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By the KING,

## A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the Twenty Fourth Day of this Instant October, We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, That the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said Twenty Fourth Day of October, to Tuesday the Seventeenth Day of December next: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of Great Britain to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do hereby further declare Our Royal Will, and Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Seventeenth Day of December next, be held and fit for the Dispatch of divers weighty and important Affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burghes, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Westminster on the said Seventeenth Day of December next.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Eighteenth Day of October, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Five, in the Fifth Year of Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

**A**T the Court at St. James's, the 18th Day of October, 1765,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**H**IS Majesty having been pleased to appoint the most Honourable Charles Marquess of Rockingham to be Lord Lieutenant of the West-Riding of the County of York, and of the City of York and County of the same; his Lordship this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

*Berlin, October 5.* Her Royal Highness the Princess Amelia, the King of Prussia's Sister, arrived last Wednesday at Potzdam from Brunswick, where she had been on a Visit to that Court.

[ Price Three-pence. ]

St. James's, October 19.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Charles Knowles, Esq; Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, the Dignity of a Baronet of the Kingdom of Great Britain.

General Post-Office, June 8, 1765.

**P**UBLICK Notice is hereby given, That by an Act passed the last Session of Parliament, "For altering certain Rates of Postage, and for amending, explaining, and enlarging several Provisions in the Act of the Ninth of Queen Anne, and other Acts relating to the Post-Office;" It is, amongst other Things, Enacted,

That Letters between London and any Port within the *British* Dominions in *America*, (in which all His Majesty's *West-India* Islands are included) shall pay Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That Letters, by Sea, from any one Port to any other Port within the said Dominions, shall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence.

That Letters, by Land, to or from any Chief Post-Office in *America*, from or to any other Part thereof not exceeding Sixty Miles from such Chief Post Office, or from the Office where such Letters, not passing through a Chief Office, may be put in, shall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence. And being upwards of Sixty, and not exceeding One Hundred Miles within the said Dominions, shall pay Single Six Pence, Double One Shilling, Treble One Shilling and Six Pence, the Ounce Two Shillings. And being upwards of One Hundred, and not exceeding Two Hundred Miles within the said Dominions, shall pay Single Eight Pence, Double One Shilling and Four Pence, Treble Two Shillings, the Ounce Two Shillings and Eight Pence. And for every Distance not exceeding One Hundred Miles above such Two Hundred, and for every such further Distance within the said Dominions, shall pay Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence.

That no Vessel shall be permitted to break Bulk, or make Entry in any Port within the *British* Dominions, where Posts are or may be established, until all Letters on board are delivered to the Postmaster of such Port (he paying the Bringer One Penny for each Letter) to be forwarded according to their respective Directions, except such as are excepted by the Act of the Ninth of Queen Anne; and such as may be brought by Vessels liable to Quarentine, which last are to be delivered to the Persons superintending the Quarentine, for proper Care, before they are forwarded by the Post. And that all Masters, Mariners, Passengers,

Passengers, &c. neglecting to deliver the Letters as aforesaid, shall, for every Neglect, forfeit Twenty Pounds.

That the Postmaster shall take for every Letter brought by such Vessel, for any Place within his Delivery, One Penny, above the Penny paid to the Master or other Person for the same.

That Letters conveyed in *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, not exceeding one Stage, shall pay Single One Penny, Double Two Pence, Treble Three Pence, the Ounce Four Pence. And in *England*, above one and not exceeding two Stages, Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence; but these Rates are not to affect the Penny-Post.

That Letters passing between *England* and *Ireland*, through *Carlisle*, *Dumfries*, *Port Patrick*, and *Donaghadee*, shall pay the same Rates of *English*, *Scotch*, *Irish*, and Packet Postage, according to the Distance or Number of Stages they are conveyed in each Kingdom, as are settled by the Act of the Ninth of *Queen Anne*, or by this Act.

That no Packet exceeding the Weight of Four Ounces shall be sent by the Penny-Post; unless coming from, or passing thereby to the General Post.

That Letters passing between *London* and *Hamburg* shall pay as Letters between *London* and all other Parts of *Germany*, viz. Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That any Officer of the Post-Office secreting or destroying any Letter, Bag or Mail of Letters, containing any Bank Note, Bill, or other Paper, Writing, or Order for the Payment of Money; or stealing out of any Letter any such Bank Note, Bill, &c. on Conviction, shall suffer Death as a Felon.

That any Person robbing a Mail, in any Place or in any Manner whatsoever, although it may not appear that any one was put in Fear by such Robbery, shall, on Conviction, suffer Death as a Felon.

That any Officer of the Post-Office, entrusted to take in Letters, and receive the Postage thereof, embezzling the Money received, or destroying the Letters; or any Officer advancing the Rates on Letters, and not accounting for the advanced Postage, shall, on Conviction, be deemed guilty of Felony.

That any Post-Boy having a Mail or Bag of Letters under his Care, deserting the same before his Arrival at the next Stage; or suffering any other Person to ride on the Horse or Carriage along therewith; or loitering on the Road; or not, in all possible Cases, conveying the Mail after the Rate of Six measured Miles an Hour, shall, on Conviction, before one Justice of the Peace, be sent to the House of Correction for any Time not exceeding One Month, nor less than Fourteen Days.

