

The London Gazette.

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Westminster, May 18.

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 repealing the present Duties upon Paper, Pasteboards, Millboards, and Scaleboards, made in Great Britain; and for granting other Duties in Lieu thereof.

An Act for the better Management and Collection of the Duties upon Male Servants, granted by an Act made in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty.

An Act to indemnify such Persons as have omitted to qualify themselves for Offices and Employments; and to indemnify Justices of the Peace, or others, who have omitted to register or deliver in their Qualifications within the Time limited by Law, and for giving further Time for those Purposes; and to indemnify Members and Officers in Cities, Corporations, and Borough Towns, whose Admissions have been omitted to be stamped according to Law, or, having been stamped, have been lost or mislaid, and for allowing them Time to provide Admissions duly stamped; and to give further Time to such Persons as have omitted to make and file Affidavits of the Execution of Indentures of Clerks to Attornies and Solicitors.

An Act for allowing further Time for the Exportation of, or Payment of the Duties upon, Bugles when warehoused upon Importation into this Kingdom, and for obviating a Doubt with respect to charging the Duties on Rum imported from Scotland into The Isle of Man.

An Act to permit Goods, the Product or Manufacture of certain Places within The Levant or Mediterranean Seas, to be imported into Great Britain or Ireland, in British or Foreign Vessels, from any Place whatsoever, and for laying a Duty on Cotton and Cotton Wool imported into this Kingdom, in Foreign Ships or Vessels, during the present Hostilities.

An Act to permit, during the present Hostilities, the Importation of Goods, the Produce of the Plantations of the Crown of Portugal, into Great Britain or Ireland, in Portuguese Vessels, and the Importation of

certain other Goods therein enumerated in any Neutral Ships and Vessels.

An Act to continue several Laws, relating to the opening and establishing certain Free Ports in the Island of Jamaica; to the allowing the free Importation of Sago Powder and Vermicelli from His Majesty's Colonies in North America; to the free Importation of certain Raw Hides and Skins from Ireland and the British Plantations in America; to the allowing the Exportation of Provision, Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, to certain Places in North America which are, or may be, under the Protection of His Majesty's Arms, and from such Places to Great Britain, and other Parts of His Majesty's Dominions; to the clandestine Running of Uncustomed Goods, and preventing Frauds relating to the Customs; and to the preventing the clandestine Running of Goods, and the Danger of Infection thereby; to the encouraging the Growth of Coffee in His Majesty's Plantations in America; to the preventing the committing of Frauds by Bankrupts; and to revive and continue several Laws relating to allowing the Exportation of certain Quantities of Wheat and other Articles to His Majesty's Sugar Colonies in America; to the empowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation, and restrain the carrying Coastwise, of Copper in Bars or Copper in Sheets; to the allowing a Drawback of the Duties on Rum shipped as Stores to be consumed on board Merchant Ships on their Voyages; and to the allowing a Bounty on the Exportation of British Corn and Grain in Neutral Ships.

An Act to encourage the Manufactory of Verdigrease in Great Britain, and for laying a Duty on Foreign Verdigrease imported.

An Act for vesting Part of a certain Close called Shack Field, otherwise Vicar's Field, Parcel of the Lands belonging to the Vicarage of Halifax, in the County of York, in Trustees, for the Purpose of making a convenient Road from a Street called Southgate, in the Town of Halifax, over and through the said Close, to the Public Hall lately erected in the said Town of Halifax, called The Manufacturers Hall; and to enable the Vicar of the Parish of Halifax and his Successors to grant Building Leases of the other Parts of the said Close, and for the other Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for continuing and making more effectual several Acts of Parliament, passed for cleansing and making navigable the Channel from the Hythe at Colchester to Wivenhoe, in the County of Essex, and for repairing and cleansing the Streets of the Town of Colchester, and also for lighting the Streets and Lanes, and for preventing Annoyances in the said Town.

An Act for continuing the Term, and altering and enlarging the Powers, so much of an Act, made in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, for repairing and widening

Acting certain Roads therein described, as relates to the Roads from Otley to Skipton, in the County of York, from Skipton to Colne, in the County of Lancaster, and from Skipton to Clitheroe, in the said County.

An Act to enlarge the Term and Powers of an Act, passed in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, for repairing several Roads, so far as relates to the Road from Leeds to Otley, in the West Riding of the County of York.

