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Hague, November 8.

BARON Boetzelaer has been nominated President of the Nobles of this Province, and of the Committee of Council, in the room of the late Count Bentinck, and took Possession of those Employments Yesterday.

The Great Seal of the Province, which alternates between the First Noble and the Grand Pensionary, is deposited in the Hands of the latter.

Dublin, November 5.

Yesterday being the Anniversary of the Birth of the late King William the Third, of glorious Memory, in the Morning the Flag was displayed on Bedford Tower; at Noon there was a splendid Appearance of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction at the Castle, to compliment his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant; after which his Excellency, attended by the Nobility and Gentry, and escorted by a Squadron of Horse, went in Procession round the Statue of King William, the Regiments on Dublin Duty lined the Statue on each Side; and, after his Excellency's Return to the Castle, the Great Guns at the Salute Battery in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix were fired three Rounds, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments in Garrison, which were drawn up on College-Green; and the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

Dublin, November 7.

Saturday last being the Anniversary of the horrid Gunpowder Plot, in the Morning the Flag was displayed on Bedford Tower, the Great Guns in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix were fired three Rounds, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments in Garrison, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks; and the Evening concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

MEMBERS returned for the ensuing Parliament.

County of Leicester.

The Honourable Thomas Noel, only Son of the Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Wentworth;

Sir John Palmer, of Carlton in the County of Northampton, Bart.

Borough of Leicester.

The Honourable Booth Grey, Brother to the Right Honourable George Harry Earl of Stamford;

John Darker, of Gayton in the County of Northampton, Esq;

Town and Port of Hastings.

The Right Honourable Henry Temple, Lord Viscount Palmerston of the Kingdom of Ireland;

The Right Honourable Charles Jenkinson, Esq;

Town and Port of Sandwich.

Philip Stephens, Esq;

William Hey, Esq;

Town and Port of Dover.

John Henniker, Esq;

John Trevanion, Esq;

Town and Port of New Romney.

Sir Edward Dering, Bart.

Richard Jackson, Esq;

Town and Port of Hythe.

Sir Charles Farnaby;

William Evelyn, Esq;

Town and Port of Rye.

Rose Fuller, of Rose-Hill in the County of Suffex, Esq;

Middleton Onslow, of Drungewick in the said County of Suffex, Esq;

Town and Port of Winchelsea.

Arnold Nesbitt, of West Wickham in the County of Kent, Esq;

Charles Wolfran Cornwall, of Barton Priors in the County of Hants, Esq;

Town and Port of Seaford.

The Right Honourable William Hall, Lord Viscount Gage in the Kingdom of Ireland;

George Medley, of Buxted Place in the County of Suffex, Esq;

County Borough of Carmarthen.

John Adams, Esq;

County of Linlithgow.

Sir William Augustus Cunynghame, of Livingstone, Bart.

Burghs of Linlithgow, Selkirk, Lanerk, and Peebles.

Sir James Cockburn, of Langton, Bart.

County of Sutherland.

The Honourable James Wemyss, of Wemyss.

Burghs of Dornock, Dingwall, Tam, Wick, and Kirkwall.

Colonel James Grant, of Ballendallock.

[Price Three-Pence.]



St. James's, November 15, 1774.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Sunday Night last, at Half an Hour past Nine o'Clock, a Fire broke out in the Timber Yard of Mr. Thomas Flight, in the old Artillery Ground adjoining to Tabernacle Walk, which burnt a very great Quantity of Timber, Deals, and other Things, together with all the Buildings belonging to the said Yard; and that there is great Reason to believe the same was wilfully and maliciously set on Fire in three Places; and that three Persons were seen getting over the Wall into Tabernacle Walk just before the Fire was discovered, one of whom was heard to say, "We have done it effectually." His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Offence, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any Person or Persons concerned therein, (except the Person or Persons who did actually set Fire to the same) who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the said Mr. Thomas Flight doth hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Thomas Flight.

Victualling-Office, November 7, 1774.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 21st of December next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Waterford in Ireland, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London; or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Waterford.

And all Persons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasion are desired to take Notice, that no regard will be had to any Tender that shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 21st of December next.

Mercers-Hall, London, November 11, 1774.

THE Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London, pursuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the 4th Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of the Bond and other Creditors of the Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London," do hereby give Notice to their Bond Creditors, that a Committee of the said Company will meet at Mercers-Hall in Cheap-side, London, on Friday the 16th of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, to draw the Lots out of the Wheel prepared for that Purpose, as a Lottery, to reduce and pay off the Sum of £2000 or more of the Principal of their Bond Debt, pursuant to the Directions of the said Act of Parliament; and this Notice is given, to the Intent that as many of the Bond Creditors of the said Company as think fit may be present.

