Great Britain. And whereas it is Our Royal Intention to give all due Encouragement to all such Seamen, Seafaring Men, and able-bodied Landmen, who shall voluntarily enter themselves in Our Service, We do hereby promise and declare, That the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be paid to every such Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who shall, on or before the Twelfth Day of September next, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in Our Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of Our Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board such Tenders as shall be employed for raising Men, for the Service of Our Royal Navy; and also, that a Bounty of Thirty Shillings be paid to every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years,

who shall, on or before the said Twelfth Day of September next, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in Our Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of Our Ships, or the Chief Officers on board such Tenders, as shall be employed for raising Men for the Service of Our Royal Navy; and that such respective Sums be paid to all such Seamen and Landmen, upon their being brought on Board Our Ships at any of Our Dock Yards in England, by the Clerks of the Cheque; or upon their being put on Board any Ship or Vessel, appointed to receive Men at Leith or Greenock in Scotland, or at Dublin or Corke in Ireland, by the Captains or Commanders of the Ships or Vessels, whereinto such Seamen and Landmen shall be put, or by the Sea Officer employed in raising Men on Shore. And for Prevention of any Abuses by any Persons leaving the Ships or Vessels to which they shall belong, and entering themselves on Board any other Our Ships or Vessels, in order to obtain the said Bounty-Money; We do hereby declare and command, That such Seamen or Landmen, belonging to any of Our Ships or Vessels, as shall absent themselves from any of the said Ships or Vessels to which they shall belong, and enter themselves on Board any other of Our Ships or Vessels, in order to obtain the said Bounty, shall not only lose the Wages due to them in the Ships or Vessels they shall leave, but also be severely punished according to their Demerits. And We do hereby further promise and declare, That a Reward of Two Pounds for every Able, and Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, shall be paid to any Person who shall discover any Seaman or Seamen, who may secret themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen shall be taken for Our said Service, on or before the said Twelfth Day of September next, by any of Our Sea Officers employed for Raising Men: The said Rewards to be paid for any Seaman or Seamen so discovered and taken in and about London, by the Principal Officers and Commissioners of Our Navy; and, at the Out Ports, by the Naval Officers, where there are any; and where there are no Naval Officers, by the Collectors of Our Customs, immediately on a Certificate being produced to the said Principal Officers and Commissioners of Our Navy, Naval Officers, or Collectors of Our Customs respectively, by the Person who may make Discovery of any Seaman or Seamen as aforesaid, certifying his Name, and the Name or Names, and Number of Seamen procured in Consequence of his Discovery; and the said Certificate to be given by such Officer as may take such Seaman or Seamen for Our Service.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the 22d Day of July, 1761, in the First Year of Our Reign,  
GOD Save the KING.

St. James's, August 8.

The three following Addresses have been transmitted to the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Pitt, and presented to His Majesty: Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent-Majesty,

The humble Address of the Assembly of Jamaica.

Most gracious Sovereign,

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Assembly of this your Majesty's Island of Jamaica, do, with the utmost Reluctance, renew your Majesty's Grief, by calling to Mind the

great

great Loss your Majesty and your loyal People have sustained by the Death of your Royal Grandfather, whose Longevity was crowned with Glory: But, actuated by a tender and grateful Remembrance of the many Blessings we enjoyed under His mild and auspicious Reign; a Reign that will be ever celebrated, and shine conspicuous in the Rolls of Fame, we should be deficient in our Duty to your Majesty, as well as wanting to ourselves, did we omit condoling with your Majesty on this melancholy Occasion.

From the same Principles of Duty, Affection, and Attachment, to your Royal Person, give us Leave, Sir, to congratulate your Majesty's Accession to the Throne of your Ancestors. From your Majesty's known Disposition and Goodness of Heart, we rest assured, that no Opportunity of promoting the Happiness and Prosperity of a great and free People, will be suffered to pass unimproved, by a Prince that glories in the Name of Briton.

Though it is our Misfortune to be situated at so remote a Distance from your Royal Presence, permit us, Sir, to assure you, that our Wishes are as warm, and Prayers as fervent, for your Majesty's Safety and Preservation, as those that arise in your own Court.

May your Majesty continue to reign in the Hearts and Affections of your People, and long live the Guardian of their Rights! May your Majesty acquire and accumulate Glory, and long live the Admiration of the World!

Passed the Assembly the 2d Day of April 1761.