An Act for repairing, widening, and altering the Road, from the present Turnpike Road upon Greenhill Moor, near Norton, in the County of Derby, to Hathersage, in the same County, through the several Parishes of Norton, Dronfield, and Hathersage, in the said County of Derby; and also the Road from the Road leading from Chesterfield to Hernstone Lane Head, near Stoney Middleton, to Totley, through the several Parishes of Bakewell, Hope, Hathersage, and Dronfield, all in the said County of Derby.

An Act for building a Bridge over the River Thames, at the Town of Henley upon Thames, in the County of Oxford, and making commodious Avenues thereto; for widening some Part of the High Street and the Market Place; for lighting and watching; for regulating the Footways in, and for removing Nuisances, Obstructions, and Annoyances, from the said Town.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of Two Acts, passed in the Ninth and Twenty-eighth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, for repairing and widening certain Roads therein described, so far as the same relate to the Road from Henley Bridge, in the County of Oxford, to Dorchester Bridge, and from thence to Culham Bridge, and to a Place called Mile Stone, in the Road leading to Mägdalen Bridge, in the said County.

An Act for continuing the Term of an Act, made in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing, widening, and mending, the Road from Cocking End, near Addingham, in the West Riding of the County of York, through Kildwick, to Black Lane End, in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for building a Bridge over the River Adur, at or near Old Shoreham, in the County of Sussex.

An Act for continuing the Term, and altering and enlarging the Powers, of so much of an Act, made in the Second Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, for amending and widening the Road from the Market House in Stourbridge, to Colly Gate in Cradley, and from Pedmore to Holly Hall, and from Colly Gate to Halesowen, and from the Turnpike Road on Dudley Wood to Rednal Green, in the Parish of King's Norton, and from Carter's Lane to the Bell Inn at Northfield, in the Counties of Worcester, Stafford, and Salop, as relates to the Road from Dudley Wood to Rednal Green, and from Carter's Lane to the Bell Inn at Northfield.

An Act for continuing and amending an Act, made in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for amending and widening the Roads from the West End of Toller Lane near Bradford, through Haworth, in the County of York, to a Place called Blue Bell, near Colne, in the County of Lancaster, and from a Place called The Two Lanes to Kighly, in the said County of York.

An Act for more effectually repairing the Road leading from the Stones End, in Kent Street, in the Parish of Saint George, Southwark, to Dartford, and other Roads therein mentioned, in the Counties of Kent and Surrey, and for other Purposes.

And to Five Private Bills.

At the Court at St. James's, the 18th of May, 1781,

P R E S E N T,
The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty having been pleased to appoint William Browne, Esquire, to be Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Bermuda or Somers Islands in America, he this Day in Council took the Oaths appointed to be taken by the Governors of His Majesty's Plantations.

St. James's, May 16.

This Day the Count de Pignatelli, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of the Two Sicilies, had his Audience of Leave of His Majesty.

And afterwards the Prince de Caramanico, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Sicilian Majesty, had his first Private Audience to deliver his Credentials.

To which they were introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Hillsborough, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knight, Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, May 18.

THE following Intelligence was this Day received from Bombay, dated January 11, 1781.

That it having been resolved to lay Siege to Basan, on the Coast of Malabar, General Goddard, with the Forces under his Command, with great Difficulty completed his March from Surat, so as to arrive before the Place on the 13th of November, where he was joined by Reinforcements and Stores from Bombay. The General, finding it very strong, and defended by a numerous Garrison, under the Command of Villagee Punt, determined to carry on his Operations with Regularity and Precaution. On the 28th in the Morning, he had completed a Battery of Six Guns and Six Mortars, within 900 Yards of the Place, and, under Cover of the Fire, carried on his Approaches to the Spot where he erected the Grand Battery of Nine Twenty-four Pounders, which was opened the 9th of December in the Morning, within 500 Yards of the Wall; besides which, a Battery of 20 Mortars, of different Sizes, was opened upon one of the Flanks of the Parapet. These were served with such Effect that, on the 10th in the Morning, a practicable Breach being nearly completed, a Message was sent from the Fort, offering to surrender; and, after some Demur on the Part of the Enemy, which obliged the General to renew the Fire from the Batteries, the Place surrendered the next Day at Discretion. The Garrison marched out, and laid down their Arms in Front of the Fort, being allowed only to carry away their own private Effects. It adds greatly to the Satisfaction which this important Acquisition gives, that the Loss we sustained is very small, One Officer only, Lieutenant Sir John James Gordon, who, having been wounded, is since dead, and about Twelve Men killed and wounded, of whom Four only were Europeans. A considerable Quantity of Ammunition was found in the Fort, Two Hundred and Twenty Pieces of Cannon, and Ten Brass Mortars, of which Nineteen Pieces of Brass Cannon, several of a very large Calibre, One Hundred and Twenty-eight Pieces of the Iron Ordnance, and all the Mortars, have been reported serviceable.

