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Westminster, April 12.

**T**HIS Day His Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Septimus Robinson, Knt. 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 Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty 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 certain Monies remaining in the Exchequer, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and sixty-three.*

*An Act for raising a certain Sum of Money by Loans or Exchequer Bills, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and sixty-three; and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament; and for allowing His Majesty's Subjects to import their Goods and Effects, being the Produce of certain Places ceded to France and Spain by the late Treaty of Peace, upon Payment of the same Duties as they would have been liable to if such Places had remained in His Majesty's Possession.*

*An Act for the more easy and speedy Recovery of small Debts within the Hundreds of Bradford, Melksham and Whorlston in the County of Wilts.*

*An Act for vesting certain Parcels of Land in Paddington in the County of Middlesex, in the Rector and Churchwardens of the Parish of St. George Hanover-square in the said County, and appropriating the same for a Burial Ground for the said Parish.*

*An Act to amend and render more effectual so much of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for amending and widening the Road from the Market Horse in Stourbridge, to Colly-gate in Crudley, and from Pedmore to Holly-hall, and from Colly-gate to Haleforwen, and from the Turnpike Road on Dudley Wood to Rednal Green in the Parish of King's Norton, and from Carter's Lane to the Bell Inn at Northfield in the Counties of Worcester, Stafford, and Salop, as relates to the Road from the Turnpike Road on Dudley Wood to Rednal Green, and from Carter's Lane to the Bell Inn at Northfield.*

*An Act for amending and widening the Roads leading from New-Street and Pig-Street in Penryn in the County of Cornwall, to Redruth in the same County.*

And to Eight Private Bills.

*Vienna, March 23.* The Prussian Officers, after having been admitted to kiss her Imperial Majesty's Hand, are set out for Presbourg, where their Rendezvous is, and from whence they will be furnished with Waggons to the Frontiers of Silesia. Several Hundreds of Prussian Prisoners, that had taken Service in the Imperial Troops, having the Choice given them of staying, or returning Home, have preferred the latter. General Finckinfein is still here.

*Copenhagen, March 26.* On the 17th Instant his Royal Highness Prince Frederick was examined in

Presence of the Privy Council, and other Persons of Distinction, as to his Attainments in Religion and Literature, and gave great Satisfaction, though his Royal Highness is but in the Tenth Year of his Age.

Three Danish Officers, viz. Captains Becker, Basballe, and Arff, who went as Volunteers into the French Service, and were taken Prisoners by the English in the late War, have been rewarded by his Most Christian Majesty with the Order *For Military Merit*.

A few Days ago his Danish Majesty made a numerous Promotion of Sea Officers among the lower Classes, and admitted 22 new Cadets upon that Establishment. The Guardships are now brought out into the Road, and will soon repair to their respective Stations. Orders are likewise issued to fit out a supernumerary Frigate; but with no other Intent, than to exercise the Cadets in the Month of May.

This Capital continues sickly; and the Distemper of the Horned Cattle is not hitherto abated.

*Ratisbon, March 26.* The 17th of this Month, there appeared a Decree of the Aulick Council touching the Affair of Saxe Meiningen. In consequence, a new Rescript was addressed to the Dukes of Saxe Cobourg, Gotha, and Hildbourghausen, notifying, that Madam the Dutchess Dowager of Saxe Meiningen has again represented to his Imperial Majesty, the Violences committed by the Troops of the said Princes against the Dutchy and City of Meiningen, the Subjects of which they had disarmed and forced to pay Homage, causing thereby great Damages, Losses and Expences to the Dutchess and her Children. And as this Princess had implored the Emperor and Empire to succour her against those Outrages, his Imperial Majesty ordered the said Dukes to comply, not only with the precedent Decrees, but also if, contrary to all Expectation, they had not yet obeyed them, to indemnify the said Dutchess for all Charges and Damages she had suffered, or to expect without fail Military Execution. To render this Decree more efficacious, his Imperial Majesty addressed the same Day a Rescript to the Princes Directors of the Circles of Franconia and Saxony, informing them, that, though his Imperial Majesty doubted not their having executed his Decree of the 25th of February, yet if, contrary to all Expectation, there should be any Thing unexecuted, they are to proceed without Delay to the Execution of it, by protesting the Dutchess Dowager, her Children, and Subjects, against the said Dukes, and to entirely re-establish Tranquillity and Peace. The said Dukes are cited by the same Decree to appear before the Tribunal in Two Months, in order to examine whether they are guilty of the Infraction of the Publick Peace, and liable to pay the Fine of 2000 Marks of pure Gold. And as the Dutchess Dowager, by the Report made to his Imperial Majesty the 12th of this Month, had made a Declaration, conformable in all Points to the Imperial Decree of the 25th of February, his Imperial Majesty orders this Declaration to be communicated to the said Dukes for their Information, and declares, at the same Time, the Dutchess Dowager the sole