*Ch. Price, Speaker.*

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of His Majesty's Council and the General Assembly of the Province of New Jersey.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Council and General Assembly of the Colony of New Jersey, beg Leave, in the sincerest Manner, to condole with your Majesty on the Death of your Royal Grandfather, our late glorious and much lamented Sovereign, whose Benevolence and Fatherly Care, with Gratitude, we acknowledge to have been as extensive as his Dominions. Deeply sensible, Sir, of the Protection we have lost, your eminent and early Virtues administer immediate Consolation; and we see your Majesty's Accession to the Imperial Crown of your Realms, with that Degree of Joy, that the most fortunate Event can inspire in so general a Calamity; most humbly beseeching your Majesty to accept the united and cordial Congratulations of this your Colony, as the unfeigned Tender of our Affection and firm Attachment to your Royal Person and Government.

By Order of the Council,  
*Rob. H. Morris, Pres.*  
By Order of the General Assembly,  
*Samuel Nevill.*

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lieutenant Governor, Council, and Burgesses of Virginia.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E your Majesty's ever loyal and faithful Subjects, the Lieutenant Governor, Council, and Burgesses of Virginia, having a just Sense of the great Loss we have sustained by the Death of our late Sovereign King George the Second, of blessed Memory, humbly beg Leave, in the most dutiful Manner, to condole with your Majesty on this melancholy Occasion.

It would only aggravate our Sorrow to enumerate the Virtues of your Royal Grandfather. The Duty we owe to your Majesty and our Country, obliges us to moderate our Grief, and heartily to congratulate your Majesty upon your Accession to the Throne of your Royal Ancestors: An Event that affords us the most pleasing, unbounded Prospect of the Continu-

ance of every Blessing to us, and our Posterity, that can be desired by a free People.

Your Majesty's most gracious and solemn Declaration, to make it the Business of your Life to promote, in every Thing, the Glory and Happiness of your Kingdoms, to preserve and strengthen the Constitution both in Church and State, must warm the Heart of every Briton. The present Generation will more immediately feel the Effects of this paternal Declaration, but the beneficial Consequences of it must be transmitted to Generations yet unborn. With what Pleasure may we from hence extend our View, and anticipate the future Glories of your Majesty's Reign!

This Instance of your Majesty's great Goodness to your People, cannot fail of meeting with all imaginable Returns of Duty and Loyalty.

We beg Leave on our Parts to assure your Majesty of our inviolable Fidelity, and unalterable Attachment to your Person and Government; and we implore the Divine Providence, that your Majesty's Reign over us may be long and happy, and that the Imperial Crown of Great Britain may continue in your illustrious House till Time shall be no more.

The following Address of the Presbyterian Ministers of the Northern Association in Ireland, having been transmitted to his Excellency the Earl of Lifford, Lord Lieutenant of the Kingdom of Ireland, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Presbyterian Ministers of the Northern Association in Ireland.

*May it please your Majesty,*

**W**ITH Hearts full of Veneration for the Memory of your Royal Grandfather, under whose auspicious Reign these Nations enjoyed many invaluable Blessings, we, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Presbyterian Ministers of the Northern Association in Ireland, take this first Opportunity of our annual Meeting, to congratulate your Majesty on your happy Accession to the Throne of your Ancestors; and to express our unfeigned Affection, and inviolable Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government.

When we behold a Prince of the House of Hanover, again ascending the Throne of these Kingdoms, a Prince so happily endowed by Nature, formed by Education, and so early distinguished by his Abilities for Government, and a paternal Love of his People, the highest Sentiments of Reverence and Esteem possess our Hearts, and the most pleasing and joyful Prospects rise to our View.

Your Majesty's seasonable Proclamation for the Suppression of Vice and Immorality, and the Encouragement of Virtue, must endear you to all good Men; and enforced by so great an Example, must have a most salutary and extensive Influence, and draw down the Blessing of Heaven upon your Reign.

The Royal Assurances, so graciously and freely given, that you will support our present happy Constitution; the tender Regard your Majesty has been pleased to express for the Rights of Conscience; and your Resolution to maintain the Toleration inviolable, have greatly added to all former Ties of Duty and Gratitude, and laid us, as Protestant Dissenters, under peculiar Obligations.

For these, and other Testimonies, of your Royal Goodness and Favour, the most suitable Return, which Persons in our Situation can make is, a most assiduous Care to propagate just Sentiments of Piety and social Virtue, and to inculcate Principles of the strictest Fidelity and Attachment to your Majesty's Person, Family and Government; by which Conduct, it shall always be our highest Ambition to merit the Continuance of your Royal Countenance and Protection.