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The following Paragraph having been incorrectly printed in last Tuesday's Gazette, we are desired to reprint it.

St. James's, May 15.

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Fenton, of Lancaster, Esq; (Son and Heir Apparent of James Fenton, of the same Place, Esq;) and his Issue (in Compliance with the earnest Wish of John Lane, of Hillingdon in the County of Middlesex, Esq; Cousin German of his Mother Elizabeth, Daughter of John Cawthorne, of Wierdale in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Esq;) His Royal Licence and Authority to assume and take the Surname of Cawthorne; and also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in His College of Arms.

War-Office, May 19, 1781.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Charles Crauford is appointed to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Rose.
- 1st Regiment of Foot Guards, Ensign John Smith to be Adjutant, vice Henry Fanshawe.
- 4th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Nathaniel Kane to be Captain of One of the Additional Companies, vice John Cramond.
- Ditto, Ensign Edward Gibson to be Lieutenant, vice Nathaniel Kane.
- 14th Regiment of Foot, Ensign ——— Tickell, of the Cinque Ports Corps, to be Ensign, vice William Carpenter.
- Independent Company of Foot, Lieutenant George Freer, of 77th Foot, to be Captain.
- Ditto, Ensign George Sempill, of 32d Foot, to be Lieutenant.
- Ditto, Ensign John Moore, of 77th Foot, to be Lieutenant.
- Ditto, John Quinn, Gent. to be Ensign.
- Independent Company of Foot, Lieutenant James Fenwick, of 2d Foot, to be Captain.
- Ditto, Ensign John Austen, of 2d Foot, to be Lieutenant.
- Ditto, Frederick John Perrin, Gent. to be Ensign.

Commission signed by His Majesty for the Army in Ireland.

- 32d Regiment of Foot, Major-General Ralph Earl of Rois to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General William Amherst, deceased. Dated May 17, 1781.

Admiralty-Office, May 15, 1781.

HIS late Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th Day of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belson, at the Admiralty-Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea-Officers

who died before the 30th of August, 1732; as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st of May instant; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows, whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, as soon as possible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

Stamp-Office, May 12, 1781.

Whereas repeated Informations have been received at this Office, that divers Officers in the Army and Navy, when travelling Post on His Majesty's Service, claim a Right of passing through any Turnpike, without delivering to the Tollgate-keeper there the Stamp-Office Ticket, denoting that His Majesty's Duty on Post Horses has been paid:

The Commissioners for managing the said Revenue, in order to remove this Error as soon as possible from the Minds of such Gentlemen as may have undesignedly entertained such an Opinion, and that they may not in future meet with any Inconvenience or Delay at the Turnpikes through which they may have Occasion to pass, do hereby give this Public Notice, that, in the Act for laying a Duty on Post Horses, &c. there is no Exemption for any Person whatsoever to go Post free of the said Duty; and therefore the Tollgate-keepers have been peremptorily instructed not to permit any Person, travelling Post as aforesaid, to pass through their respective Gates, without delivering to them the Stamp-Office Ticket, or paying One Shilling and Sixpence for every Horse hired and used by such Traveller, as the said Act directs.

By Order of the Commissioners,
C. E. Beresford, pro Sec.

East-India House, May 16, 1781.

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 said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 14th of June next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 12th of July following.

And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th of July, will be ready to be delivered on Thursday the 2d of August next.

East-India House, May 16, 1781.

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 20th of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend from Christmas last to Midsummer next.

East-India House, May 18, 1781.

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 said Company will be held (by Adjournment) at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Monday next, the 21st Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, further to consider Propositions to be made to Government for prolonging the Company's exclusive Trade; and on other special Affairs.

