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Whitehall, August 27.

THE King has been pleased to approve and allow to Earl Cowper, and his Issue, the Title and Arms of a Prince of the Holy Roman Empire, conferred on him by his Imperial Majesty the present Emperor of Germany, by a Diploma or Patent, dated at Vienna, the 31st of January 1778; and His Majesty has also been pleased to order that the same be registered in his College of Arms.

Berlin, August 16.

The King of Prussia passed through this City from Potsdam very early this Morning, in his Way to Silesia. The Manceuvres at the Camp of Grossen-Tintz, Four German Miles from Brellaw, are intended to be performed on the 21st, 22d, 23d and 24th Instant. The Prince of Prussia accompanies the King.

Vituallling-Office, August 17, 1785.

THE Commissioners for Vituallling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 12th of September next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will supply Fresh Beef and Sea Provisions to His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Exmouth in Devon: Which will be paid for by Bills in Course, with the Addition of the Discount, so as to make the Prices equal to Ready Money.

No Tenders will be attended to that are not delivered before One o'Clock, nor unless they are made agreeably to the Conditions of the Contracts, which may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of the Customs at Exeter.

Navy-Office, August 8, 1785.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That in pursuance of an Act made in the present Session of Parliament they will receive such Navy and Transport Bills which come within the Description of those lately ordered to be funded, as may be presented at this Office on or before the 31st Instant.

Marine Pay-Office, St. Alban's-street, August 24, 1785.

IN pursuance of the Direction of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Pay-Master of His Majesty's Marine Forces hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 28th Instant will be issued at this Office Six Months Half-Pay due to the Reduced Officers of the said Forces, from the 1st of January to the 30th of June last, both Days inclusive.

OFFICE of AMERICAN CLAIMS,
Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, August 22, 1785.

THE Commissioners appointed by an Act of this present Session of Parliament for enquiring into the Losses and Services of American Loyalists being authorized to receive the Claims of such Persons as shall prove upon Oath that they were absent from Great Britain and Ireland, and by Reason of unavoidable Accidents, or particular Circumstances to be judged of by the Commissioners, were utterly incapable of preferring their Claims during the Time allowed by the former Act, give Notice, That such Persons of the above Description as intend to avail themselves of the Benefit of the Act, must deliver their Memorials at this Office, and make the Proof required, before or upon the 1st of May, 1786, after which Day the Commissioners are prohibited from receiving any Claims. The Form of the Affidavit to be made by the Claimants (on which the Memorials will be received conditionally, subject to the future personal Examination of the Claimant on Oath) may be had at the Office. It is required that each Claimant specify, at the Time of presenting the Memorial, his Place of Abode, and the Names, Descriptions and Places of Abode of the Witnesses, by whose Testimony the Case is intended to be substantiated, otherwise the same will not be taken into Consideration: And whereas Two Commissioners have been appointed, and are going out to Nova Scotia, to enquire into the Claims of Persons resident in that and other of His Majesty's Colonies in America; the Commissioners give Notice, that the Claims of all Persons resident in Great Britain already preferred, or hereafter to be preferred, will be enquired into by the Commissioners, at their Office in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields; and that the Claims of Persons resident in Nova Scotia, and other of His Majesty's Colonies in America, will be enquired into by the Commissioners in Nova Scotia, unless from particular Circumstances the Commissioners respectively should make any Alteration in that respect.

John Forster, Secretary to the Commissioners.

London, August 22, 1785.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship the Formidable, who were actually on Board between the 24th of December, 1780, and the 8th of January, 1781, that they will be paid the Third and Final Distribution for the *Welshes*, *Josephus* and *Maria Comelia*, and the other Captures made by the *Warwick*, *Edgar*, *Active* and *Maidstone*, at Plymouth-dock, on Thursday the 8th of September next; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

H. Parker, of London,
John Lloyd, of Plymouth-dock, } Agents.