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Dublin Castle, October 11, 1763.

THIS Day the Parliament having met according to the Prorogation, his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the House of Peers, and being seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Archibald Edmonstone, Esq; Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from his Excellency to the House of Commons, signifying his Pleasure that they should immediately attend his Excellency in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, his Excellency made the following Speech to both Houses.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

IT is with the utmost Satisfaction, that, in Obedience to His Majesty's Commands, I am now to meet a Parliament which has already given so many and such very distinguished Proofs of its Zeal and Unanimity in the Support and Service of the Crown.

I have it expressly in Command from His Majesty to declare to you His entire Approbation of your past Conduct, and to assure you, that the whole Course of your late Proceedings has filled His Royal Mind with every Sentiment of Regard which can flow from a just and gracious Sovereign towards a dutiful and a loyal People.

It is with particular Satisfaction I communicate to you, at the Opening of this Session of Parliament, those great and important Events which have occurred since your last Meeting.

By the Conclusion of a general Peace, the Tranquility of every Part of Europe is perfectly re-established; His Majesty's Dominions are enlarged; the Commerce of His Subjects is extended; and you are, at Length, relieved from those Burdens which are unavoidable in the Progress even of the most successful War.

Interested as you are, in the Happiness of so excellent a Sovereign, and sensible, as you have ever been, of the inestimable Public Blessings which you have enjoyed, under His illustrious House; you will receive with Pleasure, the Information of the auspicious Birth of the Prince of Wales, and of the further Increase of the Royal Family, by the Birth of a second Prince: Events, which promise such an Addition to His Majesty's domestic Felicity, and such a lasting Security to our happy Constitution.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I have ordered the proper Officers to prepare the several Accounts and Estimates, that they may be laid, in due Time, before you: You will observe that, although, from the Exigencies of several extraordinary Services, the Expences of the two preceding Years have considerably exceeded what was usual in Times of Peace, yet they are fallen far short of the Sums which were so liberally voted in the last Session; a great Part of which still remains unborrowed: His Majesty having determined to make use of the Credit given to His Government in no other Proportion than as the Necessity of His Service exactly required. I consider it as extremely fortunate that I enter upon the Government of this Kingdom, at a Time, when the Situation of Public

Affairs will permit so very considerable a Diminution of the Public Expences; and when I am commanded by His Majesty to thank you only for your past Efforts, without again having Recourse to the experienced Liberality of Parliament. I have nothing to ask but the Continuance of the Supplies for the Support of the Ordinary Establishments, which, it is hoped, will not exceed the Produce of the Ordinary Revenue; and I recommend to you a proper Attention to the Reduction of the Public Debt.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Not only my Duty, but my earnest good Wishes for the Prosperity of Ireland, oblige me to take this Opportunity of mentioning to you the only unpleasant Circumstance which has occurred since my Entrance upon this Government; the tumultuous Risings of the lower People, in Contempt of Laws, and of Magistracy, and of every constitutional Subordination, must, if not duly attended to, be productive of the most fatal Consequences: They are a Disgrace to a Country of Liberty; they are ruinous to a Country of Commerce; and must be particularly fatal here, where the least Check to the rising Spirit of Industry is so very sensibly felt, and so very difficult to be retrieved: No Means can serve more effectually to prevent these Disorders for the future, than the Encouragement of such Institutions as tend to impress on the Minds of the lower Order of People, early Habits of Industry, and true Principles of Religion: For this Purpose your Protestant Charter-Schools were established; to which I therefore recommend the Continuance of your Care, Encouragement and Support:—Your Linen Manufacture demands and will reward every Instance of public Attention; there is nothing which can more properly excite your future Endeavours, and nothing has more fully answered your former Expectations: This Manufacture has been, at all Times, the favourite Object of Parliamentary Encouragement; and I should be concerned that any National Advantage which has been cultivated under the Administration of my Predecessors should be neglected under mine: Be assured you cannot take any Measures which will be more grateful to His Majesty, and which I shall be more solicitous to forward, than those which may, in any Respect, advance the growing Prosperity of this very improveable Country:—If therefore, any of your Manufactures may be further extended; if any Thing can be done towards exciting the Spirit, or providing the Means of Industry; if any Improvements in Agriculture can be introduced, upon wise and practicable Principles; and in every Thing that tends to the Encouragement of Virtue, or the promoting of true Religion, you will have towards the Attainment of those Ends, not only my zealous Co-operation, but His Majesty's steady and willing Protection:—I come to this Government with the King's express Commands, and my own very warm Inclination to recommend and to support such Measures:—His Majesty has the firmest Reliance on your experienced Duty and Loyalty; on your unbiassed Regard to the Public; and He doubts not that this Session of Parliament will be carried

