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Whitehall, August 5.

THE King has been pleased to appoint Joseph Ewart, Esq; to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of Berlin.

The King has been pleased to appoint John Lane, Esq; late Secretary to the Commissioners of Public Accounts, to be Receiver of the Duty of One Shilling in the Pound on Salaries, Fees and Wages of any Offices and Employments, payable by the Crown, in the Room of Richard Carter, Esq;

Lord Chamberlain's Office, August 5, 1788.

Notice is hereby given, That there will not be any Levee at St. James's till Friday the 22d Instant.

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

The Right Honorable Henry Earl of Uxbridge to be Colonel, vice Lord Viscount Lewisham, resigned. Dated July 11, 1788.

Edward Henry Mainwaring, Gent. to be Ensign, vice ——— Thrulthoms, gone Abroad. Dated July 12, 1788.

Office for Claims by African Trade, Buckingham-street, York-buildings.

July 19, 1788.

THE Commissioners appointed by Parliament, for the Purpose of enquiring into any Losses which may be sustained by any Merchants or Owners of any Ships or Vessels engaged in the African Trade, in consequence of "An Act to regulate, for a limited Time, the shipping and carrying Slaves in British Vessels from the Coast of Africa," do hereby give Notice, That they are ready to receive Applications conformably to the said Act, made before the 1st Day of September next ensuing, the Period for applying therein prescribed.

It is required, that such Applications be transmitted to the Office in Writing, and that the respective Descriptions and Places of Abode of the Persons making the same be accurately specified.

APPRENTICE DUTY INDEMNITY.

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place, June 19, 1788.

HIS Majesty's Commissioners for Managing the Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, That by a Clause in an Act of the present Session of Parliament,

it is enacted, for the Relief of all Persons who have omitted to pay the several Rates and Duties, or any Part thereof, upon Monies given, paid, or contracted for, with Clerks, Apprentices or Servants, and also who have omitted to insert and write in Words at Length in Indentures or other Writings relating to the Service of any Clerk, Apprentice or Servant, the full Sum or Sums of Money, or any Part thereof, received or contracted for, with or in Relation, to every such Clerk, Apprentice or Servant, that upon Payment of double the Rates and Duties upon the Monies, or such Part of the Monies, so omitted or neglected to be paid, and also so omitted to be inserted and written in such Indenture or Writing, before the 25th Day of December next, to the proper Officer, and tendering the same to be stamped at this Office, every such Indenture, or other Writing, shall be good and valid, and the Person so offending be excused from any Penalty incurred by the Omission thereof; except those against whom any Prosecution shall be now depending.

By Order of the Commissioners,

John Brettell, Secretary.

Pay-Office, Horse Guards, August 5, 1788.

THE Right Honourable the Pay-Master General of His Majesty's Forces having ordered Six Months Half Pay to be issued to all the Reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces, from the 25th of December, 1787, to the 24th of June 1788; also Six Months Allowance to the Officers and Private Gentlemen of His Majesty's late 3d and 4th Troops of Horse Guards to the same Time; Notice is hereby declared, That on Monday next the 11th Instant, Attendance will be given at the abovesaid Office for Payment of the same accordingly.

K. Stables.

London, July 28 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Termagant, Arthur Kempe, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the taking of the Zeevught Kocford, a Dutch Merchant Ship, on or about the 25th Day of December, 1780, that they will be paid their respective Shares of a Balance of the Proceeds of the said Prize, on Thursday the 7th Day of August next, at No. 25, Garlick-hill; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place on the first Thursday in every Month for Three-Years to come.

Charles Rashleigh, Agent.