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From Saturday May 5, to Tuesday May 8, 1787.

Whitehall, May 7.

THE King having been pleased to order a Writ commanding William Cockell, of Gray's-inn, in the County of Middlesex, Esquire, to take upon him the State and Degree of a Serjeant at Law, he this Day appeared at the Bar of the Court of Chancery, where his Writ being read, the usual Oaths were administered to him, and he afterwards went through the other usual Ceremonies in the Court of Common Pleas.

Whitehall, May 8.

The King has been pleased to approve of George Wolff, Esq; to be Consul for the King of Denmark in the Port of London, and in the other Ports of England, and the Islands thereunto belonging, excepting those Districts where other Consuls have already been appointed by his Danish Majesty.

Hamburg, April 20.

This Morning Cornelius William Poppe, Esq; was unanimously elected, in the Assembly of the Senate of this City, to fill up the vacant Seat of the deceased Senator Christian Halker.

Commissions in the Flintshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Edward Read, Esq; appointed Ensign, vice Edward Morgan, Esq; Dated February 8, 1787.

Whitehall, May 7, 1787.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that on Wednesday last, the 2d Instant, an incendiary Letter, of which the following is an Extrañt, was sent by the General Post to Mr. Samuel Miller, Shoemaker, on Snow-Hill.

“ You damd Insignificant Proud Impearias Rascal
 “ your are Detested by every one that Works for
 “ you, you are the Common Subject of every house
 “ of Resort of the Trade But I hope Soone to put an
 “ end to your pride By Eluminateing the Neigh-
 “ bourhood you live in you now What i mean and if
 “ possible would Shove your damd Little Self in to
 “ the midst of the Flames I Shall meat you Some

[Price Three-pence Halfpenny.]

“ of these Dark nites and then Ile Dew you out and
 “ out Wile other Masters are praised to be good
 “ masters your are Despised by all For your mean
 “ Low Wages which you Give So Rob you poor
 “ juneymen and even Starve Families to Give it
 “ away to your Costomers.”

[Here follow Imprecations too horrid to be mentioned.]

“ Pofible you may think that Some of your men
 “ Sent this But to Let you no I had all ways a Spirit
 “ above Working for Sitch a Rascal as you.”

(Supercribed)

“ Mr. Miller “ A Good Jurni-man
 “ Shoemaker “ Shoemaker.”
 “ Snow Hill.”

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sending the incendiary Letter above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Person who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

S Y D N E Y.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Reward of FORTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is above excepted) to be paid, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by the Treasurer of the Society of Shoemakers, held at the Queen's Arms Tavern, Newgate-Street, London.

J. Fawcett, Secretary to the said Society.

Whitehall, May 7, 1787.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that on Saturday last, the 5th Instant, about Nine o'Clock in the Evening, a threatening Letter, of which the following is a Copy, under the fictitious Signature of W. Greenwillers, was delivered by a Person unknown at the House of Mr. Moy Thomas, Attorney at Law, in Walbrook.

“ Sir,

“ It is with the greatest Persuasion I have been
 “ prevailed on to omit Murdering You for the irre-
 “ parable injury done me & as none but such a
 “ damned hair Brain Leeke eater as you w^d have
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