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Naples, November 25.

THE Hereditary Prince of Brunswick left Naples on Thursday last, and is returned to Rome. His Serene Highness expressed the utmost Gratitude for the remarkable Civilities and Attentions that have been shewn to him by this Court, the Foreign Ministers, and the Nobility, during his Residence in this Capital.

The Baron Aften, the late Danish Minister at Petersbourg, is arrived here, and has presented his Credential Letters as Envoy Extraordinary to this Court from that of Denmark.

Florence, November 29. The Theatre being closed on Account of the Advent, there are small Drawing-Rooms at Court every Evening by Invitation; Yesterday the Foreign Ministers were invited.

The Pope's Nuncio here is making great Preparations for his Publick Audience of the Great Duke, which is to be performed the Middle of next Month, with exactly the same Pomp that is practised on the like Occasions at Vienna.

Genoa, November 29. The Prince of Monaco has been admitted by the Grand Council a Noble of this State.

Madrid, December 4. His Catholick Majesty and all this Royal Family, after an Absence of Eight Months, returned hither this Evening, to the great Joy of the Inhabitants: They were received by a considerable Part of the Garrison under Arms.

Whitehall, December 23.

The King has been pleased to grant unto his Grace Harry Duke of Bolton, the Offices of Governor and Captain of the Isle of Wight, and Governor of Carisbrook Castle, and of Constable and Doorkeeper of the said Castle of Carisbrook, and of Steward, Surveyor, Receiver and Bailiff of all Manors, Lands, Tenements, Woods, Hereditaments, and other Revenues, within the said Island, in the room of the Right Honourable Hans Stanley, Esq;.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Charles Earl Cornwallis, the Offices of Warden, Chief Justice, and Justice in Eyre, of all Forests, Chafes, Parks, and Warrens, on this Side Trent, in the room of the Right Honourable John Lord Monson.

The King has been pleased to nominate, constitute and appoint the Honourable Archibald Campbell Fraser, Agent and Consul General at Algier, in the room of Robert Kirke, Esq;.

[Price Three-Pence.]

East-India House, December 23, 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 (by Adjournment) at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 31st of this Instant December, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs; and also to consider of some proposed Alterations in the 25th, 28th, and 32d By-Laws.

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TO be peremptorily 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 Thursday the 29th Day of January next, between the Hours of Five and Seven in the Afternoon, The Estate of Mr John Slater, deceased, situate at Bilbrooke in the County of Stafford, consisting of a Capital Messuage, and another Messuage or Dwelling-House, and about Seventy-eight Acres of Land, Part Freehold and Part Copyhold of Inheritance. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

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PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Harding, late of the Haymarket in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields within the Liberty of Westminster and County of Middlesex, Cabinet-maker, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Pechell, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Graves, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, The Estate of Thomas Parsons, late of Croydon in the County of Surrey, Taylor and Innholder, deceased, consisting of Three Messuages or Tenements at Croydon aforesaid, let to John Bowles, Sarah Tirrill, and Susannah Cuff, at the yearly Rent of 27 l. 10 s. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Cuddon, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, on Thursday the 19th Day of February next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Freehold Estates late of Nathaniel Jenner, of Widhill near Cricklade in the County of Wilts, Esq; deceased, being the Manor of Widhill, and several Messuages, Farms, and Lands thereto belonging, situate in the Parish of Cricklade aforesaid, containing by Measure 741 Acres of Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Lands, all together of the yearly Value, as now lett, of 653 l. or thereabouts, subject to the Payment of Tythes, and all Taxes, and 8 l. yearly to the Poor of Abingdon in Berks. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Friday the 13th Day of February next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Real Estates of John Younger, a Bankrupt, in the following Lots, viz.

Lot 1. A Freehold Messuage, with the Appurtenances, at Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland, late in his own Occupation, but now untenanted; supposed to be worth the yearly Rent of 60 l.

Lot 2. A Freehold Messuage, Farm and Lands at Netherend in the Parish of St. Bees in the same County, now let to John Hayton at 37 l. per Annum, subject to an Annuity of 40 l. payable to Elinor Younger, Widow, during her Life.

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

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Marshall, late of Prescott in the County of Lancaster, Skinner, deceased, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt, on the 1st Day of January next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Hooley, the Sign of the Legs of Man and Bull, in Prescott aforesaid, 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 touching the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and submitting any Matters in Dispute to Arbitration, or otherwise compounding or agreeing the same; and on other special Affairs.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for John Lampard, of Woolwich in the County of Kent, Victualler and Innholder, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Twenty-one Days, to be computed from the 30th Day 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 20th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (and not on the said 30th Day of December;) 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 Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Noah Duckett, of Friday-Street, London, Silkman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Eighteen Days, to be computed from the 20th Day 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 7th Day of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, 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, are then and there to 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 Charles Shepton, of the City of Exon, Cordwainer and Dealer in Leather, 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 and 7th Days of January next, and on the 3d Day of February following, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, in the Serge-market in the said City, 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. Williams, Attorney, in Exeter.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Bishop, of the Parish of Clifton in the County of Gloucester, Dealer in Coffee and Wine, 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 and 7th Days of January next, and on the 3d Day of February following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Matthew Mease, Vintner, commonly called the Nag's Head Tavern, situate in Wine-Street in the City of Bristol, 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. Jos. Hawkswell, Attorney, in Bristol.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Plant, of Hyde-Street Bloomsbury in the City of Westminster, Bookbinder and Stationer, 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 27th Day of December instant, and on the 6th Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 3d Day of February following, at Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon, 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. Parker, in Rolls Buildings, Fetter-Lane, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Connop the Younger, of the Parish of St. Saviour in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey, Hopfactor, 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 27th and 31st Days of December instant, and on the 3d Day of February next, at Ten 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. Green, in Crane-Court Fleet-Street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Harbin Elkerton, of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Haberdasher, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners

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THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Christopher Stidman, late of Swith's Lane, London, Ironmonger, did meet on the 20th Day of December instant, at Guildhall, London, in order to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, (pursuant to Notice given in the London Gazette for that Purpose;) but, at the Request of the Creditors then present, the said Choice was adjourned to the 1st Day of January next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London: when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Timothy Bennet, of the City of Norwich, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th Day of January next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Joseph Hunn, called the Coffee-House, in the Parish of St. Peter of Mancroft in the said City of Norwich, 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 William Love, of Holywell with Needingworth in the County of Huntingdon, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Crown Inn in Saint Ives in the County of Huntingdon, 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 Ellis and James Fvey, of Lawrence Lane, London, Copartners, Merchants, and Irish Factors, intend to meet on the 17th Day of January next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Further Dividend of the said Bankrupts 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 excluded.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Butler Symons, late of the Island of Antigua, but now of the City of Bristol, Merchant, (and Partner with George Read, of Antigua aforesaid, Merchant) have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Butler Symons 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 13th of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Collison, of Ely within the Isle of Ely in the County of Cambridge, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Collison 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 13th of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Nathan Kershaw, now or late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Cooper, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Nathan Kershaw 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 13th of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Watkins, of Camberwell in the County of Surry, Plasterer and Victualler, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Watkins 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 13th of January 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 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, intitled, *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, &c.

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

First Notice.

Peter Price, formerly of Southminster in Dingley Hundred in the County of Essex, late of Horsley Down in the County of Surry, Tallow-Chandler and Soap-Boiler.

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

Second Notice.

Wing Ashfield, late of Plumber's Court High Holborn in the Parish of St. George Bloomsbury in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman.

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

Second Notice.

Thomas Goodall, formerly of Maiden-Lane in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, and late of Dublin, Taylor.