That any Post-Boy, singly, or in Combination with others, unlawfully collecting, or conveying Letters, or causing the same to be unlawfully conveyed, shall, on Conviction, before one Justice of the Peace, forfeit Ten Shillings, to be paid to the Informer, for every Letter so unlawfully collected, conveyed, or delivered. And if the Forfeiture is not immediately paid, shall be sent to the House of Correction, for any Time not exceeding Two Months, nor less than One Month.

That all Rates of Letters, and all Forfeitures, mentioned in this Act, shall be paid in Sterling Money of *Great Britain*.

The Rates established by this Act for the Port of Letters between *London* and *Hamburg*; and the Limitation of the Weight of Packets to be sent by the Penny-Post, commence from the Fifth of July next. All other Regulations, Rates of Postage, Pains, Penalties, and Forfeitures beforementioned, commence from the Tenth Day of October next.

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

Custom-House, London, Oct. 8, 1765.

For Sale, by Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty) on Tuesday the 22d, Wednesday the 23d, Thursday the 24th, and on Tuesday the 29th, and Wednesday the 30th of October instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers in these Commodities.

To be Exported,

Cambricks or French Lawns, Mens Ruffles and Bosoms wrought with Thread, Flowered and Brocaded Silks, Satin Shapes for Waistcoats, and sundry other Silk Manufactures, and a Variety of East India and other Prohibited Goods.

For Home Consumption,

Sundry Pieces of Muslin plain, Muslin Handkerchiefs, Muslin Neckcloths, Aprons, Handkerchiefs and Ruffles wrought with Thread, Nankin Cloth, several Sorts of plain and printed Linens, Blois or Blond Lace, Bone Lace, Sisters Thread, Silk Stockings, Leather Gloves, Black Pins, Necklaces and Earrings, Tortoiseshell and Paper Snuff Boxes, Paper, Pictures and Picture Frames, Prints, Bronzes, and Sulphur Impressions, Sword Blades, Spermaceti, Wax Candles, Gold and Silver Lace and Apparel to be burnt, Gold, Silver, Woollen and Linen Wearing Apparel, Cutlery, Hardware, China Ware, Paste Stones, Mens and Womens Leghorn and Chip Hats, sundry Parcels of Grocery and Drugs, Wine in Casks and Bottles, Rum, Brandy, Geneva, Arrack, Cordial Waters, and several Parcels of Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee Raw and Roasted, a Boat and Oars, with Tackle and Furniture of two Vessels, Refus'd Wines, and several Sorts of other Goods as mentioned in the Catalogue. Clear of all Duties (Chocolate excepted.)

The Goods to be seen and tasted at the King's Warehouse at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 17th, Saturday the 19th, and Monday the 21st of October instant, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered. The Boat, with Tackle, &c. to be seen at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet-Dock Rotherhithe.

Messieurs Miles Barber and William Mason, Assignees of the Effects of Robert Mackmillan and Edmund Ford, both of Lancaster, Merchants, intend to meet at Thomas Warbrick's, the Cross Keys in Bridge Lane Lancaster, on Monday the 4th of November next, to make a Dividend of 7 s. 6 d. in the Pound amongst all the Creditors who shall come in under the Assignment, and by themselves, or their lawful Attornies, execute an Instrument lodged with Mr. Anthony Atkinson, Attorney at Law in Lancaster, whereby the Creditors agree to accept of a Dividend of the Effects in full of their Debts. N. B. A final Dividend will be advertised as soon as possible.

NOTICE

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Majesty's Fee Farm and other Rents in the several Counties of Kent, Surry, Suffex, Northampton and Derby, are to be paid annually at the respective Audits held at the several Places appointed according to Proclamation; and Notice given upon my Acquittances; after which, (for the Convenience of His Majesty's Tenants) all Rents left unpaid at the said Audits may be paid to me at my House in York Street Covent Garden, (instead of my Chambers in Lyons Inn) where, for the future, Attendance will be given for Receiving the same in Michaelmas Term, every Wednesday and Friday, from Ten in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon; and after the End of the said Term, on Saturday's only, till Lady-day, at which Time all Rents remaining in Arrears will be given in Charge to be levied.

James Best, Receiver.

Sunderland, October 9, 1765.

**T**HE Creditors of Thomas Chilton, late of Sunderland near the Sea in the County of Durham, Master and Mariner, deceased, are desired to take Notice, that a Dividend of the said Thomas Chilton's Effects will be made on the 30th Day of October Instant, at Mr. Dunn's Office in Sunderland aforesaid; and the said Dividend will be then paid to the said Creditors, or to such Person or Persons as shall be by them properly authorized to receive same.

**I**F any of the next of Kin or Relations of John Burnett, formerly a Mariner belonging to His Majesty's Ship the Augusta, and late belonging to His Majesty's Ship the Centaur at Portsmouth, and last at the West Indies, deceased, and who was born near Bishop-watmouth, (as is supposed) in the County of Durham, be living, they are desired to apply to Mr. Mair's, Linnen Draper, at the Ship and Sun in Bishopsgate Street without, London, where they will hear of something to their Advantage.