Your Majesty's Protestant Dissenting Subjects in the North of Ireland are a numerous Body; the main Strength of the Protestant Interest in this Part of the Kingdom; of well-known and distinguished

Zeal.

Zeal for the Succession in your illustrious House : And as our Ancestors in Times of Danger, have ever been ready to sacrifice their Lives and Fortunes in its Defence and Support, we beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that nothing shall be wanting on our Part, to cherish and cultivate the same loyal and hereditary Spirit.

Permit us, great Sir, with the rest of our Fellow Subjects, in the sincerest and warmest Manner, to congratulate your Majesty on your late important Conquest of Belleisle, which has reflected so much Lustre on the Beginning of your Reign.

That in the Prosecution of this just and necessary War, the Lord of Hosts, to whom Victory belongeth, may crown your Arms with still greater and more remarkable Success, until your Enemies are brought to listen to just and honourable Terms of Peace : That your Majesty may long live to be the darling and happy Prince of an affectionate and loyal People, the Ornament and Support of the Protestant Interest, and the Guardian of the Rights and Liberties of Mankind, is, and shall be, the earnest Prayer of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most dutiful, most faithful, and most loyal Subjects, the Ministers of the Presbyterian Denomination of the Northern Association in Ireland.

Subscribed in our Name, at Londonderry,  
July 4, 1761, by

*Alex. McComb.*

*Copy of a Letter from Eschwege, July 21, 1761.*  
Colonel Freytag having marched the 19th from Eimbeck to Langerhausen, with Three Brigades of Chasseurs, he detached on the 19th the Captains Kampen and Engell, with 100 Horse, towards Fuld, in order to divert the Enemy in that Quarter.

This Detachment marched for that Purpose, at Day-break, from Langerhausen. Being arrived at Allendorf, they passed the Werra about Noon, and posted themselves in a Wood at a League's Distance from Rothenbourg, where they took, on the 20th, Three French Commissaries, and set Fire to some Boats laden with Flour and Oats.

Captain Engell set out with 80 Horse to destroy the Enemy's Magazines at Hirschfeldt : He met in his Way 26 Boats laden with Flour, Oats, Balls, Bombs, and 240 Barrels of Powder, which he threw into the River Fulde, and set Fire to the Boats.

According to the Advices he had, the Garrison of Hirschfeldt was supposed to consist only of 200 Men, which induced Captain Engell to make his Dispositions (after having cut his Way through the Guard) for attacking the Place.

Some Grenadiers and Hussars appearing in those Parts, in the Evening the Commandant had doubled the Guard, and the Picquet, posted at the Gates of the Town. He had also ordered 60 Dragoons from Muehlen, who arrived at Hirschfeldt about Three in the Morning. Notwithstanding this, Captain Engell caused the Gate to be forced by a Lieutenant, who cut his Way through the Guard, and penetrated into the City ; but finding the Enemy's Infantry very alert, and that they fired upon him briskly about the Houses, he was obliged to retire. Captain Engell attacked at the same Time the Picquet, which Office and 30 Men threw themselves into a Back which was thatched with Straw, and served as an Office to the Keepers of their Magazines. Captain Engell summoned, at several Times, that Party to surrender, and to lay down their Arms, which they, refusing to do, he set Fire to the Barrack, and cut all the Picquet to Pieces, except four Men, to whom his People gave Quarter. Five Men, who remained too long in the Barrack, perished there, as well as the Store-keeper, and his Office, according to the Prisoners Report. Captain Engell having got rid of the Picquet, and meeting with no other Obstacle, caused the Hay, lodged along the Fulde, to be set on Fire ; and likewise about 20 Links of burning Pitch, to be fastened to the Sacks of Meal and Oats. This Fire communicated itself to many Barrels of Powder, (of which there was a great

Quantity on the Bank of the River) and blew them up. If Captain Engell had had a greater Force, he would have been able to have thrown many thousand Bombs, and large Balls, into the River.

The whole Loss, attending this Expedition, consisted only in one Horse, and one Man wounded in the Hand, by a Thrust of a Bayonet. On the other Hand, he made Prisoners 14 Men, one Commissary of War named Monferant, one *Commis*, two Lieutenants, and Lieutenant Colonel Stutterheim, of the Saxon Regiment of Prince Joseph ; all which he brought off with him. He rejoined Captain Kampen at Heimbach, from whence they set out together, arrived here on the 21st, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning, and were to repass the Werra at Two o'Clock. That Detachment having marched 19 German Miles and an half in 48 Hours, the Horses could not be but extremely fatigued.

