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Westminster, December 17.

THIS Day His Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Francis Molineux, 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 make the following most gracious Speech.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE present general State of Tranquility in Europe, gave Me Hopes, that it would not have been necessary to assemble My Parliament sooner than is usual in Times of Peace.

But, as Matters of Importance have lately occurred in some of My Colonies in America, which will demand the most serious Attention of Parliament; and as further Informations are daily expected from different Parts of that Country, of which I shall order the fullest Accounts to be prepared for your Consideration; I have thought fit to call you now together, in order that Opportunity may thereby be given, to issue the necessary Writs on the many Vacancies that have happened in the House of Commons since the last Session; so that the Parliament may be full, to proceed, immediately after the usual Recess, on the Consideration of such Weighty Matters as will then come before you.

Venice, November 27. The Magistrates of Health here have received Advices of the Plague spreading a little farther in the Turkish Province of Bosnia, and of its being likely to cease in that of Erzegovina. Their Excellencies have laid a Quarantine of Twenty-eight Days upon the Vessels coming from Daila, and some other Ports in Istria, on Account of three Men having made their Escape to Daila, out of some Gallies that came from Corfu.

The Nobles being now returned to Town, the first Great Council was held here on Saturday last.

Florence, November 30. The Great Dutchess's Birth-day was celebrated here last Sunday. Their Royal Highnesses dined that Day in publick under a Canopy in the Great Hall of the Palace; and in the Evening there was a Drawing-Room. The same Day Marshal Botta entertained at Dinner some of the principal Officers of the Court, and the Foreign Ministers.

Prince Kinsky, who, the Beginning of the Month arrived here with the Ensigns of the Order of Marie Terefe to the Great Duke, received from his Royal Highness a Snuff-box, with his Picture on the Outside set with Diamonds; and on the 26th returned to Vienna.

York-House, December 15.

This Day Hamet Aga, Ambassador from Tripoli, had a private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke of York.

To which he was introduced by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, December 17.

Yesterday the King was pleased to appoint Sir Andrew Mitchell, Knight of the Bath, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Prussia.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 17, 1765.

Orders for the Court's going out of Mourning on Sunday next the 22d Instant, for his late Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland; and the same Day the Mourning for her late Royal Highness the Margravine of Schwedt, Sister to the King of Prussia, to be changed, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, coloured Ribbons, Fans and Tippetts.

The Men to continue in Black full trimmed, and to wear coloured Swords and Buckles.

Erratum. In last Saturday's Gazette, in the Article dated St. James's, December 13, for Andrew Mitchell, Esq; His Majesty's Minister, &c. read, Andrew Mitchell, Esq; late His Majesty's Minister, &c.

Victualling-Office, December 13, 1765.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday next the 20th instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat for Six Hundred Oxen, and One Thousand, or One Thousand Five Hundred Hogs, (at the Option of the Board) for Sea Store for the Port of London. The Oxen not to weigh less than Seven Hundred Weight, nor the Hogs less than One Hundred Weight, each.

East-India House, September 26, 1765.

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 held this Day, the present Interest of 4 £. per Centum per Annum on the said Company's Bonds shall cease and determine on the 31st Day of March next; and that from and after that Day, the said Company's Bonds are to carry an Interest after the Rate of 3 £. per Centum per Annum; and the Proprietors thereof are hereby allowed to the 20th Day of February next inclusive, to bring the same in to the Accountant of the said Company, at their House in Leadenhall-Street, (if they think fit) to be mark'd, in order to carry the said Interest of 3 £. per Centum per Annum from the said 31st Day of March next accordingly; and that the Principal and Interest to the said 31st Day of March next, on all such Bonds as shall not be brought in, to be marked on or before the said 20th Day of February as before-mentioned, shall be paid off.

Robert James, Secretary.

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Third Year of King George the Third) on Monday the 16th, Tuesday the 17th, Wednesday the 18th, and Thursday the 19th 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 those Commodities, viz.

