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St. James's, December 30.

HIS Majesty having been graciously pleased to signify His Intention of filling up the vacant Stall of the principal Companion of the most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, in the room of his late Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland,

This Day several of the Officers of the Order attended at St. James's.

The Sovereign wearing the Ribbon, with the Symbol of the Order pendant to it, Henry Hill, Esq; Gentleman Usher, bearing the Scarlet Rod, and habited in the Mantle of the Order, and Samuel Horsey, Esq; Bath King of Arms, in his Mantle, bearing on a Cushion the Ribbon, with the Badge of the Order, preceded his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, supported by the Earls of Cholmondley and Breadalbane, the two senior Knights of the Order, a Gentleman Usher Daily Waiter carrying the Sword of State.

The Sword being delivered by the Earl of Breadalbane to the Sovereign, his Royal Highness kneeling was Knighted: Then the Earl of Cholmondley having received the Ribbon from Bath King of Arms, presented it to the Sovereign, who put the Ribbon over his Royal Highness's Right Shoulder: After which his Royal Highness kissed His Majesty's Hand; and sitting up, retired.

The Ceremony was performed after the Levée, in His Majesty's Closet, several Great Officers of the Court being present.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased, in Consideration of the tender Years of his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, to grant a Dispensation under His Royal Sign Manual and Seal of the Order, declaring it to be His Royal Pleasure, that the Confering the Degree of Knighthood by the Sword of State shall be sufficient to invest his Royal Highness fully and effectually with this Order, in as ample Manner as if his Royal Highness had personally performed all the accustomed Solemnities.

St. James's, December 15.

As several Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have, from Time to Time, gone into Foreign Countries to exercise their several Callings, contrary

to the Laws of these Kingdoms; The following Abstracts of Two Acts of Parliament of George the First and George the Second, to prevent such Practices, are published for the Information of all Persons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Disobedience to them.—And it will be observed, that they extend to those who are any ways concerned or instrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of these Kingdoms, and in the Exportation of the Tools and Instruments used by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themselves.

Statute 5 George I. Chap. 27.

IF any Person shall contract with, entice, or solicit, any Artificer in Wool, Iron, Steel, Brass, or other Metal, Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer of Great Britain, to go into Foreign Countries out of the King's Dominions, and shall be convicted thereof upon Indictment or Information, in any of the Courts at Westminster, or at the Assizes or Quarter Sessions, he shall be fined any Sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for the first Offence, and shall be imprisoned Three Months, and till the Fine be paid. And if any Person having been once convicted, shall offend again, he shall be fined at the Discretion of the Court, and imprisoned Twelve Months, and till the Fine be paid.

If any of the King's Subjects, being such Artificers, shall go into any Country out of His Majesty's Dominions, to exercise or teach the said Trades to Foreigners; and if any of the King's Subjects in any such Foreign Country, exercising any of the said Trades, shall not return into this Realm within Six Months after Warning given by the Ambassador, Minister or Consul of Great Britain, in the Country where such Artificers shall be, or by any Person authorized by such Ambassador, &c. or by one of the Secretaries of State, and from thenceforth inhabit within this Realm; such Person shall be incapable of taking any Legacy, or of being an Executor, or Administrator, and of taking any Lands, &c. within this Kingdom by Descent, Devise, or Purchase; and shall forfeit all Lands, Goods,

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Goods, &c. within this Kingdom to His Majesty's Use, and shall be deemed Alien, and out of His Majesty's Protection.

Upon Complaint made upon Oath before any Justice of Peace, that any Person is endeavouring to seduce any such Artificer, or that any such Artificer hath contracted, or is preparing to go out of His Majesty's Dominions, for the Purposes aforesaid; such Justice may send his Warrant to bring the Person complained of before him, or before some other Justice; and if it shall appear by the Oath of one Witness, or by Confession, that he was guilty of any of the said Offences, such Justice may bind him to appear at the next Assizes or Quarter Sessions: And if such Person shall refuse to give Security, the Justice may commit him to Gaol till the next Assizes or Quarter Sessions, and until he shall be delivered by due Course of Law. And if any such Artificer shall be convicted upon Indictment of any such Promise, Contract, or Preparation to go beyond the Seas for the Purposes aforesaid, he shall give such Security to the King, not to depart out of His Majesty's Dominions, as such Court shall think reasonable, and shall be imprisoned till Security given.

If any of the above Offences shall be committed in Scotland, the same shall be prosecuted in the Court of Justiciary, or the Circuits there.

Statute 23d. George II. Chap. 13.

