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P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS Day the Right Honourable Philip Earl of Chesterfield, was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

St. James's, January 9.

The King was this Day pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood on Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Augustus Montagu Cosby.

Whitehall, January 10.

EXTRACT of a Dispatch to His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, from his Excellency Major-General James Stuart, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's and the East India Company's Forces on the Coast of Coromandel, dated Camp, One Mile South of Cuddalore, June 27, 1783, received Yesterday by Captain Thomas of the 23d Light Dragoons, who arrived in His Majesty's Ship Medea.

I DO myself the Honor of acquainting you, by this separate Letter, of the very signal Victory obtained over the French and Tippoo Sahib's Auxiliaries, by the Troops of His Majesty, and of the Honourable East-India Company, under my Command, on June 13th, being the 4th Day after our Operations began South of Cuddalore. The Particulars will be found in the Form of a Letter, inclosed to your Lordship, nearly the same as I had the Honor to address to His Government.

Every Account which I have received induces me to believe, that the Enemy, in killed and wounded upon this Occasion, suffered in Europeans to the Extent of 42 Officers, and 600 Men.

I do myself the Honor to transmit to your Lordship the General Orders to the Army, and the separate Instructions to the Officers commanding the Four Divisions of the Army in the Action of that Day.

There is also another Letter inclosed, containing the Particulars of the total Repulse of the Enemy in their Attack upon our Parallel, the Morning of the 25th of June; an Action which gives additional Lustre to the Steadiness and Bravery of this Army. The Particulars are also nearly the same with what was my Duty to acquaint His Government of. The Name of the Officer who commanded the Sortée, and now our Prisoner, is Mons. Des Damas, Chevalier de Malte, Colonel of the Regiment of Aquitaine. There are, besides, Two Captains and One or Two Subaltern Officers, Prisoners. The total Europeans of the Enemy, killed, wounded or Prisoners, are reported to exceed 400.

I enclose to your Lordship a Return of the Killed and Wounded on our Part, which, I am happy to find on this Occasion, are in no great Number. In this Sortée of the Enemy, it happened that a small Party in the Dark got over one particular Place of the Trenches, where Two chance Shots killed one Jemidar, and badly wounded another, both of whom carried the Colours of the 24th Bengal Regiment, which fell from their Hands, and in the Scramble, some French Soldiers stole off unper-

ceived with the Two Stand of Colours. But your Lordship will see, both from the Return of our inconsiderable Loss, and from the Narrative annexed, that the Honor of the Regiment was in no Shape affected by this little dark Exploit, which, as I am informed, the Enemy make such a Parade of.

Your Lordship will know, from the separate Dispatches, that the Army under my Command were in the Impossibility of proceeding towards Cuddalore with Effect, until May the 28th, when the Rice and other necessary Articles were landed, and received from the Ship at Conjemeer; and that on our coming to the high Ground, near Pondicherry, we received certain Information that Mons. Suffrein had found the Means to send Supplies of Stores and Provisions under an Escort superior in Force, as I believe, to the Escort with our main Convoy expected from Madras, and upon which every Thing turned. Some of the French Ships were indeed (from our Camps) seen at Anchor. I nevertheless continued the March, in the Way I fixed in my own Mind for Months before, and getting round that Side of Cuddalore where the Enemy expected us, I fixed this as our ultimate Encampment in the Afternoon of the 7th of June.

To speak of the Enemy's Strength in Europeans only, the French, my Lord, at little more than a Musquet Shot from us now in Cuddalore, are upwards of 2,500 * Regulars of the Old Establishment, besides what M. Suffrein, who is now here with 19 Sail at Anchor, has in his Power to land at an Hour's Notice; and, previous to the late Sally, he had landed upwards of 1500 Land Troops or Marines.

I take the Liberty, my Lord, to transmit to your Lordship what I judged as a Mark of private Gratitude, as well as public Duty, to give out in General Orders to this brave Army, in full Confidence that your Lordship will do them the Honor to communicate to His Majesty whatever you think proper, and particularly what regards the Detachment of His Majesty's 15th and 16th Regiments of His Electoral Subjects, and to Colonel Wangenheim who commanded them.

Upon the Whole, I request your Lordship to lay before His Majesty my most humble Recommendation of this brave Army to His Majesty's most gracious Favor, as highly deserving of it. And as a Mark of that Favor, that His Majesty will be graciously pleased to approve of the Promotions which, as commanding His Majesty's Troops, I have taken the Liberty to make, in regular Succession by Seniority, to Vacancies during the present very severe Service, for such it has been in every Sense of the Word.

The Hon. Lieutenant-Colonel Cathcart, as your Lordship will perceive, has had very great Merit at the Head of the Corps of Grenadiers both on the 13th and 25th. He will have the Honor to deliver this Letter; and there is none more capable to supply any Information, which in the Hurry I may have omitted. I beg Leave to recommend him to His Majesty as an Officer attached to his Profession, and of very good Abilities.

[N. B. The original Dispatch, of which the above is a Duplicate brought by the Medea, was entrusted to Lieutenant-Colonel Cathcart, who is now on his Passage from India in the Pondicherry.]

* July, 1783. It has been since found from the Returns, that the French Regulars and Dutch Europeans, exclusive of the Marines, exceeded 4000.

Extract of the Letter first referred to in the preceding Dispatch, containing the Particulars of the Action on the 13th June, 1783.

I Most sincerely congratulate your Lordship on the successful Efforts of this brave Army, in carrying at one Stroke the Whole of the Out-Posts and Redoubts of the Enemy, with * 18 Pieces of Artillery mounted on them. Their Loss in Europeans killed and wounded, according to the Prisoners Report, being † 26 Officers and 600 Men. We have also lost many excellent Officers and brave Men.