carried on in a Manner suitable to your own Dignity, and to the Unanimity of your past Proceedings.

And if the most inviolable Attachment to His Majesty, and Zeal for His Service, as a firm Adherence to those Principles, by which the Protestants of Ireland have ever been distinguished, were Qualifications sufficient for the Discharge of the high and arduous Trust committed to my Hands, I might ensure to myself an Administration not unacceptable to Parliament. And I still flatter myself that as the only Ends I have in Pursuit, are, The King's Service, and the Public Welfare, I may obtain the only Rewards which have in View His Majesty's favourable Acceptance of my Services, and your entire Approbation of my Administration.

Dublin Castle, October 13.
The Houses of Lords and Commons having unanimously resolved upon humble and dutiful Addresses to His Majesty, the same, together with Addresses to His Majesty, to the Lord Lieutenant, were, this Day, presented to his Excellency, and, with his Excellency's Answers, are as follow.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,
The humble Address of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,
WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that your gracious Acceptance of our Duty and Zeal for your Service cannot fail to excite in us fresh Vigour for your Support; and that the same invariable Sentiments of Duty and Affection, which have influenced all our former Proceedings, shall be steadily directed to promote the Honour of your Majesty's Reign, and the Safety and Prosperity of this Kingdom; and that we will in all Events maintain, with unabated Zeal, and unshaken Fidelity, our Attachment to your Majesty's Royal Person, Family, and Government.

Amidst the general Rejoycings of your Subjects, permit us, Sir, to take this earliest Opportunity of offering our Congratulations, with Hearts animated by the warmest and most sincere Joy, upon those important Events which have occurred since our last Meeting, and gratefully to acknowledge it the Effect of your Majesty's paternal Affection for this your People, under the Divine Assistance, that we are at Length relieved from the Burdens of an expensive, though necessary and successful War.

Truly sensible of the many and great Blessings we enjoy under so excellent a Sovereign, where can we find Words to express the Pleasure we feel, on every Increase of your Majesty's Royal Family, and each new Source of your domestic Felicity; particularly on the auspicious Birth of the Prince of Wales, and of a second Prince, the Pledges and Security of our happy Constitution, who, instructed by your Royal Example, will have learned to rule a Free, but Loyal People; and will become Guardians of those Liberties, which by your Precepts they will have been taught to protect.

We cannot have a stronger Assurance of your Majesty's tender Concern for us, than in your Choice of his Excellency the Earl of Northumberland to be the Governor of this Kingdom, whose discerning Judgment has pointed out what is necessary for our Consideration and Care; and from whose Prudence, Benevolence, Integrity, and Honour, we have every Reason to promise to ourselves the full Enjoyment of those Blessings, your Majesty is graciously pleased to intend for us.

Fully persuaded that the best and most effectual Method, to recommend ourselves to your Majesty's Favour, is, and ever will be, to promote the true Interest of your People, we will not neglect any Opportunity of encouraging such Institutions as may tend to impress on the Minds of the People, early Principles of Religion, and Inclinations to Industry, those two great Sources of all National Happiness, which, with the due Execution of the Laws, will, we hope, effectually prevent for the Future, those tumultuous Risings of the lower Order of People, so destructive of that Tranquility, which our Duty and Gratitude to your Majesty, as well as our Interest, must ever call upon us to preserve.

