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Whitehall, April 5.

THE King has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Henry William Majendie, Master of Arts, to be a Prebendary of the Free Chapel of St. George, in the Castle of Windsor, void by the Death of the Reverend Dr. Thomas Bray.

Dublin-Castle, March 24, 1785.

This Day his Grace the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the House of Peers, with the usual Solemnity, and, the Commons being sent for, gave the Royal Assent to

An Act for granting unto His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, an additional Duty on Wine, Hides, Beer, Ale, and other Goods and Merchandizes therein mentioned; and for prohibiting the Importation of all Gold and Silver Lace, and of all Cambricks and Lawns, except of the Manufacture of Great Britain, and of all Hops, except of the Growth of Great Britain and the British Plantations, and of all Glass, except from Great Britain.

An Act for granting to His Majesty the several Aids, Duties, Rates, Impositions, and Taxes therein particularly expressed, to be applied to the Payment of the Interest of the Sums herein provided for, and towards the Discharge of the said principal Sums in Manner as therein is directed; and for such other Purposes as are therein mentioned.

An Act for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, several Duties therein mentioned, to be levied by the Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties.

An Act for the Advancement of Trade, and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the several Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, certain Duties and Rates upon the Portage and Conveyance of all Letters and Packets within this

Kingdom, and for explaining and amending an Act passed in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Years of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for establishing a Post-Office within this Kingdom.

An Act for regulating the Sugar Trade, and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for regulating and extending the Tobacco Trade, and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the Duties therein mentioned.

An Act to promote the Linen and Hempen Manufacture, by increasing the Supply of Irish Flax-seed, and encouraging the Export of Linens and Sail-cloth, and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars, Petty Chapmen and other Persons.

An Act for granting certain Duties upon Licences, to be taken out by the several Persons therein mentioned.

An Act for granting unto His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, certain Duties on Carriages.

An Act for explaining and amending an Act for regulating the Corn Trade, promoting Agriculture, and providing a regular and steady Supply of Corn in this Kingdom, and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for granting unto His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the several Duties therein mentioned, upon Coffee.

An Act for granting unto His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, certain Duties upon Malt.

An Act for granting to His Majesty the Duty therein mentioned, to be paid to the Trustees of the Royal Exchange.

An Act for granting the Sum of Four Thousand Pounds to the Persons and for the Purposes therein mentioned, and for continuing an Act passed in this Kingdom in the Third Year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for continuing the Encouragement given by former Acts of Parliament to the Flaxen and Hempen Manufactures.

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An Act for granting the Sum of Nine Thousand Pounds to the Incorporated Society for supporting the Protestant Charter Schools of this Kingdom.

An Act for granting the Sum of Five Thousand Pounds to the Dublin Society, for the Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for granting the Sum of Three Thousand Pounds to the Lord Chancellor and Chief Judges, for the Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for granting the Sum of Ten Thousand Pounds to the Governors of the Foundling Hospital and Workhouse, for the Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for granting the Sum of Five Thousand Pounds to the Board of First Fruits, for the Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for granting the Sum of One Thousand Pounds to the Governors of the Hibernian School, for the Support of that Charity.

An Act for granting the Sum of Eight Thousand Six Hundred Pounds to the Corporation for Relief of the Poor in the City of Dublin.

An Act for granting the Sum of One Thousand Pounds to the Hibernian Marine Society, towards supporting the said Charity.

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army and their Quarters within this Kingdom.

An Act for the Relief of Persons who have omitted to qualify themselves according to Law.

An Act to explain and amend the several Acts made in this Kingdom to encourage the Building of Houses, and making other Improvements on Church Lands, and to prevent Dilapidations.

An Act to take away the Challenge to the Array of Panels of Jurors, for want of a Knight on Tryals in which a Peer or a Lord of Parliament is a Party. And to

An Act to repeal an Act made in the Thirteenth Year of His late Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for repairing the Road leading from the Town of Nenagh, in the County of Tipperary, through the Towns of Birr and Furbane, in the King's County, to Curranaboy Bridge, on the Turnpike Road leading to Athlone, in the County of Westmeath; and also an Act made in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Years of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act for amending and making more effectual an Act for repairing the Road leading from the Town of Nenagh, in the County of Tipperary, through the Towns of Birr and Furbane, in the King's County, to Curranaboy Bridge, on the Turnpike Road leading to Athlone, in the County of Westmeath; and also for other Purposes therein mentioned.

