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Naples, January 24.

THEIR Sicilian Majesties went last Saturday to Caserta, at which Place the Court will remain for two Months.

Dresden, February 5. The new Electress arrived here on Sunday last precisely at Twelve o'Clock, and was received by the Electoral Family with the greatest Demonstrations of Joy and Cordiality. The Marriage-Ceremony was performed the same Evening by the Elector of Triers, at an Altar erected for the Purpose in a Hall of the Palace, into which none were admitted but the Foreign Ministers and Principal Nobility.

Marine Pay-Office, Craig's Court, Charing-Cross, February 15, 1769.

In pursuance of the Direction of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Paymaster of His Majesty's Marine Forces hereby gives Notice, that on Monday next will be issued at this Office, Six Months Half-Pay due to the Reduced Officers of the said Forces, from the 1st of July to the 31st of December last, inclusive.

Navy-Office, February 14, 1769.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having issued Money for paying a Bounty for the Year 1768, to such Chaplains of His Majesty's Ships as have been actually borne and mustered in their Books for the Space of Four Years during the late War with France and Spain; These are to give Notice, that the same will begin to be paid at the Pay-Office in Broad-Street, on Tuesday next the 21st Instant, to such Persons as are entitled thereto according to Act of Parliament.

Navy-Office, February 17, 1769.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Tuesday the 14th of next Month, 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.

Navy-Office, February 8, 1769.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to contract for the Stores undermentioned for His Majesty's Service, on the Days against the same expressed, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning, that they may attend with their Proposals, viz.

Iron, - - -	on Tuesday the 21st of Feb. 1769.
Dantzic Goods,	Friday the 24th ditto.
Riga Malts, - -	Tuesday the 28th ditto.
Hemp, - - -	Friday the 3d of March.
Norway Goods, -	Tuesday the 7th ditto.
Tar East Country,	Friday the 10th ditto.

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, 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.

The 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 embezzle 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 Pence.

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.

[Price Three-Pence.]

East-India House, February 15, 1768.

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

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Tuesday the 7th Day of March next, at Two o'Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 22d Day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Monday the 20th of said March.

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 5th Day of April next, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Afternoon.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened again on Thursday the 6th Day of said April.

N. B. By an Act of Parliament, passed in the 7th Year of His present Majesty's Reign, no Person is qualified to vote at the said Election who has not been possessed of 500 l. Stock, standing in his or her own Name and Right, for Six Calendar Months, except as in the said Act is mentioned.

East India House, February 17, 1769.

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

That the Transfer Books of the East India Annuities will be shut on Wednesday the 8th Day of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 14th Day of April following.

That the Dividend Warrants, due the 5th Day of April next, will be ready to be delivered on Saturday the 6th Day of May next.

Custom-House, London, February 1, 1769.

FOR SALE,

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-house, on Thursday the 23d Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

Sugar, Ginger, Aloes, Cassia Fistula, Coffee, and Cocoa, in Time.

The Goods to be viewed at the New Warehouses at the Custom-House, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday before the Time of Sale.

From the Commissioners for Paving the Streets of Westminster, &c. February 15, 1769.

The said Commissioners hereby give Notice, that they will, on Wednesday the 1st Day of March next, receive Proposals for Leasing or Farming by the Year the Sundays Toll granted by an Act of the Fifth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, payable at the following Gates, viz. The Turnpike nearest to Westminster Bridge in Surry; the Turnpike nearest to St. James's Park at Pimlico; the Turnpike near the Entrance into Hyde Park, next Kensington; the Turnpike nearest to Hyde Park Corner; the several Turnpikes at Tyburn;

the several Turnpikes at or near the End of the Village of St. Mary le Bonne, at or near the End of Portland-Street, at or near the Public House, known by the Sign of the Green Man, on the New Road leading from Paddington to Islington, and upon the said New Road nearest to and to the Eastward of Tottenham Court, belonging to the North Road; and the Turnpike or Turnpikes nearest the North End of Gray's Inn Lane. The Person or Persons with whom the Commissioners shall agree is to pay down one Quarter of the Sum agreed on in Advance; and so on at the Expiration of each Quarter.

Separate Proposals for each Gate, or for the Whole, to be delivered in (sealed up) on or before Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon of the above Day, at the Westminster Bridge Office in Old Palace Yard, Westminster.

By Order of the Commissioners,
Geo. Box, Clerk.

London-Assurance House, February 15, 1769.

