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Petersbourg,  $\frac{1}{2}$  February, 1762.

THE following is the Copy of a Declaration delivered a few Days since, by the Emperor's Order, to the Imperial, French, and Swedish Ministers residing here.

## Declaration.

**S**A Majesté Imperiale, qui, à son heureux Avenement au Trône de ses Ancestres, regarde, comme son premier Devoir, d'étendre & d'accroître le Bien-être de ses Sujets, voit avec un extreme Regret, que le Feu de la Guerre presente, qui dure depuis six Années, & qui est depuis longtems onereuse à toutes les Puissances, qui la font, loin de tendre à sa Fin, s'allume au contraire de plus en plus, au grand Malheur de toutes les Nations; & que le Genre humain a d'autant plus à souffrir de ce Fleau, que le Sort des Armes, qui jusqu'à ce Moment a été soumis à tant de Vicissitudes, ne l'est pas moins pour l'avenir :

Pourquoi Sa Majesté Imperiale, compatissant par son Humanité à l'Effusion du Sang innocent, & voulant de son Côté arrêter un tel Mal, a jugé nécessaire de declarer aux Cours Alliées de la Russie, que preferant à toutes autres Considerations, la premiere Loi, que Dieu prescrit aux Souverains, qui est la Conservation des Peuples qui leur sont confiés, Elle souhaite de procurer la Paix à son Empire, à qui elle est si necessaire, & si precieuse; & en même Tems de contribuer, autant qu'il lui sera possible, à la retablir dans toute l'Europe.

C'est dans cette Vuë, que Sa Majesté Imperiale est prête à faire le Sacrifice de ses Conquêtes faites dans cette Guerre par les Armes Russiennes, dans l'esperance, que, de leur Côté, les Cours Alliées prefereront également le Retour du Repos & de la Tranquillité aux Avantages, qu'elles pourroient attendre de la Guerre, & qu'elles ne peuvent obtenir qu'en repandant encore plus longtems le Sang humain. Et pour cet Effet, Sa Majesté Imperiale leur conseille, dans la meilleure Intention, d'employer de leur Côté, tout leur Pouvoir à l'Accomplissement d'un Ouvrage si grand, & si salutaire.

A St. Petersbourg, ce  $\frac{1}{2}$  Fevrier, 1762.

Prince George of Holstein is appointed by his Imperial Majesty Governor of the Dutchy of Holstein, and General of his Armies. General Villebois is declared Master of the Ordnance, in the Place of the late Veldt Marshal Schuwallow. Several other Graces were conferred upon Occasion of the Emperor's Birth-Day.

To-morrow General Verner and Count Hordt are to set out together for Breslaw. During their Stay here, their Imperial Majesties have treated them both with great Distinction.

Count Duben arrived here on Tuesday last, with Compliments from the King of Sweden to their Imperial Majesties.

Magdebourg, March 17. His Royal Highness the Prince of Prussia set out from hence last Sunday Morning for Breslaw, attended by Major General Count Berck, late Governor to that Prince. The Burgesses of this Town put themselves under Arms,

## Translation.

**H**IS Imperial Majesty, who, upon his happy Accession to the Throne of his Ancestors, looks upon it to be his principal Duty, to extend, and augment the Welfare of his Subjects, sees with extreme Regret, that the Flames of the present War, which has already continued for Six Years, and has been for a long Time burthenfome to all the Powers engaged in it, far from tending now to a Conclusion, are on the contrary gathering fresh Strength, to the great Misfortune of the several Nations; and that Mankind has so much the more to suffer from this Scourge, as the Fortune of Arms, which has been hitherto subject to so many Vicissitudes, is equally exposed to them for the future :

Wherefore His Imperial Majesty, compassionating, through his humane Disposition, the Effusion of innocent Blood, and being desirous, on his Part, of putting a Stop to so great an Evil, has judged it necessary to declare to the Courts in Alliance with Russia, that, preferring to every other Consideration, the first Law, which God prescribes to Sovereigns, which is the Preservation of the People intrusted to them, He wishes to procure Peace to his Empire, to which it is so necessary, and of so great Value; and at the same Time to contribute, as much as may be in his Power, to the Re-establishment of it throughout all Europe.

