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*Petersburgh, July 8:*

**O**N Friday last the Count of Gothland was at a Meeting of the Imperial Academy of Sciences; and, after viewing the Museum, was presented with many curious Specimens of the natural Productions of this Country, &c. out of that valuable Collection.

Yesterday the Empress presented the Count of Gothland with the Ensigns of the Order of St. Alexander Newsky, enriched with Brilliants of a very great Value. The same Day her Imperial Majesty and the Count did Prince Potemkin the Honour to dine with him at Strelina.

*Petersburg, July 11.* On Wednesday last, being the Anniversary of the Empress's Accession to the Throne, there was a very numerous and brilliant Court at Peterhoff, when several Promotions were made, and Dignities conferred.

The Princess Orlow was appointed Dame de Portrait.

M. Kosmin, Secretary of the Cabinet, and M. Orlow, Marshal of the Court, received the Order of St. Alexander Newsky: And the Chamberlain Prince Boratinsky was appointed joint Court-Marshal with the latter.

Five Ribbons of the Order of St. Anne were bestowed; and Five Major Generals were advanced to the Rank of Lieutenant-Generals according to Seniority.

Yesterday, being the Great Duke's Name-Day, the Foreign Ministers had the Honour of paying their Court to his Imperial Highness at Peterhoff; where there was in the Evening a very grand Masked Ball; and the Illuminations in the Gardens were very grand and beautiful.

The same Day the Count of Gothland conferred the Order of Vasa on M. Domaschneff, Director of the Academy of Sciences.

This Day the Imperial Family and the Count of Gothland are gone to Oranienbaum, where there is to be a Comedy and Ballet in the Evening.

*Hague, August 1.* His Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, set out this Morning for Loo, by the Way of Schoonhoven.

The States of Holland separated this Day; but before their Separation a Proclamation was published for the future Regulation of the Beacons and Lights upon the Coast of this Province; by which they have directed, that for the future those Lights shall be continued during the Summer Months from the First of September next; for hitherto they had been only lighted in the Winter.

*St. James's, August 5.*

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend William Moore, Clerk, to the Rectory of Northlew in the County of Devon and Diocese of Exeter, void by the Death of the last Incumbent.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Lafcelles Sturdy, of Pontefract in the County of York, Esquire, and to his Issue, His Royal Licence and Authority to take and use the Surname of Lafcelles, and use and bear the Arms of Lafcelles, (such Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Heralds Office;) and also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

[ Price Threepence-Halfpenny. ]

*Lord Chamberlain's-Office, St. James's, June 17, 1777.*

**W**HEREAS it is supposed that several Persons who have heretofore been appointed Gentlemen of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, may, in Course of Time, be dead, or removed from their Places of Residence: That it may appear to the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household who of them are remaining alive, his Lordship is pleased to direct, that all such do, on or before the 30th Day of October, 1777, transmit to Whithed Keene, Esq, at the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, St. James's, an Account of their present Places of Residence.

*St. James's, August 5, 1776.*

*Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That an anonymous Threatening Letter was received from the General Post-Office at Bristol, on Thursday the 24th Day of April last past, by Mr. John Barrett, Collector of Excise there, of which the following is a Copy:*

Sir,

You may tell Lilytrap Lovelas Martin and Unferies that if they have a mind to save their Lives they do remove from Bristol for Dam me if we dont put an end to them Umferies and Mailh narrowly mist it other Day.

And Elton and Barry and you had best alter your Proceedings in encouraging those Villains otherwise your Houses will be made a Dunghil of and your Carcises sent to the Devil for a Firebrand advise Elton and Barry to fine no more Warrants, for we are 50 of us ready to put this our Define in Execution.

Kingfwood  
20 April 1776

P. S. Dont let Mr. Lion stand the Pillory.

(Superscribed)

To

Mr Barrett Collr of Excise Bristol

*His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing or sending the said Threatening Letter, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

WEYMOUTH.

Custom-House, London.

FOR SALE,

*By Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, on Thursday the 21st of August instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 6, 8, and 10 Hds. each.*

S U G A R,

Hh.	T.	B.	
91	77	119	St. Kitts.
12	0	0	Nevis.
5	0	0	Tobago.

*Samples to be seen in Wycherley's-yard, opposite Bear Key, Tuesday the 19th, Wednesday the 20th, and Thursday the 21st of August.*

Custom-House, London, July 29, 1777.

FOR SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty) on Wednesday the 6th, Thursday the 7th, and Friday the 8th of August, 1777, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities, for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers.

For Exportation.

East-India Prohibited Goods, Cambrick, Blois and Thread Bone Lace, Silk, and Muslin stitched with Thread.

For Home Consumption.

