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*Turin, February 27.*

**H**IS Britannick Majesty having been graciously pleased to appoint the Earl of Carlisle, now at this Court in the Progress of his Travels, to be one of the Knights of the most Ancient and most Noble Order of the Thistle; and having desired the King of Sardinia to represent his Majesty in creating his Lordship a Knight, and investing him with the Ensigns of that Order; his Sardinian Majesty very readily agreed thereto, and accompanied his Consent with many Expressions of Affection and Good-will towards the King of Great Britain. And accordingly the Ceremony was performed this Day in the following Manner:

The King of Sardinia being in his Chamber of Audience at half an Hour past Ten in the Morning, with their Royal Highnesses the Duke of Savoy, the Prince of Piedmont, and the Duke of Chablais, and their Serene Highnesses the Princes Louis and Victor de Carignan, ordered the Lord of the Bed-Chamber in Waiting to introduce their Excellencies Don Emanuel de Valguenera, Knight of the Supreme Order of the Annonciada, General of Cavalry, and Great Chamberlain; the Count de la Trinité, Knight of the same Order, Lieutenant-General of Foot, and Grand Master of the Household; the Count Solar de Favria, Lieutenant-General and Captain of the Life-Guards in Waiting; the Marquisses de Laconi and de Cavours, First Gentlemen of the Chamber, and Grand-Croix of the Military Orders of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus; M. de Montfort, Lieutenant-General and Colonel of a Regiment of Foot; the Count de Priocca, Brigadier of the King's Forces, and First Equerry in Waiting; Mr. Potter, charged with his Britannick Majesty's Affairs at this Court; and the Marquis of Kildare.

The Earl of Carlisle, who was waiting in the Great Drawing-room, was introduced into the Chamber of Audience by the Master of the Ceremonies, being supported on his Right Hand by his Excellency the Count de la Roque, Knight Companion of the Supreme Order of the Annonciada, General and Inspector General of the Infantry, and Colonel of the Regiment of Guards; and on his Left by M. le Comte de Sana, Knight, Grand Croix of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Lieutenant General of the King's Forces.

A Gentleman Usher preceded them, carrying on a large Salver the Ensigns of the Order of the Thistle, the Book of Statutes, and the Letters Patent of Creation of a Knight of the said Order.

[ Price Three-Pence. ]

The King, being covered, was seated in a Chair of State.

The Earl of Carlisle, at his Entrance into the Chamber, made, as well as the two Knights on his Right and Left, a low Reverence; a Second about the Middle of the Room; and a Third when they approached near to the King. The Master of the Requests in Waiting for the Week, (who had been previously furnished with a Translation of the Patent, by virtue of which his Britannick Majesty has created his Lordship a Knight Companion of the Order of the Thistle) read the same aloud by the King's Command.

The Reading of it being ended, the Earl of Carlisle kneeled down before the King; and the first Equerry (who officiated in the Absence of the Master of the Horse) delivered to the King a drawn Sword, with which his Majesty touched his Lordship's Shoulder three Times, saying to him: "I Create you a Knight in the Name of my Brother the King of Great Britain"

The Gentleman Usher then presented to his Majesty the Book of the Statutes of the Order of the Thistle, which the King delivered to the new created Knight, who, on receiving it, made the following Declaration: "I Frederick Howard Earl of Carlisle, do promise and swear to the King of Great Britain, my Master, to observe the Statutes of the most Noble Order of the Thistle, in every Point and Particular."

Whereupon the Gentleman Usher presented to his Majesty the Ribbon, with the Insignia of the Order, which the King put over the Knight's Left Shoulder, delivering to him also the Original Patent of Creation: And then his Lordship arose and withdrew; the same Ceremonies being observed as at his Entrance.

Being returned into the great Drawing-Room, his Lordship subscribed the Oath prescribed by the Statutes, in the Presence of Mr. Potter, M. de Montfort, and the Marquis of Kildare, who also signed their Names as Witnesses.

*Paris, March 10.* On Account of the Inconveniency that would arise from Foreigners, coming into France and not going to Paris, being detained for Want of a proper Passport from hence, Explanatory Orders have been sent to the Frontiers; in Consequence of which such Foreigners, as do not come to Paris, will have no Occasion for a Passport from hence, but from the Principal Officers of the Place where they shall happen to be.