The Advancement of the Protestant Interest, that great Security to our Liberties, and the Cultivating, to its utmost Extent, the Linnen Manufacture, a Branch of Trade so valuable, and so highly necessary to the Support of this Kingdom, deserve and shall employ, our most serious Attention. His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's kind Promise to cooperate with us in all those Measures, which tend to advance the growing Prosperity of this Kingdom, must, under your Majesty's Royal Protection and Favour, make us a flourishing and a happy People.

We further beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we will shew our true and unbiassed Regard to the Public Welfare, by that Unanimity in all our Proceedings, which so manifestly conduces to the Peace and Safety of your Majesty's Government, and is so essentially necessary to the Interest of Ireland.

Hen. Baker Sterne, Cler. Parliamentor.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

I Will forthwith transmit this dutiful and loyal Address to be laid before His Majesty.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens and Burgeses, in Parliament assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,
WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland in Parliament assembled, firmly attached to your Majesty's Sacred Person, Royal Family and Government, humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we shall be always ready to give your Majesty every convincing Proof of our Loyalty and Zeal for the Support of your Majesty's Crown and Dignity.

The Approbation with which your Majesty has been graciously pleased to honour our past Conduct, fills our Hearts with the warmest Sentiments of Gratitude, and lays us under the strongest Obligation to endeavour, by a constant Perseverance in the same Principles of Duty and Loyalty, to deserve the Continuance of your Royal Favour and Protection.

We think it our indispensable Duty to return your Majesty our most grateful and sincere Acknowledgments for your paternal Care, in being graciously pleased, upon the Re-establishment of a General Peace, immediately to relieve your loyal and faithful Subjects of this Kingdom from those heavy Burthens, which they cheerfully bore during the Continuance of the late successful War; and we humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we feel the greatest Happiness from every new Accession to your Majesty's Dominions, and Extension of the Commerce of your Subjects.

Permit us to congratulate your Majesty upon the auspicious Birth of a Prince of Wales, and the further Addition to your Majesty's Royal House, by the Birth of a second Prince; Events, which as they promise so great an Addition to your Majesty's domestic Felicity, and such a lasting Security to our happy Constitution, must give the highest Pleasure

to a People deeply interested in the Happiness of so excellent a Sovereign, and so fully sensible of the inestimable public Blessings, which they have, without Interruption, enjoyed under your Illustrious House.

We acknowledge it as a particular Instance of your Majesty's tender Concern for the Welfare of this Kingdom, that you have been graciously pleased to appoint a Chief Governor to preside over us, of whose approved Fidelity to your Majesty, and steady Attachment to your Royal House, we are fully persuaded; and of whose Honour, Integrity, Justice, and other eminent Qualities, we have conceived the highest Opinion.

We are most gratefully affected with your Majesty's Goodness, in having made Use of the Credits given to your Government in the last Session of Parliament, in no other Proportion than as the Necessity of your Service exactly required: And we shall, with the greatest Cheerfulness, continue the necessary Supplies for the Support of your Majesty's Government, with a proper Attention to the Reduction of the public Debt.

We have seen, with the deepest Concern, the tumultuous Risings of the lower People, in Contempt of Law, of Magistracy, and every Constitutional Subordination; which, if not duly attended to, must be productive of the most fatal Consequences, and which we are fully sensible, are disgraceful to a Country of Liberty, and ruinous to a Country of Commerce.

We are convinced, that no Means can more effectually prevent the like Disorders for the Future, than the Encouragement of such Institutions as tend to impress on the Minds of the lower Order of People, early Habits of Industry, and true Principles of Religion; and for this desirable Purpose, we shall continue our Care, Encouragement and Support of the Protestant Charter Schools, and shall have the strictest Attention to every Method, by which our Linen Manufacture may be improved and extended.

