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**T**HE following Addresses have been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Addresses His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To His Royal Highness the **PRINCE REGENT.**

The humble and dutiful Address of the Inhabitants of Brighthelmston.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, your Royal Highness's most dutiful and loyal servants, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, with the expression of our heartfelt condolence on the late afflicting dispensation, with which it has pleased Divine Providence to visit your Royal House, and at once to disappoint the long cherished hopes of the whole country.

We deeply feel that calamities like those which we deplore require more than human consolation, yet we trust that your Royal Highness may derive some alleviation from the spontaneous and universal sympathy of a great nation. While a striking testimony has thus been borne to the eminent virtues of the illustrious Princess, whose premature loss is so sincerely lamented, it cannot be ungrateful to your Royal Highness to perceive, in such an unexampled tribute of national feeling, the loyal and affectionate attachment of the British people to the august family of your Royal Highness. That your Royal Highness may be supported under this painful dispensation by that Almighty power which ordained it, is the fervent prayer of your Royal Highness's most dutiful and devoted servants.

Signed, by order of the Meeting,

*Robert James Carr, Chairman.*

*Thos. Attree, Town Clerk.*

Brightelmston, December 9, 1817.

[*Transmitted by Thomas Attree, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the **PRINCE REGENT.**

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Keys of the Isle of Man, in Tynwald assembled, approach your Royal Highness, with feelings of the deepest sorrow,

to offer to your Royal Highness our condolence, and to express our acute and heartfelt grief on the late melancholy and calamitous event, which, under circumstances peculiarly affecting, has bereaved your Royal Highness of a beloved and illustrious daughter, and the British nation of a future Sovereign, whose piety and early virtues had won universal love and admiration, and gave the promise of a Queen, who would have been the pride and glory of a loyal and affectionate people.

The only consolation we can offer to your Royal Highness, the only alleviation to our own sorrows, under the loss we have sustained, arises from the assurance that the dispensations of Almighty God, both towards nations and individuals, are for great and wise purposes, although inscrutable to human reason. With grief, but with submission, we bow to His chastening hand, and earnestly pray that His good Providence will pour the balm of consolation on your Royal Highness's afflictions.

May the same Power that "Gave and hath taken away," yet raise up a branch in your Royal House, which, nurtured by your princely care, may, in the fulness of time, ascend the Throne of these kingdoms, to inherit the love we bear to our revered King, to your Royal Highness, and to your illustrious Family.

*Corns. Smelt, Lieut.-Governor.*

[*Transmitted by the Lieutenant-Governor, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, **REGENT** of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

WE, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Southampton, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with the strongest expression of our sincere grief and condolence upon the heavy blow which has fallen upon your Royal Highness, and upon the nation, by the sudden and unlooked-for death of your august Daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta.

The premature and afflicting loss of a Princess, endowed with so many rare and shining qualities,

must, at any time, have been the subject of our deepest sorrow and regret; but when the peculiar circumstances of the case are taken into consideration, we feel ourselves incapable of expressing the extent of the feelings by which our hearts are affected; nor can we offer any consolation to your Royal Highness, but that which patient acquiescence in the unsearchable decrees of Providence and a dependance upon the will of the Almighty, suggest. In that Divine Providence we repose our trust, and the hope that the protection hitherto afforded to the illustrious House of Brunswick may be still continued for the preservation of those blessings which the nation has enjoyed under its paternal sway.

Signed on behalf of the Meeting,

*John Fleming, Sheriff.*

Dated at the Castle of Winchester, the 11th day of December, 1817.

[*Transmitted by the Sheriff, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the Corporation of Appleby, in the County of Westmorland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the Corporation of Appleby, humbly offer to your Royal Highness our most sincere tribute of condolence on the premature and ever-to-be-lamented death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta.

With the deepest sorrow we lament and bewail that fatal event—an event which has bereaved your Royal Highness of an only child, deprived the kingdom of a most splendid and impressive example of benevolence and virtue, and plunged the British Nation in one universal gloom.