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From May 7, to May 12, 1781.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

| | Wheat. | | Rye. | | Barley. | | Oats. | | Beans. | |
|-------------------------|--------|----|------|----|---------|----|-------|----|--------|----|
| | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. |
| London, | 5 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| COUNTIES INLAND. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middlesex, | 5 | 9 | | | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Surry, | 5 | 10 | | | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| Hertford, | 6 | 0 | | | 2 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| Bedford, | 6 | 0 | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 0 |
| Cambridge, | 6 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 6 |
| Huntingdon, | 5 | 7 | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 9 |
| Northampton, | 5 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 0 |
| Rutland, | 6 | 1 | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Leicester, | 5 | 9 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 0 |
| Nottingham, | 5 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 0 |
| Derby, | 5 | 10 | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 6 |
| Stafford, | 5 | 10 | | | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 4 |
| Salop, | 5 | 9 | 3 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 11 |
| Hereford, | 5 | 0 | | | 1 | 8 | 2 | 0 | | |
| Worcester, | 5 | 4 | | | 1 | 11 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 8 |
| Warwick, | 5 | 7 | | | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 10 |
| Gloucester, | 5 | 9 | | | 1 | 11 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 1 |
| Wilts, | 6 | 2 | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 5 |
| Berks, | 6 | 2 | | | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 8 |
| Oxford, | 5 | 10 | | | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 8 |
| Bucks, | 6 | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 10 |

| COUNTIES upon the COAST. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|
| Essex, | 6 | 2 | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 8 |
| Suffolk, | 5 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 6 |
| Norfolk, | 6 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 7 | | |
| Lincoln, | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 7 |
| York, | 5 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 10 |
| Durham, | 5 | 9 | | | | | 1 | 9 | 3 | 8 |
| Northumberland, | 5 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 7 |
| Cumberland, | 5 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Westmorland, | 6 | 6 | 3 | 9 | | | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Lancashire, | 6 | 2 | | | 2 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 5 |
| Chehire, | 6 | 2 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 8 | | |
| Monmouth, | 5 | 10 | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | | |
| Somerfet, | 6 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 6 |
| Devon, | 6 | 8 | | | 2 | 8 | 1 | 5 | | |
| Cornwall, | 6 | 7 | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | | |
| Dorset, | 6 | 3 | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 4 |
| Hampshire, | 6 | 0 | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 10 |
| Suffex, | 6 | 0 | | | 1 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 8 |
| Kent, | 6 | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 5 |

From April 30, to May 5, 1781.

| W A L E S. | | | | | | | | | | |
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| North Wales, | 5 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 4 |
| South Wales, | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 |

| Part of SCOTLAND. | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------|------|---------|-------|--------|------|---|---|--|--|
| | Wheat. | Rye. | Barley. | Oats. | Beans. | Big. | | | | |
| | 4 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 0 | | |

Published by Authority of Parliament,
John James Catherwood.

Viſtualling-Office, May 16, 1781.

THE Commissioners for Viſtualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 8th Day of June 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 Sea Proviſions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Leith, Leith Road, and the Firth of Edinburgh, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of the Customs at Leith.

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, which shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 8th Day of June next; nor unless the Person who makes the Tender, or some Person on his Behalf, attends, to answer for him when called for.

Westminster Bridge Office, Abingdon-street,
May 14, 1781.

Notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Commissioners of Westminster Bridge will be held at this Office on Tuesday the 29th of May instant, at Half past One o'Clock, to elect new Commissioners into this Commission, in the Room of Commissioners deceased.

Tho. Ludbey, Secretary.

**Dr. ANDERSON'S, or
The Famous SCOT'S PILLS;**

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

Lord Chancellor. Tuesday the 15th Day of May, in the 21st Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, 1781. Between Mary Reinhardina Handcock, (Wife of Elish Handcock, Esq;) by William Cooper, her next Friend, Plaintiff; Edmond Kelly, and another, Defendants.

FOrasmuch as this Court was this present Day informed, by Mr. Waller, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, That the Plaintiff, on the 1st Day of August last, filed her Bill in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Six Clerks Certificate appears; and took out Process of Subpœna, returnable the 2d Day of May instant, requiring the Defendant Edmond Kelly to appear to and answer the same; that upon Enquiry at the said Defendant's usual Place of Abode, he is not to be found so as to be served with such Process, but is gone out of the Realm, or doth otherwise abscond, to avoid being served therewith, as by the Affidavit of Benjamin Wilby, Gentleman, and John Wilby and Robert Knighton, also appears; and the said Certificate and Affidavit being read, his Lordship doth order, that the said Defendant Edmond Kelly do appear to the said Plaintiff's Bill on or before the last Day of this Term.