Whitehall, March 12, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Friday the 19th of February last, at Eight o'Clock in the Evening, a Rick of Pease, belonging to

John



John Bullock, of Driesthill in the County of Worcester, was set on Fire, and entirely consumed; and that many Ricks, as also the Horse and Couthouses of the said John Bullock, were in great Danger of being destroyed: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned therein, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually set Fire to the said Rick) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a farther Encouragement the said John Bullock doth hereby promise a Reward of Thirty Pounds to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as above excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

General Post-Office, March 5, 1768.

His Majesty's Postmaster-General thinks it necessary to give this Public Notice, to all Members of Parliament and others whom it may concern, That by an Act of the Fourth Year of His Majesty's Reign, no Letters or Packets shall be exempted from paying the Duty of Postage, except to or from Members of Parliament during the Sitting of any Sessions of Parliament, or within Forty Days before or Forty Days after any Summons or Prorogation of the same. From the Dissolution, therefore, of the present Parliament, all Letters and Packets are to be charged with the Duty of Postage, until Forty Days before the meeting of the new Parliament.

By the said Act, printed Votes, or Proceedings in Parliament, or printed News-Papers being sent without Covers, or in Covers open at the Side, which shall be signed on the Outside thereof by the Hand of any Member of Parliament, in such Manner as hath been heretofore practised, or which shall be directed to any Member of Parliament at any Place whereof he shall have given Notice in Writing to the Postmaster-General, or to his Deputy at Edinburgh or Dublin respectively, shall be received Free of the Duty of Postage. As this Clause contains no Limitation in point of Time, the Peers and Lords of Parliament may continue to send and receive Free all such printed Papers; and the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, and every Member of the Honourable House of Commons of the new Parliament, from the Time they are elected.

All Persons are desired to take Notice, That as the said Act authorizes certain Clerks in the Offices of the Secretaries of State and in the Post-Office, under certain Restrictions, to Frank such printed Papers, the Postmaster-General has been pleased to give Directions to the Six Clerks of the Roads in this Office, to Frank all such printed Papers as any of the present Sixteen Peers of Scotland, or of the Members of the present House of Commons, have given Notice of in Writing, that no Interruption possibly to be avoided may happen to the News-Papers so intended to pass Free: And such Members of the present Parliament, who now permit News-Papers to be addressed to them, are desired, upon their being re-elected, to renew the Notices.

By Command of the Postmaster General,  
Anthony Todd, Secretary.

East-India House, March 11, 1768.

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

That the Quarterly General Court, before advertised to be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 23d of this Instant March, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, is, at the Desire of Nine Proprietors, to be on special Affairs.

Office of Ordnance, Tower of London,  
February 23, 1768.

The Lieutenant-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance give Notice, that they will sell by Publick Auction on Thursday the 24th

of March 1768, sundry Lots of Old Musquets, Carbines, Pistols, Halberts, Musquet and Pistol Barrels, Bayonets, Swords, Cartouch Boxes, Belts and Slings, Turb'd and White Rope, Breechings and Tackle Falls, Horse-Harness, Sheep-skins, Tilt, Sand-bags, Bedding, Fire Engines, Old Copper, Lump and Euxel Iron, Bellow, Pole Axes, Handbills, Spades and Showels, Hand-Screws, Standing Vices, Tackle Hooks, and other old and unserviceable Stores, lying in the Tower, where they may be viewed until the Time of Sale; and printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such Persons as apply for them.

By Order of the Board,  
John Boddington.

Victualling-Office, March 8, 1768.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy to pay Interest and Non Interest Bills, registered on the Course of the Victualling in the Months of September and October 1766, in order that the Persons possessed of the said Bills may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment.

African-Office, March 8, 1768.

Notice is hereby given, that those who have any Demands upon the late Establishment at Senegal, under the Direction of the Committee of the Company of Merchants trading to Africa, and having proper Vouchers, may apply for the same at their Office in Cooper's-Court, Cornhill, between the Hours of Eleven and One of the Clock, on the first Thursday in every Month for one Year from the Date hereof.

Sam. Poirier, Secretary.

Westminster Fire-Office, Bedford-Street,  
Covent-Garden, March 3, 1768.

The Office of Principal Clerk being vacant by the Resignation of Mr. Ogle: Notice is hereby given to all Persons having any Receipts signed by him for Insurance in this Office, and who have not received their Policies, are desired to apply for the same.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships undermentioned, who were actually on Board at Taking the Prince de Soubise, a French Privateer, on the 3d of January 1758, (afterwards wreck'd on the Coast of Ireland) That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Head-Money for said Privateer, at the King's Arms on Tower Hill, as follows:

Alcide and Delphin on Friday the 25th of March 1768.  
Vanguard and Biddeford on Saturday the 26th ditto.