On the preceding Day (the 12th) I called as a Council of War the two Officers next in Command to me, Major General Bruce and Colonel Stuart. I acquainted them of the State of our Affairs in general; the Letters I had received from the Admiral representing the sickly Condition of his Men; and the State of the Water, which might oblige him to return to Madras; also the Approach of the French Fleet; but above all, the indefatigable Industry visible in the vast Works they were making on the high Grounds and Lines, in Communication with the Post commonly called Brickmyre's, thus stretching along the Neck by which we must approach the Place; and I requested General Bruce and Colonel Stuart freely to speak their Minds. I had called the Chief Engineer and the Commanding Officers of the Bengal and Coast Artillery as deliberative, desiring to know in their different Departments if they were in Readiness, so far as regarded Materials for closing the Redoubts after we should get Possession, and to form a first Parallel, and as to Guns, with a sufficient Supply of Stores for the Enterprize. They agreed that every Thing was in Readiness, and we were unanimously of Opinion, that there was not an Hour to be lost in driving the French from all their Out-Posts into Cuddalore, or under the Guns.

I immediately presented the Plan I meant to follow in effecting our Purpose, a Copy of which I have the Honour of inclosing. It was in general most exactly followed. Lieut. Colonel Kelly, in the precise Moment agreed on, got Possession of the Posts of the Enemy on the Bandipollum Hills, with their Guns, and Lieut. Colonel Cathcart, at the Head of the Grenadiers, supported by Colonel Stuart, commanding the advanced Picquets on the Left, consisting of the Remains of the 73d Regiment under Captain Lamont, and Two Battalions of Sepoys, made a Movement to turn the Enemy's right Flank.

In advancing they sustained such a heavy Fire, and the Ground so difficult, that with great Judgement Colonel Stuart covered his People until he could better reconnoitre, and some further Disposition could be taken to approach the Enemy from different Quarters nearly about the same Time. He sent me a Report of his Situation, and I gave Orders in Consequence to the Reserve, under Colonel Gordon, to make a Movement in Advance to their Left, and to Major General Bruce to march from the Right in the Direction of the Redoubt, if the Ground could admit of it.

The General had very properly posted Lieut. Colonel Edmondson upon the Sand Hills near the Sea to support the Four Brass Eighteens, and prevent our being flanked on that Side.

Upon further Information, that the Redoubt which principally annoyed the Grenadiers was to be got at in the Rear, Orders were given for the Grenadiers, the Reserve and the Right under General Bruce, to close upon the Enemy with their Musquetry, leaving their Guns under Cover. I desired the Commanding Officer of Artillery to fire Three Guns as a Signal, and to continue a heavy Fire for Five Minutes on the Enemy's Redoubt on the Front opposite to Colonel Stuart, and the Grenadiers, whilst the Reserve under Colonel Gordon was moving on; upon our Fire ceasing, the Attack on all Sides to begin.

* Upon examining the Returns, the Number taken was 16.

† It was afterwards found they had 42 Officers killed or wounded.

The Reserve, which consisted chiefly of the Remains of His Majesty's 101st, and of the Detachment from the 15th and 16th Hanoverians, with Five Companies of Captain Muirhead's Battalion of Sepoys, advanced in the best Order imaginable, under the heaviest Fire of Musquetry, Round and Grape, from the Enemy, that I ever beheld. The greater Part had got within the Enemy's Entrenchments; many of our Officers fell there.

The Detachment of His Majesty's Hanoverians, under Lieutenant-Colonel Wangelheim and Major Varrennius, behaved most remarkably well. The Major fell in the Attempt. The Company of Grenadiers and Light Infantry of His Majesty's 101st, and the Officers of that Corps, and the Officers and Sepoys of the 20th Carnatic Battalion, shewed the greatest Spirit and Steadiness; and if the other Men of the 101st had seconded the Efforts of their Officers and their Grenadiers and Light Infantry, there is not a Doubt but the Business would have been over at once; but they did not; and our People on that Attack, were for a certain Time driven back, and pursued to a considerable Distance by the Enemy. However, at that precise Time, when the French were in the Pursuit, our Grenadiers, under Lieutenant-Colonel Cathcart and Major Moore, with Colonel Stuart and Captain Lamont, with the precious Remains of the 73d, entered the Redoubt on the Side where it was not entirely closed, and not only took Possession of it, but pushed forward to a Post called Brickmyre's, considerably in Advance, and were for some Time in Possession of it, with the Guns, but obliged to quit, upon fresh Troops pouring in upon them.

Our People kept hold of the first Redoubt, as commanding or enfilading every Thing in Front or to the Right of it, and therefore a good Point to go from in our Approaches; it was ordered to be closed by the Chief Engineer as soon as possible. The Havock done by our Guns from the Heights now appeared plain; and having thus secured, by Lieutenant-Colonel Kelly and his Brigade, the commanding Points of the Bandipollum Hills, giving an Opening to the large Tank that lies between them, and seeing from thence, in Reverse, the whole Bound Hedge of Cuddalore; and having secured a Post to approach from of such Importance as before mentioned, I thought it sufficient for the Day, considering the Numbers of our brave Men that had fallen.

The Spirit of our People, even after so severe an Action, was so undaunted, that I was urged to proceed further, and to drive the Whole of the Enemy into the Fort the same Evening, although we must have had both heavy Guns and Musquetry to encounter with; but I declined it, both for the above Reason, and because, from my Knowledge of the French, I was sure, that after a Night's Reflection of what had passed, they would not try a second Day out of the Fort. It happened so, for they abandoned in the Course of the Night all their remaining Out-Posts, and drew off their Guns, excepting Three, which we brought into the Redoubt. The inclosed Return will shew your Lordship the Guns we have taken from the Enemy; Two of them are upon the Hill, and Two in the Redoubt, ready to open against their former Masters.

I shall in a separate Letter, so soon as I know it with Precision, acquaint your Lordship of the Loss on our Side. It is with infinite Regret that I mention the Loss of Captain Douglas, Deputy-Adjutant-General, as an Officer, and as a Member of Society; and the same of Lieutenant Peter Campbell, my First Aid-de-Camp. Major Varrennius fell haranguing his Men, advancing to the Redoubt. The Honourable Captain Lindsey, commanding the Grenadiers of the 73d, was wounded and taken Prisoner, refusing to suffer his own People to remain behind with him. In a Word, nothing I believe in History ever exceeded the Heroism and Coolness of this Army in general, visible to every one, for it lasted from Four in the Morning to Two in the Afternoon.

