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*The Queen's Palace, St. James's Park,
September 29, 1766.*

THIS Morning, between Eight and Nine o'Clock, the Queen was happily delivered of a Princess. Her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales, his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury, and several Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, and the Ladies of Her Majesty's Bed Chamber, were present.

Her Majesty is, God be praised, as well as can be expected; and the young Princess is in perfect Health.

This great Event was immediately made known by the Firing of the Tower Guns: And in the Evening there were Bonfires, Illuminations, and other Demonstrations of Joy, in London and Westminster.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 26th Day of *September, 1766*,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty has been informed by Addresses from the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of London, the Cities of Bristol and Norwich, and other considerable Corporations, and numerous Bodies of Men, that the Price of Wheat has gradually increased ever since the Ports were opened by the Expiration of the Act of the last Session of Parliament prohibiting the Exportation of Corn, and that at Bear Key it is above the Bounty-Price, and in most other Places in the Kingdom greatly exceeding the same, and it is upon the strongest Ground to be presumed to be still rising; and that the Stock in Hand is very inconsiderable, and that the Crop of the present Year has failed in such a Proportion, that if the Exportation be not immediately stopped, there is great Cause to foresee that very shortly there will not remain in the Kingdom a Quantity sufficient for the necessary Supply of His Majesty's Subjects.--- And whereas this Apprehension is much increased from the undoubted Informations His Majesty has received, that from the Failure of, and Deficiencies in the Crops in several Foreign Parts,

[Price Three-Pence.]

Commissions have been received from thence to purchase Wheat, to supply such Foreign Markets, at an unlimited Price; and which Commissions are, at this Time, larger and more extensive than have been known at any Time; so that unless His Majesty should, upon this Emergency, exert His Royal Authority to prevent the further Exportation of Wheat and Wheat Flour, His Majesty's Subjects would be in Danger of Want, whilst Foreigners are supplied from this Country.--- And whereas the Parliament standing prorogued to the Eleventh Day of November next, His Majesty has not an Opportunity of taking the Advice of His Parliament to stop the Progress of a Mischief daily increasing, and which, if not immediately provided against, might be productive of Calamities past all Possibility of Remedy--- It is therefore, upon the Grounds of the above urgent Necessity now impending, and for the Safety, Benefit, and Sustainance of His Majesty's Subjects, that His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, doth order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, That an Embargo be forthwith laid upon all Ships and Vessels laden or to be laden, in the Ports of Great Britain, with Wheat or Wheat Flour, to be Exported to Foreign Parts; and that the said Embargo do continue and remain, from the Date hereof, until the Fourteenth Day of November next:--- And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Blair.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 26th Day of *September, 1766*,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty hath received Information, that the Price of Wheat has gradually increased ever since the Ports were opened by the Expiration of the Act of the last Session of Parliament

Parliament prohibiting the Exportation of Corn, and that in the Port of London, the Price of Wheat has been for two successive Market Days, above Forty-eight Shillings, the Quarter Winchester Measure; and it is upon the strongest Grounds to be presumed to be still rising—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy-Council, (pursuant to the Powers vested in His Majesty for that Purpose, by an Act passed in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second) hereby Prohibit the Making, Extracting, or Distilling, of any Kind of Low Wines, or Spirits, from any Wheat, Wheat Meal, Wheat Flour, or Wheat Bran, or any Mixture thereof, from the Date hereof until the Fourteenth Day of November next: Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and yield due Obedience to His Majesty's Commands hereby signified.

W. Blair.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, Sept. 29, 1766.

Orders for the Court's going to Mourning on Sunday next the 5th of October, for one Week, for his late most Serene Highness the Infant Don Emmanuel, Uncle to the King of Portugal, viz.

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

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

Dublin, September 23.

Yesterday being the Anniversary of Their Majesty's Coronation, in the Morning the Flag was displayed on Birmingham Tower: At Noon their Excellencies the Lords Justices received the Compliments of the Nobility, and other Persons of Distinction. The Great Guns, at the Salute-Battery in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix, were fired three Rounds, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments in Garrison, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks: In the Evening a Play was given by their Excellencies for the Entertainment of the Ladies: And the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

St James's, September 17, 1766.