We beg Leave humbly to assure your Majesty, that we shall be actuated, in our future Proceedings, by the same Principles of Duty and Loyalty, by the same unbiassed Regard to the Public, that recommended our Conduct in the last Session of Parliament, to the Approbation of the best of Princes; and that we shall always consider the Continuance of your Majesty's Royal Protection, as the sure and solid Foundation of our Welfare and Prosperity.

E. Sterling, } Cler. Dom. Com.
H. Alcock, }

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

I Will forthwith transmit this dutiful and loyal Address to be laid before His Majesty.

To his Excellency Hugh Earl of Northumberland, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Excellency,
We the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, attend your Excellency with the utmost Cheerfulness, to return our Thanks for your Speech delivered from the Throne, and to congratulate your Excellency upon your joyful Arrival here, to take upon you the Government of this Kingdom.

We have expressed our warmest Gratitude to His Majesty for this Instance of His paternal Attention to our Welfare: And we assure your Excellency, that we consider your eminent Virtues, your amiable

Temper, and the extensive Endowments of your Mind, the Gifts of Nature improved by wise Cultivation, as calculated in an especial Manner, for the Ornament and the Benefit of Society, and most peculiarly adapted to the honourable and useful Discharge of the great Trust, which His Majesty has happily for us, committed to your Hands.

It is our Duty to return our most sincere Thanks to your Excellency, for communicating those important and interesting Events, which have occurred since the Close of our last Session of Parliament; and we can never fail to take our full Share in the general Joy, upon every Accession to the Honour of the Crown, to the Interests of Great Britain, and to their Majesty's domestic Happiness.

Your Excellency, by the most engaging Expressions, has raised in our Minds a Sense of every Duty, and awakened every Attention, which can contribute to our Security and Welfare: And if any Extension of our Commerce, any Improvements in our Manufactures, or Agriculture, if Industry and Sobriety, if Peace and due Subordination among the People, if true Religion and Virtue should be the happy Results of the Endeavours we are determined to exert towards the Encouragement of these Principles and Habits; when we hereafter reap the Fruits of our Labours, we shall with Pleasure reflect upon the Season when the Seeds were sown, and gratefully acknowledge the Debt we owe to your Excellency's Admonitions, your Influence, and your still more prevailing Example.

It is not your Excellency's high Rank, nor the Splendor of your Titles, nor the Greatness of your Possessions, which alone excite the public Admiration; but those Advantages, accompanied by every valuable Endowment, and by every benevolent Disposition of the Mind, so eminently distinguished in your Excellency, must ever secure to you that Tribute of Respect and Affection, which is now now so generally and so willingly paid.

We assure your Excellency, that we will steadily persevere in that Course of Loyalty and dutiful Attachment to the best and most beloved of Kings, which His Majesty has been so graciously pleased to approve. And as we have the firmest Reliance on your Excellency's kind Intentions towards us, we shall use every Means in our Power for the Support, Honour and Ease of an Administration, which already is so acceptable, and must prove so beneficial to the Public.

Hen. Baker Sterne, Cler. Parliamentor.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

My Lords,

I Am extremely happy in the favourable Opinion you are pleased to entertain and express of my Character and my Intentions; my Conduct, during my Administration, will not, I hope, fall altogether short of those very flattering Expectations. An ardent Zeal for His Majesty's Service, and an earnest Attention to the Public Welfare, are the Principles by which I shall be invariably directed; and these I know cannot fail to secure to me from your Lordships, the most favourable Construction of my Actions, and the most cordial Assistance in all my Endeavours.

To his Excellency Hugh, Earl of Northumberland, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens and Burgesses in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Excellency,
We the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament assembled, return your Excellency our most sincere

sincere Thanks, for your most excellent Speech from the Throne; and we beg Leave to congratulate your Excellency, on your Appointment to the Government of this Kingdom.