We most earnestly pray that it may please the Almighty Disposer of all events to soothe the sorrows of an afflicted nation by prolonging the life of your Royal Highness, and continuing to us that high pre-eminence and prosperity to which the British Empire has arrived under the reign of our virtuous and venerated Sovereign, and which, we trust, will long continue to be enjoyed under the auspicious government of successive generations of His Majesty's illustrious Family.

Given unanimously by the Corporation of Appleby, in their Town Hall assembled, and under their common seal, this 9th day of December, in the 58th Year of His Majesty's reign. *Matthew Atkinson, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by Matthew Atkinson, Esq. Mayor of Appleby, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The affectionate and dutiful Address of the Town Council of St. Andrews.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE the Lord Provost, Dean of Guild, Magis-

trates, and Council of your Ancient City of St. Andrews, in Common Council assembled, beg leave to approach the Throne, and with all becoming duty to present to your Royal Highness, the most sincere and heartfelt expression of our grief at the irreparable loss which your Royal Highness and the nation at large have so recently sustained, by the death of your Illustrious daughter, our beloved Princess.

Whilst we humbly trust that the Almighty may be graciously disposed to support your Royal Highness under this trying dispensation of His Divine Providence, we would venture to offer this consolatory reflection to your Royal Highness, that never before did Sovereign receive such genuine and unequivocal proofs of the real participation of a whole people, in his parental feelings, as have been so spontaneously elicited on the present melancholy occasion.

Signed in our name and presence, this 6th day of December 1817, by

*Robert Meldrum, Provost.*

[*Transmitted by the Lord Provost, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

Unto His Royal Highness the Prince REGENT.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

AT a period when the greatest of national calamities overwhelms the British Empire with profound grief, we, the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of the Land-Tax, and other Heritors of the Sewartry of Kirkcudbright, mingling our tears with the flood of universal sorrow, most respectfully approach your Royal Highness with sentiments of sincere condolence and heartfelt sympathy.

We contemplate with painful feelings that awful dispensation of Divine Providence, which bereft your Royal Highness of your most amiable daughter and her infant son, and we revolve with deep lamentation on that accumulated distress which you must feel as a Parent and as a Prince.

Soothing would it be to our feelings, could we cherish the hope that by our participation in your sorrow we could alleviate the burthen of your grief; but alas! such affliction cannot be consoled by any effort of human power.

We, therefore, offer up our prayers to God, imploring Him to send from Heaven those Divine consolations which alone can mitigate the poignancy of your sorrow—restore tranquillity to your troubled heart—and strengthen your Royal Highness to discharge the important duties of your exalted situation.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, in our presence, at Kirkcudbright the 9th day of December 1817. *David Lamont, Preses.*

[*Transmitted by David Lamont, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Town of East Loos.

WE, the Mayor, Recorder, Capital Burgesses,

Free Burgesses, and Inhabitants of the Borough of East Looe, participating in the general feeling, excited by the recent demise of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta of Wales, beg leave to express to your Royal Highness our sentiments of unfeigned sorrow and regret at this afflicting event; we earnestly hope and trust, that resignation to the Divine Will, aided by the sincere and universal expressions of affliction at your great loss, and attachment to your august Person, which this melancholy event has produced in this United Kingdom, will in time alleviate the intense sorrow which overwhelms your Royal Highness on this sudden and severe visitation; and whilst presenting our humble condolence on this melancholy occasion, we beg to assure your Royal Highness of our firm attachment to your sacred person, and offer up our sincere prayers to the Throne of Grace for averting every future evil, and for the continuance of every blessing to your Royal Highness, and to the august and Illustrious House of Brunswick.

Agreed at the Meeting that this Address be signed by the Worshipful the Mayor, and that Vice Admiral Sir Edward Buller, Baronet, be requested to have it presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent.

*Thomas Campbell, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by Sir Edward Buller, Bart. M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens, and Commonalty of the Ancient City of Lincoln, beg leave in all humility and respect to approach your Royal Highness with the expression of our unfeigned condolence, on the death of your Illustrious Daughter, Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales.

We could indeed dwell with melancholy regret on the many virtues which endear Her Royal Highness to our remembrance—on the moral and religious excellence of her private character, and on the shining qualities which gave lustre to her public station.—But we see the delicacy of intruding our sorrows upon your Royal Highness in this hour of your own great personal distress, and therefore, whilst we owe it to our duty not to remain entirely silent, we are cautious in giving utterance to that grief which we most sincerely feel.