*Brunswick, July 24.* We received Yesterday the disagreeable News of Prince Henry being dangerously wounded in an Attack on the Post of Runen the 21st in the Evening.

The Enemy have again re-occupied the Posts which they had abandoned of Beverungen and Hoxter.

*Düsseldorf, July 30.* Thirty Ovens have been built at Radingen for the Use of Prince Soubize's Army, after having detached 34 Battalions, two Piquets of Joigny, 200 Men of the Brigade of Pelletier, with 24 Pieces of Cannon, and 44 Squadrons, besides the Hussars of Chamborant, to reinforce Marshal Broglie, and to enable him to act offensively. Prince Soubize's Army passed the Roer, and arrived at Herdingen, where the Head Quarters were the 29th ; but the Army was to march the next Day.

*Cologne, July 31.* The Prince of Soubize had his Head Quarters the 29th at Herdingen ; but his Army was to march Yesterday or To-day to Hattingen, from thence to Doelbourg or Dorstein, most probably the former, to be nearer his Magazines.

*Hamburg, July 31.* According to the Advices received here from Magdebourg, nothing of any Consequence had as yet passed in Silesia to the 24th Instant ; however, the News of a Battle was hourly expected.

The Swedes having passed the River Peene the 21st Instant, have made themselves Masters of the Town of Demmin ; but the Prussians, under the Command of Colonel Belling, maintain themselves still at Malchin.

*St. James's, August 5.*

This Day Hasfen Bey, Ambassador from Tripoly, had an Audience of His Majesty, to deliver his new Credential Letters.

To which he was introduced by the Right Honourable William Pitt, Esq; one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

*Admiralty Office, August 5.*

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the 26th Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information hath been sent to this Office, That on the 22d of last Month, the Ship Three Brothers, of Weymouth, Thomas Reynolds, Master, laden with Coals from Sunderland, bound to Weymouth, having sprung a Leak between the Floating and Winterton Light, made so much Water, that the Master was obliged, in order to save the Lives of the People on Board, to order her to be put on Shore on the Cockle Sand near Yarmouth, where she is entirely lost.

*J. Cleveland.*

*Victualling Office, August 3, 1761.*

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 24th Instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, sealed up, from such Persons as may be willing to contract to serve His Majesty's Navy with British Butter, Cheshire, Gloucester and Warwickshire Cheese, or Cheese of equal Goodness, for one Year, commencing the 30th of September next. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London.

General Post Office, June 1761.

His Majesty's Post-Master General, for the further Improvement of Correspondence, having been pleased to order, that Letters and Packets shall for the future, be carried Six Days in every Week, instead of Three, as at present, between London and the several following Towns, viz. Caxton, Huntingdon, Stilton, Stamford, Coltelworth, Grantham, Newark, Tuxford, Worlop, Bawtry, Doncaster, Howden, Rawcliff, Thorne, Hull, Ferrybridge, Wakefield, Leeds, Bradford, Halifax, Tadcaster, York, Easingwold, Thirk, Northallerton, Darlington, Durham, Newcastle, Barnards-Castle, Brough, Penrith, Kewick, Cockermouth, Whitehaven, Carlisle, Daventry, Coventry, Mansfield, Chesterfield, Sheffield, Rotherham, Barnsley, Huthersfield, Wigan, Chorley, Preston, Garstang, Lancaster, Burton, Kendal, and Appleby.

And likewise for the further Improvement of the National Correspondence, to erect and establish the following New Cross Road Posts, namely, betwixt Newcastle upon Tyne, Whitehaven and Carlisle, through Durham, Darlington, Barnards-Castle, Brough, Appleby, Penrith, Kewick, Cockermouth, and Workington, by which the Correspondence of those Towns with each other, as well as with the Great North Road, and with Cambridge, Newmarket, Bury, Thetford, Lynn, and Norwich, may be carried on six Times a Week.

Also a new Cross Road Branch betwixt York and Manchester, through Tadcaster, Wakefield, Leeds, Bradford, Halifax, and Rochdale, by which the Correspondence of that Part of the Great North Road, lying North of Ferrybridge, with all Parts of Lancashire, may likewise be carried on six Times a Week. And their Correspondence with Cheshire, Staffordshire, Birmingham, and Coventry in Warwickshire, considerably quickened and improved.

Also a new Cross Road Branch betwixt Sheffield and Doncaster, through Rotherham, by which the Correspondence of Sheffield with Hull, and all Parts of the Great North Road as well as with Cambridge, Newmarket, Bury, Thetford, Lynn, and Norwich, may be carried on six Times a Week.

