

STAMP OFFICE, APRIL 5, 1796.

FOR the Accommodation of the Public, HAIR POWDER CERTIFICATES, commencing the 6th Instant, will continue to be granted to all Persons applying for the same, at the Offices appointed for that Purpose, both in Town and Country, during the WHOLE OF THE PRESENT MONTH, upon PAYMENT OF THE DUTY ONLY.

By Order of the Commissioners,

John Brettell, Sec.

HAIR POWDER TAX.

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place, March 12, 1796.

HIS Majesty's Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties, do hereby give Notice, that the following Offices or Places will be open, ON MONDAY NEXT, THE 14th INSTANT, and on every succeeding Day, GOOD FRIDAY EXCEPTED, for granting Hair-Powder Certificates, COMMENCING THE 6th OF APRIL, 1796, AND ENDING THE 5th OF APRIL, 1797, viz.

The Head Office in Somerset-Place, for Persons residing in the Parish of St. Mary-le-Strand, St. Clement Danes, St. Paul, Covent-Garden, St. Giles in the Fields, St. George, Bloomsbury, the Liberty of the Rolls, Lincoln's-Inn, and the Temple.

City District, at No. 50, Lombard-Street, London, for Persons residing within the City of London and the Liberty of St. Martin le Grand.

For the District of the Tower Hamlets, Liberties and Precincts thereof, with Bethnal-Green, and Parts adjacent; also within the following Wards in the City of London, viz. Aldgate, Billingsgate, Lime-Street, Portsoken and Tower; and likewise to Persons residing in the Streets, Lanes, Squares, &c. from Fish-Street Hill, Gracechurch-Street, Bishopsgate-Street Within and Without, Eastward in the City of London, at No. 35, Wellclose-Square.

For the Westminster District, including the Parishes of St. Martin in the Fields, St. Margaret, St. John, St. James, St. Ann, Mary-le-Bone, St. George, Hanover-Square, and Paddington, at No. 3, Terrace, Spring-Garden, and No. 296, Oxford-Street, near Bond-Street.

For the Clerkenwell District, the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Middlesex, at the Sessions House on Clerkenwell-Green, for Persons residing in the Parishes of St. James and St. John, Clerkenwell, St. Luke, St. Leonard, Shoreditch, the Liberty of Glatshouse-Yard, St. Andrew, Holborn, St. George the Martyr, Queen-Square, St. Sepulchre, St. Pancras, and Islington.

N. B. On some visible Part of the Front of those Offices, the Words OFFICE APPOINTED TO GRANT HAIR POWDER CERTIFICATES will be painted for general Information.

At all which Offices or Places the Persons applying for the said Certificates will be furnished, gratis, with the proper printed Form of the Entry, required by the Act, to be filled up in Writing, and delivered in, previously to the issuing of any Certificates.

And the Commissioners do hereby give further Notice, that they have duly authorized the Head Distributors of Stamps in the different Counties of the Kingdom to execute this Business by themselves and their Deputies: The former of whom the Commissioners have directed

to publicly advertise, as early as possible, an Account of the Offices and Places in their respective Districts, for the said Purpose, in the Newspapers usually circulated in the Neighbourhood thereof, with the Names of the Deputies the said Head Distributors have appointed to superintend the same.

And, to prevent Mistakes, the Commissioners think it right to apprise the Public, that a Duty of ONE POUND AND ONE SHILLING only, is to be paid for each Certificate; which Sum will be expressed by a Stamp on each Certificate; AND THAT NO MORE IS TO BE DEMANDED OF ANY PERSON upon taking out a Certificate for using or wearing of Hair Powder, upon any Pretence whatever, except where there are more than two unmarried Daughters in a Family, in which Case a DOUBLE CERTIFICATE stamped with two Stamps, of One Pound One Shilling each, is required to be taken out.

By Order of the Commissioners,

John Brettell, Secretary.

TO the PROPRIETORS of East India Stock.
Ladies and Gentlemen,

THE Election of Six Directors for the East India Company being appointed for Wednesday the 13th of April next, the Favor of your Vote and Interest is desired for the following Gentlemen, viz.

John Hunter, Esq;	Sir John Smith Burges, Bt.
John Travers, Esq;	The Hon. William Elphinstone.
Stephen Williams, Esq;	
William Bursley, Esq;	

Which will much oblige,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your most humble Servants,

Hugh Inglis	David Scott
James Irwin	Jacob Bosanquet
Paul Le Mesurier	Francis Baring
John Manthip	Joseph Cotton
Tho. Theoph. Metcalf	Archibald Montgomery
Charles Mills	Campbell
Thomas Parry	Lionel Darel
Abraham Robarts	William Devaynes
John Roberts	Thomas Fitzhugh
George Smith	Simon Frazer
George Tatem	Charles Grant
Stephen Lushington	Robert Thornton

East India House,
March 30, 1796.

TO the PROPRIETORS of East India Stock.
Ladies and Gentlemen,

HAVING the Honor of being recommended to you by the Directors of the East India Company as the Six Candidates for the Direction to be chosen this Year, we take the Liberty of requesting the Favor of your Vote on the Day of Election, Wednesday the 13th of April next.

East India House,
March 30, 1796.

We are,
Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your most obedient Servants,

John Hunter	William Bensley
John Travers	John Smith Burges
Stephen Williams	William Elphinstone