The Court of Directors of the London-Assurance Corporation hereby give Notice, that their Transfer Books will be shut on Thursday the 16th of March next; and that a General Court will be held at their House in Birch-in-Lane, on Wednesday the 5th of April following, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to consider of a Dividend; and that the Transfer Books will be opened again on Thursday the 13th of the same Month.

This Day is published,

The Second Edition, with considerable Additions and Improvements, handsomely printed in One Volume Quarto, Price One Guinea bound and lettered.

AN Experimental History of the Materia Medica, or, of the Natural and Artificial Substances made Use of in Medicine; containing a compendious View of their Natural History, an Account of their Pharmaceutical Properties; and an Estimate of their Medicinal Powers, so far as they can be ascertained by Experience, or by rational Induction from their sensible Qualities.

By WILLIAM LEWIS, M. B. F. R. S.

“Rationalem quidem puto Medicinam esse debere:
“instrui vero ab evidentibus.” Celsus.

Printed for W. Johnston, in Ludgate-Street.

THE Creditors who have proved Debts under the Commission against William Fitwood, are desired to meet the Assignees on Tuesday next, at the Union Coffee-house in Cornhill, precisely at Eleven of the Clock, on special Affairs.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of the Rev. Dr. John Newcombe, deceased, late Master of St. John's College, Cambridge, are, on or before the 3th Day of April next, to come before Peter Holtord, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Robert Proffice, late of the City of Exeter, Grocer, deceased, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 18th Day of March next, 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 of Thomas Bignell, late of the Parish of St. George the Martyr in the County of Surry, Timber-Merchant, deceased, are, on or before the 12th Day of April next, to come in and prove their Debts before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Smeeth's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

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By His MAJESTY's ROYAL LETTERS
 PATENT, dated the 7th of December last.
Dr. NORRIS's MEDICINE;
 Of ANTIMONIAL DROPS
 For FEVERS and all
 INFLAMMATORY DISORDERS.

THESE DROPS, if taken accord-
 ing to the Directions, will remove any *Continual Acute*
 FEVER in a few Hours, though attended with *Convulsions,*
Lightsdeliefs, and the most *dangerous Symptoms;* but if taken
 in the Beginning of a Fever, a very small Quantity is generally
 sufficient to perform a Cure; and that without giving the
 least Disturbance or Uneasiness whatsoever to the most delicate
 Constitutions. Small-Pox, Measles, Miliary Fevers, and all
 kind of the Eruptive Kind; Remitting Fevers, Quotidian,
 Tertian and Quartan Agues, are equally comprehended under
 the Influence of this Medicine.

To the PUBLIC.

I am sensible, that the sovereign Efficacy of Antimony,
 in the Cure of Fevers of all Kinds, is already well known;
 yet its general Tendency of *violently agitating Nature* in its
 Operation, deters many Thousands, especially those of delicate
 Constitutions, from venturing to make Use of it, without the
 Advice of a Physician. To entirely remove that Violence in
 its Operation, and render it wholly Medicinal, has been my
 constant Study and Attention for many Years. I thank God,
 I have happily succeeded; and can, with the strictest Truth,
 declare, that in my Practice for several Years, in Fevers in gen-
 eral, I have not lost one Patient.

These Drops are so perfectly innocent and safe in their Ope-
 ration, which is only discoverable by Urine and insensible Per-
 spiration, that they will enable Nature, in her own Way, to
 overcome the Danger in a few Hours, without the least Distur-
 bance or Uneasiness to Persons of the most delicate Constitutions.
 Upon these Considerations, His Majesty has been most gra-
 ciously pleased to grant me His Royal Letters Patent for Pre-
 paring and Vending the same, for the Benefit of all His
 Faithful Subjects.

T. NORRIS.

Sold Wholesale, and proper Directions given for taking
 them, by Isaac Fell, Bookseller, N^o 14. Pater-noster Row,
 and at my House in Duke-street, Westminster. Also Retail
 by Mr. Knolly, N^o 1. Ludgate-street; Mr. Woodfall, Cha-
 rting-Cross; Mr. William Davenport, N^o 8. Cornhill; Mr.
 John Walkden, N^o 7. near the Bridge, Borough; Mr. Hardy,
 Rookin-Cross; Mr. Parker, New Bond-street; Mr. Jackson,
 Oxford-Road, Booksellers; and so where else at present, in
 Bottles of One Guinea, Half Guinea, and Five Shillings and
 Three pence.