Also a new Cross Road Branch from Sheffield to Rochdale, through Barnsley, Huthersfield, Eiland, and Halifax, by which means the Correspondence of Sheffield, Chesterfield, Mansfield and Nottingham, with Manchester, Warrington, Liverpool, and all Parts of Lancashire, may be carried on six Times a Week; and their Correspondence with Cheshire, Staffordshire, and Birmingham in Warwickshire, considerably quickened and improved.

Also a new Cross Road and Branch from Derby, through the Peacock Inn to Chesterfield, by which the Correspondence of Derby with Chesterfield, Sheffield, Rotherham, Doncaster, and all the Great North Road (North of Doncaster) as well as with Barnsley, Huthersfield, Halifax, Rochdale, Manchester, Warrington, Liverpool, and all Parts of Lancashire, will be considerably quickened and improved.

Also new Cross Road Stages from Ferrybridge to Wakefield, from Wakefield to Leeds, and from Ferrybridge to Leeds, by which the Correspondence betwixt all Parts of the North Road, South of Ferrybridge, as well as Cambridge, Newmarket, Bury, Thetford, Lynn, and Norwich, with Wakefield, Leeds, Bradford, Halifax, Rochdale, Manchester, Warrington, Liverpool, and all Parts of Lancashire, may be carried on six Times a Week. And the Correspondence of all Parts of the North Road, North of Newark, with Cheshire, Staffordshire, Birmingham, and Coventry in Warwickshire, will be considerably quickened and improved.

Also a new Cross Road Stage betwixt Cambridge and Caxton, by which Means the Correspondence of the Great North Road, as well as all Parts of Lancashire, with Cambridge, Newmarket, Bury, Thetford, Lynn, and Norwich, may also be carried on six Times a Week.

Also a new Cross Road Stage betwixt Nottingham and Newark, by which the Correspondence of Nottingham, Mansfield, Chesterfield, Loughborough, Leicester, Harborough, and Northampton, with the great North Road, and with Cambridge, Newmarket,

Bury, Thetford, Lynn, and Norwich, may likewise be carried on Six Times a Week.

Also a new Cross Road Stage betwixt Appleby and Kendall, by which the Correspondence of Whitehaven, Cockermouth, Carlisle, Penrith, Appleby, and all Parts of Cumberland and Westmorland, with all Parts of Lancashire, may be carried on Six Times a Week; and their Correspondence with Cheshire, Staffordshire, and Warwickshire, considerably quickened and improved.

Also a new Cross Road Stage betwixt Birmingham and Coventry, by which the Correspondence of Coventry and Daventry, with Birmingham, Wolverhampton, Sheffnal, Shrewsbury, Stone, Namptwich, Chester, Warrington, Liverpool, Manchester, and all Parts of Lancashire, Westmorland, and Cumberland, may be carried on Six Times a Week; and their Correspondence with Northampton, Harborough, Leicester, Loughborough, Derby, and Nottingham, considerably quickened and improved.

Also a new Cross Road Branch betwixt Salisbury, Portsmouth, and Gosport, through Stockbridge, and Winchester, by which the Correspondence of Portsmouth, Gosport, Winchester, Southampton, and the Isle of Wight, with Plymouth, Exeter, and all Parts of Cornwall, Devonshire, and Dorsetshire, as well as with Bristol, Bath, Devizes, Melksham, Bradford, Trowbridge, and Salisbury, will be considerably quickened and improved.

And having also been pleased to order, that the Mail betwixt Chesterfield and Manchester, shall for the future pass from Tickwell through Buxton, to Stockport, instead of passing through Chapple in Frith, as it does at present.

Public Notice is hereby given, That these several additional Conveyances, Improvements, and Regulations, will commence on Monday the 6th of July next.

And whereas great Numbers of Letters have hitherto been privately collected and delivered; as well in these as in other Parts of the Kingdom, contrary to Law, to the great Prejudice of the Revenue of the Post-Office; Notice is likewise hereby given, That all Carriers, Coachmen, Watermen, Wherry-men, Dispensers of Country News-Papers, and all other Persons whatsoever, hereafter detected in the illegal collecting, conveying, or delivering of Letters, will be prosecuted with the utmost Severity.

N. B. The Penalty is FIVE POUNDS for every Letter collected or delivered contrary to Law; and ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for every Week this Practice is continued.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,  
Henry Potts, Secretary.

Heralds Office, August 7, 1761.