It is in order to this, That His Imperial Majesty is ready to make a Sacrifice of the Conquests made by the Arms of Russia in this War, in hopes that the Allied Courts will, on their Part, equally prefer the Restoration of Peace and Tranquillity, to the Advantages, which they might expect from the War, and which they cannot obtain but by a Continuance of the Effusion of human Blood. And to this End, His Imperial Majesty, with the best Intention, advises them, to employ, on their Side, all their Power towards the Accomplishment of so great, and so salutary a Work.

St. Petersbourg,  $\frac{1}{2}$  February, 1762.

and accompanied his Royal Highness on Horseback to a small Distance from hence.

It is reported, that the Prussian Officers have now Leave from the Emperor of Russia to raise Recruits in the Kingdom of Prussia.

By the freshest Letters from the Army in Saxony we hear, that Eight Regiments have already marched from Marshal Daun's Army to reinforce General Laudohn in Silesia, and that more were preparing to follow.

Brunswick, March 16. The Funeral of the late Dutche's Dowager will be performed this Evening. Their Serene Highnesses the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel, Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, and the other Princes of the Ducal Family, will walk in the Procession.

The Duke of Brunswick has promoted his Son Prince Frederick, to the Rank of Lieutenant General.

Brunswick,

Brunswick, March 19. Their Serene Highnesses Prince Ferdinand, the Hereditary Prince, and Prince Frederick, set out from hence this Morning for Hildesheim.

Admiralty Office, March 29.

His Majesty's Ship the Brilliant, commanded by Captain Loggie, being on a Cruize, on the 22d Instant, the Lizard bearing N. N. W. Distance 10 Leagues, after a Chace of three Hours, took the Esperance, a Snow Privatier belonging to St. Malo, of Six Carriage and Six Swivel Guns, with 66 Men, and has brought her into Plymouth. She had been out only three Days, and had not taken any Thing.

Whitehall, March 23, 1762.

Whereas on Saturday the 9th Day of January last, between the Hours of Nine and Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, a Seizure of about 600 Weight of Tea was made at the House of Richard Cary at Collaton, in the Parish of Paington in the County of Devon, by Henry Mugford, and three other Officers of the Customs, belonging to the Port of Dartmouth within the said County, together with a Constable; which Tea was removed by the said Officers, to the House of one John Goodridge of Collaton aforesaid: And whereas, on the same Day another Seizure was made by the same Officers, of near 800 Weight of Tea, in a Barn belonging to one Nicholas Berry, in the said Parish of Paington, which last mentioned Tea the said Officers loaded on three Horses, in order to its being conveyed to Collaton aforesaid, and from thence, with the first mentioned Parcel of Tea, to have conveyed the Whole to the King's Warehouse at Brixham Quay, within the Parish of Brixham in the said County of Devon; but before the same could be removed, a Gang of Smuglers, to the Number of Ten or Twelve, or thereabouts, armed with Clubs or Bludgeons, by Force and Violence rescued the said Tea so loaded upon the Horses, and carried away the same. And whereas in the Evening of the same Day, between the Hours of Six and Seven, a Room in the House of the said John Goodridge, where the first mentioned Parcel of Tea had been deposited for safe Custody, was broke open by another Gang of Smuglers, having their Faces disguised, and streaked with divers Colours, who likewise rescued and took away all the said Tea: His Majesty for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the Crimes above-mentioned, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of the said Offenders who shall discover any one or more of his Accomplices therein, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a farther Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person who shall discover any one or more of the Offenders, so that he, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. Wm. Wood.

General Post Office, London, February 5, 1762.