† Captain Lindsey died of his Wounds at Cuddalore.

The Admiral with the whole Fleet is now at an Anchor near our Rice Ships, and by our last Accounts Mons. Suffren was seen by him to the Southward, with Fifteen Ships of the Line and Two Frigates.

I have written to Major General Burgoyne to give Orders (with the previous Information to Government) that 200 Hanoverians, with all the recovered Men and Recruits belonging to His Majesty's Troops, now at or near the Presidency, be sent with the utmost Dispatch to us by Sea; and I have recommended to order the same, regarding the Recruits and recovered Men of the Company's Europeans.

The Army lay upon their Arms for Twenty Hours, after the Business of the 13th was over, and until I had the Means to bring our Camp further in Advance, now that we had silenced the Guns planted on the Enemy's Out-Posts. Our Fight is now within a Mile of Cuddalore; but as I had the Honor in a former Letter to represent to the Select Committee, and having nearly a Brigade to cover our Rear and Landing Place, and so large a Circuit of Posts to occupy in Front, added to our Loss in Action, and Sickness incident to Fatigue, I repeat that unless the Force under Colonel Fullarton does come nearer to co-operate and to take off some Part of the heavy Duty that now falls to our Share, this Army will, in a very short Time, be melted to nothing through Sickness and other Accidents.

Camp, S. of Cuddalore,
June 15, 1783.

Letter to the Select Committee at Madras, containing the Particulars of the Repulse of the French, on the 25th of June, 1783.

IT is with great additional Satisfaction that I give you the Account of the Repulse the Enemy met with in a Sortie they made early this Morning. We have taken their Commanding Officer, Chevalier de Damas, Colonel (Maitre de Camp) of the Regiment of Aquitaine; likewise a Captain and a Lieutenant. There is a Major, a Captain, and 2 Subalterns killed. The Prisoners are about 150. I don't know how many of the Enemy have been killed or carried off wounded; but this I know that it was a most complete Rout. Our Loss is Major Cotgrove, Lieut. Grueber of the Bengal Detachment, and Lieut. Ochterloney missing, Capt. Williamson wounded, and about 20 Rank and File killed or wounded.

Upon the Return of the French Fleet, and our's not appearing, I was sure that they would take every Occasion to annoy us. We were prepared for it, as they have found to their Experience. From what I can collect of the Prisoners, the Troops engaged were of their best Sort, the Regiment of Aquitaine and other old Corps, besides Volunteers from all the other Corps, and Two Battalions of Sepoys. Their principal Impression seems to have been directed to the Right of our Parallel; but they had no Idea of our having completed a Redoubt there, which, with the Two Guns galled them very severely. Our People behaved wonderfully well, and the Sepoys mixed their's with the French Bayonets. Nothing could exceed their Steadiness. Colonel Gordon commanded in the Trenches with Lieutenant Colonel Cathcart and Major Cotgrove; only one half of the Grenadiers were with the out-laying Pickets, but Major Moore with the other half was instantly on the Ground from their Advanced Camp, and they proved an excellent Support to the Parallel on the Right.

From the Character of Mons. Suffren, and the infinite Superiority of the present Means on the Part of the French now that we are left to ourselves, I expect a daily Visit of this Sort from them, and shall be prepared to give them a similar Reception; but I cannot too often repeat, that the Severity of the present Duty both on Officers and Men is become almost insupportable.

As to my own Uneasiness of Mind, considering many Things which I need not detail to you, and that it is now Nine Days since our Fleet and Provision Ships left us, and having no Certainty of Colonel Fullarton's Movements towards me, in Consequence of my Order of the 16th Instant, I say that, on the Whole of these Considerations, my Mind is upon the Rack without a Moment's Rest.

The steady undaunted Valour of this Army is my present Resource in the midst of surrounding Difficulties, if the Admiral does not soon appear.

The high Idea I entertain of the Merit of the Army has led me to express my Sentiments at some Length in this Day's General Orders, both of their Conduct on the 13th, and in the Action of this Day. I shall have the Honor of transmitting to your Lordship, &c. a Copy, together with every Paper of any Consequence which you have not hitherto been furnished with, owing to the Uncertainty of Conveyance since we lost sight of the Admiral.

I pray your Lordship, &c. to forward the Means of Conveyance by Sea to us for the Detachment of 200 Hanoverians, with the Recruits and recovered Men of His Majesty's and the Company's Troops, together with Money, Rice and Flour, Grain, our only Dependence for all whole Things being upon you.

Camp before Cuddalore,
June 25, 1783.

Return of Ordnance taken from the Enemy in the Posts near Cuddalore, June 13, 1783.

On the Bandypallam Hill.

Brass Guns serviceable mounted, and may be used on the Posts, 2 Four and half Pounders.

In the Intrenchments from Bandypallam Hill and Brickmires Post, Iron Guns serviceable, the Carriages damaged, and cannot be used, 1 Nine Pounder, 1 Four Pounder.

Brass Guns serviceable mounted, and may be used, 1 Four and half Pounder, 2 Two and half ditto.

In Brickmires Post.

Iron Guns serviceable mounted, and may be used against the Fort, 2 Eighteen Pounders, 1 Nine ditto, 1 Five ditto.

Brass Guns serviceable mounted, and may be used, 1 Nine Pounder.

Ditto cannot be used, 1 Twelve Pounder.

Between Brickmires Post and Cuddalore.

Brass Guns serviceable mounted, and may be used, 3 Three Pounders.

Ammunition Tumbrils, 8.

Carts for Shot, 4.

(Signed)

W. Elliot, Lieut. Col.
Commanding the Artillery.

June 14.

Return of the Killed, Wounded and Missing in the Attack of the French advanced Redoubts and Redoubts before Cuddalore, on the 13th of June, 1783, of the Army under his Excellency Major General James Stuart, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's and the Company's Troops.