W. Cawne, Clerk.

ALL Persons who have any Claims or Demands on the Estate of the late Right Honourable Elinor Countess of Elinington, are desired forthwith to send an Account thereof to her Executor, the Honourable Admiral Forbes, at his House in Saville-row, Burlington-gardens, or to Mr. Duroure, at his House, N^o 20, in Old Broad-street, London.

November 8, 1774.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership between us, the under-written Morris and Beale, of Gracechurch-street, London, Haberdashers and Wholesale-merchants, was this Day mutually dissolved. All Persons indebted to the said Copartnership are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mr. Joseph Morris, at N^o 22, in Gracechurch-street, where the Trade is carried on; and all Persons who have any Demands upon the said Copartnership are desired to bring in the same to the said Joseph Morris, that they may be forthwith discharged.

Joseph Morris.
John Beale.

In Chancery. Between Florence Stafford, Widow and Administratrix of John Stafford, late of Bideford in the County of Devon, Esq; deceased, Complainant; and Philip Gregory, John Martyn, and Edward Pridham, Defendants.

SUCH Persons as were actually Creditors of the said John Stafford on or before the 30th Day of November, 1769, are desired to make Affidavits of their respective Debts, and send them to the Defendant, Edward Pridham, Attorney, at Bideford aforesaid, on or before the 2d Day of February next; when a Dividend will be made of such Effects as were assigned by the said John Stafford to the Defendants, for the Purpose of paying his Debts. And whoever shall neglect or omit to send such Affidavits before the 2d Day of February next, will be excluded from all Benefit under such Assignment.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the First Cousins of Elizabeth Morse, late of Blackheath in the County of Kent, Widow, deceased, Daughter of David Milne, formerly of Elsarg in North Britain, but late of London, Merchant, deceased, who were living on the 24th of June 1773, when the said Elizabeth Morse died, and the Children of such of her First Cousins as were dead on or before that Time, are to come in and prove their Kinship, and make out such their Relationship, before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 25th Day of November instant, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of the late William Thompson, late of Humbleton in the County of York, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts, or one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, in Chancery-Lane, London, and prove their Debts, on or before the 1st Day of February next, 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 Richard St. John, late of Midsoppall in the County of Somerset, Gentleman, deceased, are desired to come in and prove their Debts, before William Graves, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, in Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 1st Day of February next, 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 (if any) of Thomas Cross, late of the same Place in the County of Middlesex, Esq; who died in the Year 1743, and the Creditor of Thomas Cross, his Son, late of the same Place, who died in the Year 1745, and also the Creditors of George Ormeod, late of Wellington in the County of Surrey, Callico-printer, who died in 1754, are to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 5th Day of December next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Ralph Glover, late of the Parish of St. George Hanover-square in the County of Middlesex, Watch-maker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 18th Day of November instant, at Five in the Afternoon precisely, at the Queen's Head Tavern in Holborn, in order to assist to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their 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 John Savage, of Wolverhampton in the County of Stafford, Brazier, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 25th of November instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House

House of James Walker, Inholder, the Sign of the Angel, situate in Wolverhampton aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from their commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their 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 forth against Charles Edward Evatts, of Stratford upon Avon in the County of Warwick, Mercer and Draper, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 22d Day of November instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Half Moon Tavern in Cheap-side, 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 to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Kennedy, of Hermitage-street in the Parish of St. George in the County of Middlesex, Mariner, 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 Day of November instant at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 29th Day of the same Month, and on the 27th Day of December next, 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 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. Fresselicque, Angel-court, Thromorton-street.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Austin, of London, and Edward Rogers, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Japanners, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, 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 22d Day of November instant, and on the 6th and 27th Days of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of William Southall, Inholder, in Bull-street, Birmingham, 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 choose 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. John Meredith, Attorney, in Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Henry Botton, late of Speldhurst in the County of Kent, Miller, Mealman, 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 30th Day of November instant, and on the 6th and 27th of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, 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. P'Anion and Fox, Attornies, Canon-row, Westminster.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Connor, of Chipping Barnett in the County of Hertford, 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 30th Days of November instant, and on the 27th Day of December next, at Five 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 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. Chamberlayne and White, Attornies, in Gough-square, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Peter Contenden, of the City of London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, met on the 15th Day of November instant, at Guildhall, London, for the Proof Debts and Choice of Assignees, when, at the Request of the Creditors present, such Choice was adjourned to the 24th Day of the said November, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have proved their Debts, vote in the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees accordingly.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry Boyd, late of Lawrence-lane, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 20th Day of December next, at Ten 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 Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against James Clegg, of Shawfield in the Parish of Rochdale and County of Lancaster, Baize-maker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 19th Day of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Thomas Wordworth, the Roebuck, in Rochdale aforesaid, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; 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 Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Robert Lumb, late of Wakefield in the County of York, Clothier, Factor and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; 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 Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Abraham Ayres, of Plymouth Dock in the County of Devon, Linen-crafter, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Abraham Ayres 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 6th of December next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Providence Haastard the Younger, formerly of Brugh, and now of Boston, in the County of Lincoln, Common Brewer, Inholder, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Providence Haastard 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 6th of December next.