Lord Chancellor. Tuesday the 15th Day of May, in the 21st Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, 1781. Between Mary Reinhardina Handcock, (Wife of Elish Handcock, Esq;) by William Cooper, her next Friend, Plaintiff; Timothy Handcock, Edmond Kelly, and others, Defendants.

FOrasmuch as this Court was this present Day informed, by Mr. Waller, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, That the Plaintiff filed her Bill on the 27th Day of October, 1779, in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Six Clerks Certificate appears, and took out Process of Subpœna, requiring the said Defendant Edmond Kelly to appear to and answer the same; that upon Enquiry at the said Defendant's usual Place of Abode, he is not to be found to be served with such Process, but is gone out of the Realm, or doth otherwise abscond, to avoid being served therewith, as by the Affidavit of Benjamin Wilby, Gentleman, and John Wilby and Robert Knighton, also appears; and the said Certificate and Affidavit being read, his Lordship doth order, that the said Defendant Edmond Kelly do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the last Day of this Term.

JOSEPH Lloyd, late of Chandos-street in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, within the Liberty of Westminster, Grocer, begs Leave to return Thanks for the Favours he has received from his Friends in the Course of his Business for several Years past; and at the same Time informs them, that he has intirely quitted the said Trade, since the 15th of March last, in Favour of his Successor Mr. Turner, for whom Mr. Lloyd requests a Continuance of the Favours of his Friends.

Jos. Lloyd.
John Turner.

LOST, or MISLAID,

A DEED of Trust, made for the Benefit of the Creditors of the Honourable Robert Moor, late of Enfield Chase in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased; dated the 8th Day of August, 1751: If any Person who can give Intelligence how such Deed is likely to be found, will be so obliging to communicate the same to Mr. Mason, Solicitor, in Currier-street, London, the Favour will be gratefully acknowledged.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 15th Day of February last, made in a Cause, Child against Syer, the Creditors of the Reverend Thomas Child, of Ringhall in the County of Suffolk, Clerk, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, 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.

TO be sold by Auction, if not disposed of by Private Contract, on Thursday the 24th Day of May, 1781, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises; A Leasehold Estate, 57 Years unexpired at Michaelmas-day last, consisting of a large Brick-built Dwelling-house on Shooter's-hill in Kent, and Two Six-Stall Stables, Two Coach-houses and Hay-loft, and Lodging-room over the same, a large Piece of Garden-ground fenced in, and also between Three and Four Acres of Pasture Land adjoining; the Ground-rent at 23 l. a Year; commands a very pleasing Prospect of the City of London, the Thames, and the Counties of Middlesex, Essex, and Surry.

For Particulars enquire at the Green Man, Blackheath, at the Premises on Shooter's-hill, the Greyhound, Greenwich, Mr. Thompson, jun. Church-street, Deptford, Mr. Marriott, No. 74, Old Broad-street near the Exchange, and of Mr. Judson, Warwick-court, Gray's-inn, London.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Richard Willis, late of the Crescent, near the Minories, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 31st of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the George and Vulture Tavern, in Cornhill, to inspect and examine into the State of the Affairs of the said Richard Willis.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Thomas Wooldridge, (late in Partnership with Henry Kelly) of the Crescent, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the new Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Tuesday next, the 22d of May instant, at Five o'Clock precisely, at the Boar's Head Tavern, in Eastcheap, in order to take into Consideration the several Attachments made of the said Bankrupt's and the said Henry Kelly's, or either of their, Effects; and to empower the said Assignees to remove or settle the same; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Thomas Peirse, late of Peirseburgh in the County of York, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, either on Tuesday the 22d Day of May instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Mr. Tweedy's, the Blacksmiths Arms, in Great Smeaton in the said County, or on Wednesday the 23d Day of May instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Mr. Hirst's, the Golden Lion, in North Alleton in the said County, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees under the said Commission assigning over to Gideon Phillips, of Darlington in the County of Durham, the Turnpike Securities for 600 l. which above Three Years since the Bankrupt deposited with him as Pledge for that Sum then received from him; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Bartholomew Nelson, late of King's Lynn, otherwise Lynn Regis, in the County of Norfolk, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 1st Day of June next, at Six in the Afternoon, at Symond's-inn Coffee-house, Chancery-lane, 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.

