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AT the Court at St. James's, the 5th of March, 1783.

**P R E S E N T,**  
The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.  
**H**IS Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to appoint George William Prefcott, of Hawarden, Esquire, to be Sheriff of the County of Flint, instead of George Prefcott, of Hawarden, Esquire.

*St. James's, March 8.*  
The King has been pleased to approve of Anthony Mangini, Esq; to be Consul for the Republic of Genoa, in the City of London.

*Whitehall, March 8.*  
The King has been pleased, upon the Earl of Antrim's desiring to relinquish the Stall intended for him in the Illustrious Order of St. Patrick, to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for creating the Right Honourable Arthur Earl of Arran One of the original Knights of the said Illustrious Order.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Edmund Fanning, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Nova Scotia, in the Room of Sir Andrew Snape Hamond.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 7, 1783.*  
**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Majesty will go to Chapel at St. James's, on Sunday next, the 9th Instant, after which there will be a Drawing Room as usual.

**ERRATUM.** Major Francis Needham, of the 76th Regiment, is promoted to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the 104th Regiment of Foot, vice Duncan Urquhart, instead of the 94th Regiment, as mentioned in last Tuesday's Gazette.

*General Post-Office, March 6, 1783.*  
**T**HE Preliminary Articles of Peace between Great Britain, France and Spain, being signed and ratified, the Correspondence is now opened between Dover and Calais, and the Mails will be dispatched from this Office every Tuesday and Friday, as formerly, to commence upon Friday the 14th Instant; and no Passports, for the future, will be required of Persons either going or coming in any of His Majesty's Packet Boats, whatsoever. By the Command of the Postmaster General,  
Anth. Todd, Sec.

*Navy-Office, February 26, 1783.*  
**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 18th of March they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to load and cart away a Quantity of Dirt and Rubbish from His Majesty's Yard at Deptford. Any Person may have a View of it, by applying at the said Yard in the Working Hours.

*Navy-Office, March 6, 1783.*  
**L**EST Masters paid off in His Majesty's Ships should construe the late Advertisement from this Office for giving in an Account of their Abode, &c. to a Restraint from engaging in the Merchants Service; The Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy think it necessary to give Notice, that they are ready to grant Leave to such Masters as shall apply for it, upon their stating the Time they want Leave for, and the Voyage they are going on.

*South Sea House, March 8, 1783.*  
**T**HE Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at this House on Thursday the 20th

[ Price Three-pence Halfpenny. ]

Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half-yearly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Custom-House, London, February 27, 1783.  
**F O R S A L E,**

**B**Y Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty, on Tuesday the 11th, Wednesday the 12th, and Friday the 14th, of March, 1783, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities, for the better Accomodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers.

For Exportation.  
*East-India Prohibited Goods, Cambrick, Bleis and Thread Bone Lace, Silk and Velvet Ribbon, Muslin stitched with Thread, and Leather Gloves.*

For Home Consumption.  
*Muslin, Callico, Nankeen Cloth, Thread Gauze, Crape, Ostrich Feathers, Hams, Gold and Silver Wearing Apparel to be burnt, China Ware, Wine in Cases and Bottles, Oil, British Spirits, Sugar and other Grocery, Tamarinds, Saffron, Elephants Teeth, Wheat, Stones, Boats, Purple and King's Wood, Porcelain, Pickled Citron, Tobacco Ashes, and sundry other Sorts of Goods as mentioned in the Catalogues;*

Clear of all Duties.  
*East-India Prohibited Goods and Cambrick excepted.*  
The Wheat to be seen in a Granary at Brookes's Wharf, near Pickle Herring Stairs; the Stones, Boats, Purple and King's Wood, and Tobacco Ashes, at the Tobacco Ground, near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe, and all the other Goods at the King's Warehouse, Custom-House, London, on Friday the 7th, Saturday the 8th, and Monday the 10th of March, 1783, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

**F O R S A L E,**

**B**Y Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 13th of March, 1783, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 5, 8, and 10 Cases each.

**S U G A R S, &c.**  
H. T. B.  
41 0 0 Barbadoes.  
95 62 67 Antigua.  
93 1 0 Tortola.  
And 12 Barrels and 1 Bag Barbadoes Ginger.  
The Samples to be viewed at Wycherley's-yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Tuesday the 11th, Wednesday the 12th, and Thursday the 13th, the Day of Sale.

*East-India-House, March 6, 1783.*

**W**HEREAS in Pursuance of the 38th Bye Law of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, it is ordained, "That a List shall be published, Fourteen Days before the Annual Election of Directors, containing the Names of such Proprietors, qualified agreeable to Law, as shall signify in Writing to the Secretary their Desire of becoming Candidates for the Direction, Sixteen Days before such Annual Election;" The Court of Directors of the said Company do hereby give Notice in order that the Proprietors may conform to the said Bye-Law, That the ensuing Election of Six Directors of the said Company for Four Years is appointed for the 9th Day of April next; and that such List will be published Fourteen Days before the said Election, as the above mentioned Bye-Law direct.