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AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 15th of *February*, 1779.

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

HIS Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to appoint James Dutton, of Shirebourne, Eſquire, to be Sheriff of the County of Glouceſter, in the Room of Charles Coxe, of Hanbury, Eſquire.

Darmſtadt, February 2. The Princeſs Louiſa Henrietta Carolina, Spouſe of his Serene Highneſs the Hereditary Prince of Heſſe Darmſtadt, was, on the 16th of laſt Month, happily delivered of a Princeſs, who has been baptiſed by the Name of Louiſa Carolina Theodora Amelia.

CARMARTHEN CIRCUIT.

William Beard, Eſq; *Edward Poore*, Eſq;

Carmarthenſhire, Wedneſday March 24, at *Carmarthen*.

County Borough of Carmarthen, The ſame Day.

Pembrokeſhire, Tueſday March 30, at *Haverfordweſt*.

Town and County of Haverfordweſt, The ſame Day.

Cardiganſhire, Monday April 5, at *Cardigan*.

BRECON CIRCUIT.

The Hon. *John Williams*, and *Abel Moyſey*, Eſquires.

Radnorſhire, Wedneſday March 24, at *Preſteign*.

Breconſhire, Tueſday March 30, at *Brecon*.

Glamorganſhire, Tueſday April 6, at *Cowbridge*.

St. James's, February 2, 1779.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that, about Six o'Clock in the Morning of the 2d of laſt Month, a dreadful Fire *broke out in the* Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, *which extended itſelf with ſuch Rapidity and raged with ſuch Violence, that, before the ſame could be extinguiſhed, the Chapel and Cupola, with ſeveral of the Wards in Queen Mary's Building, were deſtroyed, and other conſiderable Damage done; and whereas it has been further repreſented to His Majeſty, that, notwithſtanding the moſt diligent Enquiries, it hath not yet appeared whether the ſaid Fire was the Effect of Accident, or wilfully and maliciouſly occaſioned by ſome Evil-diſpoſed Perſon or Perſons at preſent unknown: His Majeſty, therefore, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice any Perſon or Perſons who may have been concerned in wilfully and maliciouſly ſetting Fire to the ſaid Hoſpital, as above-mentioned, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any One of the ſaid Offenders (except the Perſon or Perſons who actually ſet Fire to the ſaid Hoſpital) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Offence, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and duly convicted thereof.*

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a farther Encouragement for bringing to Puniſhment the Perſon or Perſons who may have been concerned in the above mentioned atrocious Offence, the Commiſſioners and Governors *of the ſaid Hoſpital do hereby promiſe a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be paid without any Deduction whatſoever, by the Treaſurer of the ſaid Hoſpital, to any Perſon or Perſons who ſhall diſcover the Offender or Offenders, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted as aforeſaid.*

John Ibbetſon.

THE Anniverſary Meeting of the Incorporated Society for Propagating the Goſpel in Foreign Parts, will be held at the Pariſh-church of St. Mary le Bow in Cheapſide, on Friday next, the 19th Day of February inſtant.

On which Occaſion a Sermon will be preached by the Honourable and Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of St. David's.

Prayers will begin at Half an Hour after Eleven o'Clock.

Buckinghamſhire Militia.

A General Meeting of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Bucks is appointed to be held at the Red Lion Inn in High Wycombe, on Monday the 8th Day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of the Lord Lieutenant,
Ben. Aſhwell, *Clerk of the General Meetings.*

Rye, February 11, 1779.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the next Meeting of the Commiſſioners for completing and keeping in Repair the Harbour of Rye in the County of Suſſex, will be held at the Sluice Houſe near Rye, on Monday the 22d of this Inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

John Jeakens, *Treaſurer.*

General Poſt-Office, January 19, 1779.

ON Saturday laſt the 16th Inſtant, about Six o'Clock in the Evening, the Poſt-Boy was attacked and robbed, at a Place called Prieſt's Bridge, about Four Miles North of Morpeth, of the whole Scotch Mail, and

[Price Three-pence Halfpenny.]

and the Bags from Berwick, Belford, and Alnwick, which ſhould have arrived here this Morning, by Two Footpads, armed with Bludgeons, who ſtopped the Boy, cut the Mails from the Cart, and immediately conveyed the ſame into a Wood adjoining, of whom no further Deſcription can be given from the Darkneſs of the Night.

Whoſoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Perſons who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby both or either of the Perſons who committed the ſame may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice; ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be intitled to the ſame Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon:

By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

Admiralty-Office, February 9, 1779.

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 25th Inſtant, in order to chuſe Two Vice-Preſidents and Fifteen Aſſiſtants for the Year enſuing.

Founders Hall, Lothbury, London.

THE Maſter, Wardens, and Aſſiſtants of the Myſtery of Founders of the City of London having found by Experience, that the preſent By-laws of the ſaid Company are deficient in many Inſtances, and ſtand in Need of great Alteration, for the good Eſtate, Rule, and Government of the ſaid Myſtery, and touching and concerning the ſearching, trying, and finding out Falſities and Deceits in Workmanſhip of Braſs and Copper Works, Wares, and Weights, and other Deceits and Abuſes, do hereby give Notice to the Commonalty of the ſaid Company, that a General Court of the Maſter, Wardens, and Commonalty of the ſaid Company, will be held at their Common Hall aforeſaid, on Thurſday the 4th of March next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon preciſely, to conſider of, conſent and agree to, certain new By-laws and Ordinances intended to be laid before them, for the future Government of the ſaid Company.

THO. WAINE, Beadle.

WHereas the Copartnerſhip between Jonathan Hitchon, Lawrence Hoyle, and Henry Wood, of Chandos-ſtreet, Covent-garden, was, by mutual Conſent, diſſolved on the 25th Day of December, 1778. The Buſineſs will be carried on as uſual by Meſſ. J. Hitchon and H. Wood; where all Debts due to the ſaid Copartnerſhip are deſired to be paid; and all Demands on the ſaid Partnerſhip will be by them ſettled.

Jona. Hitchon.
Law. Hoyle.
Henry Wood.

February 11, 1779.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip between Henry Burgum and George Symes Catcott, of the City of Briſtol, Pewterers, will expire the Firſt Day of March next. All Perſons, therefore, to whom the ſaid Partnerſhip is indebted, are deſired to bring in their Demands, to be ſettled and paid; and all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to pay the ſame to the ſaid Henry Burgum or George Symes Catcott, or to William Dibbin, their Clerk, whom the ſaid Burgum and Catcott have authoriſed to ſettle and receive the ſame.

Henry Burgum.
George Symes Catcott.

London, February 13, 1779.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip between James Roſe and John Jordan, of Shorter's-court, Throgmorton-ſtreet, Ship-brokers, was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to pay the ſame to the ſaid James Roſe, who is alſo appointed to diſcharge the Debts of the ſaid Partnerſhip.

Ja. Roſe.
John Jordan.

Coventry, December 14, 1778.

THE Copartnerſhip between John Gibbs and John Willerton, of this City, Stuff-merchants, is this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent; and the Buſineſs will in future be carried on by the ſaid John Willerton alone. As witneſs their Hands,

John Gibbs.
John Willerton.

The Ship Grenville-Bay, Robert Cleiland late Commander.

ALL Perſons having any Demands on the above Ship, are hereby required to deliver the ſame, at No. 7, in Threeking-court, Lombard-ſtreet, on or before the 24th Inſtant, in order that they may be examined and diſcharged, otherwiſe they will be rejected, as the Ship's Accounts will then be finally cloſed.

TO be ſold by Auction, at the Iſlands of Guernſey and Jerſey, ſome Time in the Month of March, 1779, by Commiſſioners appointed by the High Court of Admiralty of England, Eleven French Ships, and their rich and valuable Cargoes, (condemned as Droits and Perquiſites of Admiralty) conſiſting of Tobacco, Sugars, Indigo, Cotton, Coffee, Soap, Oil, and various other Articles of Merchandize.

For the Convenience of Purchaſers the different Goods will be ſold in ſmall Lots. The Particulars of each Ship and her Cargo will ſhortly be advertiſed in the London, Iriſh, Dutch, and other foreign Papers.

For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Parker, No. 63, Lower Thames Street.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Wedneſday the 17th Day of March next, between the Hours of Five and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, The Freehold Eſtates of Leonard Stanger, late of Sewſterne in the County of Leiceſter, Tanner, deceaſed, ſituate in the ſeveral Counties of Lincoln and Leiceſter. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, in Lincoln's-inn, London.