We rely on the Divine Mercy to afford your Royal Highness that consolation which affliction such as yours is, so necessarily requires, and, with our fervent prayers to this effect, we request permission to unite those sentiments of duty and attachment to your Royal Highness's person and government, which, as good citizens and loyal subjects, are indelibly engraven on our hearts.

The common seal of the Corporation of the City of Lincoln was hereunto affixed, by an order

of Common Council, the 11th day of December, in the Year of our Lord 1817.

*Bell, Town Clerk.*

[*Transmitted by the Mayor, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Archbishop, the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral and Metropolitan Church, the Archdeacon and Clergy of the Diocese of Canterbury, humbly submit to your Royal Highness our sincere condolence with your Royal Highness, on the death of your Illustrious Daughter, Princess Charlotte Augusta, at a moment when your Royal Highness's mind, and that of an affectionate people, were full of joyful expectation.

In this expression of deep and unfeigned grief, common to the whole empire, we trust your Royal Highness will find some consolation, as it proves not only the just estimate which the empire has taken of the many promising virtues of your late Royal Daughter, public and private; but also, the loyal, affectionate and dutiful attachment which it bears to your Royal Highness's person, and to every branch of your Royal Family.

We pray God to administer to your Royal Highness, that perfect consolation which he alone can administer.

[*Transmitted by his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The humble Address of the Bishop of Bath and Wells, and of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Andrew, in Wells.

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Bishop of Bath and Wells, and the Dean and Canons of the Cathedral Church of Saint Andrew, in Wells, consider ourselves bound by duty, as we are ever led by inclination to feel for the private sorrows, as well as to participate in the public joys of your Royal Highness and your august Family.

We therefore approach your Royal Highness with expressions of heartfelt condolence upon the late most grievous calamity, with which it has pleased Almighty God to afflict your Royal Highness, the community in general, and every individual in it, who is attached to his country and interested in its welfare.

The amount of the actual benefit and the prospective blessings of which this awful event has deprived us, it would be as difficult to calculate, as it would be distressing to particularize.

We would cautiously abstain from aggravating parental anguish, by probing those wounds, which we would gladly heal. But permit us, Sir, in due subordination to those far higher comforts which religious resignation and religious hope can alone communicate, to cast in our humble share of such consolations, as the testimony of universal and, we believe, unprecedented sympathy can afford.

The object of your Royal Highness's regret is embalmed by the nation's spontaneous tears, and

will ever live in the nation's affectionate remembrance.

May it please Him, who has inflicted the blow, to lighten it in his due time, and to extract, as he alone is able to do, good unforeseen from evil, which might seem at first sight the least susceptible of remedy and alleviation.

R. Bath and Wells.  
H. Gloucester, Dean of Wells.

[Transmitted by the Bishop of Bath and Wells, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Bishop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Diocese of Ely.

SIR,

WITH feelings of the most heartfelt grief, we beg leave to offer to your Royal Highness the tribute of our sincere condolence upon that calamitous event, which has spread an universal gloom over this nation; deploring, as we must ever do, the unhappy failure of those hopes which we had so long and fondly cherished, and from the completion of which we had anticipated the most important and beneficial results, both to ourselves and our posterity; at the same time, we most truly sympathize with your Royal Highness in that parental affliction, which, exclusive of public considerations, this grievous calamity cannot but excite in your Royal bosom. We humbly trust, Sir, that in this hour of bitter anguish, your Royal Highness will be sustained and strengthened by that Almighty Being, whose power can heal the wounds his Providence inflicts, and that you fully experience that consolation, which, under such circumstances, our holy religion can alone administer.

[Transmitted by the Lord Bishop of Ely, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth].

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Hereford, deeply afflicted by the recent and much lamented loss sustained in your august Family, which we deplore both as a public and private misfortune, desire to express, in terms of sincere loyalty to our revered Sovereign, of dutiful attachment to your Royal Highness, and of high respect towards the Prince Leopold, our heartfelt condolence on the death of the late excellent Princess your daughter, and the extinction of her royal issue.