Several Parcels of Bohea and Green Teas, Coffee Raw and Roasted, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack, Hungary and Cordial Waters, Spruce Beer, Wooden Clocks, Chip Hats, and Tobacco Pipes. Clear of all Duties.

The above Goods to be seen and tasted at the King's Warehouse at the Custom-House, London, and the Tobacco Pipes at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe, on Thursday the 12th, Friday the 13th, and Saturday the 14th of December, from Nine to One in the Forenoons of the said Days, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

General Post-Office, December 7, 1765.

His Majesty's Postmaster General, for the Improvement of Correspondence, having been pleased to establish a Packet-Boat between Whitehaven and the Isle of Man, to sail to and from the said Island, once in every Fortnight; Publick Notice is hereby given, that this Regulation will commence the 5th of January next, and that all Letters by this Conveyance, will, over and above the Inland Rates, be charged Two Pence each Single Letter, for Packet-Postage, and so in Proportion.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Hen. Potts, Secretary.

East-India House, November 20, 1765.

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

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street on Wednesday the 18th Day of December next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 5th Day of December at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 9th Day of January next.

And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th Day of January next, will be delivered on Wednesday the 5th Day of February following.

Last Saturday was published,

Price Six-Pence, N^o 1. containing Frontispiece, Title, Introduction, and Contents, and Three Sheets of the Work; also, Price One Shilling, N^o 1. & 2. containing Frontispiece, &c. North America, Plste 2. and Six Sheets. And next Saturday will be published, Price Six-Pence, N^o 2. containing North America, Plate 2. and three Sheets; also, Price One Shilling, N^o 3. & 4. containing North America, Plate 4. and Six Sheets.

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Proposals at large are delivered by R. Horsfield, in Ludgate Street.

This Day was published,

In Two Vols. 12mo. Price bound 6s.

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THE TRIUMVIRATE: Or,
The Authentic Memoirs of A. B. and C.

Printed for W. Johnston in Ludgate-Street.

PRIVATE LUNATIC HOUSE.

A Private Lunatic House, lately built for that Purpose, in a remarkable airy Situation, is now opened at Norwich, for the Reception of Gentleman and Ladies under any State of that Disemper. The Patients are accommodated with large and airy Apartments, Hot and Cold Baths, and are under the constant Direction and Prescription of a regular Physician, who has had the Care of a Publick Bethlem in that City for many Years. For further Particulars enquire of Dr. Beevor in Norwich.

WHEREAS John Smith, Corporal in the

Sixtieth Company of Marines, deserted the 6th of November last from his Party at Bristol, since which Time he has been at Taunton, From, Bristol, and Swansey in Wales, defrauding the Country, and enlisting Men under false Beating Order: This is to give Notice, that whoever will secure him in any of His Majesty's Goals, by applying to the Commanding Marine Officer at Plymouth, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward over and above what is allowed by Act of Parliament. John Smith is aged 23 Years, Five Foot Six Inches and a Quarter high, fresh Complexion, light, brown, short, and curled Hair, grey Eyes, pitted with the Small-Pox, born in the Parish of Killcome in the County of Wexford, Ireland, by Trade a Hosier, walks very upright, and in his Discourse talks mild.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, all Persons having any Mortgages or other Incumbrances on the Moiety of an Annuity of 3000l. granted by King Charles the Second to John then Earl of Bath, out of the Hereditary Revenues, or on the Manor of Grindon in Staffordshire, and diverse Farms within the same, or on the Advowson of the Church of Grindon, or on an undivided third Part of Finkley Park in Hampshire, and of several Woods there, or on an undivided third Part of an Estate at Rotherhith in Surry, respectively Part of the Real Estate of John late Earl Gower, deceased, or that have any Mortgages or Incumbrances on any other of the Real Estate of the said late Earl Gower, are forthwith to come in and prove the same before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the Court of Exchequer, the Creditors of William Perkins, late of Lincoln's Inn, Gentleman, deceased, are to come in before Charles Taylor, Esq; Deputy Remembrancer of the said Court, at his Chambers near the King's Remembrancer's Office, Inner Temple, and prove their respective Debts.