Guardian

Guardian of the Children of the late Duke Anthony Ulrich born of this Princess, who is thereby named the only Regent of the Country, and her Mandatary admitted to take the Oath of Guardianship. Consequently, the Imperial Decree, which confirms her in this Quality, is to be dispatched by the Chancery; whilst the Demand of the said Dukes is rejected, and the Regency of Meiningen, the Provincial States, and the Subjects, are enjoined to acknowledge and respect this Princess as their sole Regent. As the Imperial Decrees, relating to the Children of the Duke of Saxe Meiningen by the first Marriage, are reiteratedly confirmed by this; it is also ordered, that the Letter, which the Prince Barnard Ernest, eldest Son of this Marriage, addressed to his Imperial Majesty the 14th of this Month for himself and his Brother, shall be returned by the Chancery, he having made Use in that Letter, of the Title, Arms, Seal, and Name of a Duke of Saxony, contrary to the Imperial Decrees, and the Avis of the Empire in 1747. It is to be remarked, that this Prince and his Brother, since their deceased Mother was raised to the Dignity of Princess by the Emperor Charles VI, have been and are acknowledged for Princes, but not for Dukes of Saxony.

*Ratisbon March 28.* His Imperial Majesty has named Count Seidewitz, Imperial Con-Commissary here, his Commissary for the Election of a new Bishop of Ratisbon; for which Prince Clement of Saxonv, the Bishop of Augsboung, the Provoct of Ellwang, and Count Koenigsfeld, are Candidates.

Yesterday a Column of about 900 or 1000 Croats, commanded by General Kleefeld, coming from the Army of the Empire, passed through this City, and were reviewed before the Palace of the Prince of Tour Taxis; after which they returned to the Island of Unterweerth, where his Highness sent them Bread, and several Barrels of Beer, Brandy, &c. and To-day they embark for Vienna.

*Berlin March 29.* Accounts have been received here, that his Prussian Majesty's Dominions on the Lower Rhine were evacuated by the French Troops on the 13th of this Month. His Serene Highness Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, who has been for some Time past at Magdebourg, is expected here as this Day.

The latest Letters from Warsaw say, that the King of Poland still continues indisposed.

A great Number of Deserters having formed themselves into different Bands, under Leaders of their own chusing, have thrown themselves into the Woods in Saxony, and have lately committed several Robberies and Murders; so that Travelling in that Electorate, as well as in Thuringia, is at present attended with great Danger.

An Estafette, which arrived here Yesterday, brings an Account, that his Prussian Majesty intends to be here To-morrow Evening.

*Berlin, April 2.* The King of Prussia left Crossen on the 30th in the Morning, and arrived at his Palace here the same Night by Nine of the Clock; where he was received by the Princes of the Blood, Foreign Ministers, and Principal Nobility, &c. assembled for that Purpose.

*Hague, April 8.* This is the Ninth Day of the Prince of Orange's Illness; and his Serene Highness, though very full, is thus far advanced in the Small-Pox without any dangerous Symptoms.

#### E S S E X.

Whereas the Fixing the Time for training the Militia is, by the last Militia Act, to be appointed at a General Meeting, the Deputy Lieutenants are desired to meet His Majesty's Lieutenant, at the Black Boy in Chelmsford for that Purpose, on Monday the 18th Day of this Instant April.

ROCHFORD.

General Post Office, April 5, 1763.

Public Notice is hereby given, That the Mail from France, which used to be dispatched from Paris on Wednesday and Saturday, being soon to be changed to Monday and Thursday: The Mail for France, after the first of May next, will be forwarded from this Office every Tuesday and Friday, instead of Monday and Thursday; so that the Letters to all Parts of Europe, and to Turkey, will thenceforward be dispatched from this Office every Tuesday and Friday, except those for Portugal by the Lisbon and Corunna Packet Boats, which will continue to be sent from hence on Tuesdays only.

The Foreign Department of this Office, when the present Regulation takes Place, will, for the better Accommodation of the Public, be open upon Tuesdays and Fridays, from Nine in the Morning to Twelve at Night; and upon all other Days (Sundays excepted) from Nine in the Morning to Nine at Night.

A Table, with the Rates of Postage, as well Foreign as Inland will be delivered to any Person, who may ask for one at this Office.

By Command of the Post-master General,  
Anth. Todd, Secretary.

General Post Office, March 29, 1763.