N. B. Proper Allowance to Venders, and to those who take
 a Quantity for charitable Purposes; also to Merchants and
 Captains of Ships, who may be assured neither Time nor
 Climate make any Alteration in this Medicine.

Whitehaven, February 14, 1769.

ALL Persons who have any Claim upon the Estate of the
 late William Whitehead, of Whitehaven, Mariner, de-
 ceased, are desired to send their Accounts verified unto Mess.
 Henry Gilliet and John Wilson, his Executors, or Mr. Lit-
 tledale, Attorney at Law: And all Persons who stand in-
 debted to the Estate of the said William Whitehead, are required
 forthwith to pay in such Debts to the said Executors or Attor-
 ney, otherwise they will be sued for the same.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late Mr. Sa-
 muel Terin, of Hoxton Town, Son of the late Mr.
 Daniel Terin, Watch-maker, are desired to pay the same to
 Mr. John Francis Lumy, at N^o 24. in Silver-Street Wood-
 Street, one of the Executors; and all Persons who have any
 Demands on the said Estate, are desired to bring in their Ac-
 counts to the said Mr. Lumy.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the
 Creditors of George Anderson, late of Croydon in the
 County of Surry, Cooper, are forthwith to come before Tho-
 mas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his

Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, London, and prove
 their several Demands, or in Default thereof they will be ex-
 cluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued
 forth against Gabriel Anthony Esst, of London,
 Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby re-
 quired to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said
 Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th
 Day of February instant, and on the 11th Day of March next,
 at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 1st Day of
 April following at Ten o'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 pre-
 pared 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 in-
 debted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects,
 are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commis-
 sioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Henry Michell,
 Attorney, in Cook's Court, Carey-Street.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued
 forth against James Fortune, now or late of Lower
 East Smithfield in the County of Middlesex, Taylor, 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 22d
 Day of February instant at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, on
 the 4th Day of March next, and on the 1st Day of April fol-
 lowing, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, Lon-
 don, 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 Bank-
 rupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Credi-
 tors 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 Mess. Richardson and Allen, in Furnival's Inn,
 Holborn, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued
 forth against William Penrice, late of the Parish of
 St. George the Martyr in the County of Surry, but now of
 Scotland-Yard in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in
 the County of Middlesex, 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 Day of February instant at
 Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the 7th Day of
 March next, and on the 1st Day of April following, at Ten
 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 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.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued
 forth against John Clapp, now or late of Dockhead,
 Southwark, in the County of Surry, Mariner, Dealer and
 Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby re-
 quired to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said
 Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th
 Day of February instant, on the 4th Day of March next,
 and on the 1st Day of April following, at Four of the
 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 Credi-
 tors 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

same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Joseph Sherwood, Attorney at Law, Warford-Court Throgmorton-Street, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Hanbury, of Kidderminster in the County of Worcester, Stuff-Weaver, 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 13th and 14th Days of March next, and on the 1st Day of April following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Bradley, known by the Name or Sign of the Wheat Sheaf, in Kidderminster 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 Pochin Lister, Attorney at Law, in Kidderminster aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Fowler, of Aldersgate-Street, London, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1st Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the joint Creditors of Thomas Roebuck, in Partnership with the said Edward Fowler, who have not entered into or executed the said Release or Agreement of the 29th of September 1767, (whereby they released the said Thomas Roebuck from the Payment of the several Debts due to them from their joint Trade) will be at Liberty to prove their Debts under the said Commission, pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Solomon De Silva, of Crutched Fryers, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 15th Day of March 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 disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Bull, now or late of Prince-Street in the Park Southwark in the County of Surry, Cabinet-maker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th Day of March 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. 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 William Sprott the Younger, of Leominster in the County of Hereford, Cutler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th Day of March next, at the King's Arms in Leominster 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. At which Time the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of the said Bankrupt's Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Christopher Stidman, late of Swithin's-Lane, London Ironmonger, intend to meet on the 11th Day of March next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, 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.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Sheldrake, of Framlingham in the County of Suffolk, Brewer, have certified to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Sheldrake 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 11th of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Clark, of Winslow in the County of Bucks, Carrier, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Clark 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 11th of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Haigh, late of the Town and County of Nottingham, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Haigh 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 11th of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Huggins, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Hofer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Huggins 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 11th of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Silas Jopling, late of Waltham Abbey in the County of Essex, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Silas Jopling 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 11th of March next.