Navy-Office, March 22, 1785.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That at One o'Clock on the following Days they will treat for,

- Norway Goods, Tuesday April 5.
- Dantzick Goods, Friday April 8.
- Pitch, Rosin, Oil and Tallow, Tuesday April 12.

That the Persons who have Tenders to make may attend with their Proposals at this Office.

Whitehall, March 25, 1785.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Thursday the 2d Day of this Instant March, a Soldier belonging to the 43d Regiment of Foot, stationed at Deal in the County of Kent, for the Purpose of assisting the Officers of the Revenue, was violently assaulted and inhumanly houghed or hamstringed by several Persons unknown, upon Suspicion of his having given some Information to the Officers of the Customs, whereby a considerable Seizure of Liquors, Tea and Tobacco had been made.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in this most atrocious Offence, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of the said Offenders (except the Person who actually houghed or hamstringed the said Soldier) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said Offence. SYDNEY.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby offer a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person or Persons who shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, any one or more of the said Offenders, to be paid by the Receiver-General of the Customs upon Conviction.

By Order of the Commissioners,
Geo. Robinson, pro Secretary.

General Post-Office, February 25, 1785.

THE Post-Boy bringing the Mail to this Office from Kingston was stopped near to the Bald Face Stag Alehouse adjoining to Wimbledon Common, between Four and Five o'Clock this Morning, by Two Men on Foot, who broke open the Cart, and took away the Mail containing the following Bags, viz.

Portsmouth,	Godalmin,	Kingston,
Petersfield,	Hasslemere,	Esher,
Chichester,	Midhurst,	Farnham,
Arundel,	Ripley,	Havant,
Guildford,	Petworth,	Cobham.

One of the Persons who committed this Robbery is described to be about Fifty Years of Age, Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, lusty made, his Hair grey, which he wears hanging upon his Shoulders, smooth Face, and is supposed to be dressed in a blue Surtout Coat.

The other Person is about Thirty-six Years of Age, Five Feet Six or Seven Inches high, thin made, his Face red, wears his own Hair, and is supposed to be dressed in a dark-coloured Coat. They had both the Appearance of Farmers, and were seen in London the Evening of the Robbery.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Persons whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby both or either of the Persons who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction

Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be entitled to the same Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most Gracious Pardon.

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

Watchmakers and Jewellers are desired to be cautious of whom they take Bank Notes or Bills.

General Post-Office, March 19, 1785.

MR. PALMER's Plan for conveying His Majesty's Mails, every Day in the Week, (Sundays excepted) will, on EASTER MONDAY, the 28th Instant, be extended to all Parts of the Counties of ESSEX, SUFFOLK, and NORFOLK, the University of CAMBRIDGE, and the Towns of NEW-MARKET and ELY.

All Letters for the above Counties, &c. must be put into the Receiving Houses before Six, and into the General Post-Office before Seven o'Clock in the Evening, and the Letters in Return will be delivered at London at the same early Hour every Morning, (except Sundays) as those from Bath and Bristol.

The Dutch Mails will be sent off every Tuesday and Friday as usual, after Twelve at Night by Express.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
Anth. Todd, Sec.

March 25, 1785.

THE Partnership between John and William Wilkinson, Ship and Insurance-brokers, having been, by mutual Consent, this Day dissolved, all Persons having any Claims on the Partnership, are desired to send in their Accounts; and those who are indebted thereto are requested forthwith to pay in their respective Debts.

John Wilkinson.
W. Wilkinson.

AT the Meeting of Governor Morris's Bill-Holders at Baker's Coffee-house, Change-alley, on Thursday the 31st of March, it was resolved to petition Parliament, that Governor Morris, with such Officers as were employed in Erecting Fortifications in the Island of St. Vincent, in 1777 and 1778, should be examined at the Bar of the House of Commons relative to the Money taken up for his Bills upon Government, that the same was duly appropriated to the Erecting the said Fortifications; and it being then resolved that another Meeting be held at the said Coffee-house, on Thursday the 7th Instant, at One o'Clock precisely, at which all Parties interested are requested to attend.