His Majesty's Troops.

1st Battalion, 73d Regiment. Killed Capt. Alex. Mackenzie, 5 Sergeants, and 20 Rank and File. Wounded and Prisoners, the Hon. Capt. James Lindsay, Lieut. Simon Mackenzie, Jun. and Lieut. James Trail. Wounded, Capt. John Hamilton, Lieutenants Charles Gorry, David Ranniers, John Sinclair, James Duncan, and George Sutherland, 5 Sergeants, 2 Drummers, and 75 Rank and File. Missing 6 Rank and File.

78th Regiment. Killed, Capt. George Mackenzie and 9 Rank and File. Wounded, Lieutenants Patrick Grant and Malcolm Macpherson, 2 Sergeants, and 28 Rank and File. Missing, 1 Sergeant, and 1 Rank and File.

101st Regiment. Killed, Lieutenants W. R. Elfdon, John Moore, John Branthwayte, and Charles Ross,

Rofs, 2 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, and 38 Rank and File. Wounded and Prisoners, Capt. S. G. Cole, and Lieut. John M'Gillowray. Wounded, Capt. P. Beatty, Lieutenants A. Ingram, John Napier, and Mungo Noble, 5 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, and 48 Rank and File.

Detachments of the 15th and 16th Regiments of Hanoverians in One Regiment. Killed, Major Varenus, Capt. Brunswick, Lieut. Rluffmand, and Ensign Müller, 2 Serjeants, and 60 Rank and File. Wounded, Captains Drocgi, Schamhorfs, Westerrhagen, and Zelle. Lieutenants Brandt, Notto, V. Hennubar, Ensigns Gerber, Jambart, Bert, Werniche, and Adjutant Chevalier, 1 Serjeant, 2 Drummers, and 141 Rank and File.

J. GRATTAN, Adj. Gen.

Bengal Troops.

Wounded, Colonel Tho. D. Pearse.

Artillery. Killed, 2 Bombardiers, 1 Matross, and 8 Lascars. Wounded, Lieut. E. Brown, and Lieut. Fireworker Eghaw, 1 Serjeant, 1 Bombardier, 1 Gunner, 2 Matrosses, 2 Syrangs, 1 Tindal, 1 Cossob, 1 Golandaure, and 20 Lascars.

12th Regiment of Sepoys. Killed, 1 Serjeant, 1 Subedar, 1 Jemidar, and 1 Rank and File. Wounded, 1 Drummer and 22 Rank and File.

13th Regiment of Sepoys. Killed, 1 Subedar, 1 Jemidar, and 3 Rank and File. Wounded, Lieut. Plumer, Ensign Franklin, 1 Subedar, 1 Drummer, and 34 Rank and File.

25th Regiment of Sepoys. Killed, Capt. Durie, 1 Serjeant, 2 Subedars, and 6 Rank and File. Wounded, Lieut. R. Colebrooke, 1 Serjeant, 1 Jemidar, and 31 Rank and File.

Coast Troops.

Killed, Capt. Walter Douglas, Deputy Adjutant-General, and Lieut. Peter Campbell, Aid de Camp.

European Troop. Killed, 1 Horse.

2d Regiment of Cavalry. Killed, 2 Horses. Wounded, 1 Horse, 2 Rank and File.

Artillery. Killed, 8 Lascars. Wounded, 3 Corporals, 4 Gunners, 5 Matrosses, 2 Syrangs, and 21 Lascars.

European Infantry. Killed, 8 Rank and File. Wounded, Lieut. John Munro, Quarter-Master, Ensign James Rogers, 3 Serjeants, 1 Drummer, and 25 Rank and File.

Trichinopoly Detachment. Killed, 2 Rank and File. Wounded, 1 Subedar, 1 Jemidar, and 24 Rank and File.

5th Battalion of Sepoys. Killed 6 Rank and File. Wounded 1 Drummer and 5 Rank and File.

8th Battalion of Sepoys. Wounded 8 Rank and File.

16th Battalion of Sepoys. Killed 6 Rank and File. Wounded, Ensign G. Haddon, 1 Serjeant, 2 Jemidars, 2 Packallies, and 36 Rank and File.

18th Battalion of Sepoys. Killed 4 Rank and File. Wounded, 1 Subedar, 2 Jemidars, 3 Packallies, and 47 Rank and File. Missing 2 Rank and File.

20th Battalion of Sepoys. Killed, Ensign S. Powell, and 6 Rank and File. Wounded, 1 Jemidar, 2 Drummers, and 12 Rank and File.

21st Battalion of Sepoys. Wounded 2 Rank and File.

Total of Killed, Wounded, and Missing, - 962

N. B. Of the European Grenadiers, King's and Company's, consisting of 5 Captains, 17 Subalterns, and 336 Non-commissioned Rank and File, under the Command of the Hon. Lieut. Col. Cathcart, and included above in their respective Regiments.

| | Officers. | Non-commissioned Rank and File. |
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| Killed, - - | 4 | 36 |
| Wounded, - - | 8 | 100 |
| Missing, - - | 0 | 6 |
| Total, 12 | | 142 |

June 25.

Return of the Killed, Wounded, and Missing in the Repulse of the Enemy, in their Attack on the Retrenchments, on the Morning of the 25th of June, 1783. Camp, South of Cuddalore, June 25, 1783.

His Majesty's Troops.

1st Battalion, 73d Regiment. 1 Rank and File wounded.

Detachments of the 15th and 16th Hanoverians in One Regiment. 1 Rank and File killed.

Bengal Troops.

24th Regiment Sepoys. Lieutenant Granber, 1 Jemidar, 1 Drummer, 8 Rank and File, killed; Captain Williamfon, 1 Subadar, 3 Jemidars, 18 Rank and File, wounded; Lieutenant Ochterloney, wounded and Prisoner.

Coast Troops.

Major Cotgrove, commanding the 4th Brigade, killed.