THE following Persons being Prisoners for Debt, in the respective Prisons, or Goals, hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and for the Relief of Bankrupts in certain Cases; at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace* to

to be held in and for the County, Riding, Division, City, Town, Liberty or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after **THIRTY** Days from the **FIRST** Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Prisoner in the Castle of **NORWICH** for the County of Norfolk.

Second Notice.

Thomas Annison, late of Northwalsam in the County of Norfolk, Sieve-maker and Alehouse-keeper.

Prisoner in St. Thomas's Ward in the Parish of St. Thomas the Apostle in the County of Devon.

Second Notice.

Peter Tilly, formerly of Ashton, late of Christow, both in the County of Devon, Farmer.

Prisoner in **RUTHIN** Gaol in the County of Denbigh.

Third Notice.

John Price, late of Denbigh in the County of Denbigh, Flax-dresser.

Prisoners in the **KING's BENCH** Prison in the County of Surry.

Second Notice.

John Scott, late of Long-lane in the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey, Cooper.
Arthur Gifford, and Deseme Davis, late of the City of Bath in the County of Somerset, Poulterers and Copartners.

Prisoner in the Gaol at **WALSALL**, for the Town, Place, or Liberty, of the Borough and Foreign of Walsall in the County of Stafford.

First Notice.

Edward Moore, late of Bloxwich in the Parish of Walsall in the County of Stafford, Nailor.

THE following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on the **TWENTY-EIGHTH** Day of **APRIL**, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-four, and having surrendered themselves to the Goalers or Keepers of the respective Prisons or Goals hereafter-mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and for the Relief of Bankrupts in certain Cases*; at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Division, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after **THIRTY** Days from the **FIRST** Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Fugitives surrendered to the Keeper of the **KING's BENCH** Prison in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

John Marth, formerly of Rotherhithe in the County of Surry, late of Dunkirk in France, Cordwainer.
Alexander Abbott, formerly of Barham in the County of Kent, late of Dunkirk in France, Cooper.
Thomas Taylor, formerly of the Parish of Gillingham in the County of Kent, late of Dunkirk in France, Mariner.

Second Notice.

Thomas Dowd, formerly of the Strand in the Liberty of Westminster, late of Paris in France, Hair dresser.
Benjamin Painter, formerly of the Parish of St. Mary Newington, late of the Parish of St. George Southwark, both in the County of Surry, Carpenter.
John White, formerly of the Parish of St. Ann Limehouse in the County of Middlesex, late of North America, Taylor and Victualler.

Third Notice.

James Stewart, formerly of St. John Wapping in the County of Middlesex, late of Jamaica, Mariner.

Fugitives surrendered to the Keeper of the **MARSHALSEA** Prison, in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Edward Westbrook, formerly of Edgware in Middlesex, late of Dublin in Ireland, Hay-dealer.

Third Notice.

Simon Garratty, formerly of White Fryers Precinct, London, late of Dublin, Ireland, Carman.

Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of **WOODSTREET** Compter, in the City of London.

Third Notice.

David Adamson, formerly of the Parish of St. George Middlesex, late of Deptford in Kent, Mariner.

Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of **MAIDSTONE** Gaol in the County of Kent.

Third Notice.

William Hobday, formerly of Boughton in the County of Kent, late of Dunkirk in France, Bricklayer.

Fugitives surrendered to the Warden of His Majesty's Prison of the **FLEET**.

First Notice.

James Bishop, formerly of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn in the County of Middlesex, Victualler, late of Barbadoes in the West Indies, Mariner.

Second Notice.

George Jillard, formerly of St. John Wapping in the County of Middlesex, late of Barbadoes in the West Indies, Mariner.
William Cardin, formerly of Rosemary-lane in the Parish of St. Mary Whitechapel in the County of Middlesex, late of Cork in Ireland, Victualler.

Third Notice.

Richard Eufface, formerly of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, late of the City of Dublin, Merchant.

Fugitive surrendered to the Keeper of the **POULTRY** Compter, in the City of London.

Third Notice.

Jonas Chapman, formerly of Winfield-street Pettycoat-lane, in the County of Middlesex, late of the Hague in Holland, Old Clothes-man.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.