Muslin, Muslin Neckcloths and Handkerchiefs, Linen, Nankin Cloths, Crape, Cotton Yarn, Snuff Boxes, Mother of Pearl Fish and Counters, Lacquered Ware, Engraved Copper-plates, Picture frames, Leather Shoes, Ostrich Feathers, Hams, Gold and Silver Wearing Apparel to be burnt, Purple, King's and Rose Wood, Glass Plates plain and coloured, Violins, Castor Oil, China Ware, Wine in Casks and Bottles, Sugar and other Groceries, Drugs, Anchorovies, Arrangoes, Borax, Bugle, Necklaces, Goose Quills, Oats, Bar Iron, Sails, Quern, Mill, and Dog Stones, Deals, a Lighter, with her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture, Boats, Worstead Yarn, Refused Wines, and sundry other Sorts of Goods, as mentioned in the Catalogues.

Clear of all Duties.

East India Prohibited Goods and Cambricks excepted.

The Oats to be viewed at West's Wharf, Pickle Her-ring Stairs; the Bar Iron, Deals, Stones, Lighter and Boats, at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe; and all the other Goods at the King's Warehouse, Custom-House, London, on Saturday the 2d, Monday the 4th, and Tuesday the 5th, of August, 1777, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

Navy-Office, July 25, 1777.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Friday the 15th of next Month, at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's Yards with Peterburgh or Riga Masts of 24 Inches and upwards.

Victualling-Office, August 1, 1777.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 12th of September 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 Fresh Beef to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Dublin, 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 Postmaster-General at Dublin.

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 of the Clock on the said 12th of September next; nor unless the Person who makes the Tender, or some Person on his Behalf, attends, to answer for him when called for.

Affurance-Office, Serjeant's Inn, July 24, 1777.

A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance-Office, will be held at their House in Serjeant's-Inn, Fleet-Street, on Wednesday the 13th of August next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the Choice of Auditors for the Year ensuing.

Joseph Baldwin, Register.

Affurance Office, Serjeants-inn, Fleet-street,

August 5, 1777.

THE Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office doth hereby give Notice, that at Midsummer last, Old Style, the several Members, or their Nominees, upon the Policies numbered as follow, v. z. 198, 199, 388, 421, 422, 617, 662, 890, 994, 1266, 1268, 1269, 1564, 1786, 1800, 1801, 1803, 1835, 1838, 1842, 1860, and 1862, were in Arrear in their Quarterly Payments or Contributions for One Year and One Quarter of a Year; and that unless such Arrears are paid off within the Space of Three Calendar Months after the Publication hereof, such several Members and their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators and Assigns, will, by Virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, be absolutely excluded from all Benefit and Advantage from such Policies.

Joseph Baldwin, Register.

Halifax, Nova Scotia, Court of Vice-Admiralty,

March 25, 1777.

WHEREAS the Brigantine Carolina with her Cargo were some Time in the Month of October last, on her Passage from Mercillas to Hamburg, taken by an American Privateer, and afterwards retaken by His Majesty's Ship Milsford, commanded by Captain Howatt, and brought into this Port, where she was libelled in said Court for the Payment of Salvage; and no Person appearing to claim said Vessel and Cargo, they were sold by an Order of said Court, as well for the Payment of Salvage as being in a perishable Condition, and the Net Proceeds directed to be paid into said Court: This is therefore to give Publick Notice to all Persons having or claiming any Right or Title to said Vessel, or any Part of her Cargo, that, by producing their original Papers or other sufficient Vouchers in said Court, in Proof of their Property, within a Year and a Day from this Date, they may have the remaining Seven Eighths of their Property restored to them, deducting Expences.

By Order of said Court,

Joseph Gray, Dep. Register.

Halifax, Nova Scotia, Court of Vice-Admiralty,

March 25, 1777.

WHEREAS the Snow Lord Stanley with her Cargo were some Time in the Month of October last, on her Passage from Legborn to Dublin, taken by an American Privateer, and afterwards retaken by His Majesty's armed Brig The Hope, commanded by Captain Dawson, and brought into this Port, where she was libelled in said Court for the Payment of the Salvage; and, no Persons appearing to claim said Vessel and Cargo, they were sold by an Order of said Court, as well for the Payment of Salvage as being in a perishable Condition, and the Net Proceeds directed to be paid into said Court: This is therefore to give Publick Notice to all Persons having or claiming any Right or Title to said Vessel, or to any Part of her Cargo, that, by producing their original Papers or other sufficient Vouchers in said Court, in Proof of their Property, within a Year and a Day from this Date, they may have the remaining Seven Eighths of their Property restored to them, deducting Expences.

By Order of said Court,

Joseph Gray, Dep. Register.

Notice to the Creditors of Ebenezer Erskine, Grocer, in Glasgow.

UPON the Application of the said Ebenezer Erskine, the Court of Session in Scotland did, on the 15th Day of July last, sequestrate his whole Personal Estate; and appointed John Campbell, Merchant in Glasgow, to be Factor thereon; and ordained him to call a Meeting of the Creditors, for the Purpose of continuing him as Factor, or chusing another, or a Trustee or Trustees, &c. In Terms of which Appointment, Intimation is hereby made to the said Creditors, to meet, by themselves or their Attornies properly authorised, in the House of Patrick McKinlay, Vintner in Glasgow, on the 22d Day of August instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, for the Purpose above-mentioned.