TO be sold by Auction, before the major Part of the Commissioners named and authorized in and by a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Shute, of Leeds in the County of York, Grocer, (a Bankrupt) pursuant to the Lord Chancellor's Order for that Purpose, at the House of Mr. Joseph Hindle, the Rose and Crown, in Leeds aforesaid, on Monday the 9th Day of May next, at Four in the Afternoon, pursuant to Conditions to be then produced; All that entire Freehold Yard called the Rose and Crown-yard, at the Back of the Shambles, in Leeds aforesaid, consisting of several new-built Dwelling-Houses and Shops to the Front, and a large and capital new-built Dwelling-House, used as an Inn, and several other Dwelling-Houses, Stables, Brew-Houses, Warehouses, and other Buildings, in the Yard behind the same, in the several Occupations of the said Mr. Hindle and others.

N. B. This Estate will be divided and put up in such Lots as shall appear to be most agreeable to the Bidders at the Time of Sale.

Also an other entire Freehold Yard at the Back of the Shambles, in Leeds aforesaid, in the Occupation of John Shute,

consisting of a Dwelling-House and Shop to the Front, and a large and commodious new-built Warehouse, with a Stable and other Buildings in the Yard behind the same.

For other Particulars apply to Mr. Rennard of Hull, Mr. Paley or Mr. Cadman, in Leeds aforesaid, Assignees of the said John Shute, or Messrs. Bolland and Johnson, Attornies in Leeds.

PURSUANT to a Decree of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer, dated the 7th Day of November, 1783, and made in a Cause between Catherine Ford, Widow, Plaintiff, and Richard Lork and the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, Defendants, the Creditors of William Ford, late of the Parish of Balcomb in the County of Suffex, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Ingram, Esq; the Deputy Remembrancer of the said Court, at the King's Remembrancer's Office in the Inner Temple, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Perry, of Deptford in the County of Kent, Soap-maker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 12th Day of April instant, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall Coffee-house, in King-street, Cheap-side, 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 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.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Brown, of the City of Oxford, Shop-keeper, 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 16th and 19th of April instant, at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 17th of May next, at Ten o'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. Fairbank, Ely-place, Holborn, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Anne Joseph De Serres De la Tour, of Pall-mall, in the County of Middlesex, 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 12th of April instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on the 16th of the same Month, at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 17th of May next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of 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. Robert, No. 55. Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Langhorn, of Barbican, London, Broker, 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 9th and 23d of April instant, and on the 17th of May next, at Eleven o'Clock 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

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. Loveridge, Austin-friars, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Kirkup, of Stockton in the County of Durham, Ship-carpenter, intend to meet on the 26th Day of April instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Peverall, Inn-keeper, in Stockton aforesaid, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Swann, of Sheffield in the County of York, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th of April instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the House of Joseph Hinde, the Angel, in Chesterfield in the County of Derby, to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Dawes and William Jackson the Younger, of Basinghall-street, London, Blackwell-hall Factors and Copartners, intend to meet on the 11th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Sley, of Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk, Shop-keeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Andrew Lindegren the Younger, of Portsmouth in the County of Southampton, Merchant, intend to meet on the 26th of April instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Dennis Lenham, late of Aldermanbury, London, Linen-merchant, intend to meet on the 28th of April instant, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a 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 Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Lindegren, Andrew Lin-

degren the Younger, and Claes Grill, of Dunster-court, Mincing-lane, in the City of London, Merchants, Dealers, Chapman and Partners, intend to meet on the 26th Day of April instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Streeton, of Bath in the County of Somerset, and also of the Town and County of Southampton, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 26th of April instant, at Six in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Richard Tidwell the Younger, of Greenwich in the County of Kent, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Robert Kennett, of New Bond-street, in the Parish of St. George Hanover-square, in the County of Middlesex, Upholder, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Robert Kennett hath in all Things 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 26th Day of April next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Edward Greenfill, of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Silversmith and Jeweller, have certified to the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Edward Greenfill hath in all Things 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 26th Day of April instant.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Smith and Thomas Smith, of Witney in the County of Oxford, Innholders, Dealers, Chapman, and Partners, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said George Smith and Thomas Smith have in all Things conformed themselves 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, their Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 26th Day of April instant.