Artillery. 1 Rank and File killed; 1 Rank and File wounded.

5th Battalion Sepoys. 10 Rank and File wounded.

GENERAL ABSTRACT.

| | Officers. | Non-Commissioned Rank and File. |
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| His Majesty's Troops, killed, - | - | 1 |
| Ditto wounded, - | - | 2 |
| Company's Troops, Euro- } peans, killed, } 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Ditto wounded, } 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Natives killed, } 1 | 1 | 9 |
| Ditto wounded, } 4 | 4 | 30 |
| Total | 9 | 44 |

J. Richardson, D. Adj. General.

Camp South of Cuddalore, 25th June, 1783.

GENERAL ORDERS

By Major-General James Stuart, containing his Thanks to the Army.

THE Commander in Chief having taken Time minutely to investigate the Conduct and Execution of the Orders and Plan in attacking the Enemy's Out-Posts, Lines, and Redoubts, on the 13th Instant, with the comparative Strength in Numbers and Position of the Enemy, composed almost entirely of the best Regular Troops of France, takes this Occasion to give it as his Opinion to this brave Army in general, that it is not to be equalled by any Thing he knows, or has heard of, in modern History, whether we look to the Extent and entire Success, or to the National Importance of that Day's compleat and important Victory. He takes this Occasion to return his Thanks to Major-General Bruce, to Lieutenant-Colonel Cathcart, and Major Moore, of the Corps of Grenadiers, and to Colonel Stuart, who supported them with the Piquets of the Left, and under whose Command the French Redoubt was most successfully entered and carried; to Colonel Gordon, who commanded the Reserve; to Colonel Pearse, and the different Field Officers in the various Stations; to Lieutenant-Colonel Ross, Chief Engineer, to whose Abilities he is much indebted; and to Lieutenant Colonel Kelly, who, with the Fourth Brigade, led by the two Grenadier Companies, and the rest of the Honourable Company's European Infantry of the Second Line, under the Command of Captains Collins, Sale, and Bonneveaux, so ably and opportunely possessed himself of the Enemy's Post on the Hills; to Lieutenant-Colonel Elliott, and Major Mackay, under whom our Artillery was so well directed that Day; to Captain Lamont, and to the precious Remains of His Majesty's 73d Regiment; and, in general, to the Officers and Corps of His Majesty's and the Company's Troops.

He desires that Lieutenant-Colonel Wangenheim will inform the Officers and Men of the Detachment composed of His Majesty's 15th and 16th Hanoverians, how much he was satisfied with their Behaviour on that Day, and that he will not fail, on the first Occasion, to represent it to His Majesty.

He desires also that the Officers of His Majesty's 101st Regiment, and the Grenadiers and Light Infantry of that Regiment, may know his Concern that they were not supported, as they ought to have been, by their Battalion Men on that Day.

In general, the Commander in Chief takes the present Occasion to acquaint the Army, that he has already informed the Government of their particular Merit in the Attack of the 13th, and that he will endeavour to represent it as it deserves to our Most Gracious Sovereign, and to our Country.

It has so happened, that on this very Day, when the Commander in Chief thought it his Duty to return his Thanks to this Army for the important Victory of the 13th, an Occasion offers to express his Satisfaction for a new and recent Display of their Steadiness and undaunted Courage in the successful Repulse of the Enemy's best regular and veteran Troops this Morning, in Sight of their Admiral and whole Fleet, taking the Colonel who commanded Prisoner, with the Loss of their principal Officers. The General can only repeat his sincere Acknowledgement and Admiration upon the Occasion, with his particular Thanks to Colonel Gordon, and to Lieutenant-Colonel Cathcart, to Captain Williamson, and the 24th Bengal Regiment.

The Commander in Chief desires the Commanding Officers of the Native Corps, Bengal and Carnatic, will, in his Name, acquaint the Officers and Men of the high Sense he entertains of their most gallant Behaviour on the 13th Instant and on this Morning, exceeding any Thing of the Kind ever known; and that he will, on every Occasion in his Power, represent it in such a Light to the Governments of Bengal and Madras, that they, and their Families, shall be ever supported and rewarded according to their Merit.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 6, 1784.

SUCH Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on Monday the 19th Instant, are requested to send their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office on or before Friday the 16th, and to send for their Tickets the next Day, (Saturday) between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon.

N. B. No Attendance will be given at this Office on the Day of the Ball, after Two o'Clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 6, 1784.

TO prevent the Inconveniencies which have arisen from the Space before Their Majesties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requested that those Ladies only who mean to dance will send for Dancers Tickets, and sit in those Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Navy Office, January 6, 1783.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Thursday the 23d instant, they will treat with such Persons as may be willing to perform the Painter's Works in His Majesty's Yard at Shermess. The Contract to commence in Six Months.

East-India House, December 31, 1783.

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 14th Day of January next, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six o'Clock in the Evening, for the Election of Three Directors of the said Company, in the Room of Sir Henry Fletcher, Bart. and Jacob Wilkinson, Esq; who have disqualified, and Sir William James, Bart. deceased.

South Sea House, January 10, 1784.

THE Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of Election will be held at this House, on Tuesday the 3d of February

next, from Ten in the Morning till Four in the Afternoon, for the Choice of Governor, Sub-Governor, and Deputy-Governor, of the said Company; and that the said Court will be continued by Adjournment and held at the same Place, between the same Hours, on the Thursday following, being the 5th of February, for the Choice of Twenty-one Directors; which Elections will be declared as soon as the respective Scrutinies shall be over.

And that printed Lists of the Members of the said Company, qualified to vote at the said Elections, will be ready to be delivered at this House, Ten Days at least before the first of the said Elections.

Harry Stoe, Secretary.

N. B. By an Act of Parliament passed in the 7th Year of His present Majesty, No Person will be intitled to vote at either of the said Elections, who has not been possessed of his or her Stock Six Calendar Months preceding, except in Cases provided for in the said Act.

General Post Office, December 30, 1783.

