

St. James's, July 10.

The King has been pleased to appoint George Mordon, Esq; to be His Majesty's Consul in the Islands of Majorca and Minorca.

CARMARTHEN CIRCUIT.

William Beard, Esq; and Archibald Macdonald, Esq; Carmarthenshire, Wednesday August 18, at Carmarthen.

County Borough of Carmarthen, The same Day. Pembrokeshire, Tuesday August 24, at Haverfordwest.

Town and County of Haverfordwest, The same Day. Cardiganshire, Monday August 30, at Cardigan.

War Office, July 10, 1784.

- 71th Regiment of Dragoons, Cornet John Edgar is appointed to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Ross.
- 91th Regiment of Foot, Major John Ritchie, on the Half-Pay of the late 91st Regiment, to be Major, vice John Money.
- 36th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Samuel Thomson, of the late 94th Regiment, to be Ensign, vice John Cameron.
- 45th Regiment of Foot, David Kennedy, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Ambrose Awdry.
- 52^d Regiment of Foot, John Angustus Fulk, Gent. to be Ensign, vice John Cole Bowen.
- 57th Regiment of Foot, Captain Thomas Thompson to be Major, vice George Nugent.
- Ditto, Lieutenant Albert Gleditanes, of 58th Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice Thomas Thompson.
- 64th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Benjamin Faneuil Bethune, of the 70th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice John Warner.
- 70th Regiment of Foot, William Philipps, Gent. to be Adjutant, vice Thomas Wood Philipps.
- 82^d Regiment of Foot, Volunteer Duncan Clark, to be Ensign, vice John Stevenfon.
- Colonel Turner Straubenzee, of the 52^d Regiment, to be Colonel in the East Indies only. June 12, 1782.

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AS several Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have from Time to Time gone into Foreign Countries, to exercise their several Callings, contrary to the Laws of these Kingdoms; The following Abstracts of Two Acts of Parliament of George the First and George the Second, to prevent such Practices, are published for the Information of all Persons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Disobedience to them.—And it will be observed, that they extend to those who are any ways concerned or instrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of these Kingdoms, and in the Exportation of the Tools and Instruments used by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themselves.

Statute 5 George I. Chap. 27.

IF any Person shall contract with, entice, or solicit, any Artificer in Wool, Iron, Steel, Brass, or other Metal, Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer of Great Britain, to go into Foreign Countries, out of the King's Dominions, and shall be convicted thereof upon Indictment or Information, in any of the Courts at Westminster, or at the Assizes or Quarter-Sessions, he shall be fined any Sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED POUNDS or the first Offence, and shall be imprisoned Three

Months, and till the Fine be paid. And if any Person having been once convicted, shall offend again, he shall be fined at the Discretion of the Court, and imprisoned Twelve Months, and till the Fine be paid.

If any of the King's Subjects, being such Artificers, shall go into any Country out of His Majesty's Dominions, to exercise or teach the said Trades to Foreigners; and if any of the King's Subjects in any such Foreign Country, exercising any of the said Trades, shall not return into this Realm within Six Months after Warning given by the Ambassador, Minister or Consul of Great Britain, in the Country where such Artificers shall be, or by any Person authorised by such Ambassador, &c. or by one of the Secretaries of State, and from thenceforth inhabit within this Realm; such Person shall be incapable of taking any Legacy, or of being an Executor or Administrator, and of taking any Lands, &c. within this Kingdom, by Descent, Devise or Purchase; and shall forfeit all Lands, Goods, &c. within this Kingdom, to His Majesty's Use; and shall be deemed Alien, and out of His Majesty's Protection.

Upon Complaint made upon Oath before any Justice of Peace that any Person is endeavouring to seduce any such Artificer, or that any such Artificer hath contracted, or is preparing to go out of His Majesty's Dominions, for the Purposes aforesaid; such Justice may send his Warrant to bring the Person complained of before him, or before some other Justice; and if it shall appear by the Oath of one Witness, or by Confession, that he was guilty of any of the said Offences, such Justice may bind him to appear at the next Assizes or Quarter Sessions: And if such Person shall refuse to give Security, the Justice may commit him to Goal till the next Assizes or Quarter Sessions, and until he shall be delivered by due Course of Law. And if any such Artificer shall be convicted upon Indictment of any such Promise, Contract, or Preparation to go beyond the Seas for the Purpose aforesaid, he shall give such Security to the King, not to depart out of His Majesty's Dominions, as such Court shall think reasonable, and shall be imprisoned till Security given.

If any of the above Offences shall be committed in Scotland the same shall be prosecuted in the Court of Justiciary, or the Circuits there.

Statute 23 George II. Chap. 13.

IF any Person shall contract with, or endeavour to seduce any Artificer in Wool, Mohair, Cotton or Silk, or in Iron, Steel, Brass, or other Metal, or any Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer in any other of the Manufactures of Great Britain or Ireland, to go out of this Kingdom or Ireland, into any Foreign Country, not within the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, and shall be convicted upon Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Westminster, or by Indictment at the Assizes or General Gaol Delivery for the County, &c. wherein such Offence shall be committed in England, or by Indictment in the Court of Justiciary, or any of the Circuit Courts in Scotland, or by Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Dublin, if such Offence be committed in Ireland; the Person so convicted shall, for every Artificer contracted with, or seduced, forfeit FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, and shall suffer Imprisonment in the Common Goal of the County or Stewartry