We pray God to support your Royal Highness, and His Serene Highness your affectionate son-in-law, under a shock as keen and severe as it has been sudden and unexpected, and beg to assure your Royal Highness that we unfeignedly participate in the general sorrow.

May your Royal Highness enjoy a long and prosperous life, and, may the succession to the

Crown of this great empire continue for ages in heirs to the illustrious House of Brunswick.

Tomkyns Dew, Sheriff.

[Transmitted by the Sheriff, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom, the Illustrious Grand Master and Patron of the Order of Freemasonry in Scotland.

The humble and dutiful Address of Sir John Marjoribanks, of Lees, Baronet, M.P. most Worshipful Acting Grand Master Mason for Scotland, under your Royal Highness; the Most Noble George Hay, Marquis of Tweeddale, Right Worshipful Grand Master Elect; the Right Honourable James Earl of Fife, Right Worshipful Past Grand Master; William Inglis, of Middleton, Esq.; Right Worshipful Substitute Grand Master; John Hay, younger, of Smithfield and Hayston, Esquire; Right Worshipful Senior Grand Warden; Sir William Hamilton, of Preston and Fingalton, Baronet, Right Worshipful Junior Grand Warden; Sir John Hay, of Smithfield and Hayston, Baronet, Right Worshipful Grand Treasurer; Alexander Lawrie, Esq. Right Worshipful Grand Secretary; James Bertram, Esquire, Right Worshipful Grand Clerk; and the other Right Worshipful Members of the Grand Lodge of Scotland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Grand Lodge of Scotland, have this day assembled for the celebration of the Festival of Saint Andrew, according to ancient and inveterate usage; but, weighed down by sorrow and affliction at the severe and overwhelming calamity which your Royal Highness and our country have sustained by the death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta.

As our last tribute of respect to the extraordinary merits of Her Royal Highness, we have resolved, with one concurrent voice, to devote this day to solemn and religious worship, and to humble ourselves before the Almighty upon this awful dispensation of Providence.

And as our Prince and the Illustrious Patron of our Order, to offer up our prayers that your Royal Highness may be enabled to support an event so afflicting to your Royal Highness, and to every branch of your Illustrious House.

That the House of Brunswick may continue to reign over these realms to the latest posterity, is the fervent wish of the Grand Lodge of Scotland.

Given at Freemason's Hall, in the City of Edinburgh, in the name, by the appointment, and in the presence of the Masons of Scotland and Grand Lodge assembled, this 1st Day of December 1817, and of Masonry 5817.

John Marjoribanks, Acting Grand Master.

[Transmitted by Sir John Marjoribanks, Bart. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Grand Patron of the Order of Free Masonry, &c. &c. &c.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Master, Wardens, and Brethren of Saint Lawrence Lodge, Forres, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness on the present occasion of public affliction, and with sentiments of the deepest sorrow for the demise of your august and illustrious daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta, as the greatest, the most to be lamented of national calamities; while, at the same time, we presume to offer our sincere and heartfelt condolence on the weight of affliction which has fallen to the lot of your Royal Highness by the severe deprivation of a beloved daughter and only child, equally deserving a parent's fondest affection and care, and a nation's proudest and warmest regard.

Under the present trying and afflicting dispensation of Providence, we humbly trust it will be a source of the highest consolation to the mind of your Royal Highness to reflect, that the life of the late illustrious Princess was replete with every virtue and every amiable quality which could adorn the human mind, which will be long cherished by an affectionate and loyal people, and which will endear her memory to generations yet unborn.

To these expressions of grief and condolence we humbly beg leave to add the assurance of our unfeigned attachment to your Royal Highness and Family, under whom our fraternity, in common with the rest of His Majesty's subjects, have enjoyed such distinguished privileges; and while we bow with submission to the awful dispensation with which it has pleased the Almighty disposer of human events to visit us, frail and fallible mortals, we sincerely hope, that your Royal Highness will be enabled to support your heavy load of affliction with that serenity of mind which your late illustrious daughter, in the moments of her greatest trial, so eminently and so piously displayed.