We are inexpressibly happy, that our past Conduct has met with His Majesty's Approbation; and we flatter ourselves, that, by our future Proceedings, we shall not forfeit that Regard which His Majesty has so graciously condescended to honour us with.

We beg Leave to express our Satisfaction, that the Situation of public affairs will permit so very considerable a Diminution of the Public Expences; and that your Excellency is appointed to the Government of this Kingdom, at so happy a Period; and we assure your Excellency we shall most cheerfully grant such Supplies as shall be necessary for the Support of His Majesty's Government, and shall give all proper Attention to the Reduction of the National Debt.

The Rifings of the lower People, mentioned by your Excellency, gives us the utmost Concern; they deserve and shall have our closest Attention; and we are fully sensible that no Means can serve more effectually to prevent those Disorders for the future, than the Encouragement of such Institutions as tend to impress on the Minds of the lower Order of People, early Habits of Industry, and true Ideas of Religion.

As we are fully persuaded that your Excellency will, upon all Occasions be ready to forward the growing Prosperity of this very improveable Country; so we shall, on our Parts, be solicitous to demonstrate to the World, that we cannot more effectually serve our own Interests, than by endeavouring, through the whole Course of our Proceedings, to contribute to the Honour, the Ease and Permanency of your Excellency's Administration.

E. Sterling, } Cler. Dom. Com.
H. Alcock, }

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

Gentlemen,

I Am extremely thankful for this very obliging Address; the favourable Opinion you are pleased to conceive of my Intentions at the Commencement of my Administration, will, I flatter myself, be confirmed in the Course and by the Conclusion of it. It will be my chief Endeavour to merit your Approbation by my own Conduct, and faithfully to represent to His Majesty, the Loyalty and the Affection of your's: Opportunities of doing this Act of Justice, so honourable to you, and so pleasing to me, I persuade myself will very frequently occur; and you may rest assured, they shall be always very readily embraced, and improved to the utmost Advantage.

Florence, October 8. The Duke of Braganza arrived here Yesterday with a very numerous Retinue. Last Week the Pope went to Castel Gondolfo, as usual at this Season.

Bonn, October 13. The 11th the Elector of Cologne returned hither from Arenberg; and Yesterday was complimented on his Arrival by the Nobility, Officers, and the several Courts of Judicature. The same Day Mr. Cresener, His Britannick Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary to his Electoral Highness, had his first Audience, to which he was conducted in the Court Equipages.

St. James's, October 21.

This Day his Excellency the Count de Guerchy, Ambassador in Ordinary from France;
And Count de la Marmora, Envoy-Extraordinary

from Sardinia, had Private Audiences of His Majesty, to deliver their Credentials.

To which they were introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Halifax, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Stenhou Courtrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, October 8, 1763.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That, on Tuesday, the Fourth Day of this Instant, between the Hours of One and Two o'Clock in the Morning, the House of Miss Hamersleys, upon the Park Hill, in New Windsor, was broke into by some Person or Persons unknown; that a Man came into the Room where the said Miss Hamersleys lay, and demanded their Money, and took from them their pockets, in which their Money and Keys were; that their said Pockets were afterwards found in Windsor Little Park, with their Keys and other Things; but, that their Money, and a Shagreen Case of Instruments, were gone; and that the said Person or Persons had married Mary Holland, the Maid-Servant of the said House, in her Room, by tying a small Line, like a Jack Line, round her Neck very tight, which caused her to His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery and Murder, is, hereby, pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon, as also a Reward of One Hundred Pounds Sterling, to any One of them (except the Person who actually committed the said Robbery) who shall discover him, or her, Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Robbery, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof; the said Reward of One Hundred Pounds Sterling, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, to the Person making such Discovery as aforesaid (except as above excepted) upon the Conviction of a Person or Persons of the Criminals.

