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Brussels, January 3.

LAST Sunday, being New Year's Day, his Royal Highness Prince Charles of Lorraine, our Governor, went in great State to Church, where Te Deum was sung, and afterwards received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers.

Admiralty-Office, January 6, 1769.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-Sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, That on the 29th of November last, the Brig Roach, of Bermuda, whereof Willis Morgan was Master, bound from Bermuda to London, laden with Mahogany, Logwood, and a small Cask of Turtle Shell, and having on Board about 400 l. upon Freight, struck upon one of the Rocks of Scilly, and broke to Pieces; and that Five Men, a Woman, and a Child were unfortunately drowned.

Ph. Stephens.

East-India House, January 6, 1769.

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 their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Friday next the 13th Instant, from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Evening; for the Determination by Ballot of the following Question, viz.

- " That the General Court do concur with the
- " Court of Directors in their Resolution of the
- " 20th of December last, and empower them
- " to make an Agreement betwixt the Public
- " and the Company according to the same."

And the Court of Directors do further give Notice, that the General Court is appointed to meet at Merchant Taylors Hall in Breadneedle-Street, at Seven in the Evening of the said 13th Instant, to receive the Report of the Ballot on the abovementioned Question, and on special Affairs.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Navy-Office, January 6, 1769.

Whereas the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have thought proper, upon the Recommendation of the Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for the Discovery of the Longitude at Sea, to direct, that no Master shall be henceforward appointed to any of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels until he shall have learnt or perfected himself in the Use of a Nautical Almanack or Astronomical Ephemeris, annually published by the said Commissioners, in Tables (they have engaged proper Persons to compute) for shewing the Effects of Parallax and Refraction, in order to make the Lunar Tables constructed by the late Professor Meyer more generally useful, and thereby facilitate the above-mentioned Discovery, and in the Use of Hadley's Quadrant in taking the Lunar Observations; in all which Particulars they are to be instructed by the Head Master or Mathematical Usher of the Royal Academy at Portsmouth, or by Mr. Robert Bishop or Mr. Samuel Dunn, both living in London, from one of whom they are to produce a Certificate that they are properly qualified to make Use of the said Almanack, the Tables (when published) and Quadrant as abovementioned: The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice to all Masters in the Royal Navy, that it is expected they take the earliest Opportunity of getting themselves instructed in these Particulars, in order to be able to produce to them the Certificate hereby required when they shall be called upon to serve, as without it they cannot receive any future Warrant.

Navy-Office, January 7, 1769.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Friday the 17th of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Navy with Jackets, Waistcoats, and Breeches, to be delivered into the Slop-Office at this Office, where Samples may be seen, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

General Post-Office, December 17, 1768.

His Majesty's Postmaster General being desirous to render the Six Day Posts, which have been established at a great Expence to most of the considerable Towns in England,



England, Scotland, and Ireland, as universally beneficial as possible, have been pleased to order the Letter-Carriers to go round their respective Walks with their Bells every Night in the Week, Sundays excepted.

For many Instances of Letters being delayed by the Persons entrusted to bring them to this Office on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; as likewise of their not putting them into the Receiving-Houses, in order to embattle the Penny it has been customary to give with such Letters on those Days, has induced their Lordships to give Directions at the several Receiving-Houses to take in, both Foreign and Inland Letters, to the usual Hour, every Day in the Week, except Sunday, without any Gratuity.

All Persons who may be obliged to send their Letters after that Hour to the Bell-Men, should be cautious whom they trust therewith, to prevent their being either detained till the next Day, or destroyed for the Penny.

Each Letter-Carrier will for the Future, besides the usual Ticket at his Breast, be furnished with a Printed one of the Hour he is daily dispatched from hence, in order to produce it to such Persons as may desire to be satisfied their Letters are not delayed.

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

This Day was published,

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THE Creditors of William Collins, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees on Thursday next the 12th Instant, at the Carolina Coffee House, Birch-street, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, precisely, upon Business of Importance.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Oulton, of North Shields in the County of Northumberland, Shipwright, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt on Monday the 30th Day of January instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Customhouse Coffeehouse in Newcastle upon Tyne, in order to attend to or dissent from the said Assignees commanding, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Crossfield, of Sharncliffe in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the surviving Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 18th Day of January instant, precisely, at Six of the Clock in the Evening, at the George and Vulture Tavern in Cornhill, London, in order to empower the said Assignees to adjust Matters in Dispute, or commence or defend one or more Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate or Effects; and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Stitt, late of Bruton in the County of Somerset, Linen-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 12th and 24th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, 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 choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to attend 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. Watts, Attorney, Basinghall-Street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Bowyer, of the Parish of St. Botolph, without Bishopgate in the City of London, White-Cooper, 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 17th Day of January instant at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 1st Day of February next at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 21st Day of the same Month at Five 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 choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to attend 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. Keay, Attorney, N^o 2. Bunhill Row.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Chesshire, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Druggist, 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 31st Day of January instant, and on the 1st and 21st Days of February next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of James Wrigley, the Golden Lyon in Dale-Street in Liverpool aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the

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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. William Pickance, Attorney at Law, in Liverpool aforesaid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Hay, now or late of Loxley in the County of Warwick, 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 17th and 18th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Butler, known by the Name or Sign of the White Swan, situate in the Borough of Warwick in the County of Warwick, 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 Thomas Townsend, of Alveston in the said County of Warwick, Gentleman.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Abraham Harrys, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Pencil-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 20th and 21st Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of John Lunn, Innholder, called the Fountain, situate in New-Street in Birmingham 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 George Hollington Barker, Attorney, in Birmingham aforesaid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Harris, late of High Wycomb in the County of Buckingham, Laceman, 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 18th Day of January instant at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 25th Day of the same Month, and on the 21st Day 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 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. Palmore, in Great Kirby-Street, Hatton-Garden, Attorney at Law.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Sill, Thomas Bridges, and Roger Blount, late of the Town and County of the Town of Kington upon Hull, Merchants, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on Wednesday the 1st Day of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same; and all Persons who have put in Claims, are to prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Hammond, now or late of the Parish of St. Botolph Bishopsgate Without in the City of London, Gingerbread Baker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1st Day of February next, at Four in the Afternoon, 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 disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Alexander Dick, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on Wednesday the 1st Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Catharine Sayer, late of Arundel-Sareet in the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, Taylor, Dealer and Chapwoman, intend to meet on the 3d 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Taylor, of the Borough of Leicester in the County of Leicester, Dyer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Ouram, of Barnesley in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 15th Day of February next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.