THE Creditors of Richard Willis, (a Bankrupt) late of the Creſcent in the Minories, London, Merchant, are requeſted to meet, at the George and Vulture Tavern in Cornhill, on Friday next, the 19th Inſtant, preciſely at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, on ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Richard Watts, formerly of Lambeth in the County of Surry, Gentleman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before John Browning, 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.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Evan Meredith, late of Preſteign in the County of Radnor, Gentleman, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Wall, late of Wirkſworth in the County of Derby, Gentleman, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Pechell, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of April 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 Elizabeth Woodcock, late of Duſores-court, Broad-ſtreet, in the the County of Middleſex, Spinſter, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, on or before the 20th Day of March 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 Maynard Guerin the Younger, Eſq; deceaſed, who was Agent to ſeveral Regiments, and for ſome Time before his Death lived and reſided in Crown-court in the Pariſh of St. Margaret Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, are forthwith to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his

his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

AT a Meeting of the Creditors of the deceased William Orr, Merchant in Ayr, held by them at Ayr, in Consequence of Advertisements in the News-papers, the 7th of January last,—the Meeting having taken into their Consideration, that, owing to the Creditors not yet giving in compleat Notes of their Debts, and that Mr. Orr's Subject was not then fully come to the Knowledge of the Creditors, so as an exact State of his Affairs could be made out, it was the unanimous Opinion of the Meeting, That it would be for the Benefit of the Creditors, that the following joint Measures for operating their Payment, and that the most effectual Way of carrying that into Execution, was by vesting Power in Trustees to call in the Debts, and bring the Effects on Hand to Sale. They therefore unanimously nominated and appointed Messr. John Henry, John M'Haffie, and David Scott, all Merchants in Ayr, Scotland, to be their Trustees for the Ends and Purposes before mentioned: And it was then agreed, that unless these Resolutions were acceded to by the whole Creditors of the said deceased William Orr, that the same were not binding upon either the Creditors present or the Trustees. —— The Trustees named do therefore hereby intimate to such of the Creditors of the said deceased William Orr, that were not present at said Meeting, not only the unanimous Opinion of the Creditors then present, but that, in Consequence of that Meeting, they have caused make out a Trust-deed and Deed of Accession, which are lodged in the Hands of Messr. Stevenson and Jamieson, Glasgow, Mr. Thomas Adair, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, and with the said Trustees at Ayr, to be subscribed by each of the Creditors as may accede thereto; intimating also, that such Creditor or Creditors not subscribing the same, on or before the 25th of February instant, shall then be understood to have acceded thereto, unless they shall signify their Disapprobation thereof by Writing under their Hands, directed to one of the above Trustees, betwixt and the Day before mentioned; after which the Trustees shall consider themselves as having full Power from all the Creditors to act as they judge for the Interest of the Creditors.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against George Mallison, late of the Parish of St. Botolph Bishopsgate in the City of London, Coachmaster, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 25th Day of February instant, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the White Hart Tavern, in Bishopsgate-street, 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; 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 Gunbie, of Holborn in the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, Distiller, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Tuesday next, the 23d Day of February instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Brown's Coffee-house, Mitre-court, Fleet-street, 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 William Butler, of Kenilworth in the County of Warwick, Mercer, 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 24th and 25th Days of February instant, and on the 30th Day of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each Day, at Mr. Glaves's, the Rose and Crown, in the City of Coventry, 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 chuse 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. Payne, Attorney, in Coventry aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Emanuel Williams, of the Parish of Newington in the County of Surry, Stone-mason, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 26th Day of February instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by a further Adjournment from the 15th of February instant) in order to take the said Bankrupt's last Examination; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Thomas Chandler, of the City of Gloucester, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th Day of April next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Three Tuns Tavern, in Corn-street, Bristol, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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 Dividends. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Weldon, of Broad-street-buildings, London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th Day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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 Samuel Cubitt the Younger, late of Blofield in the County of Norfolk, Linen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th Day of March next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Samuel Baldry, the Maid's Head, in the Parish of St. Simon and Jude, in Norwich, in order to make a Final 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.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Ogden, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Warehouseman, Milliner, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Ogden 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 9th Day of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Aspinal, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Fustian-maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Aspinal 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 9th Day of March next.

WHereas [the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against James Watts, of the Old Barge-house in the Parish of Christchurch in the County of Surry, Wharfinger, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Watts 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 9th of March next.

*Erratum in the Gazette of January 23. In the Advertisement of a Commission of Bankrupt against Theophilus Thomas, the last Sitting should have been on the 6th of March, and not the 16th, as there mentioned.

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