DUNK HALIFAX.

General Excise-Office, London, October 6, 1763.

Whereas many Persons, who own, use, have, or keep, Quantities of Silver Plate chargeable with the Duty granted by an Act of Parliament made in the 20th Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, have neglected to renew their Notices, and to make true Entries in Writing of the Number of Ounces of such Plate, and to pay the Duty due for the same according to the Directions of the said Act, although Application hath been made to them for that Purpose, by the Direction of the Commissioners of Excise: These are therefore to give Notice, that if they do not comply with the Directions of the said Act, and pay the Duties due for their Plate at the proper Offices appointed to receive the same, within 40 Days from the Date hereof, the said Commissioners will think themselves obliged, without further Notice, to order Bills to be filed against them in the Court of Exchequer, to enforce the Payment of the said Duties.

Likewise Notice is hereby given to all Persons who own, use, have, or keep Silver Plate chargeable with the said Duty, and who have never made any Entry of the same, that they are liable to be prosecuted for their Neglect thereof.

Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office.

The Directors give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Members of the said Society will be held at their Office in Angel Court on Snow-hill, on Thursday the 10th Day of November next, at Three in the Afternoon.

N. B. The Election of Directors for the Year ensuing, by Ballotting, will be held at the Office, on the Three preceding Days, from Nine in the Forenoon, to Six in the Afternoon.

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East India House, June 22, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice, That pursuant to a Resolution of the General Court of the said Company held this Day, the present Interest of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum on the said Company's Bonds shall cease, and determine on the 31st of December next; and that from and after that Day, the said Company's Bonds are to carry an Interest after the Rate of Four Pounds per Centum per Annum, and the Proprietors thereof are hereby allowed to the 21st Day of November next inclusive, to bring the same to the Accountant of the said Company, at their House in Isouthall Street (if they think fit) to be marked in order to carry the said Interest of Four Pounds per Centum per Annum from the said 31st of December next accordingly; and that the Principal and Interest to the said 31st of December next, on all such Bonds as shall not be brought in to be marked on or before the said 21st Day of November as before-mentioned, shall be paid off; and that no further Reduction will be made in the Interest on the Company's Bonds without giving Six Months Notice.

East India House, October 19, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, being informed that many Persons, possess'd of the Company's Bonds, decline bringing them in to be marked, in order to a Reduction of Interest, pursuant to their Advertisement of the 22d of June last, under Apprehension, that such of them as are not brought in, will be continued at the present Rate of Interest, and such as are will carry less, think it proper, in order to obviate the Prejudices which may arise from a Notion so groundless in itself, and so dishonourable to the Company, to repeat the Declaration they made in that Advertisement, That pursuant to a Resolution of the General Court, such of the Bonds as are not brought in to be marked, on or before the 21st of November next, will be paid off; and to assure the Public, that at all Times, and in all Events, all the Company's Bonds will (as they always have) carry one and the same Rate of Interest.

Blenheim, October 4, 1763.

Whereas at a Meeting of the Deputy Lieutenants for the County of Oxford, held this Day at the Cross Inn in the City of Oxford, in Pursuance of former Advertisements for that Purpose, Doubts were conceived whether the several Deputy Lieutenants then attending could now qualify themselves according to the Directions of an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, "An Act to explain, amend, and reduce into One Act of Parliament, the several Laws now in Being relating to the Raising and Training the Militia within that Part of Great Britain called England," by reason whereof no Certificate was made, that no Militia had been raised for the said County for the last Year. And whereas the General Quarter Sessions for the said County is adjourn'd to the Twenty-seventh Day of October instant, Notice is hereby given, that a Certificate of the said Militia of the said County not having been raised, will then be returned to the said Quarter Sessions; to proceed thereon according to the said Act: And, in the mean Time, fresh Commissions of Deputy Lieutenancy will be prepared, and ready to be delivered to

such Gentlemen (who chuse to accept the same) previous to the said Meeting; and it is requested, that such Gentlemen, who chuse to act under the said Militia Act, will meet at the Cross Inn in Oxford, on the above Day.