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AT a Meeting of the Creditors of Mark Bell and Alexander Bell, late Tenants in Greenlaw Dean and Greenlaw Mill, in the Parish of Greenlaw and Shire of Berwick, held on the 29th of March last, in consequence of previous Advertisements, authorized by Statute; they unanimously elected Adam Watson and William Wait, Writers in Dunfee, to be Trustees, in whom; by the Minutes of the Meeting, the whole Personal Estate of the said Mark and Alexander Bell are now vested, for the Benefit of their whole Creditors.

The Trustees, therefore, require all the Creditors of the said Mark and Alexander Bell to give in to them their respective Claims and Vouchers of Debt, in order that a State of the Debts may be prepared; with Certification, that such Creditors as shall not produce their Claims, with the Vouchers thereof, and make Oath before the Judge-Ordinary where they reside, or any of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, after due Notice given to the said Trustees of the Time when and Place where it is to be made, upon the Verity of their Debts, within Nine Kalendar Months after the 3d of February last, (being the Date of the Sequestration) shall not be intitled to any Share of the first Distribution of the said Trust-Estate among the Creditors; and it is intreated the Creditors will, without Delay, depone upon the Verity of their Debts, that the Trustees may be enabled to make up a State of the Debts with the greater Accuracy and Precision.

May 11, 1781.

ALL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of the late Peter Goolden, of Meard's-court, Old Bond-street, Taylor, deceased, are desired to send an Account of their respective Demands, on or before the 24th Day of June next, to Mr. James Crosby, of Bruton-street, Executor to the said Peter Goolden, otherwise they will be totally excluded; and those who are indebted to the said Goolden are requested to pay the same immediately to Mr. Crosby aforesaid.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Holmes, of Bungay in the County of Suffolk, Money-lender, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Saturday next, the 26th Day of May instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Mr. Tilbury's, the White Swan, in the City of Norwich, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of any Part of 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.

Notice to the Creditors of John Muat and Thomas Aitken, under the Firm of Muat and Aitken, Merchants in Edinburgh,

THAT, upon the Application of the said John Muat and Thomas Aitken, the Lord Gardenstone, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, did, on the 19th Day of April last, sequester their whole Personal Estate, situated within Scotland; and appointed William Sprout, Solicitor at Law, to be Factor thereon, in Terms of the Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for rendering the Payment of the Creditors of Insolvent Debtors in Scotland more equal and expeditious," &c.

The said William Sprout, therefore, in Terms of said Statute, and an Order of the Lord Ordinary, hereby requires the whole Creditors of the said John Muat and Thomas Aitken, by themselves, or their Doers properly authorized; to meet in the British Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 30th Day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, for the Purpose of their continuing the said William Sprout as Factor on the said sequestered Estate, or chusing another Factor thereon, or a Trustee or Trustees in his Place; all in Terms of said Act of Parliament.

William Sprout.

N O T I C E,

THAT, upon Application of George Walker and Co. Merchants in Aberdeen, as Creditors of George Johnston, Merchant in Kirriemuir, in Terms of the Statute anent Insolvent Debtors in Scotland, the Lord Gardenstone, officiating as Ordinary on the Bills, did, on the 3d Day of May instant, sequester the whole Personal Estate of the said George Johnston, within Scotland; nominated Robert Smith, Merchant in Aberdeen, to be Factor thereon; and appointed the Creditors to meet within the House of Alexander Mason, Vintner in Aberdeen, on the 8th of June next, at Twelve o'Clock



5 o'Clock at Noon, in order to continue the said Factor, or chuse another, or a Trustee or Trustees, in his Place; in Terms of the foresaid Statute.

Robert Smith.

Notice to the Creditors of George Muat and Co. Merchants, at Seplock, near Carron;

THAT, upon Application of the said George Muat and Co. the Lord Gardenstone, Ordinary, officiating on the Bills, did, on the 19th Day of April last, sequestrate their whole Personal Estate, within Scotland; and appointed William Sprott, Solicitor at Law, to be Factor thereon, in Terms of the Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for rendering the Payment of the Creditors of Insolvent Debtors in Scotland more equal and expeditious, &c."