Publick Notice is hereby given to all Persons corresponding with His Majesty's Island of Bellisle, that Letters, for the Future, will be regularly forwarded, from Plymouth, to and from that Island, by two Vessels lately hired and appointed for that Purpose.

By Command of the Post-master General,  
Hen. Potts, Secretary.

General Post Office, March 13, 1762.

Whereas the Post Boy bringing the Mail between Newcastle and Durham, on Friday the 26th of February last, had the Misfortune to overturn his Mail Carriage in Birtley Lane, between the Hours of Ten and Eleven o'Clock at Night; and during the Time of his Absence in seeking Assistance to get up the said Carriage, he found upon his Return to the Place, where the Accident happened, that the Newcastle Bag (containing the Berwick, Belford, Alnwick and Morpeth Bags, with the Bye-Bag from the North for Burroughbridge) was taken away from the said Carriage, by a Person or Persons unknown; and notwithstanding all possible Search and Inquiry has been made after the said Bag, and a Reward offered for restoring it to either the Post-master of Newcastle or Durham, the

same is still missing; This is therefore to give Notice, that whoever will discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, the Person or Persons who stole and carried off the said large Leather Bag, containing the several Bags before-mentioned, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party or Parties, be intitled to a Reward of Fifty Pounds.

By Command of the Post-master General,  
Hen. Potts, Secretary.

Navy Office, March 23, 1762.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that all Bills registered on the Course of the Navy in the Month of March 1761, are ordered to be paid, near One Third thereof in Money, and the Remainder in Exchequer Bills: And such Persons as are possessed of Bills, are desired to bring them to this Office to be assigned on the Treasurer of the Navy for Payment accordingly.

Victualling Office, March 24, 1762.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there are in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, Money and Exchequer Bills, for paying all Bills registered on the Course of the Victualling for the Month of March 1761, that the Proprietors, or such Persons as are legally empowered to receive the same, may bring them to this Office, upon which they will be ordered to be satisfied accordingly.

N. B. The Interest on the Victualling Bills ceased Yesterday, and the Interest on the Exchequer Bills commences this Day.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ships the Melampe, Maidstone, and Grace Cutter, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Prize Money due to them for the Hull of the Le Dange French Privateer, on Board the said Ships in the Downs, on the 10th of April next, in Case the Ships are then there, if not, on their Arrival. And at the same Time will be paid the respective Shares of the Head Money due to the Officers and Men that composed the four open Boats under the Command of Lieutenant John M<sup>r</sup> Bride, who cut out the said Privateer from Dunkirk Road on the 23d of August 1761: And the Shares not then demanded will be paid the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years to come, at the Office of the Naval Officer at Deal.

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Brigadier, and Inspector-General of the French Hussars,

By Capt. JOSEPH OTWAY, Esq;

Dedicated, by Permission, to the Rt. Hon. JOHN Lord Viscount LIGONIER, Field-Marshal and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Forces.

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N. B. There are a few printed upon a Superfine Writing Royal Paper, Price 2 l. 2 s. in Boards.

THE Creditors of John Brown, late of Snow Hill, London, Stationer, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Commission of Bankruptcy was lately awarded, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 6th Day of April next, at the Salutation Tavern in Nicholas Lane, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, to assent or dissent to the compromising a Suit in Chancery commenced against the Assignees concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate.

