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St. James's, August 26.

THE following Address of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of the Colony of New York, having been transmitted by Sir Henry Moore, Bart. Governor of New-York, has been presented to the King by the Earl of Shelburne, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble and dutiful Address of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of the Colony of New-York.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majesty's faithful Subjects, the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of your Colony of New-York, ever anxious to give the highest Demonstration of their Loyalty and Affection to their gracious Sovereign, beg Leave to approach the Throne, and with the greatest Humility to express those Sentiments of Gratitude, excited in all your American Subjects by the late and distinguishing Mark of Royal Tenderness and Clemency, so conspicuous in your Majesty's Assent to the Repeal of a Law, replete with Consequences the most distressing to the Inhabitants of these your Colonies.

With Joy undisssembled we reflect on an Event so happily tending to dispel every Jealousy between your Majesty's British and American Subjects; to revive their Commercial Inter-course; to confirm their wonted Confidence; and to strengthen that Union, which must continue indissoluble while supported by an equal Distribution of Rights, a just Dependence upon, and a due Subordination of the Colonies to the Mother-Country.

Permit us, most Gracious Sovereign, while we exult in your Paternal Protection, to testify, at the same Time, our Veneration and Gratitude to your Majesty's Parliament; and to offer those dutiful Acknowledgments, which the Wisdom, Justice, and Moderation of that August Body, displayed on this memorable Occasion, so justly demand.

Could any Thing augment our Zeal for your Majesty's Person and Family, it must be this recent and affecting Proof of the Royal Benefi-

cence—Animated with a lively Sense of Duty to the best of Kings, we shall use our utmost Influence to support and strengthen your Majesty's Government, and set an Example to the People of an unremitting Exertion in the Defence of your Sacred Person, and in the Maintenance of the Protestant Succession; most ardently wishing, that there never may be wanting a Prince of your Majesty's Illustrious Line to reign over your extensive Dominions.

New-York, June 24, 1766. *H. Moore.*

By Order of the Council,
Dan. Horsmanden, Speaker.
By Order of the General Assembly,
W. Nicoll, Speaker.

Florence, August 2. On Friday last the Nobility and Foreign Ministers were admitted to pay their Compliments of Condolence to the Great Dutchess on the Death of the Queen Dowager of Spain.

The Great Duke has ordered an Apartment to be prepared in one of his Palaces in Town, for the Reception of the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick, in Case his Serene Highness should come hither.

Sir James Macdonald died at Rome the 26th past, after a tedious Illness.

Marine Pay-Office, Craig's-Court, Charing-Cross, August 26, 1766.

In Pursuance of the Direction of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Paymaster of His Majesty's Marine Forces hereby gives Notice, that on Monday next, being the 1st of September, will be issued at this Office Six Months Half-Pay due to the Reduced Officers of the said Forces, from the 1st of January to the 30th of June last inclusive.

Dovor Harbour.

Pursuant to an Order of the Honourable Warden and Assistants of the Harbour of Dover, Notice is hereby given, that from and after the 10th Day of September next, for the Convenience of Ships passing and repassing, and coming into the said Harbour, Two Lights (instead of one as at present) will be fixed on the South Head of the said Harbour, at the Distance of Ten Foot one above the other, in order that they may be more easily distinguished from the Lights in the Town. Dated the 21st Day of August, 1766.

Jeg^a Wellard, Receiver.

Custom-House, London, August 7, 1766.

For Sale, by Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, on Thursday the 28th Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

Sugar, Cotton, Coffee, and Cocoa, in Time.

The Goods to be viewed at the New Warehouses at the Custom-House, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, before the Time of Sale.

Navy-Office, August 15, 1766.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That sometime in the Month of June, 1767; they propose to treat with such Persons as shall be willing to sell and import American White Pine Masts; to be delivered at His Majesty's Yards in England.

The particular Day for which will be hereafter appointed.

Virtualing Office, August 18, 1766.

The Commissioners for Virtualing His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 10th of September next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, sealed up, from such Persons as may be willing to contract to serve His Majesty's Navy with British Butter, Cheshire, Gloucester and Warwickshire Cheese, or Cheese of equal Goodness, for one Year, commencing from the 30th of September next.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office.

East-India House, Aug. 20, 1766.

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

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 24th Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon: which, in Consequence of a Resolution at the last General Court, is to be on special Affairs.