JOHN CAMPBELL.

**P**URSUANT to the Directions of the Lords Sub-Committees appointed to consider of Printing the Rolls of Parliament and the Journals of the House of Lords, Notice is hereby given, that the remaining Nine Volumes of the said Journals, from the 23d to the 31st inclusive, and the Rolls of Parliament in Six Volumes, will begin to be delivered on Merday the 11th of August instant; and at the same Time the additional Volumes of the Journals of the House of Commons will be ready for Delivery to the Lords, under the same Regulations as formerly.

Application to be made to George Rose, Esq; in Dean's-square, Westminster.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That the Printing-trade at Glasgow in North Britain, lately carried on by John Mackenzie, William French, Gilbert Hamilton and Thomas Bell, under the Firm of Mackenzie, Hamilton, and Co. was on the 17th Instant dissolved by mutual Consent; and that all Debts owing to the Company are to be paid to Gilbert Hamilton, who also pays all Claims against the said Company. The same Business will be carried on hereafter, under the Firm of French, Hamilton, and Co. and that the Cashier of the Company (the said Gilbert Hamilton) is alone impowered to sign their Firm. In Witness whereof we have signed this Notice in London, this 22d Day of July, before these Witnesses. London July 22, 1777.

*Wm. French,* } N<sup>o</sup> 6, Basinghall-  
*Jes. Bell,* } Street, London. *William French.*  
*John Mackenzie.*

Signed at Carryle near Glasgow, by us Gilbert Hamilton and Thomas Bell this 28th Day of July, 1777, before these Witnesses, Robert Robb, Merchant in Glasgow, and James French, Son to the above William French.

*Robert Robb,* }  
*James French,* } Witnesses. *Gib. Hamilton.*  
*Tho. Bell.*

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Arthur Champenowne, late of Dartington in the County of Devon, Esq; deceased, are forthwith 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, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, on Tuesday the 4th of November next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon. The Real Estates of James Tye, late of Woodbridge in the County of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceased, in the following Lots, viz.

Lot 1. A Capital Mansion-house and Outhouses, with a Garden and Fish-pond, and a Farm consisting of 96 Acres or Land, situate in Kamholt in the said County, being all Freehold, and now let to Mr. Rislove at 60l. a Year; and also a Right of Fishery in a Water called Shottisham-Creek, held for a Term of 1000 Years.

Lot 2. A Freehold Estate, consisting of a Dwelling-house and Barn, and about Eight Acres of Arable Land, situate in Horham in the same County, and let to Mr. Watling at 10l. a Year.

Lot 3. A Freehold Estate, consisting of a Dwelling-house, with Offices, in Woodbridge aforesaid, now let to Mr. Burnham and Mr. Cooper, at 15l. a Year.

Lot 4. A Copyhold Estate, consisting of a Dwelling-house, Stable, and Milling-office, and near Three Acres of Land, in Grundisburg in the same County, now let to Matthew Graystone, at 8l. a Year.

Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Mayer Oppenheim, otherwise Opnaim, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Glassmaker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 14th of August instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Symond's-inn Coffee-house, Chancery-lane, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees their commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; and to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Withnal, late of Inskip with Sowerby in the County of Lancastr, Innkeeper, 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 27th and 28th Days of August instant, and on the 16th Day of September next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Sun, in Preston in the said County, 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 these Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to shew his Assignees, 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. Thing, Attorney, at Ribbleson Hall near Preston aforesaid, or to Mr. Jonas Shaw, Furnival's-inn.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Storr, of Louth in the County of Lincoln, Common-brewer, 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 28th and 29th Days of August instant, and on the 16th Day of September next, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of John Mills, the New King's Head, in Louth, 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 shew his Assignees, 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. Thomas Phillips, Attorney, in Louth aforesaid.

**T**HE Meeting of the Commissioners under the Commission against Edward Addis, of Dog-lane in the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey in the County of Surry, Leather-dresser, which was intended for Saturday the 9th Instant, at Guildhall, London, is postponed to a future Day, of which due Notice will be given in The London Gazette.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Gosling, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 18th Day of August instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Bull's-head, in West-street, Warwick, (one of the Commissioners being ill, and unable to attend pursuant to the former AdVERTISEMENT) in order to take the last Examination of the said Samuel Gosling; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts may then come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of the said Bankrupt's Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Joseph Salway, late of Deptford in the County of Kent, Sugar-refiner, intend to meet on the 2d Day of September next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a farther 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Michael Pratt, of Leeds in the County of York, Druggist, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th Day of September next, at Two in the Afternoon, (not on the 19th Instant, as before advertised) at the House of William Wood, the King's Arms, in Leeds 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. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Armitage, of Long Acre in the County of Middlesex, Upholder, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Armitage 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 26th Day of August instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Haden, now or late of Wednesbury in the County of Stafford, Sadler, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Haden hath in all Things conformed 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 26th Day of August instant.

