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Westminster, April 30.

THIS Day, the Lords being met, a Message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by Sir Francis Molyneux, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that the Lords, authorized by Virtue of His Majesty's Commission, for declaring His Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain, the Lord President of the Council, and several other Lords therein mentioned, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for enabling the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, to purchase the present Tolls and Duties payable for navigating upon the River Thames, Westward of London Bridge, within the Liberties of the City of London; and for laying a small Toll in Lieu thereof, for the Purpose of more effectually completing the said Navigation; and for other Purposes.

An Act for expediting the Sale of the Estates in Scotland, belonging to the York Buildings Company, for the Relief of their Creditors.

An Act for building a new Church, within the Town and Parish of Birmingham.

An Act for making and maintaining a Navigable Cut, or Canal, from the River Trent, in the Lordship of Sawley and Long Eaton, in the County of Derby, to or near Langley Bridge, in the Counties of Derby and Nottingham.

An Act for opening Communications between Wapping Street and Ratcliff Highway, and between Old Gravel Lane and Virginia Street; and for paving certain Streets intended to be built, and also certain other Streets and Public Passages and Places, within the Parishes of Saint George, and Saint John of Wapping, in the County of Middlesex.

An Act for lighting and watching the Turnpike Road, leading from the Stones End, near Blackman Street, in the Parish of Saint Mary, Newington, in the County of Surrey, to the Bridge at Walworth, in the same Parish, and the several Roads, Ways, and Places, therein described, communicating therewith.

An Act for enlarging the Term, and altering the Powers, of an Act made in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing and widening several Roads therein mentioned, in the Counties of Warwick and Oxford, so far as relates to the Road from the Guide Post, in the Village of Adderbury, through Kidlington, to the Mileway leading towards the City of Oxford.

An Act for amending, widening, and keeping in Repair, the Road leading from Crockhill, in the Pa-

rish of Chickerell, to the Turnpike Road leading from Bridport to Bridport Harbour, and several other Roads therein mentioned, in the County of Dorset.

An Act for more effectually amending, widening, and keeping in Repair, several Roads therein mentioned, leading from a Gate in the Town and County of Poole, called Poole Gate; and for repealing two Acts of Parliament, of the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Years of His late Majesty, relating to the said Roads; and also for applying a certain Sum of Money therein mentioned towards paving and repairing a certain Street or Way within the said Town and County.

An Act to enlarge the Term and Powers of an Act passed in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of King George the Second, for repairing and widening the several Roads therein mentioned, leading to, through, and from, the Town of Monmouth.

An Act for continuing the Term, and altering and enlarging the Powers, of an Act of Parliament, made in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing and widening several Roads, leading from and near the Town of Brewton, in the County of Somerset; and for repairing and widening the Street from the North or North East End of Coombe Street, along Patwell Street, in the said Town of Brewton, to the South or South East Side of Dymond's River.

An Act for amending, widening, and keeping in Repair, the Road leading from the Turnpike Road in the Parish of Asthall, in the County of Oxford, to the Turnpike Road at or near Buckland in the County of Berks.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from the Town of Halifax, in the West Riding of the County of York, to the Town of Sheffield in the same Riding.

An Act for continuing the Term and Powers of an Act made in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing and widening the Road from the Eighteen Mile Stone beyond Willoughby Hedge, through the Town of Mere, in the County of Wilts, and through Wincanton to Charlton Houthorn, and from thence to Milborne Port, and from Willoughby Hedge aforesaid to the West End of Long Lane in Kilmington, and from Wincanton aforesaid to the Sherborn Turnpike Cross Gate on Cattle Hill, and from Wincanton to Sparkford, in the County of Somerset.

And to Thirty-five Private Bills.

AT the Court at St. James's, the 16th of April, 1777.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS an Act was passed in this present Session of Parliament, for enabling the Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain to grant Commissions to the Commanders of Private Ships and Vessels, employed in Trade, or retained in His Majesty's Service, to take

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[Price Seven-Pence.]