Whereas it has been reported to the King, That on Saturday last, being the 13th Day of this instant September, about Six o'Clock in the Morning, at Don Down, in the County of Down, Scotland, near about to the Gate, or Fore-Door, belonging to the Dwelling House of Thomas How, one of the Capital Burgesses of the said Town of Drogheda, Full of her Majesty, and upon whom she lives as a mental Servant, she found a Letter, which she had thrown over the said Door into the Entry adjoining, directed to the Old Tom How; which Letter

she immediately carried to her said Master, supposing it was directed to him; and that the said Letter, and its Direction, were in the following Words, viz.

"To the Old Tom How."

"Mr Roge — You must know yourself that You have been guilty of every Thing that is bad, excepting Murder, therefore We are determined that You taste something of Hell here upon Earth, as there as I see hast a Soul in thy Body thou shalt be rolled in thy Bed before this Winter is over — and as for thy Son We will fold Him up One Night or other — We have sworn and will perform."

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said Letter, and in carrying it away, and in suffering it to be thrown, over the Door, into the Entry adjoining to the Dwelling House of the said Thomas How, is hereby pleased to promise His Majesty's good will and favour to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the same) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

H. S. ONWAY.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Thomas How was hereby promised a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person (except as before excepted) making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid to him upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Thomas How.

And, as a still further Encouragement, the Corporation of Drogheda do, in like Manner, offer a Reward of Fifty Pounds (except as before excepted) to any Person making such Discovery; to be paid on the Conviction of any one or more of the said Offenders.

Henry Ounond, Mayor.

Admiralty-Office, September 3, 1766.

The established Number of Out-Performers to the Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich being completed; and there being a greater Number of Candidates wanted for the Out-Performing of the said Hospital than can probably be admitted in a considerable Time; Notice is hereby given thereof, in order to prevent any Seamen attending at this Office to be received for the said Out-Performing, until further Notice be given for that Purpose.

Ph. Stephens.

Mercers Hall, London, Sept. 26, 1766.

The Wardens and Community of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 18th Day of November next they will pay the Half-Year's Interest that became due the 5th of July last upon the new Bonds delivered by them to their Creditors, pursuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intitled, An Act for the Relief of the Bond and other Creditors of the Wardens and Community of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London; and that Attendance will for that Purpose be given at the Clerk's Office at Mercers Hall, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the 18th, 19th, and 20th Days of the said November, from Nine in the Morning till One, and upon every Sunday, Wednesday, and Thursday afterwards, until the 11th, Holidays excepted.

W. Caxne, Clerk.

Mercers Hall, London, Sept. 26, 1766.

The Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Merchants of the City of London do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 25th Day of November next they will pay the Half-Year's Annuities that will become due to the said Company's Attendants upon the 10th of October next; and that Attendance for that Purpose will be given at the Clerk's Office at Mercers Hall, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the 25th, 26th, and 27th Days of the said Month of November, from Nine in the Morning till One, and upon every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afterwards, at the same Hours, Holidays excepted.

East-India House, September 26, 1766.

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

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at Merchant Taylors Hall in Threadneedle-Street, on Thursday the 2d Day of October next, at Eleven in the Forenoon precisely, on special Affairs.

Trinity House, Hull, Sept. 23, 1766.

Notice is hereby given, That the temporary Lights on the Sparn Point are now completed, and will be lighted on the Night of the 10th of October next ensuing, at which Time the old Lights will be extinguished. The said temporary Lights are erected as near the Point of the Sparn as possible, are 230 Yards apart, and bear N. W. and S. E. (by the Magnetic Compass) when in One, and keeping them so, will lead clear of the Pitch of Sandbale in Five Fathom Water, at a low Spring Ebb.

This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners and Trustees of Rye Harbour will, at their next Meeting to be holden at the Guildhall in Rye in the County of Sussex, on the 20th Day of October next, borrow, on the Credit of the Duties of the said Harbour, any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding 10,000l. of such Person or Persons as will lend the same, at the Interest of 4. per Cent. per Annum, for the better and more speedy carrying on the Works of this Harbour. Any Person or Persons that are willing to advance the said Sum, or any Part thereof, are desired to leave their Names, and an Account of what Money they are willing to lend, with Thomas Lamb, Esq; at Rye, or Jeremiah Curtis of the same Place, Attorney at Law. Rye, Sept. 10, 1766. Tho. Cooke, Treasurer.

