

shall suffer Imprisonment in the Common Gaol or the County or Stewartry wherein such Offender shall be taken, for Two Years, and until such Forfeiture be paid.

Whosoever Person in Great Britain or Ireland shall put on Board any Ship or Boat not bound directly to some Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to some other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, any such Tools or Utensils as are commonly used in, or proper for the Preparing, Working up or Finishing of the Woollen or Silk Manufactures, or any Part of such Tools; he shall for every Offence forfeit all such Tools, or Parts thereof, put on Board; and TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. in any Court of Record at Westminster, or in the Court of Session in Scotland, or at any of the four Courts in Dublin respectively, wherein no Essoin, &c. shall be allowed.

It shall be lawful for any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, or for any Officer of the Revenue in Ireland, to seize and secure, in some of His Majesty's Warehouses, all such Tools or Utensils prohibited to be exported, as such Officer shall find on Board any Vessel not bound directly to some Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to some other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain; and all Tools so seized shall, after Condemnation, be publicly sold to the best Bidder; and one Moiety of the Produce shall be to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Officer who shall seize and secure the same.

If the Captain of any Vessel in Great Britain or Ireland knowingly permit any of the said Tools, prohibited to be exported, to be put on Board his Vessel, he shall for every such Offence forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as the Penalties inflicted upon Persons exporting the Tools; and if the Vessel belongs to His Majesty, the Captain shall not only forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, but shall also forfeit his Employment, and be incapable of any Employment under His Majesty.

If any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, or of the Revenue in Ireland, take, or knowingly suffer to be taken, any Entry outward, or sign any Cocker or Surreance for the Shipping or Exporting of any of the said Tools, or knowingly suffer the same to be done, he shall forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as aforesaid, and also forfeit his Office, and be incapable of any Office under His Majesty.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures shall be applied to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Use of the Person who shall sue for the same.

Admiralty-Office, September 18, 1781.

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 13th Instant the Ship York, of London, of the Burthen of about 300 Tons, of which Thomas Jacks was Master, bound from Petersburg for London, laden with Iron, Deals, and Tallow, was lost on Happisburgh Sand.

Admiralty-Office, August 10, 1781.

Notice is hereby given, That a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Wednesday the 31st of October next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning. Ph. Stephens.

Vice-Admiralty-Office, September 8, 1781.

THE Commissioners for Vice-Admiralty His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money and Exchequer Bills in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy to pay Interest and Non-Interest Bills, registered on the Council of the Vice-Admiralty, in the Months of July, August, and September, 1779, in order that

the Persons possessed of the said Bills may bring them to this Office, to be assigned for Payment.

AT a General Court of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, on Wednesday the 13th of September, 1781.

Ordered,

That a Call of Eight Pounds per Cent. be made on the several Proprietors of the Capital Stock of this Company, according to the respective Share or Interest now standing in their Names:

That One Pound per Cent. Part thereof be paid on or before the 10th of October next:

That a Second Payment of Two Pounds per Cent. be made on or before the 20th of December next:

That a Third Payment of Two Pounds per Cent. be made on or before the 17th of January next:

That the remaining Payment of Three Pounds per Cent. be made on or before the 15th of February next:

That assignable Receipts be given for the same;

That the said Call of Eight per Cent. shall be made Capital Stock on the 15th of February next, or as soon after the 23d of October next as each respective Proprietor shall have completed his Payments:

That no Stock be transferred till the first Payment of One Pound per Cent. has been made.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

East-India House, August 15, 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 26th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

East-India House, August 24, 1781.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies having, on the 22d Instant, consented, by Ballot, to restore Mr. Thomas Robertson, late Third Mate of the Ship Valentine, to the Company's Service, in which more than Three Parts in Four concurred, agreeable to the Act of Parliament of the 13th Year of His present Majesty, for establishing certain Regulations for the said Company: Notice is hereby given, that at the Quarterly General Court of the said Company, appointed to be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 26th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, the Resolution of the said Court of Directors, relative to Mr. Robertson, will be referred to the Consideration of the General Court.

East-India House, September 19, 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 the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 3d of October next, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of Two Directors of the said Company, viz. One in the room of John Stables, Esq; who being appointed a Member of the Supreme Council of Fort William in Bengal, hath disqualified himself as a Director; and another in the room of Samuel Peach, Esq; who is disqualified.

Union Fire-Office, September 12, 1781.

THE Directors of this Society, for Insuring Goods and Merchandize from Loss by Fire, give Notice, that the Half yearly General Meeting of the Members of the said Society, for electing, by Ballot, Eight Directors, and for reporting the State of the Office, will be held at their Office in Maiden-lane, near Cheap-side, on Tuesday the 25th Instant, from Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon to Six o'Clock in the Evening; and that the said General Meeting will be continued by Adjournment till Wednesday, the Day following, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon; where the Proprietors are desired to attend.