That He, who brought light out of darkness, may support and console your Royal Highness, and that you may long continue to wield the Sceptre over a free, happy, and loyal people, is the fervent prayer of

Your Royal Highness's most devoted, dutiful, faithful, and loyal Brethren and Servants.

Signed, in our name and by our authority, at Forres, this 12th day of December 1817.

*P. Strachan, M.*

[*Transmitted by Major Strachan, Saint Lawrence Lodge, Forres, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Members of the Loyal Orange Institution, assembled pursuant to notice from their Grand Master, at Manchester.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's most faithful and devoted

subjects, the Members of the Loyal Orange Institution of England, with hearts deeply penetrated with unaffected grief, humbly beg leave to offer to your Royal Highness our sincere condolence upon a recent catastrophe which has at once bereaved your Royal Highness of an only, a religious, and altogether accomplished child; an exemplary husband of his chief pride, and the whole British empire of her on whom their hopes and affections were ardently fixed.

Firmly attached to the Protestant succession in your Royal Highness's Illustrious House, we had fondly anticipated the most glorious results from the happy union of your beloved daughter with a brave and virtuous Prince; and that it would have pleased the Almighty long to continue, through her, the uninterrupted succession to the Crown: by the inscrutable decree of Heaven, these pleasing prospects have been blighted, and we are suddenly plunged into the utmost disappointment and woe, and the bright star which lately cheered our horizon has suddenly vanished.

Under a visitation so afflicting we trust your Royal Highness will derive that genuine consolation which religion only can impart, and which enabled her, whose loss we now mourn, with pious resignation to exclaim, "the will of God be done."

Permit us to assure your Royal Highness of our firm and unalterable attachment to your Royal Highness's Person and Government, which we are at all times ready to defend and maintain.

At the request and on behalf of the meeting, this 9th day of December 1817.

*Samuel Taylor, Grand Master.*

[*Transmitted by Lord Kenyon, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Bailiff and Corporation of Bewdley, in the County of Worcester, in Common Council assembled.

WE, the Bailiff and Corporation of Bewdley, in the County of Worcester, deeply impressed with feelings of sorrow and disappointment at the sudden and irreparable loss which the Royal House of Brunswick has sustained by the much lamented death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte, do in a most humble manner approach your Royal Highness with our heartfelt expressions of condolence on this very painful occasion. Fervently trusting that the unalterable attachment of a loyal people may alleviate the pressure of affliction, we desire to express our cordial sympathy in your parental sufferings, and to unite our ardent hopes that your Royal Highness may be enabled to support, with firmness and resignation, this unexpected calamity; that the Wise Disposer of all events may be pleased to give to your Royal Highness and to all your Royal House comfort and protection in this awful hour, and that the affections of the whole united kingdom may flow in a steady current towards His most-gracious Majesty, and the present established Government of the country, towards your Royal Highness and every branch of

your royal and illustrious family, is our most fervent and grateful prayer.

Given under our common Seal, this 3d day of December 1817, at the Guildhall, in Bewdley aforesaid. *Stade Baker*, Deputy Recorder.

[*Transmitted by Charles Edward Wilsonn, Esq M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Glasgow, humbly beg leave to unite in expressing our unfeigned sorrow and regret, on account of that afflicting event, which in the course of the adorable providence of God hath deprived your Royal Highness of a beloved daughter, and the nation of a Princess, upon whose excellent character and happy establishment in life, they had built the most flattering expectations.

While we desire most humbly to submit to the allotments of the Sovereign Lord and Ruler of the Universe, whose wisdom cannot err, and who never fails to mingle mercy with the severest trials with which He visits the children of men, our most fervent prayers and supplications are poured forth at His Throne, that he would impart the choicest of His consolations, to alleviate this calamity to your Royal Highness, to the other members of your Illustrious House, and above all, to the widowed Consort of our much lamented Princess.

If any thing can tend at the present moment to mitigate the painful feelings, which this complicated distress cannot fail to have excited in the breast of your Royal Highness, it must be to observe those expressions of genuine sorrow and lamentation, which, as from one heart and one soul, have burst forth upon this occasion from all ranks of persons in these lands.

This, while it testifies the strong hold which your Illustrious Family have over the affections of the people in this country, at the same time is a powerful pledge, that so long as they adhere to these virtues, which form the brightest ornaments of high rank, they may reckon with certainty upon the sympathy and support of a loyal and affectionate people.