To be sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, on Monday the 10th of February next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Freehold Estate late of Edward Bullstrode, Esq; deceased, situate in and near Evesham in the County of Worcester, comprized in the several Lots following, viz. Lot N^o 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Newton, late of Thong's Bridge in the Parish of Almondbury in the County of York, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate, on the 27th Day of December instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. Joseph Walker in Honley in the Parish aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, several Matters in Dispute relating to the said Estate and Effects; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of John Weekes, late of Buckinghamshire in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, but late a Prisoner in the King's Bench Prison, are desired to meet the Assignee or Assignees on Thursday the 2d Day of January 1766, at Seven of the Clock in the Evening, at the King's Head Tavern the Corner of Chancery-Lane, Fleet-Street, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee or Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matters in Dispute relating to the said Insolvent Debtor's Estate; and on other special Matters.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Blyde, late of Long Acre in the County of Middlesex, Coffeeman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, Tomorrow, being Wednesday the 18th instant, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, at the French Horn Inn High Holborn, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's

Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their agreeing, Compounding, or submitting to Arbitration, any Matter relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Robert Earl of Northington, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Joseph Thomlinson, late of Virginia-Street, Wapping, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 24th of December instant; 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 February next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; 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.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Robert Earl of Northington, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Thomas French, of King-Street, London, Linnen-draper, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for 21 Days, to be computed from the 14th of December Instant; 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 4th Day of January next, at Four in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; 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.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Ellison, now or late of Menthorp in the County of York, Corn-Factor, 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 28th Days of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. Thomas Wightman, Innholder, being the Sign of the George and Dragon in Leeds in the said County, 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 John Eagle, Attorney, in Bradford in the said County of York.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Hayward, of Bath in the County of Somerset, Vintner, intend to meet on the 22d of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Unicorn Inn in the Market-Place in Bath aforesaid, 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 Shippen, late of Sheffield in the County of York, Linnen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Angel Inn at Sheffield, in order to make a Final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Charles Saulnier, of Bread Street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 22d Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Field, late of Gracechurch-Street, London, Hosier, did meet on the 14th Day of December instant, at Guildhall, London, (pursuant to Notice given in the London Gazette) in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when the said Dividend was adjourned to the 22d Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where 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.

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.

THE following Persons being Prisoners for Debt, in the respective Prisons, or Goals; hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the 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 MARAZION in the County of Cornwall.
Second Notice.

Jane Elles, late of the Parish of St. Just in the County of Cornwall, Widow.
Grace Relfeigh, late of the same Parish and County, Widow.

Prisoners in the KING'S BENCH Prison, in the County of Surry.
Third Notice.

William Penrice; formerly of the City of Worcester, Innholder, late of the Parish of St. Sepulchre without in the County of Middlesex; Victualler.
John Brumwell, formerly of Chancery-Lane, late of Fetter-Lane, in the Parish of St. Dunstan's; London, Upholder.

THE 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.

Fugitives surrendered to the Keeper of the KING'S BENCH Prison in the County of Surry.

Second Notice:

William Brown, formerly of St. Dunstan's Stepney, late of Shadwell, both in the County of Middlesex, Mast-maker.
Thomas Forster, formerly of Dublin, late of the Isle of Man, Merchant.
John Miles, formerly of Kirkley in the County of Suffolk, late of Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, Mariner.

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

Third Notice.

John Lamb, formerly of Sunderland, late of Old Gravel-lane in the Parish of St. George in the East in the County of Middlesex, Butcher.
John Green, formerly of Deptford, late of Woolwich, both in the County of Kent, Blacksmith.
Thomas Fowler, formerly of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, late of Dover in the County of Kent, Mariner.

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