HAVING received an Order from the Right Honourable the Earl of Effingham, Deputy Earl Marshal, to return a List of all the Peeresses who may claim to attend at the Coronation of a Queen; and it being impossible, by any other Means than this, to obtain a List in due Time, I am therefore obliged to request the Favour of all such Peeresses, and Dowager Peeresses, to send their Christian Names and Titles to the Heralds Office as soon as conveniently may be.

Steph. Martin Leake, Garter.

N. B. None have a Right to walk in the Procession as Dowagers, who have married again since the Death of their Lords.

Office of Works, August 6, 1761.

HIS Majesty's Board of Works having received an Order from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee appointed to consider of His Majesty's Coronation, to survey all Scaffolds and Places (for the Safety and Security of His Majesty's Subjects) already made for Spectators, as well as those not yet begun; and also to take Care no Encroachment be made in those Streets and Places where the Procession is to pass: The Board of Works, in Obedience to the said Order, give Notice to all Persons concerned, to take the greatest Care that the said Scaffolds be erected in such Places, and in such Manner, as may render them perfectly secure, or they will be obliged to have them taken down, according to the Directions given by their Lordships in the said Order of Council.

J. Ware, Secretary.

Victualling Office, July 6, 1761.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 14th of August next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclinable to undertake the Victualling such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as shall arrive at Yarmouth in Norfolk, and be in Want of Provisions. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Yarmouth.

Custom-House, London, August 7, 1761.

The Receiver-General of His Majesty's Customs gives Notice, That he shall be ready, on the 17th of August Instant, and the four following usual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn-Debitures that became due between the 3d of June 1761, exclusive, and the 18th of the same Month, inclusive, without Interest.

The said Receiver-General gives this farther Notice, That in Case any of the said Debitures shall remain unpaid for Want of being tendered for Payment on one of the five Days above-mentioned, that no Interest will be paid thereon.

Navy Office, August 7, 1761.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half Pay to Sea Officers from the 1st of July to the 31st of December 1760, according to His Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf; These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, on Monday the 24th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, and continued the following Day, beginning at the same Hour, (after which the Lists will be recalled once a Month) that all Persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable unto them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid their Half Pay, but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to His present Majesty; and in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

Equivalent House, August 5, 1761.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Warnford Court, Throgmorton Street, London, on Wednesday the 16th Day of September next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, being the annual General Court appointed by the Charter. James Mathias, Secretary.

Trinity House, August 5, 1761.

Whereas a Shoal is grown in the Channel between the two Westermost Buoys of the Spell and Last Sands, having but six or seven Feet Water on it at Spring Tides, and runs almost directly across from Buoy to Buoy, and lays near North and South, in Length about Ninety Fathoms, and very narrow:

Notice is hereby given, That a Floating Beacon will be immediately laid on the South End of that Shoal, that Ships may pass between it and the Westermost Buoy of the Last without danger.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship the Tartar, Thomas Baillie, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the taking the Maria Victoire, a French Privateer, that they will be paid their respective Shares of a second Distribution, on Monday the 17th Day of this Month, at the Exeter Inn at Plymouth, or on their applying to John Lloyd, Esq; of His Majesty's Yard there. The Recalls for three Years to come at said Place.

Victualling Office, August 7, 1761.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 24th Instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for Oxen for fresh Meat, for His Majesty's Ships at Portsmouth, for three Months, commencing the 1st of September next, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

### Dr. ANDERSON'S, or The Famous SCOTS PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inglish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epfom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt issued against Seth Ward, late of Burton upon Trent in the County of Stafford, Merchant, intend to meet on the 18th of August Instant, at Five o'Clock precisely in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at which Time two undivided Sixth Parts of a Freehold Estate of the said Bankrupt, at Willian in Hertfordshire, (the whole Estate being of the yearly Rent of 161. or thereabouts) will be sold before the said Commissioners to the best Bidder. Particulars may be had at Mr. Heaton's in Thread Needle Street.

THE Creditors of Barrows Smith, formerly of Old Fish Street, London, but late of Dorset Court in Chancery Lane, Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, discharged out of the King's Bench Prison, at the last General Quarter Sessions of the Peace holden for the County of Surry, by Virtue of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, are desired to meet at the King's Head Tavern at the Corner of Chancery Lane, London, on Friday the 14th Day of August Instant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of his Estate and Effects.

THE Creditors, as well joint as separate, of John Birtles, and Herbert Norton, and Robert Henry Larpent, late of Hatten Garden, Merchants, now Bankrupts, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next the 12th Instant, at the King's Arms Tavern in Cornhill, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to take into Consideration several Affairs relating to, and Proposals to be made concerning the Bankrupts Estates. And it is requested they will be punctual.

