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Whitehall, September 18.

THE King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Joseph Frederick Waller Desbarres, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Cape Breton, in America.

The King has been pleased to grant to Alexander Cowley, otherwise Falkener or Falconer, late of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Esq; (Son of James Cowley, of Montrose, in the County of Forfar, in North Britain) and his Issue, His Royal Licence and Authority to assume and take the Surname of Falconer only; and also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in His College of Arms.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, September 4, 1784.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there will not be any Drawing-Room at St. James's, till Wednesday the 22d Instant, which Day will be the Anniversary of His Majesty's Coronation.

WHEREAS many of the Salaries, Compensations, and Bills approved by the late Lord Chamberlain, and payable at the Office from the 5th of April, 1783, and ending the 5th of January, 1784, have not yet been claimed, notwithstanding repeated Applications have been made for that Purpose: Public Notice is therefore given to all whom it may concern, that the Pay-Master will continue to attend at the Office every Wednesday, between the Hours of Eleven in the Forenoon and Three in the Afternoon, until the 30th of September next, and no longer; and that then the several Accounts of the late Lord Chamberlain will be delivered to the Auditors of the Imprest, and the Balance immediately paid as the Lords of His Majesty's Treasury shall please to appoint.

Office of Ordnance, August 12, 1784.

THE Honourable House of Commons having, on the 7th Instant, come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That all Persons interested in or entitled unto any Debentures payable out of His Majesty's Office of Ordnance, which were dated on or before the 30th Day of June, 1782, who already have carried, or shall, on or before the 10th Day of October, 1784, carry the same to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Office of Ordnance, and shall have the Interest of such Debentures computed after the Rate of 4l. per Centum per Annum, from the Expiration of Fifteen Months from the Date thereof, to the 5th Day of July, 1784, shall have a Certificate for every One Hundred Pounds, contained in the Amount of the Principal and Interest of such Debentures; and also a Certificate of the fractional Parts of One Hundred Pounds: The first of the said Certificates to be carried to the Governor and Company of the

"Bank of England; for which such Persons shall be entitled, in Respect of the same, to the Sum of 107l. 10s. 6d. Capital Stock for each One Hundred Pounds of such Debentures, made out on or before the said 30th Day of June, 1782; the said Capital Stock to be attended with Annuities after the Rate of 5l. per Centum per Annum, to commence from the said 5th Day of July, 1784, payable Half-Yearly: The said Annuities to be irredeemable until Twenty-five Millions of the Public Debt, bearing Interest at the Rate of either 3l. per Centum per Annum, or 4l. per Centum per Annum, shall have been redeemed and paid off, and the said Annuities to be charged upon a Fund to be established in this Session of Parliament, and for which the Fund, commonly called the Sinking Fund, shall be a Collateral Security."

The Master General and Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice thereof, that all Persons possessed of Ordnance Debentures made out as aforesaid, may bring the same to the Office of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Ordnance to be certified accordingly.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 11, 1784.

THE Commissioners and Governors of the said Hospital hereby give Notice, that at Salters Hall, in London, on Wednesday the 16th Day of March next, or as soon after as may be, the following Estates, in the Counties of Northumberland and Cumberland, will be let on Leases for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1785, that is to say, Eight Farms and a Water Corn Mill and Ground at Dilkon; One Farm at Corbridge; Four Farms at Thornbrough; One Farm at Buteland; Woodhall Farm in the Barony of Wark; and Lough, Harfondale and Sillywray Farms, Vauce Loaning-Foot, and Plankey Pasture Farm, and Tedcastle, Lees, West Land Ends, and Beamwham Farms, in the Barony of Langley; all in the County of Northumberland: And Hartside Colliery in the County of Cumberland.

All Persons desirous to take the said Estates, are requested to give in their Proposals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty Office, London, at any Time before the Day abovementioned, or on that Day between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters Hall, in London; and for Particulars of all or any of the said Estates, to be let as aforesaid, apply to Messrs. Walton and Turner, Receivers for the said Hospital, or to the Bailiffs in their respective Districts.

Note, All Wood Grounds, as now inclosed or marked off for the growing of Wood or Underwood, will be excepted and reserved to the said Hospital, and no Allowance will be made on Account thereof, or on Account of Damages by the Smoke of Langley Lead Mill.