Permit us further to add, most Gracious Prince, that the conspicuous example of genuine piety, of fervent charity, of active benevolence, and of every conjugal and domestic virtue, which reflected so bright a lustre upon the character of our much loved Princess, as they have endeared her memory to the present generation, so they must tend to embalm her in the grateful remembrance of future ages, and also must in an eminent degree have prepared her for that state of everlasting happiness and glory, to which, we trust, she has now departed, for; "blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

That your Royal Highness may live long to sway the British Sceptre; that your Throne may be upheld by Almighty Power; and your counsels directed by Infinite Wisdom, and that under the recent calamity which has befallen the Empire, and

which has been so peculiarly afflicting to your Royal House, you may experience all the support and consolation which our Holy Religion is so well calculated to impart, is the earnest prayer of,

May it please your Royal Highness, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Glasgow.

Signed in their name and by their appointment, December 3, 1817, by

*David Dow*, Moderator.

[*Transmitted by the Duke of Montrose, K. G. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Presbytery of Kincardine O'Neil, in the Synod and County of Aberdeen.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, the Moderator, Ministers, and Ruling Elder of the Presbytery of Kincardine O'Neil, convened for the purpose of preparing this Address of Condolence, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with sentiments of unfeigned sorrow, and the expression of our tenderest sympathy and regret, for the irreparable loss, which your Royal Highness has sustained by the premature death of your beloved and much lamented daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta of Wales.

In common with all the subjects of this realm, we deeply deplore, as a public calamity, the mournful event which has bereaved us, in the bloom of her youth, of that illustrious personage, on whom the hopes of your Royal Highness and the empire rested;—and who, by her amiable character, high endowments and exemplary virtues, had so justly endeared herself to the British Nation.

Never in our time, never in the annals of our history, was grief so universal and unequivocal.—But we participate with your Royal Highness in the triumphant hope, that the cause of our grief is her joy;—that she has obtained the victory over Death and the Grave, through our Lord Jesus Christ. And we are confident that, next to the comforts of the Christian Religion, nothing can be more consolatory to your Royal Highness than the reflection, that no individual ever quitted a more exalted station, with more claims to the sincere affection, and with more testimonies of the heartfelt sorrow, of an attached and afflicted people.

While we feel as men, we revere as Christians, the inscrutable designs of Divine Providence in this severe dispensation. And it is our earnest prayer to Almighty God, the Father of Mercies, and the Wise Disposer of all events,—that He would bring good out of evil;—that He would support the mind of your Royal Highness under this heavy affliction, by the consolations of His Holy Spirit;—that He would soothe the anguish, and reward the pre-eminently meritorious conduct of the widowed and disconsolate Prince Leopold;—that He would alleviate the sorrow of the Royal Family;—that He would teach all ranks of the community to regard this awful visitation as an in-

structive lesson to mortals, and to bow with humble submission before His Throne, who ruleth in the kingdoms of men;—that He would be gracious to our aged and venerable Sovereign King George, and brighten the evening of His days;—that He would bless your Royal Highness with long life, health and prosperity;—and that He would preserve the sway of the British Sceptre to your Royal Highness and the descendants of your Illustrious House, in peaceable and uninterrupted succession, to the end of the world.

May it please your Royal Highness,

Signed in the name, and at the appointment of your Royal Highness's most faithful and attached Subjects, and Members of the Presbytery of Kincardine O'Neil, by

*William Ingram, Moderator.*

[*Transmitted by the Earl Aboyne, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Provost, Magistrates, Town Council, and Deacons of Incorporations of Lanark.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, Town Council, and Deacons of the Incorporated Trades of the Burgh of Lanark, deeply afflicted by the recent and much lamented loss sustained by the death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte, in unison with the universal deep distress with which that melancholy event has overwhelmed these kingdoms, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, and to offer our tribute of tender sympathy and condolence

We, under the most sincere and heartfelt sorrow, deeply deplore the infinite calamity which Providence has been thus pleased to inflict, by which your Royal Highness has been deprived of an only and beloved child—the Prince, her Consort, of an amiable and most affectionate spouse—and the nation of a Princess in whom was so deeply blended all these social virtues which could adorn human life—and whose exemplary conduct held forth to the nation such a pattern of piety and benevolence.