THE Creditors of Martha Dodd, late of the Parish of East Greenwich in the County of Kent, Widow, discharged out of His Majesty's Prison of the King's Bench, as a Prisoner there for Debt, by Virtue of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, are desired to meet on Tuesday the 18th Day of August Instant, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at the House of Mr. Thompson, known by the Sign of the King's Arms at South End in the County of Kent, for the Choice of one or more Assignee or Assignees of her Estate and Effects, pursuant to the said Act.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Martin, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Linnendrapery, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Friday the 28th of August Instant, at the Half Moon Tavern in Cheap-side, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also compounding and submitting to Arbitration, and otherwise agreeing any Matter in Dispute relating thereto, and upon other special Matters.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Beazley, late of the Parish of St. Ann Lime House, in the County of Middlesex, Sugar Baker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 18th Day of this Instant August, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same; and all Persons who have made any Claims under the said Commission, are to come prepared to make out the same, or they will be disallowed, and be excluded from all Benefit out of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Biggs, of Chertsey in the County of Surry, Butcher, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, did meet on Tuesday the 4th of August Instant, (pursuant to Notice given in the London Gazette on Saturday the 11th of July last) in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when the said Dividend was adjourned till Friday the 14th of August Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Rolls Coffee House in Chancery Lane, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Andrew Peter Du Pont, of Bucklersbury, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 18th of August Instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Green and Robert Green, both of Leeds in the County of York, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 4th of September next, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Richard Cookes, being the Sign of the King's Arms in Leeds aforesaid, in order to make a third Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Webster, of Sheffield in the County of York, Druggist, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 8th Day of September next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Enchmarch and Francis Enchmarch, of Tiverton in the County of Devon, Merchants and Partners, have certified to the Right Hon. Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Richard Enchmarch and Francis Enchmarch have in all Things conformed themselves according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, their Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of August Instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Holt, late of Peasmarsh in the County of Suffex, Dealer in Timber and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Holt hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of August Instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Tozer, of the City of Exeter, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Tozer hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of August Instant.

**T**HE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printers of the LONDON GAZETTE, to be inserted

in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

**W**HEREAS Thomas Padder, formerly of St. Margaret Westminster, late of White Fryars, in the Precinct of White Fryars, in the Ward of Farrington Without, Parson, is now a Prisoner in the Poultry Compter, London, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next General or Quarter Session of the Peace to be held in and for the City of London, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, to Compel the said Thomas Padder to deliver into Court upon Oath, and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 7th Day of August 1761.

*Samuel Anderton.*

**W**HEREAS Joseph Fidler, who formerly lodged at Mr. Ryley's, a Chandler's Shop in Theobald's Row Holborn, and afterwards lodged at Mr. Nicholson's, an Alehouse, the Sign of the Duke of Bedford's Head in King Street Bloombury, and lately lodged at Mr. Davis's, an Alehouse, the Sign of the Castle and Falcon in High Holborn, Coachman, is now a Prisoner in the Poultry Compter in the City of London, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said City of London, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, to Compel the said Joseph Fidler to deliver into Court upon Oath, and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 7th Day of August, 1761.

*Elizabeth Mitford.*

**W**HEREAS Henry Milbank, late of Mile End Old Town, in the Parish of Stepney, Wheeler, is now a Prisoner in the Poultry Compter, London, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, or any Adjournment thereof, to be held at Guildhall in and for the City of London, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, to Compel the said Henry Milbank to deliver into Court, upon Oath, and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 7th Day of August, 1761.

*Gladwin Batsford.*

**W**HEREAS George Freeman, late of Luton in the County of Bedford, Grocer, is now a Prisoner in His Majesty's Goal at Bedford, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held by Adjournment in and for the said County of Bedford, at the Swan Inn in Bedford aforesaid, on Tuesday the First Day of September next, to Compel the said George Freeman to deliver into Court upon Oath, and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 4th Day of August, 1761.

*John Hill.*

**W**HEREAS Jacob Bright, formerly of London, late of Honiton, in the County of Devon, Scrivener, is now a Prisoner in the Sheriff's Ward or Prison in the Parish of St. Thomas the Apostle, in and for the said County of Devon, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next Adjournment of the General or Quarter Session of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Devon, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, to Compel the said Jacob Bright to deliver into Court, upon Oath, and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 7th Day of August, 1761.

