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St. James's, April 11.

THE following Address of the Mayor, Magistrates, Gentlemen, Clergy, Merchants, Manufacturers, and other Principal Inhabitants of the City of Norwich, has been presented to His Majesty by Harbord Harbord and Edward Bacon, Esqrs. their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Magistrates, Gentlemen, Clergy, Merchants, Manufacturers, and other Principal Inhabitants of the City of Norwich.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majesty's most faithful Subjects, the Mayor, Magistrates, Gentlemen, Clergy, Merchants, Manufacturers, and other Principal Inhabitants of the City of Norwich, are desirous to represent at the Foot of your Throne those dutiful Sentiments of Loyalty and Affection, which they have ever entertained towards your Majesty's sacred Person, and the Princes of your illustrious Line.

After the happy Experience we have had of your Majesty's mild and gracious Disposition, of your regard to the Principles of our Constitution, and of your paternal Attention to the Necessities of your People, we trusted that even the meanest of your Subjects were duly sensible of the Esteem and Reverence they owed to their indulgent Sovereign, and of the Felicity we enjoy under the Government of a virtuous King and a free Legislature.—But the Tumults and Seditions that have lately disturbed your Capital, and almost invaded the Royal Presence, too plainly declare the Progress and Tendency of that licentious Spirit, which hath of late insulted the most respectable Powers of the Constitution.

Alarmed at these dangerous Proceedings, equally repugnant to the Dignity of the Crown, the Authority of the Laws, and the Safety of the Subject; we are earnest to assure your Majesty, that, whatever Opinion we may happen at any Time to entertain of the Measures of Administration, we shall ever retain the most inviolable Esteem and Veneration for your Royal Person, and Attachment to your illustrious House; and shall always exert our utmost Endeavours to cherish and promote in all Ranks among us, a Spirit of Loyalty and Affection to the Sovereign, of Confidence and Trust in the Legislature, of Reverence to the Laws, of Submission to the Magistrate, and of Peace, Order, and Tranquillity among ourselves.

The following Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Merchants, and Principal Inhabitants of the Town of Lancaster, has been presented to His Majesty by Sir George Warren, Knight of the Bath, one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Merchants, and Principal Inhabitants of the Town of Lancaster in the County of Lancaster, the 4th Day of April, 1769.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

AT a Time; when the Spirit of Faction and Licentiousness hath been so wantonly propagated

and so artfully fomented in several Parts of this Nation, we, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly presume to make a Tender of our warmest Affection and Attachment to your Royal Person and Family, and to express our Abhorrence and Detestation of the many riotous, seditious, and alarming Proceedings, which have of late been so audaciously carried on, in open Defiance of the Laws, and of all legal Authority.

We are truly sensible, and fully convinced, that our Civil and Religious Liberty was never enjoyed in a more ample and extensive Degree than has been experienced during your Majesty's auspicious Reign; that the Happiness and Welfare of your People; the Advancement of Piety and Religion, and the Establishment of Order and good Government, are the first and leading Objects of your Majesty's paternal Regard.

In these Circumstances, therefore, deeply affected with a Sense of our Duty to the best of Kings, and conscious of the invaluable Blessings which we enjoy under your Majesty's mild and happy Government, we are firmly determined, on all Occasions, as far as our Influence extends, to encourage and promote a Spirit of Loyalty, and a due Submission to the Laws of our Country; and to discountenance, by every Means in our Power, all licentious and riotous Proceedings.

To this Declaration of our Fidelity and Affection, we beg Leave to add our hearty and unfeigned Prayers to the King of Kings, that He may long preserve your Majesty the Guardian and Protector of the Laws and Liberties of this great and extended Empire; and that the Order, Harmony, and Cordiality, so much the Object of your Majesty's Wishes, may speedily be restored, and have a lasting Continuance amongst us.

The following Address of the Nobility, Freeholders, and Heretors of the Shire of Lialithgow, has been presented to His Majesty by John Hope, Esq; their Representative in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Nobility, Freeholders, and Heretors of the Shire of Lialithgow.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majesty's mild and auspicious Government dispenses to your Subjects the happy Enjoyment of every Constitutional Privilege, Civil and Religious. We observe, with the deepest Regret, the Attempts which have been made to raise a Spirit of Riot and Licentiousness, by which the Publick Security is endangered, the Execution of lawful Authority obstructed, and your Majesty's Repose daringly disturbed, even in the Seat of your Government.

We esteem it our Duty to testify our intire Disapprobation of such outrageous Proceedings; and most respectfully to offer the strongest Assurances of our loyal and affectionate Attachment to your Majesty's Person, Family, and Government, our intire Confidence in your Royal Wisdom and Justice, with our determined Resolution to support legal Authority as much as in our Power, and to promote the Quiet, Prosperity, and Glory of your Reign.