MARLBOROUGH.

General Post-Office, October 1, 1763.

His Majesty's Post-master General, for the further Improvement of Correspondence, have been pleas'd to extend the Bye Night Mails, two additional Times a Week, from Newcastle to Edinburgh; and three additional Days a Week, from Carlisle to Annan and Dumfries; as likewise, to establish a Six Day Post between Edinburgh and Aberdeen, Glasgow, Grimsby, and the several intermediate Towns, the Whole to commence from the 10th Instant.

The additional Mails will be dispatched, from this Office, for Edinburgh, on Mondays and Fridays; the Monday's Mail will arrive at Edinburgh on Fridays, and the Friday's Mail on Mondays.

The additional Mails, from Edinburgh, will be dispatched for England, on Tuesday and Friday Evening; the Tuesday's Mail will arrive at this Office on Saturday days, and the Friday's Mail on Tuesdays.

And whereas great Numbers of Letters have lately been privately collected and delivered, as well in this Kingdom as in Scotland, contrary to Law, and to the Prejudice of the Revenue of this Office, Notice is hereby given, that all Carriers, Coachmen, Watermen, Wherry-men, Dispersers of Country News-papers, Higlers, and all other Persons whatsoever, hereafter detected in the illegal Collecting, Conveying, or Delivering of Letters and Packets, will be prosecuted with the utmost Severity.

The Penalty is Five Pounds for every Letter collected or delivered contrary to Law; and One Hundred Pounds for every Week such Practice is continued.

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

Victualling Office, October 21, 1763.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 7th of November next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Whitehaven, and be in want thereof; also Fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Whitehaven.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Sloop Happy, who were actually on Board at the Taking the Infirnal, a French Privateer, on the 10th of March, 1757, That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Bounty-Money, at the French Horn in Cruiched Fryars, on Monday the 21st of October, 1763; and the Shares remaining unpaid will be recalled at the said Place, the third Tuesday in every Month, for three Years to come.

Cha. Brett, of Greenwich, Esq; &
and Co. Agents.

MILITIA

M. I. L. I. T. A.
 West Riding of the County of York, with the City and County of the City of York, A General Meeting of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the said West Riding of the County of York, and of the said City and County of the City of York, is appointed to be held at the House of Mr. Thomas Madox, being the New Inn in Leeds in the said Riding, on Tuesday the 25th Day of this Instant October, for putting in Execution an Act of Parliament made in the second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for reducing into one Act the several Laws then in Being relating to the Militia.

Kippax, Oct. 10, 1763. Wm Fleming, Clerk to the General Meetings.

Wednesday, September 7, 1763. General Post-Office.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Chester Mail of last Night from this Office, was this Morning, between the Hours of Three and Four o'Clock, attacked and robbed near the Six Mile Stone on Finchley Common, by Two Fellows, who opened and took out of the said Mail, the following Bags of Letters, viz.

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| Barnet, | Stony Stratford, |
| St. Alban's, | Amphill, |
| Donstable, | Bedford, |
| Fenny Stratford, | Ashburne, |
| Luton, | Leicester, |
| Darenty, | Derby, |
| Towcester, | Nottingham, |
| Northampton, | Mansfield, |
| Harborough, | Chesterfield, |
| Loughborough, | Sheffield, |
| Lutterworth, | and |
| Rugby, | Rotherham; |

As likewise one Bag out of the Irish Mail, containing the charged Letters, and some Bundles of Franks.