IF the Traveller who slept at the House of Michael Gayton, the Sign of the White Hart, in Fenny Stratford, on Sunday Night the 30th of November last, will, as soon as possible, apply in Person to me at this Office, or acquaint me by Letter where he may be sworn to, he will render an essential Service to the Public.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Anthony Todd, Sec.

New Fire-Office.

January 10, 1784.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at their House in Lombard-street; on Wednesday the 21st Instant, for the Election of Five Trustees and Fifteen Directors for the Year ensuing.

The Ballot will begin at Twelve, and close at Three o'Clock.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Resolution, Captain Sir James Wallace, Commander, who were actually on Board on the 19th Day of September, 1782, at the Capture of the Dutch Ship Wagter (in Company with the Anson, the Hon. John Rodney Commander) that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the Hull and Stores of the said Ship, on Thursday the 15th Instant, at the French-born, Crutched-forgary, and those not then demanded may be received any Monday or Thursday, at No. 11, Savage-gardens.

Marin and Creed, Agents.

London, August 23, 1783.

NOTICE is hereby given to William Bradford, Grandson of John Bull, formerly of Durham-yard in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, deceased, (now called the Adelphi Buildings in the Strand) or the Heir at Law of the said William Bradford, Grandson of John Bull, to apply immediately to Mr. John Windus, Attorney at Law, in Took's-court, Chancery-lane, London, or to Mr. John Bones, Attorney at Law in Cambridge, and make Claim to a Freehold Estate in the County of Essex; and the said William Bradford, or his Heir at Law, is hereby informed, that unless Application be made as above, and the Claim clearly and satisfactorily made good within the Space of Six Calendar Months from the 23d Day of August, 1783, (being the Day of the First Insertion of this Advertisement) all Right and Title of the said William Bradford, or his Heir at Law, to the said Estate, will be forfeited, pursuant to the Will of Elizabeth Graves, of Cambridge, Widow, late deceased, formerly Elizabeth Bull, Spinster.

Manchester, November 28, 1783.

THE Partnership between Daniel Burton and Joseph Berry, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Call coprinters, under the Firm of Burton and Berry, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent. All outstanding Debts are to be received by Mr. Berry, who will discharge such Debts as are owing by the Copartnership.

Daniel Burton.
Joseph Berry.

N. B. Mr. Burton is shortly removing from his present House in Fountain-street to the House and Warehouse now in the Possession of Mr. T. P. Foxlow, in Oldham-street, where he and Mr. James Heald, under the Firm of Burton and Heald, will carry on the Manufactory of Fustians, Cottons, and Linens, and print and finish the same. Mr. Berry continues to carry on the Printing Business as before in the late Partnership Warehouse in Fountain-street.



AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN

From December 29, to January 3, 1784.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

| | Wheat. | | | Rye. | | | Barley. | | | Oats. | | | Beans. | | |
|--------------------------|--------|----|----|------|----|----|---------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | s. | d. | s. | s. | d. | s. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. |
| London, | 5 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| COUNTIES INLAND. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middlesex, | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | 3 | 7 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 5 | — | — | — | — |
| Surry, | 6 | 0 | — | 3 | 9 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 7 | — | — | — | — |
| Hertford, | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | 3 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 11 | — | — | — | — |
| Bedford, | 5 | 8 | — | 3 | 11 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 6 | — | — | — | — |
| Cambridge, | 5 | 6 | — | 3 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | — | — | — | — |
| Huntingdon, | 5 | 7 | — | — | — | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 | — | — | — | — |
| Northampton, | 6 | 4 | — | 4 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 8 | — | — | — | — |
| Rutland, | 6 | 4 | — | — | — | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 6 | — | — | — | — |
| Leicester, | 6 | 7 | — | 4 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| Nottingham, | 6 | 0 | — | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 1 | — | — | — | — |
| Derby, | 6 | 8 | — | — | — | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | — | — | — | — |
| Stafford, | 6 | 10 | — | — | — | 4 | 6 | 2 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Salop, | 6 | 10 | — | 4 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 2 | — | — | — | — |
| Hereford, | 6 | 2 | — | — | — | 4 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| Worcester, | 6 | 7 | — | — | — | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 5 | — | — | — | — |
| Warwick, | 6 | 6 | — | — | — | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| Gloucester, | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | — | — | — | — |
| Wilts, | 5 | 3 | — | — | — | 3 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | — | — | — | — |
| Berks, | 5 | 10 | — | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | — | — | — | — |
| Oxford, | 6 | 2 | — | — | — | 3 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 11 | — | — | — | — |
| Bucks, | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | 3 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 10 | — | — | — | — |
| COUNTIES upon the COAST. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Essex, | 5 | 7 | — | — | — | 3 | 11 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 10 | — | — | — | — |
| Suffolk, | 5 | 6 | — | 2 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | — | — | — | — |
| Norfolk, | 5 | 6 | — | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Lincoln, | 5 | 8 | — | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | — | — | — | — |
| York, | 5 | 8 | — | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | — | — | — | — |
| Durham, | 5 | 5 | — | 3 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 8 | — | — | — | — |
| Northumberland, | 5 | 1 | — | 3 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 6 | — | — | — | — |
| Cumberland, | 5 | 11 | — | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Westmorland, | 6 | 5 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Lancashire, | 6 | 7 | — | — | — | 3 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 7 | — | — | — | — |
| Cheshire, | 6 | 9 | — | — | — | 4 | 6 | 2 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Devon, | 6 | 8 | — | — | — | 3 | 11 | 1 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Somerset, | 5 | 8 | — | 3 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 9 | — | — | — | — |
| Dorset, | 5 | 9 | — | — | — | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Wiltshire, | 5 | 9 | — | — | — | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Gloucestershire, | 5 | 4 | — | — | — | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | — | — | — | — |
| Kent, | 5 | 10 | — | 3 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | — | — | — | — |

From December 22, to December 26, 1783.

| | W. | | | A. | | | L. | | | S. | | |
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| North Wales, | 6 | 6 | — | 5 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 1 | — |
| South Wales, | 6 | 6 | — | 4 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 10 | — |

Part of SCOTLAND.

| | Wheat. | | | Rye. | | | Barley. | | | Oats. | | | Beans. | | |
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Published by Authority of Parliament,
John James Catherwood.