Public Notice is hereby given, That a Mail for Corunna in Spain, including the Letters to Oporto, will be forwarded from hence on Tuesday the 12th of April next, and will continue to be regularly dispatched from this Office upon every Tuesday, as formerly.

By Command of the Postmaster General,  
Anth. Todd, Secretary.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children.

April 12, 1763.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital will be held by Adjournment at the said Hospital, on Tuesday the 19th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; when all the Governors and Guardians are desired to attend,

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

East India House, March 23, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their House, on Saturday the 2d Day of April next.

That a General Court, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, (instead of the Meeting before advertised to be held at their House in Leadenhall-street) will, for the better Accommodation of the Proprietors, be held at Merchant Taylors Hall in Threadneedle-street, on Wednesday the 13th Day of April next; which said General Court will continue from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Afternoon.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened on Thursday the 14th Day of said April.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Brilliant and Rainbow, who were in Company with the Tartuff Cutter at the Taking a French Sloop and Dogger, That they will be paid their respective Shares for the said Prizes on Monday the 18th of April 1763, at the Red Lyon at Ramsgate: And the Shares not then demanded, will be recalled at the said Place, the First Monday in every Month, for Three Years to come.

Geo. Bourn, of Ramsgate, Agent.

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This is to give Notice to such of the Officers and Ships Company of His Majesty's Ship Prince of Orange, Samuel Wallis, Esq; late Commander, (who have not received their Shares of the Prize-Money, for a Parcel of Furs taken at the Post of Shecomtumi in the River Saguinay) that there will be a Recall for paying such Officers and Men as are unpaid, on the first Monday in every Month, at the Sign of the Lamb in Abchurch-Lane Lombard Street, London.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Ship's Company of His Majesty's Ship the Active, Herbert Sawyer, Esq; Commander, who were actually on board the said Ship at taking a French Ship called the Cerfvolante, that the Produce of the said Ship and Cargo, which was sold at Legborne, will be paid at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch Street, on Thursday the 21st Day of April, 1763: And the Shares not then demanded, will be paid by John Dick, Esq; at Legborn, for three Years to come.

John Dick, Esq. of Legborne, Agent.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Sloop the Favorite, that on Monday next the 18th Instant, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars, they will be paid their respective Shares of Prize-Money and Bounty-Money for the St. Virgine de Rojarie, a French Prize taken by the said Sloop in the Mediterranean: And Recalls for the said Prize will be made on the second Monday in every Month for three Years afterwards.

Samuel More, of Old Bond-street, and Co. Agents.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Juno, who were actually on Board her at Taking the la Galga, a Spanish Privateer, and Retaking the Three Sisters belonging to Glasgow. That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the Bounty Bill for the said la Galga, and Salvage for the Three Sisters, on the 11th of April 1763, on Board the Juno at Portsmouth: And the Shares remaining unpaid, will be recalled at Anderton's Coffee-house Fleet-street, the First Wednesday in every Month for Three Years.

John Adcock, of the Juno, Agent.

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**THE** Partnership betwixt John Boddington and John Butt, of the Parish of St. Botolph Bishopsgate, Holiers, being dissolved by mutual Agreement at Christmas last: All Persons, who have any Demands upon the said Partnership Accounts, are desired to bring in their Bills to John Butt, that the same may be adjusted and paid by him. And all Persons, who are indebted to the said Partnership Account, are desired to pay the same to the aforesaid John Butt.

N. B. The Business will be carried on as usual at the same Shop by John Butt, who will always endeavour to deserve the Favours of his Friends in particular, and the Publick in general.

WATER

## WATER PROOF CLOTH,

By the King's Patent, dated April 1, 1763,

**F**OR the Invention of a Preparation, called Water Proof, whereby to prevent Rain Water from penetrating Woollen Cloth and Hats. It is granted unto Samuel Elmley, of Wakefield in the County of York, Woollen Draper, his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, to have and enjoy the whole and sole Profit, Benefit and Advantage arising from the said Invention or Preparation, for the Time of 14 Years therein expressed; and all Persons, Bodies politick and corporate, and all other Subjects whatsoever, are absolutely forbid, directly or indirectly, the Using, or putting in Practice, the said Invention or Preparation, or any Part of the same, or anywise Counterfeiting, Imitating or Resembling, or Making any Addition to, or Subtracting from, the same, under such Pains and Penalties, as, in the said Patent, are expressed; and further, to be answerable to the said Samuel Elmley, and his Executors, Administrators and Assigns according to Law, for his and their Damages thereby occasioned. Now the said Patentee gives this publick Notice, that no Person may plead Ignorance of the said Letters Patent and Royal Command; and that all such Water Proof Cloth will have a Lead Label affixed thereto, with an Inscription, S. ELMSEY, of Wakefield, Water-Proof, by the King's Patent; and will be sold at the Patentee's Warehouse in Wakefield aforesaid, and at Messrs. Butler and Cobbs, in Clare Court near Cloare Market, London; at which Places all Merchants, Woollen Drapers, and others may be supplied, and all Orders obeyed.