THE Creditors of Thomas Shewell and Henry Masterman, late of Shoe Lane, in the City of London, Brewers and Partners, against whom a Commission of Bankruptcy was lately awarded, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 8th Day of April next, at the Salutation Tavern in Nicholas Lane, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to assent or dissent to the compromising of a Suit in Chancery commenced against the Assignees concern-

**T**HE Creditors of William Holburne, Esq; late Captain of His Majesty's Ship of War the Newark, (if any) are desired to deliver in an Account of their several Demands to his Brother and Executor Francis Holburne, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the Red, at Portsmouth; or to Mr. Joseph Gordon, at his House in Mincing Lane, Fenchurch Street, London, in order to receive Satisfaction for the same. And all such as are anyways indebted to the said William Holburne, are requested to pay the same to the said Joseph Gordon, by order of the said Executor, or they will be sued without further Notice.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on the 22d Day of April next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, The Manors of Bentley Church-house, Dodnash and Falstoffs, situate near Ipswich in the County of Suffolk, together with the Fines and Quit-rents. And also several Messuages, Farms, Lands, and Tenements situate near Ipswich aforesaid, and now lett to Francis and John Gosnell, Thomas Llay, and other Tenants at 54s l. per Ann. or thereabouts, (exclusive of the Mansion House, and the Fines and Quit-rents of the said Manors) being Part of the Real Estates of Thomas Hawes, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 5th of May next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Estate and Interest late of John Birch, of Mansfield in the County of Nottingham, Gent. deceased, for a Term of 99 Years from the 25th of March 1701, at a reserved Rent of 3 l. per Annum, in a modern Built Stone House, containing 4 Rooms on a Floor, with Cellars, Brew-house, Wash-house, Coach-house, Barns, Stables, and a Garden, situate in Mansfield aforesaid. Further Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, on Tuesday the 27th of April next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Freehold Estate, consisting of a Messuage, Farm or Tenement, and Lands, lying and being in Meynell Langley, otherwise Langley Meynell, in the County of Derby, of the yearly Value of 110 l. Tythe Free. And several Pieces or Parcels of Land lying dispersedly in the Common Fields in Kirk Langley in the said County; Part of the Estate late of Godfrey Meynell, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey Street near Lincoln's Inn, London.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, A Leasehold Estate late of William Perry, Esq; deceased, situate at Chalgrove in the County of Oxford, consisting of a Capital Messuage, Farm House, Cottage and Lands. Particulars whereof are to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of William Randall, late of Wortham in the County of Suffolk, Clerk, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts, and claim their Legacies, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitor's Street in Chancery Lane, London, in order to receive a Satisfaction for the same.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Elizabeth Berryman, late of the City of Oxford, Widow, deceased, are forthwith to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey Street, near Lincoln's Inn, London, and prove their several Demands, or in Default thereof they will be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

**P**ursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Lord Henley, Baron of Crange, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Burslem Sparrow, late of Wolverhampton, in the County of Stafford, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 23d Day of this Instant March; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 11th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of James Walker, Innholder, known by the Sign of the Angel in Wolverhampton, in the said County of Stafford; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against David Salomons, of Crutched Fryers, London, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major

Part of them, on the 2d and 13th of April next, and on the 11th of May following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London; and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to assent to the Assignment already made, or to chuse an Assignee or Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Ellis, Attorney, in Dean Street Fetter Lane, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Titley, of Warrington in the County of Lancaster, and John Titley of Liverpool, in the said County of Lancaster, Sail-Canvas-makers, Chapman and Partners, intend to meet on the 3d of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Catherine Marshall, Widow, being the George Inn in Warrington aforesaid, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors of the said Bankrupts, or of either of them, who have not already proved their respective 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 David Taylor, late of the Parish of Bridgett, otherwise Saint Clements, in the County of Oxford, Linnen Draper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21st of April next, 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 Le Touzey, late of the Parish of St. Mary Le Bon, in the County of Middlesex, Carver and Gilder, intend to meet on the 29th of April next, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Silvanus Perrott, of Hemel Hempstead in the County of Hertford, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 4th of May next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further 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 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.*

Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of the MARSHALSEA Prison, in the County of Surry.

### Third Notice.

David Grigg, formerly of Union Stairs Wapping, late of East Smithfield, in the County of Middlesex, Mariner.

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

### Third Notice.

John Tomkins, late of Charles Street St. James's, in the County of Middlesex, Painter.