CORN-EXCHANGE, LONDON. RETURNS of CORN and GRAIN, From December 29, to January 3, 1784.

| | Quar- ters. | Price. | Average Price per Quarter. |
|--------|----------------|--------|-------------------------------------|
| | £. | s. | d. |
| Barley | 2427 | 3787 | 2 1 11 |
| Beans | 446 | 768 | 13 9 14 |
| Malt | 1647 | 3639 | 6 2 2 |
| Oats | 2895 | 2880 | 17 0 0 |
| Pease | 314 | 472 | 5 3 10 |
| Rye | 43 | 56 | 12 6 1 |
| Wheat | 1793 | 4143 | 12 4 2 |
| Bigg | — | — | — |
| Beer | — | — | — |

London, January 6, 1784.

WHEREAS the Partnership between D'Abbadie and Webb, Crutched-friars, was mutually dissolved the 17th of December last, this is to give Publick Notice thereof.

D. D'Abbadie.
And Webb.

January 2, 1784.

THE Partnership between Robert Peach and Thomas Jeffcutt, of the Borough of Leicester, Hosiery, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent.

Rob. Peach.
T. Jeffcutt.

London, December 31, 1783.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between James Allardes and Richard Elwand, of London, Merchants, under the Firms of James Allardes and Co. and Allardes and Elwand, was this Day finally dissolved and determined; and that all their depending Accounts will be settled by James Allardes, at his House in Charlotte-street, Bedford-square.

James Allardes.
Rich. Elwand.

London, December 31, 1783.

THE Partnership between Thomas Stirrap and Matthew Bell, of Blackman-street, Southwark, in the County of Surry, Grocers and Tea-dalers, is dissolved by mutual Consent. All Persons indebted to the late Partnership are desired to pay their Debts to Thomas Stirrap, who continues the Business, and by whom all Claims on the late Partnership will be discharged.

Thomas Stirrap.
Matthew Bell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between Robert Pasley, of Lisbon, and Mountague Lind and James Currie, of London, under the Firm of Pasley, Lind, and Currie, was dissolved by mutual Consent on the 31st Day of December last. All Persons therefore who have any Debts due from the said Partnership are desired to apply to Mountague Lind, No. 31, Throgmorton street, by whom they will be discharged.

James Currie,
Per Procuration of Robert Pasley, of Lisbon.)
Montague Lind.
James Currie.

THE Partnership being mutually dissolved between Messrs. Wadham and Flight, of Queen street, Cheapside, London, Merchants, the Business will be carried on in future by the said James Wadham. All Debts due to the said Partnership are to be paid to, and all Demands on the said Partnership will be paid by, the said James Wadham. As Witnesses our Hands this 6th of January, 1784.

James Wadham.
Banister Flight.

London, January 5, 1784.

NOTICE that a most uncommon and daring Piece of Villainy was committed, in breaking open several Letters sent from Canada in October last, inclosing Papers and a Number of Bills of Exchange to a considerable Amount; some of which have been passed, but the Payment stopped before they became due; the Publick are cautioned against taking Two of them now under Acceptance, viz. one (first Exchange) drawn by Geo. Davison, R. du Loup, Canada, on Alex. Davison, Esq; London, Favour of John Moffat, and accepted the 25th of November last, for 100l. Sterling, the Owner having received Payment on the second Bill; the other drawn by John Antrobus, Quebec, on Samuel Martin, Esq; Whitehaven, Favour of Mr. John Drummond, London, for 200l. Sterling, also under Acceptance; and as many other Bills are still missing, particular Care ought to be taken how they are negotiated.

January 10, 1784.

ALL Persons having any legal Demands on the Estate and Effects of Mr. John Cotterell, deceased, late of the Parish of Edmonton, in the County of Middlesex, (but formerly of Mansion-house-street, London, Chinaman) are desired to send an Account thereof to Mr. William Cotterell, Chinaman, Mansion-house-street, London, who is impowered to settle and adjust such Claims; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts as above.

ALL Persons being indebted to the Estate of Edward Woodnutt, late a Lieutenant belonging to His Majesty's Ship Ramelies, deceased, or having any Property or Effects of the said Mr. Woodnutt in their Possession are requested to pay their Debts, and deliver such Property and Effects to Mrs. Diana Thompson, of West Cowes, Isle of Wight, his Administratrix, or to Mess. Clarke, Attorneys, Newport, Isle of Wight, or to Mr. Wade, Attorney, Crane-court, Fleet-street; and Persons having Claims on the said Estate are desired to give Accounts thereof to Mrs. Thompson, Mess. Clarke, or Mr. Wade, in order to their being satisfied.

ALL Persons having any Demands on the Estate of Mr. George Browne, late of Great Tower-hill, London, Merchant, deceased, are hereby peremptorily required to send an Account thereof to Mr. William Mills, (one of the Executors) at the House late of the said George Browne, on Great Tower-hill aforesaid, on or before the 22d Day of February next, in order that the same may be settled and discharged; and all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said George Browne are hereby peremptorily required to pay their respective Debts to the said Mr. Mills, on or before that Time, or they will be prosecuted for Recovery thereof.

ALL Persons who have any Demand on the Estate of the late Mr. Alexander Keyser, junior, Broker, deceased, are desired to send their respective Accounts on or before the 1st of March next, to Mr. Assur Keyser, No. 40, Crutched-friars, or Mr. Abraham Norden, No. 8, Billiter-square, London.

London, Administrators of the said Estate, or otherwise they will be excluded from all Benefit of such Estate. And all Person indebted to the said Estate, or who may have any Effects bringing in to such Estate in their Hands, are desired forthwith to pay such Debts, and deliver such Effects, unto the said Mr. Arthur Keyser, or Mr. Abraham Norden.