The Persons who committed this Robbery are described to be, one of them rather a tall Man, dressed in a light-coloured Fustian Frock, a black or dark-brown Wig, a louch'd Hat, and pitted with the Small Pox; the other, rather a short Man, dressed in a Sailor's Jacket, with a great Number of small Buttons, a Hat upon his Head, and a checked Shirt

It is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highway-men; or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplish'd in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby both or either of the Persons who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers, will, upon the Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be entitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and will also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

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

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Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard, Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 30th Day of November next, between the Hours of Five and Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon;

The Great and Small Tythes of the Parish of **Clifton** near Bristol in the County of Gloucester, being an Impropriation, of the yearly Value of 110l. per Annum.

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Notice is hereby given, That the Creditors of the Honourable Robert Moore, late of Enfield Chase in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, or their lawful Representatives, especially such of them as have Judgments, namely, Robert Swanton, late of the Parish of St. James, Westminster, Esq;

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Elizabeth Mann, late of Greenwich in Kent, Widow.

By applying to Mr. Oliver Calley, of Overtown near Swindon in Wilt, and sending a just Account of their several Demands, in Writing, Post paid, with Directions where they may be wrote to, may hear of something to their Advantage.

Whereas

WHereas a Commission of Bankruptcy hath been awarded and executed against Thomas Cooke, late of Size Lane, London, Packer, and there is Reason to suspect, that great Part of his Estate and Effects hath been concealed from his Creditors: The Assignees hereby give Notice, that if any Person will discover any Money, Goods, Bills of Exchange, Notes of Hand, or other Effects belonging to the said Bankrupt, which have been concealed as aforesaid, so that the Assignees may recover the same; such Person shall receive at the Rate of Twenty-five Pounds for every One Hundred Pounds of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be recovered, by applying to Mr. Dowding, Attorney, in Throgmorton-street, London.

THE Bond Creditors (if any) of Mr. Joseph Daynes, late of the Minorities, Whitechapel, Broker, deceased, are desired immediately to deliver an Account, of their respective Securities to Mr. William Underwood, at his Chambers, No. 2. Inner Temple Lane, in order that the Executor of the said Mr. Joseph Daynes may apply such Effects as he has received on Account of his Executorship, towards discharging the same, otherwise he intends to make a Distribution thereof amongst the Simple Contract Creditors of the said Mr. Joseph Daynes.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Norris, late of Red Bull Wharf, London, Broker and Dealer in Iron, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on the 27th of October instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at Barton's Coffee-house, in Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees Commencing, Prosecuting, or Defending one or more Actions at Law or Suits in Equity for the Recovery of or concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also the Compounding, Submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise Agreeing, any Matters in Dispute relating thereto.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Harrison, late of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Woollen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 8th Day of November next, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Crompton's Coffee-house in Manchester aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from Commencing or Defending any Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate; or to their Agreeing, Compounding, or Submitting to Arbitration, any Matter relating to the said Estate; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt against Jonathan Sydenham and Thomas Hodgson, of Botolph Lane, London, Merchants and Partners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, on the 25th of October instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the New York Coffee-house in Swithin's Alley near the Royal Exchange, London, in order to assent to, or dissent from the Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits in Law or in Equity for the Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and to the compounding, agreeing, or submitting to Arbitration, any Matters in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Theodora Cox, late of Daulston in the County of Middlesex, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, and she being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender herself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th Day of October Instant, and on the 3th Day of November next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 3d Day of December following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of her Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the several Sittings to enquire Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish her Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of her Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to wait the Commissioners shall appoint.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Boden, now or late of Queen's Court in Basinghall-street, London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 12th Day of December next, at Four of the 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 of the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Burroughs, late of Dives in the County of Wilts, Brazier and Furder, intend to meet on the 9th Day of December next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Gass, being the Three Lyons Inn in the City of New Sarum, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Lethbridge the Younger, of Newton Abbott in the County of Devon, Linen-burser and Chapman, intend to meet on the 18th of November next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of John Swale in the Serge-market in Exon, 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.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Sharron, of Corsham in the Parish of Wimmering in the County of Southampton, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Sharron hath in all Things conforming 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 shown to the contrary on or before the 12th of November next.