IF any Persons shall contract with, or endeavour to seduce any Artificer in Wool, Mohair, Cotton or Silk, or in Iron, Steel, Brass, or other Metal, or any Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer in any other of the Manufactures of Great-Britain or Ireland, to go out of this Kingdom or Ireland, into any foreign Country, not within the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, and shall be convicted upon Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Westminster, or by Indictment at the Assizes or General Gaol Delivery for the County, &c. wherein such Offence shall be committed in England, or by Indictment in the Court of Justiciary, or any of the Circuit Courts in Scotland; or by Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Dublin, if such Offence be committed in Ireland; the Person so convicted shall, for every Artificer contracted with, or seduced, forfeit FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, and shall suffer Imprisonment in the common Gaol of the County or Stewartry wherein such Offender shall be convicted, for Twelve Calendar Months, and until Forfeiture be paid: And in Case of a subsequent Offence of the same Kind, the Persons so again offending shall forfeit, for every Person contracted with or seduced, ONE THOUSAND POUNDS, and shall suffer Imprisonment in the common Gaol of the County or Stewartry wherein such Offender shall be convicted; for Two Years, and until such Forfeiture be paid.

If any Person in Great Britain or Ireland shall put on Board any Ship or Boat not bound directly to some Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to some other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, any such Tools or

Utenfils as are commonly used in, or proper for the Preparing, Working up or Finishing of the Woollen or Silk Manufactures, or any Part of such Tools, he shall for every Offence forfeit all such Tools, or Parts thereof, put on Board, and TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. in any Court of Record at Westminster, or in the Court of Session in Scotland, or at any of the Four Courts in Dublin respectively, wherein no Essoin, &c. shall be allowed.

It shall be lawful for any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, and for any Officer of the Revenue in Ireland, to seize and secure, in some of His Majesty's Warehouses, all such Tools or Utenfils prohibited to be exported, as such Officer shall find on Board any Vessel not bound directly to some Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to some other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain; and all Tools so seized shall, after Condemnation, be publicly sold to the best Bidder; and one Moiety of the Produce shall be to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Officer who shall seize and secure the same.

If the Captain of any Vessel in Great Britain or Ireland knowingly permit any of the said Tools, prohibited to be exported, to be put on Board his Vessel, he shall for every such Offence forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as the Penalties inflicted upon Persons exporting the Tools; and if the Vessel belongs to His Majesty, the Captain shall not only forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, but shall also forfeit his Employment, and be incapable of any Employment under His Majesty.

If any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, or of the Revenue in Ireland, take, or knowingly suffer to be taken, any Entry outward, or sign any Cocket or Sufferance for the Shipping or Exporting of any of the said Tools, or knowingly suffer the same to be done, he shall forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as aforesaid, and also forfeit his Office, and be incapable of any Office under His Majesty.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures shall be applied to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Use of the Person who shall sue for the same.

Constantinople, November 16. The Kehais Beg died the 5th Instant: The Reis Effendi has been promoted to his Place: The Chiaus Bashii is made Reis Effendi; and Latif Beg, a Son of a Pasha, is made Chiaus Bashii. Yesterday the Captain Pasha came to an Anchor at the Point of the Seraglio, from his annual Tour in the Levant.

Naples, December 1. The Transports are returned to Naples, after having landed the Jesuits in the Ecclesiastical State near Terracina.

Genoa, December 5. The 2d Instant the Small Council re-elected M. D'Ageno to reside as their Minister in London; and he will depart in about Five or Six Weeks for London.

Berlin,

Berlin, December 19. Last Wednesday Prince Henry of Prussia arrived in this Capital from Rhinberg, and the King of Prussia this Day from Potsdam, both in perfect Health. The Diversions of the Carnival will begin on Monday next, and continue till the End of January.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 26, 1767.

The Commissioners of this Hospital do hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall in London, on Wednesday the 3d Day of April, 1768, or as soon after as may be, the Colliery and Limestone Quarries and Sale Kilns, situate at Scremston in the County of Durham, now in the Possession of John Romer, Esq; will be let on Lease for Twenty-one Years or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May 1768. Such Persons as may be willing to take the said Estate, are desired to send their Proposals in Writing, on or before the 1st Day of April, 1768, to Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty-Office, London; or, on or before the 30th Day of March, 1768, to Messrs. Warren and Smeaton, at Farnacres near Newcastle upon Tyne.

N. B. The said Commissioners reserve the Lime-kiln near the Sea, and that built by the late Mr. Ancrem; as also Liberty for their Tenants of Scremston to get such Limestones as shall be necessary for their respective Farms, to be used either in the Improvement thereof, or in making or repairing any Kind of Buildings or Erections whatsoever.

Jⁿ Ibbetson.

**Dr. ANDERSON'S, or
The Famous SCOT'S PILLS;**

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mollers Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epfom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Laurance Commins, late of Narrow Street Ratcliffe Croft in the County of Middlesex, Mariner, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 6th Day of January instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Nag's Head Tavern in Leadenhall-Street, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suits or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; or their agreeing, compounding, or submitting to Arbitration, any Debt or Debts due to the said Estate, or on any other Matter or Thing relating thereto.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Andrew Peter Dupont, late of Bucklersbury, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 5th Day of January instant, at Twelve o'Clock, at Noon, at the Rainbow Coffee-house in Cornhill, in order to empower the said Assignees to commence and prosecute one or more Suits or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Matters relating thereto.