*John Kent.*

**WHEREAS** William Peartree, late of Witham in the County of Essex, Butcher, is now a Prisoner in His Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, and charged in Execution therein at my Suit; I do hereby give Notice, that I intend, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the City of London, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, to Compel the said William Peartree to deliver into Court upon Oath and subscribe a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. Witness my Hand the 5th Day of August, 1761.

*Thomas Brittain.*

**PURSUANT** to the late Act of Parliament passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, I Edward Ma Gurk do hereby give Notice, that I intend to Compel Dennis Kelly, late of Wardour Street Soho, in Parish of St. Ann, in the Liberty of Westminster, and County of Middlesex, Gentleman, who is now a Prisoner in His Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, and charged in Execution at my Suit, to subscribe and deliver into Court upon Oath, a Schedule of all his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of his Creditors, before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the City of London, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, of which the rest of his Creditors are to take Notice. Witness my Hand the 3d Day of August, 1761.

*Edward Ma Gurk.*

**THE** following Persons being Prisoners for Debt, in the respective Prisons, or Goals, hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors*, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Division, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after **THIRTY** Days from the **FIRST** Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

**Prisoners in His Majesty's Prison of the FLEET.**

**First Notice.**

Stephen Pierfene, formerly of Francis Court, in the Parish of St. John Clerkenwell, late of Cow Cross, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre, London, Watch Engraver.

**Second Notice.**

Edward Dilke, formerly of Plymouth in the County of Devon, late of Horsley-down, Southwark, in the County of Surry, Dealer in Cyder.

Teresa Hands, formerly of Burleigh Street in the Strand, late of Bridges Street, in the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden, both in the County of Middlesex, Spinster.

**Third Notice.**

Joseph Wessells, late of St. Mary Ax, Leadenhall Street, London, Apothecary.

James Farnsworth, formerly of the Parish of Christ Church in the County of Surry, late of Bridewell Precinct, London, Weaver.

**Prisoner in the KING's BENCH Prison, in the County of Surry.**

**First Notice.**

Henry Clark, formerly of Aldergate Street, in the Parish of St. Botolph Aldergate, late of the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, Gentleman.

**Prisoners in the Goal at BEDFORD, in and for the County of Bedford.**

**Third Notice.**

Roger Farrell, formerly of Wantage, in the County of Berks, late of Bedford, Pedlar.

Richard Livett, late of Willington, in the County of Bedford, Schoolmaster.

Thomas Shirley, late of Ampthill, in the County of Bedford, Stay-maker.

Matthew Tatman, late of Muggenger, in the Parish of Blunham, in the County of Bedford, Farmer.

Thomas Vipond, late of Dunstable, in the County of Bedford, Draper and Grocer.

Intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at an Adjournment of the last General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held on Tuesday the 1st Day of September next, at the Swan Inn in the Town of Bedford.

**THE** following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on or before the **TWENTY-FIFTH** Day of **OCTOBER**, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty, and having surrendered themselves to the Goalers or Keepers of the respective Prisons or Goals hereafter-mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors*, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Division, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after **THIRTY** Days from the **FIRST** Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

**Fugitives surrendered to the Warden of His Majesty's Prison of the FLEET.**

**First Notice.**

William Hardwick, late of Adde Street Aldermanbury, in the City of London, Goldsmith and Jeweller.

Robert Trufwell, formerly of Marnham, late of Normanton in the County of Nottingham, Cordwainer.

**Second Notice.**

Sampson Bennett, late of Catherine Court in Seething Lane, London, Jeweller.

**Third Notice.**

Hugh Jones, late of York Street, in the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden, in the Liberty of Westminster and County of Middlesex, Taylor.

William Spell, late of Star Court, Cheapside, in the Parish of St. Vedast, alias Foster, in the City of London, Dealer and Chapman.

**Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of the POULTRY Compter, in the City of London.**

**First Notice.**

Lazarus Harry, formerly of Shoe-maker Row in the City of London, late of Francfort in Germany, Merchant.

**Fugitive in WHITECHAPEL Prison, in the County of Middlesex.**

**First Notice.**

Henry Smith, formerly of Caple Street, in the Parish of St. Mary Whitechapel, in the County of Middlesex, late of Guadeloupe, Cordwainer.

**Fugitives surrendered to the Keeper of WOODSTREET Compter, in the City of London.**

**Second Notice.**

Israel Moses, late of the Great Minories in the City of London, Hawker and Pedlar.

Robert Rimmer, formerly of Ormskirk in the County of Lancaster, late of Aldermanbury in the City of London, Butcher.

George Cox, late of Water Lane Blackfryers, in the City of London, Mariner.

*N. B.* If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