Linlithgow, In Presence and by Appointment of the Meeting,
April 1, 1769.

Hopetown, Preses.

The following Address of the Chancellor, Rector, Principals, and Professors of the University of St. Andrew's, having been transmitted to the Earl of Rochford, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

May it please your Majesty,
WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Chancellor, Rector, Principals, and Professors of the University of St. Andrew's, humbly beg Leave to express our deep Concern on Account of the riotous and licentious Spirit that has lately appeared in the Behaviour of some of our Fellow-Subjects; tending to disturb the Peace of your Majesty's Government, to destroy True Liberty, and to prevent the Execution of the Laws.

With the highest Gratitude to your Majesty, we reflect on the Happiness which we, in common with your other Subjects, enjoy under your Majesty's most auspicious, just, and mild Administration.

In the Province that belongs to us, as it is our Duty, so it shall ever be a principal Object of our Attention, to inspire the Youth, entrusted to our Care, with a warm Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government, an Abhorrence of all factious and seditious Principles, and a sincere Affection for the Laws and Constitution of their Country.

That it may please Almighty God to guard your Sacred Person, to grant your Majesty a long and happy Reign, to direct your Councils, and to crown them with Success, are the earnest Prayers of,

May it please your Majesty,
 Your Majesty's most Faithful, most Dutiful,
 and most Loyal Subjects.

Signed, in Name of the University, by
Kinnoul, Chancellor.
And. Shaw, Rector.

The following Address of the Gentlemen, Freeholders, and Heritors of the County of Haddington, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,
 The humble Address of the Gentlemen, Freeholders,
 and Heritors of the County of Haddington.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

IN these Days of unjustifiable Riot and Disorder, permit us, the Gentlemen, Freeholders, and Heritors of the County of Haddington, humbly to approach your Royal Presence with the most unfeigned Assurances of Loyalty and Esteem. Gratefully sensible of the Constitutional Blessings we enjoy, it is our warmest Wish to transmit them inviolate to Posterity; and these Blessings, we are persuaded, stand inseparably connected with the Tranquillity of your Majesty's Reign, and the Prosperity of your illustrious Family. Such, most Gracious Sovereign, are the Sentiments of our Hearts; and such Sentiments shall uniformly regulate our Conduct.

Geo. Suttie, Prefes.

Rome, March 11. On the 6th Instant at Noon the Great Duke of Tuscany arrived in this City from Florence, attended by the Counts of Rosenbergh and Turn, and with a suitable Retinue, and went to his Palace called Villa Medici. His Arrival was immediately made known to the College of Cardinals in the Conclave, by a Billet from Baron St. Odile, his Minister, to Cardinal Alexander Albani; whereupon, in the Evening, M. Rezzonico, Maggior Domo of the Palace, and actual Governor of the Conclave, was sent by them to compliment his Royal Highness, who was also complimented by the Ambassadors, Foreign Ministers, the Roman Princes, Nobility, Prelates, &c. whom he received with great Affability, especially those invested with the Order of the Golden Fleece; many of whom he daily admits to his Table.

The Princes Albani and Corsini were appointed to attend his Royal Highness during his Stay at

Rome, and the Abbe Graggini has also been defined as Antiquary, to attend him, to observe the Curiosities of this Capital. For this Purpose he goes out every Day, and passes the Evenings at the Assemblies, expressly made for him by the Princesses Altieri, Poli, Bracciano, the Venetian Ambassadors, Borgheze, Salviati, &c. &c.

On the 8th Instant the usual Present, consisting of Eatables and Drinkables, was carried to his Palace by 142 Men, 130 of whom were from M. Rezzonico, Maggior Domo of the Palace; and 12 from M. Cafali, Governor of Rome.

A most magnificent Present for his Royal Highness has also been prepared by the Cardinals in the Conclave, consisting of a large Cross of Gold fixed upon a Pedestal, with several Figures and Instruments representing the Crucifixion of our Saviour, all in Gold, weighing about 16 Pounds, some Pictures of Tapestry and Mosaick, and 12 Volumes in Folio richly bound, containing the Prints of Rome.

The same Day M. Asburn, the Spanish Minister, received a Courier from his Court, with Notice, that the two Spanish Cardinals were on their Voyage by Sea, on board of two Spanish Ships of War, from Alicant to Civita Vecchia.