Antigua, September 29, 1767.

Pursuant to the Decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery of this Island, dated the Eighteenth Day of September Instant, this is to give Notice, that on the Second Day of August, One thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight, will be sold at my Office in the Town of St. John in the said Island Antigua, at Publick Outcry, between the Hour of Three o'Clock in the Afternoon and Sun-Setting of the same Day, All the Plantation late of George Weatherill, Esq; deceased, and the Buildings thereon erected, situate in the Division of St. John and Parish of St. John in the said Island, with the Slaves, Coppers, Cattle, Mules and Horses, and all Plantation Utensils thereto belonging, to the highest Bidder, for Gold and Silver Money.

The said Plantation contains about Four Hundred Acres, to which there are belonging about One Hundred and Fifty-one Slaves, Eighty-one Head of Horned Cattle, Five Mules and Six Horses.

On the said Plantation there is a Dwelling-House and other Buildings, One Stone Wind-mill, One Boiling House, one Side of it stationed and fitted for Curing of Sugar, with Ten Coppers, One Still-House, with Liqueur Casks, Three Sills, with Six Worms and Worm Tubs, four Carts, and divers other Plantation Utensils. The Inventory of which said Plantation, Slaves, Building, Cattle, Mules, Horses, and Utensils, is lodged at my Office, and is there to be perused by any Person in Office Hours Gratis. The said Plantation lies about Two Mile from the Town of St. John. All Persons who are inclined to bid for the same are to put in their Proposals in Writing in my Office, signed by themselves in a Book in my Office kept for that Purpose.

Note, The best Bidder for the said Estate must, upon the said Second Day of August, deposit in my Hands the Sum of Six Thousand Pounds Gold and Silver current Money of Antigua, or the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Pounds lawful Money of Great Britain, in good Bills of Exchange, drawn or indorsed by some responsible Inhabitant of Antigua, and made payable at Sixty Days Sight, and such Bills are to be drawn upon some responsible Merchant or other Person in London, subject to the Direction of the Court of Chancery of this Island.

Edward Gamble, Master in Chancery.

Antigua, September 29, 1767.

IN Pursuance of a Decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery of this Island, dated the Eighteenth Day of September Instant, this is to give Notice to all the Creditors of George Weatherill, late of the said Island, Esq; deceased, that they prove their Debts before me by the Second Day of August 1768, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Edward Gamble, Master in Chancery.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Caddon, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, The Freehold Estate of William Lewis, late of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, Clerk, deceased, situate and lying in the Town and Parish of Newtown in the County of Montgomery, of the yearly Value of 73 l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Furgall, of Holborn Bridge, London, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on Wednesday the 6th Day of January instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Swan Tavern on Fish-Street Hill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Actions or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or their agreeing, compounding, or submitting to Arbitration any Debt or Debts due to the said Estate, or otherwise agreeing and settling any Matters relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Price, late of the Parish of St. Matthew Bethel Green in the County of Middlesex, Plasterer, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Wednesday the 6th Day of January instant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Crown in Winchester Street near Moorfields, in

in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of or concerning the Bankrupt's Estate; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

PUruant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for John Beecroft, late of Pontefract in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Fourteen Days, to be computed from the 23th Day of December last; 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 12th Day of January instant, at Four o'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.

PUruant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Thomas Harrison, of Aldermanbury, London, 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 2d Day of January 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 February next, at Ten o'Clock 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 James Pearson, now or late of Herton Mills in the County of Bucks, Paper-Maker, 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 January instant at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 16th Day of the same Month, and on the 13th Day of February next, at Five 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. Phillips, in Spitalfields.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Edward Gwynne, of James-Street in the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden in the County of Middlesex, Glazier and Painter, 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 9th Day of January instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 16th Day of the same Month, and on the 13th of February next, at Four 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. Thurston, at N^o 6. Lincoln's Inn Old Buildings.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Tossion Bunting, late of Weeldale in the County of York, but now a Prisoner in the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, 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 22th Day of January instant at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the 22d Day of the said January at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 13th Day of February next at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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. Bridgepate, Attorney, Peter-Lane, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Ellen Wood, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancashire, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th Day of January instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the house of James Wrigley, known by the Sign of the Golden Lion in Dale-Street in Liverpool aforesaid, 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. 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 Edward Holland, late of Sheffield in the County of York, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of January instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the King's Head Inn in Sheffield aforesaid, 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. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be excluded.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Sarah Westall and James Westall, now or late of Gracechurch-Street, London, Ironmongers, Braziers, Dealers and Partners, intend to meet on the 16th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 absolutely disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles O'Hara, now or late of Winslow in the County of Bucks, Linnen-drafter, intend to meet on the 13th Day of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Burghall, of Holborn Bridge, London, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Burghall 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 shown to the contrary on or before the 22d of January instant.