And the Shares remaining unpaid will be recalled at the said Place the first Saturday in every Month for Three Years to come.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Simon Warner, late of East-Lane in the Parish of St. Martin in the County of Surry, Coal-Merchant, deceased, are, on or before the 20th Day of April next, peremptorily to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of James Taylor, late of Weston upon Welland in the County of Northampton, Gentleman, deceased, are, on or before the 27th Day of April next, peremptorily to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

WHEREAS sundry Debts are due to the Estate of Samuel Webb, late of Bristol, Merchant, a Bankrupt, from Persons in the West Indies, and Suits were depending there at the Time of his Bankruptcy relative to several of such Debts; and the said Samuel Webb is going to the West Indies to undertake the Care thereof: The Creditors of said Bankrupt are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, at the Nag's Head Tavern in Wine-Street, Bristol, on Thursday the 31st Day of March instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, to enable the Assignees to authorize the said Samuel Webb to compound such or any other Debts, to submit Disputes to Arbitration, and on other special Affairs.

**A**LL Persons who have any Lien, Charge, or Incumbrance whatsoever upon the Perpetual Advowson of the Rectory of Aldwinckle All Saints in the County of Northampton, or any otherwife upon the Estate and Effects of Mr. John Kimpton, of West Ham in the County of Essex, Felzonger, are hereby desired forthwith to bring in a particular Account thereof to T. Phillips, Attorney, in Spitalfields, in order that the same may be immediately paid off and discharged.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Cassin, of the City of Bristol, Vintner, 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 30th and 31st Days of March instant, and on the 26th Day of April next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of John Mills, Vintner, called the Bush Tavern, in Corn-Street in the said 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. Henry Bengough, Attorney, in Bristol.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Startin and Edward Moody, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th, 25th, and 26th Days of April next, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon of each of the said Days, at the House of John Barber, known by the Sign of the White Swan in Birmingham aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Bearsley, Attorney, in Warwick.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Priest, of Catham in the County of York, Grocer, 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 22d Days of March instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April 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. Freslicque, in Allen's Court, Leadenhall-Street, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Sprott the Younger, of Leominster in the County of Hereford, Cutler, 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 7th and 8th Days of April next at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of the same Month at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Dwelling-House of Thomas Griffiths, Innholder, called or known by the Sign of the King's Arms, in Leominster 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 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. Edward Coleman, Attorney at Law, in Leominster aforesaid.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Aaron Levy, of St. Dunstan's-Street in the Parish of St. Dunstan Canterbury in the County of Kent, Merchant, 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 23d and 31st Days of March instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April next at Four 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. Search, in Farnival's Inn, Hainbora, or to Mr. Grey, in the Temple, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Boyes, late of Chatham in the County of Kent, Woollen-draper, 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 23d and 31st Days of March instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April next at Four 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. Welch, Attorney, in Newgate-Street, London.

**T**HIS is to give Notice, that the Dividend of the Estate and Effects of Robert Lloyd and William Stojord, of the City of Chester, Hatmakers and Partners, Dealers and Chapmen, which was to have been made on the 19th Day of March instant, is put off to a future Day, or when timely Notice will be given.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Blyde, late of Long-acre in the County of Middlesex, Coffeeman, intend to meet on the 21st Day of April next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (and not on the 17th of March instant, as before advertised) 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Durham, of Kirkby Maizeard in the County of York, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of April next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mrs. Hadden, Innholder, at Ripon in the said County of York, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Abraham Prouet the Elder, of the Parish of St. Agnes in the County of Cornwall, Tinner, Victualler, Rope-maker and Dealer, intend to meet on the 18th Day of April next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Catherine Job, Innkeeper, at the Sign of the King's Arms, within the Borough of Penryn in the said County, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Royle, late of Salford in the County of Lancaster, Dealer and Chapman, having deferred the Meeting for a Final Dividend, (of which Notice has been given for the 20th Day of March instant) intend to meet on the 30th Day of March instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. Joseph Budworth, known by the Name of the Bull's-Head in Manchester in the County of Lancaster, in order to make such 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Terric, of Old Bond-Street in the County of Middlesex, Stationer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of April next, at Six of the 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. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.