St. James's, April 5, 1769.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That Hugh Ross, Esq; of the City of London, Merchant, was, on Wednesday the 22d of March last, (when accompanying the Body of Merchants, Traders, and other Principal Inhabitants of the said City, in order to attend His Majesty with their humble Address) sate in his Carriage in St. James's-Street, between Bennet-Street and St. James's Palace, by a riotous Mob of People then assembled there; that one of them, a middle-sized Man, dressed in light-coloured Cloaths, with a Leather Apron on, and a Hammer in his Hand, (appearing very much like a Carpenter) attacked the said Mr. Ross's Carriage, and, with his Hammer aforesaid, broke the Doors and Wooden Blinds to Pieces, and then, without the least Provocation whatever on the Part of the said Mr. Ross, (who is upwards of Seventy Years of Age) struck him in the most cruel and inhuman Manner several violent Blows with the Hammer on his Leg, from his Knee to his Instep, notwithstanding he had then already received three desperate Wounds in his Face, by Brickbats and Stones, &c. which the Populace had thrown at him, which had also bruised and almost beat out one of his Eyes; and that the said Mr. Ross, from the Wounds and Bruises which he received in the shocking and inhuman Manner above-mentioned, was for some Time in imminent Danger of his Life: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons principally concerned in the said atrocious and inhuman Acts, is hereby pleased to promise a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS to any Person who shall discover the Man who attacked the said Mr. Ross's Carriage, and afterwards struck him with a Hammer as aforesaid; and likewise His most gracious Pardon to any one of the Persons concerned in the said atrocious and inhuman Acts, (except the Man that actually struck the said Mr. Ross with the Hammer, in the Manner above-mentioned) who shall discover the said Man, so that he may be apprehended and convicted thereof. The said Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of the said Offender

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Hugh Ross does hereby promise a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid by him on the Conviction of the said Offender.

Hugh Ross.

Whitehall, April 8, 1769.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that in the Night between the 3d and 4th of this Instant April, a Bureau belonging to Mrs. Mary Compagnon, a L. dger in the House of John Taylor,

Taylor, in St. Martin's Court, in the Parish of St. Martin's in the Fields, was broke open, and the following Bank Notes stolen thereout, viz. N^o H. 184, Thomas Wright, 24th Nov. 1768, for 200 l. N^o K. 37, Daniel Roy, 19th Jan. 1769, for 100 l. N^o K. 229, Charles Jeruison, 15th Dec. 1768, for 40 l. and 6 other Bank Notes, the Numbers of which are forgot, to the Amount of 225 l. and also One Hundred and Ninety-two Guineas in a Leathern Bag, bound with blue Ferret and ditto Strings; and it being apprehended that there was more than one Person concerned in the said Robbery, 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 broke open the said Bureau, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the said Mary Compagnon does hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person making the above Discovery (except as before excepted;) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders; and also a Reward of Ten per Cent. on such Part of the Bank Notes and Cash stolen as above, as may be restored to her.

Mary Compagnon.

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NUMBER VI.

CRITICAL MEMOIRS OF THE TIMES.

Containing, besides the usual Variety of interesting and entertaining Papers on Politics, Wit, and Gallantry, A Letter to Philalthes on the Danger of Religious Reforms.—Remarks on Dr. Ruffhead's Talents for Criticism—A Comparison between the Sentiments of Dr. Lardner and the late Archbishop of Canterbury—with other original Communications on curious Topics.—Also a Review of Dr. Robertson's History of Charles V.—Mr. Foot's Appeal.—Dr. Smollet's Adventures of an Atom.—The new Christian's Creed.—The Counter Appeal.—Mr. Ingram's Blow, on the Death of Clarke, &c.—Together with a characteristic Catalogue of all the Books and Pamphlets that have been published since the 1st of January; with a comparative View of the different Characters given them by the Monthly and Critical Reviewers.

The preceding Numbers of this Work contain (besides a great Number of original Pieces and Extracts, in Prose and Verse, on curious and popular Subjects) a Critical Review of all the capital Books published since the Commencement of the Year; hardly any of which have yet appeared in the Monthly or Critical Reviews.

Printed for G. Kearsly, at N^o 1. Ludgate-Street; of whom may be had the former Numbers; also of the principal Book-sellers in Great Britain and Ireland.

This Number completes the First Volume.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Copartnership between Joseph Hunt and Thomas John Craft, of Bedington-Corner in the County of Surry, Callico-Printers, was this Day by mutual Consent dissolved. Dated this 11th Day of April, 1769.

Joseph Hunt.

Tho. John Craft.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Maynard Guerin the Elder, late of the Parish of St. Margaret Westminster, Esq; deceased, are, on or before the 8th Day of May next, 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 and claim their Legacies, 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 and Legatees of Richard Meere, late of Vine-Street in the Parish of St. James within the Liberty of Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Upholsterer, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Tuesday the 9th Day of May next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Freehold Estate, consisting of a Capital and divers other Messuages, Farms, Leases, and Hereditaments, situate in the several Pa-

rishes of St. George, St. Asaph, Abergeley, Llanddulas, Llanvair, Llanclian, Bettws, Eglwysfach, and Llanufudd, in the several Counties of Denbigh and Flint, of the clear yearly Value of 1416 l. 8 s. 2 d. 1/2 late the Estate of Sir George Wynne, Bart. deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, London.