THE Creditors of Horatio Smith, late of Cape Coast in Africa, Esq; deceased, are desired to send an Account of their Demands to Mess. Prichard and Williams, Doctors Commons.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Martin Charleworth, of Gomerfall in the County of York, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate, on Thursday the 15th of January next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Batton's Coffee-house, Cornhill, 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 Richard Hargreaves and Richard Brewer, both now or late of Bulwell in the County of Nottingham, Callico-printers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, on Friday the 16th Day of January instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Black Bull, in Blackburn, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing or prosecuting a particular Suit at Law, concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Henry Mear, of the Town of Wolverhampton in the County of Stafford, Innholder, Chapman, and Dealer, are desired to meet the Assignees, on Wednesday the 4th of February next, at One in the Afternoon, at the Red Lion Inn in Wolverhampton, to assent to or dissent from the 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.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Samuel Mason and Robert Woods, of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, Bankers and Copartners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects the said Bankrupts, on Tuesday the 27th of January instant, at Twelve at Noon, at the Angel Inn, in Great Yarmouth aforesaid, 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 Bankrupts Estate and Effects; and particularly for settling and adjusting the Accounts and other Matters depending between the said Bankrupts Estate and the former Banking Partnership of Scales, Pellyn, and Co. and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

To the Creditors of Mr. Nicholas Humphrey, late Owner of the Brigantine Olsenburger.

THE Trustees under an Assignment of the Estate and Effects of the said Nicholas Humphrey, do hereby give Notice, that they will meet on Tuesday the 12th Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the New England Coffee-house, Threadneedle-street, for the Purpose of making a Dividend of his Estate and Effects; when and where all such Creditors as have signed the Trust Deed, and who are willing then to sign the same, or their Attornies or Agents properly authorized, are desired to attend, and may receive their Dividend; and in the mean Time all such Creditors as have not sent in their Accounts and Claims against the said Estate, are desired to transmise the same to Mr. Dobie, Attorney, Crane-court, Fleet-street, preparatory to the said Dividend; and their being verified by Oath, if it shall be thought necessary, according to the Terms of the Deed of Trust; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are desired to pay the same forthwith to Mr. Dobie, Attorney, or they will be sued.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Rabson, of Pall Mall in the Parish of St. James Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Hatter, 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 14th and 16th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, 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. Booth, Craven street, Strand.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Moses Harris, of Broad-street in the Parish of Northchurch in the County of Hertford, Paemaker, 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 13th and 22d of January instant, and on the 21st of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, 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 Mess. Westons, Fenchurch-street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Marmaduke Teafdale, of Scotland-yard in the County of Middlesex, Money-scrivener, 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 17th and 27th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, 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. Willey, Basinghall-street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Isaac Ivory, late of Bishopgate-street Without in the County of Middlesex, Hat-maker, 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 16th and 22d Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, 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. Mullen, No. 4, Elm-court, Temple.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Matthew Pagan, late of Bell's buildings, Salisbury-square, in the City of London, 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 17th and 24th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, 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. John Robert, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Brown, of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk, Crape-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 19th and 20th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Robert Hubbard, the Sign of the Coffee-pot, in Sudbury, 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 who are 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 Robert Kedington, Attorney, in Sudbury aforesaid, or Mr. Abel Jenkins, New-inn, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joachim Famin, late of Moorfields in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, but now a Prisoner in the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surrey, late Partner with Peter Rodolphus Utermarck and James Lewis Adam, late of Moorfields aforesaid, Merchants, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender him-

self

self to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th and 22d of January instant, and on the 21st of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, in each of the said Days, 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. Cooper, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Jackson, of St. Margaret's, Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, 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 19th Day of January instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, on the 27th of the same Month, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, 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. Atkinson, Margaret-street, Westminster.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Ambrose Moore, of Noble-street, Foster-lane, London, Stocking-trimmer, 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 27th and 29th Days of January instant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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. Crowder, Pump-court, Temple.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Frazer, of New-court, Swithin's-lane, London, Merchant, (carrying on Trade under the Firm of John Frazer and Co.) 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 20th and 30th Days of January instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of the said Bankrupt's 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. Crowder, Pump-court, Temple, or Cowper's-court, Cornhill.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Brown, late of Oxford in the County of Oxford, Dealer in Spirituous Liquors, and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th Day of January instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to receive the Proof of Debts under the said Commission; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, pursuant to the Lord Chancellor's Order.

T HE Commissioner in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Graef, of Upminster in the County of Essex, Bore Co'e Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d Day of January instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to receive the Proof of the joint Debts of John Graef and John Bessell, and also a Proof of the joint Debts of John Graef and Jonathan Fletcher, pursuant to an Order made by the late Lords Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, for the Purpose only of assenting to or dissenting from the Allowance of the said John Graef's Certificate.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Henry Mear, of the Town of Wol-

verhampton in the County of Stafford, Innholder, Chapman, and Dealer, intend to meet on the 5th Day of February next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Red Lion Inn, situate in the Town of Wolverhampton aforesaid, 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.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Macgowan, of Paternoster-row, London, Bookseller, intend to meet on the 21st of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further 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.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Wheeler and William Swift, of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex, Brewers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 21st Day of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate Estate and Effects of the said William Swift; when and where his separate Creditors who have not already proved their Debts under the said Commission, 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.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Charles Wheeler and William Swift, of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex, Brewers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 21st Day of February 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 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 Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Crawford, late of Holborn in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Crawford hath in all Things conformed 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 31st Day of January instant.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Underwood Wilson, of Green Walk in the Parish of Christ Church in the County of Surry, Coal-merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Underwood Wilson hath in all Things conformed 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 31st Day of January instant.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Daniel Walker, of Newbold-lane, in the Township of Castleton, in the Parish of Rochdale, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Woollen Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Daniel Walker hath 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 31st Day of January instant.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Burnett, of the Parish of Christ Church in the County of Surry, Dealer in Corn and Coal, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Burnett hath 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 31st Day of January instant.