

Stockholm, January 27. Yesterday being kept as the Anniversary of his Swedish Majesty's Birth-day, it was celebrated with great Ceremony. There was a very numerous Drawing-Room; after which their Swedish Majesties dined in Publick with the Queen Dowager, their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Dutches of Sudermania, his Royal Highness the Duke of East Gothland, and her Royal Highness the Princess of Sweden.

Dublin Castle, February 13:

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint the following Gentlemen to be High Sheriffs for the present Year:

County of Cavan, John Haffard, of Ennismore, Esq;

County of Kildare, Michael Keating, of Millecent, Esq;

County of Kerry, Robert Hickson, of Tralee, Esq;

County of Longford, Freke Lennon, of Lisicormick, Esq;

County of Louth, Thomas Lee, of Tuilykeale, Esq;

County of Tyrone, John Richardson, of Fairlough, Esq;

County of Wicklow, William Parsons Hoey, of Hoey's Ville, Esq;

County of Armagh, Arthur Noble, of Grouse Lodge, Esq;

County of Clare, Andrew Creagh, of Carnebane, Esq;

County of Galway, James Galbraith, of Cappard, Esq;

County of Limerick, William Fitzgerald, of Ballinard, Esq;

County of Mayo, Sir John Browne, of the Neale, Bart.

Admiralty-Office, February 21, 1778.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, That, on the 15th Instant the Brigantine Diligente, late of Roan, whereof Jeane Baptist Pilastre was Master, bound from Bristol to Marseilles, laden with Ballast, was drove by Strefs of Weather into St. Ives Bay, and there totally lost and broken to Pieces, the Captain and five of the Crew being saved, and one Man lost.

Ph. Stephens.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,  
February 3, 1778.

THE Commissioners and Governors of this Hospital do hereby give Notice, That on Wednesday the 5th Day of August next, or as soon after as may be, will be let on Leases, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1779, All those several Farms of Land, Tythes, Collieries, Corn-Mills, Lime-Kilns, and other Estates within the several Baronies, Manors, Lordships, Townships, Hamlets or Villages hereafter-mentioned, viz. Dilston, Thornbrough, Corbridge, Newton Hall, Whittle, Newlands, Whittonstall, Wooley, Hexhamshire, Heckford, Langhope, Coastley, Highwood, Westwood, Barony of Langley, Barony of Wark, Buteland, Whittlees and Lee-houses, Kirkwhelpington, Hartburn, Hartburn-Grange, Needles Hall, Meldon, Midford, Larbottle, Middleton Hall, Spindleston and Glorum, Outcheffer and Chester Hill in the County of Northumberland, Scremerston and Tweedmouth in the County Palatine of Durham, and Alston Moor, and Casterigg and Darwentwater, in the County of Cumberland or elsewhere; being Parts of the Derwentwater Estate held by Leases, or other Agreements, which expire the 12th of May, 1779; and that all Persons willing to take any of the said Farms of Land, Tythes, Collieries, Corn Mills, Lime-Kilns, or other Estates, may give in their Proposals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty-Office, London, at any Time before the Day above-mentioned, and, on that Day, between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters-Hall, London; and in the mean Time be informed of farther Particulars by applying to Mess. Walton and Turner,

Receivers for the said Hospital, or to the Bailiffs of the respective Districts.

N. B. Dilston, Thornbrough, and Corbridge Farms will be let on Lease for Six Years; Newlands and Whittonstall, Wooley, Hexhamshire, Heckford, Langhope, Coastley, Highwood and Westwood Farms, for Nine Years; Harjondale, Sillywray, Plankey Pasture, Vauce and Louning Foot, the Lough, Middle Dean Raw, East Dean Raw, the Lees, Tedcastle, Land Ends West Farm, and Fourstones Farms, (Part of the Barony of Langley) for Six Years; Low Close, and Straiber Close, Peelwell and Whitfield's Tenement, and Water-Wells Close, Part of Lipwoodwell Farm, (also Part of Langley Barony) for Three Years; the other Farms in the Barony of Langley, for Twelve Years; Ellington and Woodhall Farms, and Woodhall Mill, and Ground, (in the Barony of Wark) for Six Years; Buteland, for Six Years; Whittlees and Lee-houses, Hartburn-Grange, Needles Hall, and Meldon, for Nine Years; and the remaining Farms, &c. will be let on Lease for Twenty one Years or under.

All Grounds inclosed or marked off for the Growing of Wood or Underwood, (for which Purpose several Parcels have been lately assigned) and also all such as have been fenced off on Account or for the Use of Langley Lead Mill, will be excepted and reserved, and no Allowance will be made for Damage by the said Mill.

The several Tenants are to reside in their respective Farms, unless permitted to do otherwise by the said Commissioners and Governors; and no more than one Farm, as now laid out, will be let to the same Tenant.

John Ibbetson.

Admiralty-Office, February 13, 1778.

THESE are to give Notice, That a General Court of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, will be held at this Office on Thursday the 26th Instant, in order to chuse Two Vice-Presidents and Fifteen Assistants for the Year ensuing.

Enfield Chase Inclosure.

THE Commissioners appointed in and by a certain Act of Parliament, intituled, An Act for dividing the Chase of Enfield in the County of Middlesex, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, hereby give Notice, that a Public Meeting will be held by them, at the Mitre Inn in Barnet in the County of Middlesex, on Monday the 9th Day of March next, for selling by Auction several Lots of Oak, Ash, Elm, Beech, and Hornbeam Trees. Given under their Hands this 19th of February, 1778.

George Maxwell.

John Bockett.

The Sales will begin precisely at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; and in the mean Time Particulars and Conditions thereof may be had by applying to Mr. Thomas Smyth, at the White Horse, Ganrock Corner, near Barnet aforesaid.

East India House, February 18, 1778.

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

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 8th of April next, from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of Six Directors of the said Company for Four Years.

And the said Court of Directors do further give Notice, that agreeable to an Act passed in the 13th Year of His present Majesty, no Person will be entitled to vote at the said Election who shall not have been possessed in his or her own Right of 1000l. Stock for Twelve Calendar Months, except in the Cases provided for in the said Act; that every Person possessed in like Manner of 3000 l. Stock will be entitled to give two Votes; that every Person possessed in like Manner of 6000 l. Stock will be entitled to give three Votes; and that every Person possessed in like Manner of 10000 l. Stock, or more, will be entitled to give four Votes, at the said Election; and that no Person in any Circumstance will be qualified to vote, unless for Stock standing in his or her own Name.