THE Creditors of John Bindley and William Wright, of White Fryars in the City of London, Merchants, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, Bankrupts, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Wednesday the 19th Day of April instant, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Half Moon Tavern in Cheapside, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; and 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 against Joseph Hanbury, of Kidderminster in the County of Worcester, Stuff-Weaver, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 20th Day of April instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of William Bradley, known by the Sign of the Wheat Sheaf in Kidderminster aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or their agreeing, compounding, or submitting to Arbitration, any Matters relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Markham and William Buchanan, late of Throgmorton-Street, London, Merchants and Partners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 12th Day of this Instant April, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Sun Tavern in Milk-Street Cheapside, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching or concerning the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; or compounding or submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise compromising, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of William Thomson, of Warwick-Court Holborn in the County of Middlesex, Portrait-Painter, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, who have proved their Debts, are desired to meet the Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 13th Instant, at Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Devil Tavern, Temple Bar, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignee's commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and upon other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Joseph Paife, of the Back-Lane, near Sun Tavern Fields, Shadwell, in the County of Middlesex, Rope maker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Friday next the 14th Day of April Instant, at Four of the 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 Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the major Part of the Commissioners named in a Commission of Bankrupt against Richard Leckonby, late of Great Eccleston in the County of Lancaister, Dealer in Malt and Chapman, intend to meet at the House of Mrs. Isabella Walmsley, the Sign of the Dog, in Preston in the said County, on the 27th Day of April instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, to compute and settle Interest on the principal Sums which were due at the Time of the Issuing of the said Commission on Bonds and Notes carrying Interest from the Time the Computation thereof was stopt by the said Commissioners; and for other Purposes in the said Order mentioned.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Edward Addis, of Dog-Lane in the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey in the County of Surry, Leather-Dresser, 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 Day of April instant, and on the 2d and 23d Days of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to 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 Mess Reavely and Humphreys, N^o 2. Coney-Court, Gray's Inn.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Samman, of Abingdon in the County of Berks, Currier, Carrier, Dealer in Corn 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 16th, 19th, and 23d Days of May next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon of each of the said Days, at the House of John Mewhill, known by the Name or Sign of the Star Inn, in the City of Oxford, 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. Yate-man, Attorney, of Abingdon in the County of Berks.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Chambers, of the Parish of St. Saviour Southwark in the County of Surry, Hop-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 18th and 24th Days of April instant, and on the 23d Day of May next, at Four 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 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. Farrer, at his Chambers, N^o 13. Holborn-Court, Gray's Inn, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Margaret Seed, of Cleveland-Row in the Parish of St. James Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Widow, Dealer and Chapwoman, and she being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender herself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th Day of April instant, and on the 6th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 23d Day of the same Month at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of her 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 her Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of her Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Burroughs, in St. Martin's-Lane, Westminster.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Shaw, of the Parish of St. Mary-le Bonne in the County of Middlesex, Mason, Builder, 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 Day of April instant, and on the 2d and 23d Days of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Burman, in Lincoln's Inn.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Anthony Merry, of Laurence Pountney Lane, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 4th Day of May next, at Ten of the 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 James Lloyd, of the Town of Knighton in the County of Radnor, Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of May next, at Four o'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.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Cort, Robert Smith, and William Heathfield, late of Ludgate-Hill, London, Silkmen, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, intend to meet on the

2d Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Further Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Heathfield and Robert Smith, late of Ludgate-Hill, London, Silkmen, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, intend to meet on the 2d Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Further Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Downes, of Haberdashers Walk Hoxton in the County of Middlesex, Watchmaker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 2d Day of May next, at Four 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Smith and Joseph Beckham, of Fish-Street Hill, London, Haberdashers and Partners, intend to meet on the 13th Day of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Farther Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and make good the same, or they will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Norman, of the Parish of St. Ann within the Liberty of Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Upholder, intend to meet on the 2d Day of May 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 renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Baynes, now or late of Lambeth in the County of Surry, Millwright, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of May next, at Four o'Clock 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 Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Abraham Adams, of Summudham in the County of Suffolk, Innholder, Dealer in Wines, and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Corbould, being the Sign of the Three Trees in Yoxford in the said County, 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.

WHereas it was advertised in the London Gazette of Saturday the 18th Day of March last, that the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Gimblett, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Button-maker and Watch-maker, intended to meet on the 12th Day of April instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. Thomas Jordan, known by the Name or Sign of the Dolphin, situate in the Bull Ring in Birmingham aforesaid, in order to make another Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects: This is to give Notice, that the said Meeting is postponed till Friday the 5th Day of May next, when the Commissioners will meet at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of the said Thomas Jordan, known by the Sign of the Dolphin, situate in the Bull Ring in Birmingham 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.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Lane, of King's Street Bloomsbury in the County of Middlesex, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Henry Lane 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 2d of May next.