

expire on the 23d of this instant August: And whereas it is judged expedient that the said Prohibition should be continued for some Time longer, except in those Cases where (for the Benefit and Advantage of Trade, and for the Use and Defence of Ships trading to Foreign Parts, and of the Transports and Victualling Vessels employed in His Majesty's Service) His Majesty, by His several Orders in Council of the 13th and 27th of October, and of the 6th and 22d of November, 1775, of the 5th and 19th of February, and the 23d of August and 25th of September, 1776, of the 16th of April, the 13th of August, and the 3d and 10th of October, 1777, of the 19th of July last, and the 7th of this instant August, has thought proper to permit and allow the Exportation of, and carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, Arms and Ammunition, under certain Conditions and Restrictions mentioned in the said Orders: His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no Person or Persons whomsoever (except the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Three Months, to commence from the said 23d Day of this instant August, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ship or lade any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, except in the Cases comprized within the aforementioned Orders in Council, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the 29th Year of His late Majesty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to impower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Saltpetre, and to enforce the Law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and Ammunition; and also to impower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition."—And the Lords Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

Admiralty Office, August 14, 1778.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give Notice, That, in Pursuance of His Majesty's Commission under the Great Seal, Letters of Marque and Reprisals against the Ships, Goods, and Subjects of the French King, will be issued to any of His Majesty's Subjects, or others, who are willing to fit out any Ship or Vessel against France, and whom their Lordships shall deem fitly qualified for the same, upon their giving the usual Security not to take, or anyways molest, the Ships, Goods, or Effects of the Subjects of His Majesty, or of His Allies.

Ph. Stephens.

Navy Office, August 18, 1778.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they are ready to treat for the Hire of Ships from 350 to 450 Tons Burthen, capable of carrying 20 Carriage Guns of 6 or 9 Pounders, to serve as armed Ships. The Conditions may be seen, on Application at the Clerk of the Acts Office in this Office.

Victualling Office, August 19, 1778.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 16th of September next, they will be ready to re-

ceive 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 Corke, also at Belfast, Carrickfergus, Larne Harbour, and Newry, in Ireland, and be in Wart thereof.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London; or by applying respectively to the Collectors or Chief Officers of the Customs at Corke, Belfast, and Newry.

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 16th 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.

East-India House, August 20, 1778.

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

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 30th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

East-India House, August 20, 1778.

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

That the Transfer Books of the East India Annuities will be shut on Friday the 11th of September next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Monday the 12th of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants, due the 10th of said October, will be ready to be delivered on Saturday the 7th of November next.

ALL Person or Persons, who pretend to have any Right or Title to an Inheritance of about 250l. Sterling, on the 30th of June, 1756, left by Jan Huys, whilst living Master Ship-builder and Merchant in the City of Rotterdam in Holland, to his Sister Jannetje Huys, and, in case of her Predecease, to her lawful Issue, and which Inheritance rests in the Hands of Mr. Gerrit Post, of said City of Rotterdam, Wine-merchant, are laudly summoned, by Edict at Rotterdam aforesaid, to appear in Person, or to send an Attorney at Law, in Court of the Worshipful the Schepens of said City of Rotterdam, on the 4th Day of February of the Year 1779 next ensuing, there to hear the Demand made by this Issue of Belitgen Huys and Aaltjen Huys, which were also Sisters of the said Jan Huys, to be decreed intitled to the said Inheritance, &c.

N. B. The said Jannetje Huys was, on the 11th of February 1695, married at Rotterdam to Jereen Van Vlieden; and they, along with Two Children, went from thence to Pennsylvania (as is supposed) in the Year 1696 or 1697.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on Tuesday the 10th Day of November next, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Two distinct Lots, A Freehold Farm, consisting of 128 Acres of Land, or thereabouts, situate in the Parishes of Old and New Romney in the County of Kent, and now in the Occupation of Edward Russell; and also a Messuage or Tenement, with a Stable and Garden thereunto belonging, in the City of Canterbury, and now in the Possession of Thomas Roch, Cabinet-maker; and which said Premises were Part of the Estates of the late Sir Francis Head, Bart. deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers, or of Mr. Gregory, at his Chambers, in Clifford's-inn.

Pursuant to a Decree and General Order of Transfer of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Sir William Rowley, late of Tendinger Hall in the County of Suffolk, Knight, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Hets, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Hatfield, of Thames-street, London, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Saturday the 29th of August instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon precisely, at the White Lion Tavern, situate in Talbot-court Gracechurch-street, 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 concerning 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.