N. B. The said Commissioners and Trustees will not borrow of any Person a less Sum than 200l.

Whereas, in the Year 1708, James de Galigny, Esq; died, and left, by Will, a Sum of Money to Miss de Laugerie, who, since then, has gone by the Name of Elizabeth Moylen de la Roche.—At the Time of Mr. de Galigny'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 Mead, Executor to Mr. de Galigny, accounted with her, or his 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 Dunbar, at Brooks's Coffee-House, in Dowling Street, West-Minster, 174, in Case she is dead, her next Heir, applying as usual, and producing the requisite Vouchers and Certificates, to be accounted with.

This Day was published,
The Second Volume of

THE FOOL of QUALITY: OR, The HISTORY of HENRY EARL of MORELAND.

By H. BROOKE, Esq.

Printed for W. Johnston, in Ludgate-Street.

Bundel, September 22, 1766.

Notice is hereby given, That a Final Dividend of the Effects of John Williams, of Carmarthen, late Ironmonger, Cutler, and Toyman, will begin to be paid at the Compting-House of Reynolds, Getly, and Co. Ironmongers, in Small-Street in this City, on Monday the 1st Day of December next; where all Persons having any Claim on the said Estate, are desired to apply for the same; and all Creditors, who have not already delivered in their Account, are desired to send the Particulars thereof to the said Reynolds, Getly, and Co. on or before the 31st Day of October next, otherwise they will be excluded said Dividend. All Persons indebted to said Estate, are required immediately to pay the Balance of their Accounts to the said Reynolds, Getly, and Co. Thomas Price, Esq; at Courtlyer near Swansea, or Mr. Robert Morgan, in Carmarthen.

THE Proprietors of Bullion shipped on Board the Earl of Sandwich, Captain Cockeran, (who have not already made their Claims) are desired to send an Account of their respective Claims on the Salvage recovered on the Loss of the said Ship, to Mess. Amyand, Rucker, and Siebel, Merchants, in London, on or before the 1st Day of October next; at which Time the Account of the Salvage will be made up, and the Money divided amongst such Proprietors as shall then be known of, without further Notice.

ALL Persons having any just Claim upon the Representatives, or the separate Estate and Property of Sarah Boyd, formerly Sarah Spiller, the late Wife of John Boyd, late of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily to send an Account in Writing of such their Demands, to Mr. Baskerville, of Nag's Head Court in Gracechurch-Street, London, on or before the 6th Day of November next, that the Executors may be enabled to answer the same, and satisfy the Legacies of the said Sarah Boyd, without Delay.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Antrobus, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Flourman, 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 21st and 24th Days of October next, and on the 13th Day of November following, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of James Wrigley, known by the Sign of the Golden Lyon, in Dale-Street 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 choose 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. James Clegg, Attorney, in Liverpool aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Walkinton Kilbinton, of the Parish of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middlesex, Sailmaker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of October 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.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Ecken, of Tripit in the County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, Grocer, intend to meet on the 27th Day of October next, (and not on the 6th of October, as mentioned in a former Advertisement in this Paper) at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Andrews, called Andrews' Coffee-house

in the High-Street of the said Town of Kingston upon Hull, 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 Cox, of Devizes in the County of Wilts, Grocer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th Day of October next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of George Wharby, being the Black Bear Inn, in Devizes 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. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Manesty, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Manesty hath in all Things conformed 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 shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of October next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Zachariah Hart, late of Fleet Ditch, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre in the City of London, Tobacconist, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Zachariah Hart hath in all Things conformed 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 shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of October next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Croasdale, of Shackelwell in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Croasdale hath in all Things conformed 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 shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of October next.

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 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.*

Prisoner in the KING's BENCH Prison, in the County of Surrey.

Second Notice.

Thomas Rowntree, formerly of Gate Street in the Parish of St. Giles and County of Middlesex; late of the same Prisons in the Parish of St. Andrew and City of London, Dealer and Chapman.

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.*

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

First Notice.

Thomas Frazer, late of the Parish of St. Catherine near the Tower in the County of Middlesex, Mariner.

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

First Notice.

Christopher Boquet, late of Green Court Knaves Acre, in the Parish of St. James within the City and Liberty of Westminster and in the County of Middlesex, Taylor.

Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of NEWGATE in the County of Middlesex.

First Notice.

Joseph Graham, late of Chelsea, now of London, Mariner.

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

Third Notice.

Benjamin Neah, formerly of Hounditch in the Parish of St. Botolph Aldgate in the City of London, Dealer and Chapman.

Joseph Whittle, formerly of Sun-Street in the Parish of St. Botolph Bishopgate in the City of London, Poulterer and Salesman.

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.

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