That the Transfer Books of the East India Annuities will be shut on Wednesday the 10th Day of September next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Friday the 10th Day of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants; due the 10th of said October, will be ready to be delivered on Saturday the 8th of November next.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their House in Deans Yard, Westminster, on Thursday the 4th Day of September next:

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Sloop Antigua, Lemuel Shulabam, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the Taking Le Maria Louisa; French Privateer, on the 23d of November; 1761; That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Bounty-Money for Taking the said Privateer, on Saturday the 27th of September next, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryers: And that the same will be recalled the last Saturday in every Month for three Years to come.

Alex. Chorley, Ayliff-Street, Goodman's-Fields; Agent.

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WHercas, in the Year 1708, James de Gafigny, Esq; died, and left, by Will, a Sum of Money to Miss de Laugnic, who, since then, has gone by the Name of Elizabeth Moyse de la Roche.—At the Time of Mr. de Gafigny's Death she resided at the Hague, and afterwards at Paris.—The above Legacy having, by her Directions, been laid out in the Publick Funds, the Reverend Mr. Philip Menard, Executor to Mr. de Gafigny, accounted with her, of her Order, for the Interest and Produce thereof until the Beginning of the Year 1733, at which Time she drew on him, from Paris, for a Sum of Money, since when she has not been heard of, although diligent and repeated Enquiries have been made after her at the Hague, as likewise at Paris.

If the abovementioned Lady is living, she is desired to apply immediately, by Letter or otherwise, to Mr. Philip Duperron, at Brooks's Coffee-House, in Downing-Street, Westminster; and, in Case she is dead, her next Heir, applying at above, and producing the requisite Vouchers and Certificates, shall be accounted with.

London, August 23, 1766.

Notice is hereby given, That the Copartnership between Samuel Eogle and Hugh Falconar, of Mark-Lane, Rum and Brandy Merchants, is dissolved from this Day, by the mutual Consent of each Party: All Persons who are indebted to the said Copartnership, are desired forthwith to pay the respective Sums they owe, to Samuel Bogle, James Mowbray, and John Anderson, at the Compting-House of Bogle and Falconar, in Mark-Lane; and those who have any Claim upon said Copartnership, are desired to apply as above.

N. B. Mr. Bogle continues to carry on the Business as before.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Croasdale, of Sherkelwell in the County of Middlesex; Weaver, Dealer and Chapman, met (pursuant to Notice given in the London Gazette) on the 23d instant, at Guildhall, London, for the Choice of Assignees; but, at the Request of the Creditors then present, the said Choice was put off to the 3d Day of September next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come and prove the same, and choose Assignees accordingly.

August 26, 1766.

THE Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the late Bridgett Maria Perceval, Widow, otherwise Power, now Burnapp, (lately discharged out of the King's Bench Prison by virtue of an Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors) desire the Creditors of the said Insolvent to meet them at the Half-Moon Tavern in Cheapside, on the 1st of September next, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, on special Affairs. And all Persons who are any ways indebted to the said Insolvent, or that have any of her Estate and Effects, are to pay or deliver the same into the Hands of Jacob Marsh, of Cornhill, London, or Joseph Broom, of Great Tichfield-Street, Marybone, Assignees of the said Insolvent's Estate and Effects, within one Month from the Date hereof, or they will be sued without further Notice.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Sadler, of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Baker, 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 5th Day of September next, and on the 6th and 7th Days of October following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of James Wrigley, known by the Sign of the Golden Lyon, situate in Dale-Street in Liverpool aforesaid, 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 chioose 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. William Statham, Attorney at Law, in Liverpool aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Stokes, late of the City of Canterbury, Mercer, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet, by Adjournment from the 12th Day of August instant, on the 16th Day of September next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, instead of the 30th Instant, 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 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.

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 Reige 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.*

Prisoner in the Sheriff's Ward or Prison at
BODMYN in the County of Cornwall.
First Notice.

William Hancock, formerly of the Parish of St. Ives in the County of Cornwall, late of the Parish of South Hill in the said County, Farmer.

Prisoner in His Majesty's Prison of the
FLEET.
Second Notice.

James Merison, late of Glass-house Yard in the Parish of St. Ann Black Fryars in the City of London, Plate-worker.

Prisoner in **IVELCHESTER** Goal in the
County of Somerset.
Second Notice.

William Chaffey, late of Whitelackington in the County of Somerset, Yeoman, late of Curry-Rival in the said County of Somerset, Domestic Bailiff to George Speke, Esq;

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 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.*

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

Second Notice.

Joseph Ryland, late of Princes-Street, but since of Leicester-Fields, both in the Parish of St. Ann Soho, Miniature-Painter.

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

Third Notice.

William Jones, formerly of Gosport in the County of Hants, late of Cock-Lane in the Parish of Bethlem Green in the County of Middlesex, 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.