**T**HE Commission of Bankruptcy, that was lately awarded and issued against William Snelling, of Mansfield Street, Goodmansfields, in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, is superseded, by the Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, to the best Bidder, in two Lots, on Tuesday the 21st Day of June next, between the Hours of Four and Six, at Mrs. Milborn's, the Constitution in Covent Garden in the County of Middlesex, by the Assignees under a Commission of Bankrupt against Charles Pendlebury, Two Estates of the Bankrupt, situate at Westhoughton in Lancashire, (lying between Wigan and Bolton, both Market Towns) viz. Lot 1. Consisting of a Messuage or Tenement, and the Lands thereto belonging, containing, by Estimation, 14 Acres according to the Measure there used, in the Occupation of William Hodson, at the yearly Rent of 18 l. payable Half-Yearly, clear of Taxes. Lot 2. Consisting of a Messuage or Tenement called the Red Lyon Inn, and the Lands thereto belonging, containing, by Estimation, 9 Acres according to the Measure there used, with a Cottage, Brewhouse, and Butchers Shop, in the Occupation of George Kaye, and his Under-Tenants, at the Yearly Rent of 32 l. payable Half-Yearly, clear of Taxes. N. B. Both Lots are Freehold, save one Dole or But of Land in Lot 2. which is held at the Yearly Rent of 2 d. under a Lease for three Lives, renewable on Payment of a Fine of 26 s. 8 d. Enquire at the Premises, or of Mr. Browne, Attorney, in Fetherston Buildings, London.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, on Wednesday the 27th Day of April instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, before the major Part of the Commissioners named in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Delamotte, late of Great St. Helen's, London, Insurance Broker, Dealer, and Chapman, The said Bankrupt's Dwelling-house, situate in Great St. Helen's aforesaid, being Freehold, and containing three Rooms of a Floor, with good dry Vaults, a Yard, and Stabling for two Horses. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Bennett, Attorney, in Swithin's Lane near Lombard-street.

**W**HEREAS it was advertised in the Gazette of the 26th of March last, that the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Northall, late of Bewdley in the County of Worcester, Grocer, intended to meet on the 18th of April instant, at the Gerge Inn in Bewdley, to make a final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Effects; This is to give Notice, that the said intended Meeting is obliged to be postponed, and proper and timely Notice will be hereafter given of such intended Dividend being made.

**L**ETT Lancashire about seven Years ago, one Richard Spealman, who lived at Islam in the Parish of Eccles in the County of Lancaster; was heard of some little Time afterwards to be an Hostler at an Inn near London, but was afterwards supposed to have entered into His Majesty's Service either by Sea or Land. He is about Sixty Years of Age, is a broad-set Man, of a middling Stature, and a darkish Complexion. If living, he is the surviving Life in a Lease of a small Tenement, and is therefore desired either to return to his Friends in Lancashire, or to send a Line to Mr. Bradley of Leigh, where to direct to him. Or if any Person can give Information, whether he be living or dead, to the said Mr. Bradley, it will be very thankfully received.

**T**O be sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to an Order of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Westminster, before Charles Taylor, Esq; Deputy Remembrancer of the said Court, at his Chambers in the Inner Temple, London, Several Freehold Estates of John Smith, heretofore of Warrington in the County of Chester, Gentleman, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Chambers.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Henry Barley, of Hagworthingham in the County of Lincoln, Grocer, Cutler, 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 18th and 19th of April instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Luke Plumer, situate at Boston in the said County of Lincoln, known by the Sign of the Falcon, and on the 24th Day of May next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Bartholomew Wells, situate in Boston aforesaid, known by the Sign of the Red Lync, 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 chuse 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. Edward Draper, Attorney, at Boston aforesaid.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Lewis Owen, of the Parish of St. Andrew vs Holborn in the City of London; Coffee-man, intend to meet on the 14th of May next, at Four o'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 Crosle and John Berrow, of the City of Bristol, Glassmen, Merchants, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 5th Day of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mathew Mease, Vintner, called the Nag's Head Tavern in Wine-street in the said City of Bristol, in order to make a Second Dividend as well of the joint Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts, as of their respective separate Estates and Effects; when and where, as well the joint Creditors of the said John Crosle and John Berrow, as also their respective separate Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are required to come and 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 John Ouram, of Barnesley in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th of May 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.