The said William Sprott, therefore, in Terms of the said Statute, and an Order of the Lord Ordinary, hereby requires the whole Creditors of the said George Muat and Co. by themselves, or by their Doers properly authorized to act for them, to meet in the British Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 30th Day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to their continuing him Factor on the said sequestrated Estate, or chusing another, or a Trustee or Trustees, in his Place; all in Terms of said Act of Parliament.

William Sprott.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued against Hugh Jones, of Little Chesterfield-street in the Parish of St. Mary le Bone in the County of Middlesex, Grocer, 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 25th Day of May instant at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 1st Day of June next at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 30th Day of the said June at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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. Garforth, Lower Brook-street, Grosvenor-square.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joshua Hibbins, late of Cumberland-row in the Parish of St. Mary Lambeth in the County of Surry, Merchant, 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 25th and 30th Days of May instant, and on the 30th Day of June next, at Five in the Afternoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, 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. Panther, Old London-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Luke Medwin, of Great Marlow in the County of Bucks, Draper, 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 9th, 11th, and 30th Days of June next, at Eleven in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of William Fairthorne, known by the Name of the Upper Crown Inn, in Great Marlow aforesaid, 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. Henry Allnutt, Attorney, in Great Marlow.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Baker, of St. John's street in the County of Middlesex, Pearl-ash-maker, 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 25th Day of May instant at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 2d Day of June next at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 30th of the said June at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 Mess. Carter and Simpson, No. 15, Bishopsgate-street Without, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Tranah, late of Strood in the County of Kent, Taylor, Salesman, Shopkeeper, 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 30th Day of May instant, and on the 7th Day of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 30th Day of the said June at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; 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. J. H. Winbolt, Basinghall-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Stevens, now of late of Adam's-street in the Parish of St. Mary le Bone, otherwise Marybone, in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter, 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 30th Days of May instant at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 30th Day of June next at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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. Slacke, Great Pulteney-street, Golden-square.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Edward Willmott, of Claverham in the Parish of Yatton in the County of Somerset, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the House of Mr. Wheeler, the Rummer Tavern, in All-saints-lane, Bristol; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts under the said Commission, are requested to come prepared to prove the same.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Fox Smith and William Harrison, of Adde-street in the City of London, Warehousemen, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 19th Day of May instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, (by Adjournment from This Day) at Guildhall, London, in order to proceed to the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees 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, and with those who have proved their Debts, vote in the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees accordingly.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Isaac Polack, Lyon Polack, and Lazarus Myers, of Bury-street, St. Mary Axe, London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May instant, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 15th Instant) in order to proceed to the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees 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, and with those who have proved their Debts, vote in such Choice accordingly.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Nathaniel Bowler, late of Halefworth in the County of Suffolk, Merchant, intend to meet on the 14th Day of June next, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Three Tuns, in Halefworth 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 desired to come and 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 renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Magson, now or late of Skitcoat in the Parish of Halifax in the County of York, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 19th Day of June next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Joshua Crowther, called the Old Cock, in Halifax 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 desired 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 James Harle, of Boston in the County of Lincoln, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 12th Day of June next, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Peacock Inn, in Boston aforesaid, in order to make a Further 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 Joseph Scholey, of Bridge-street, Cambridge, Vintner, intend to meet on the 29th Day of May instant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, (by Adjournment) 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 against Thomas Sylvester the Elder, Edmund Sylvester, and Thomas Sylvester the Younger, of Great Ruffel-street, Bloomsbury, in the County of Middlesex, Leathercutters, Dealers, Chapman, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 23d Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate Estate of the said Thomas Sylvester the Elder; when and where his separate Creditors, who have not

already proved their Debts, are to come prepared and prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims on the said separate Estate not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Shepherd, of Whitby in the County of York, Ship-builder, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th Day of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Thomas Hall, the Angel Inn, in Whitby aforesaid, in order to make a Final 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Holland, late of Bishopsgate-street in the City of London, Silver-smith, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Holland hath conformed according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament 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 June next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Sir George Colebrooke, late of the City of London, Bart. Banker, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that said Sir George Colebrooke 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 June next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Farquharson, of Villers-street in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Cabinet-maker, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Farquharson 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 9th of June next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Evance, of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Woollen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Evance 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 June next.