**A**LL Persons that have any Claims or Demands on John Taylor, late of Stroud in the County of Kent, deceased, who was Purser of His Majesty's Ship the Prince's Royal, are peremptorily to find their Accounts thereof to Mr. Robert Barnevelt, in Thames Street near Billingsgate, London; or to Mr. Henry Curtis, at Brompton near Chatham in Kent, on or before the 16th Day of December next, or otherwise the Effects of the said John Taylor will be applied and disposed of to the Persons entitled thereto; and the Creditors making such Default will be excluded from any Benefit from the same.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Saint John Elliott, late Rector of Laddock in the County of Cornwall, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commissions of Bankrupt awarded against the following Persons, viz. Nicholas Lilley, of Ashton under Line in the County of Lancaster, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman; Nicholas Lilley, of Ashton under Line in the County of Lancaster, and Isaac Heapy and Peter Heapy, both of Stockport in the County of Chester, Copartners, Dealers and Chapman; and Isaac Heapy, Peter Heapy, and Thomas Worthington, of Stockport in the County of Chester, Copartners, Hat-makers, Dealers and Chapman, are desired to meet the several Assignees under the said Commissions, at the Rainbow Coffee House in Cornhill, on Tuesday the 5th Day of November next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to consider whether or not it will be for the Interest of the said Bankrupts several Creditors under the said Commissions to consolidate the several Estates of the said Bankrupts, and make one Dividend thereof equally among all the Creditors under the said several Commissions, or what other Method will be most proper to pursue, in order to settle the said Bankrupts Accounts for the mutual Interest of their several Creditors, that a Dividend may be forthwith made under the said Commissions.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Sayer, of Cow Lane West Smithfield, London, Tobaccoist, 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 1st, 2d, and 30th Days of November next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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 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. Gregg, at Skinners Hall Dowgate Hill, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Willson, of the Parish of Stepney, otherwise Stebonheath, in the County of Middlesex, Twine Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 12th Day of November 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Law, of the Parish of St. Bartholomew the Great in the City of London, Linnen Draper, intend to meet on the 12th Day of November next, at Four 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 Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Topping, of Leadenhall Street, London, Seedman, intend to meet on the 12th of November 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Kearsly, of the Parish of St. Martin Ludgate in the City of London, Bookseller and Stationer, intend to meet on the 11th of November 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 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 Robert Bawcock, of High Wycombe in the County of Bucks, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th of November 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 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 Richard Moseley the Younger, of Chichester in the County of Suffex, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th of November 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.

In last Tuesday's Gazette, in the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against Thomas Ashurst Maclane, for the 30th of November next, read the 26th of November next.

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**T**HE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for the 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.

**T**HE 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 Fifth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the 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 the Goal at **BEAUMARIS** in and for the County of Anglesey.

### First Notice.

Richard Jones, late of the Parish of Trefdraeth in the County of Anglesey, Shoe-maker.

William Williams, late of Beaumaris in the County of Anglesey, Victualler.

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

### Third Notice.

John Crisp, formerly of Threadneedle Street in the Parish of St. Martin Outwich, late of St. Lawrence's Court in the Parish of St. Lawrence Guildhall, London, Agent for Merchants and Captains.

**T**HE following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on or before the **FIRST** Day of **JANUARY**, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-Five, 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 Fifth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the 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

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

### First Notice.

Joseph Ryland, formerly of Princes Street, late of Leicester Fields, both in the Parish of St. Ann Soho, in the County of Middlesex, Miniature Painter.

Fugitive surrendered to the Goaler of **LIVERPOOL** Tower Prison.

### Second Notice.

Jane Seston, formerly of Liverpool, last from Dublin, Dealer and Chapman.

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

### Second Notice.

John Thomson, formerly of Dundee in the Shire of Angus in Scotland, late of the Parish of St. Botolph Aldgate, Mariner.

John Twynihoe, formerly of the Parish of St. Dunstan Stepney, otherwise Stebonheath, in the County of Middlesex, late of the Parish of St. Mary Abchurch, London, Mariner.

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

### First Notice.

David Sutton, late of the Parish of St. Mary, Dover, Mariner.

Samuel Noble, formerly of Penzance, late of the Isle of Wight, Bricklayer.

### Second Notice.

Elias Davey, formerly of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen in the Borough of Southwark, late of the Parish of St. John, both in the County of Surry, Mariner.

### Third Notice.

Edward Lee, formerly of Castle Street Leicester Fields, late of Duke Street St. James's, both in the County of Middlesex, Victualler.

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

### First Notice.

James Smyth, late of Half Moon Alley Aldersgate Street, London, Cabinet-maker.

### Third Notice.

John Bachelor, late of Berwick Street, in the Parish of St. James within the Liberty of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Matras-maker.

Charles Arbinet, formerly of Warwick Street, late of Berwick Street in the Parish of St. James within the Liberty of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Taylor.

*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.