The calamity we have thus to deplore is the more to be lamented, and afflicts with double vigour, when contrasted with these bright hopes and cheering prospects we so lately had in view. Alas! that we have now to mourn that those hopes and prospects have, in so short a space, been blasted; and that the author of them, in the bloom of youth, when she had become doubly dear to the nation, should have been torn from us, and laid in an early tomb.

We beg leave to assure your Royal Highness, that we fully feel in the universal woe which such a calamitous event as we now deplore has plunged these kingdoms; and, with the subjects thereof, to testify to your Royal Highness our cordial and sincere condolence

We beg leave to conclude, ardently wishing your Royal Highness, the afflicted Father—the Prince who is the widowed and disconsolate hus-

band of our late beloved Princess, and all those who were nearly connected with her while in life, all the consolation which only He who can bind up the broken hearted can bestow—whereby you may be enabled to bear, with becoming fortitude and resignation, the sad dispensation of Providence, with which the Great Disposer of events has been pleased, in His wise Providence, to visit these kingdoms.

*Robert Hutchison, Provost.*

Council Chambers, 4th December 1817.

[*Transmitted by Sir John Buchanan Riddell, Bart. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WITH grief and sorrow at the severe and afflictive loss which your Royal Highness has sustained, by the sudden and unexpected demise of your Royal Highness's ever-to-be-lamented daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta; we, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chesterfield, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with expressions of sympathy on the above calamitous event, which, in its circumstances and consequences, has involved a whole nation in the deepest affliction.

We beg leave to assure your Royal Highness, that we feel as sensibly as any of his Majesty's loyal subjects, this dispensation of Providence, which has thus suddenly and awfully dissolved one of the dearest ties of affection to your Royal Highness, and has deprived us of a succession which we greatly deplore: but to dwell on such topics would only be the means of increasing that grief which it is our object to allay.

We entreat your Royal Highness to yield with humble submission to the will of Providence on this occasion, as proceeding from the Supreme Being, whose judgments are tempered with mercy, and to Him to offer our fervent prayers, that the health of your Royal Highness may not be affected at this mournful catastrophe

We crave permission to renew our assurances to your Royal Highness, of our firm attachment to our venerable and gracious Sovereign, to your Royal Highness's person and government, and our determined resolution to support the Crown of these realms to the utmost of our power.

Given under the common seal, the 11th day of December 1817. *John Elam, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by Robert Walker, Esq. the Town Clerk, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Council of the Royal Burgh of Kirkcudbright, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness in the present season of public affliction, with sentiments of the deepest sorrow for the death

of that most illustrious Princess, the loss of whom at so interesting a moment, has filled every bosom with the deepest anguish, and deprived the nation of its brightest ornament and future hope.

Whilst we deplore the melancholy event as the greatest of national calamities, at the same time we feel, with the most sincere and affectionate condolence, that this sudden and afflicting dispensation of Providence has fallen with double weight upon your Royal Highness, in depriving you of a beloved and only daughter, the bright example of every virtuous and amiable quality.

We trust that your Royal Highness will by Divine assistance, be enabled to support your heavy affliction with that same calm resignation to the Will of Providence so piously displayed in the most trying moments, by your Illustrious Daughter; and to these expressions of our grief and condolence we beg leave to add the assurance of our most cordial attachment to the person and family of your Royal Highness.

Signed in our name and in our presence, this 10th of December 1817.

*Robert Gordon, Chief Magistrate.*

[*Transmitted by Robert Gordon, Esq. Chief Magistrate, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, and REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

THE Seven Incorporations of Dumfries, most dutifully beg leave to renew their declaration of attachment to your august family.—With gratitude to an all ruling Power, they cherish the recollection of many successful occasions, when with heartfelt joy they offered their humble tribute of gratulation to the beloved Sovereign of these realms, whose severe and long protracted indisposition has been to them matter of sorrow and distress. They have seen with satisfaction, that since the reins of government, through the dispensations of Providence, have been committed to your Royal Highness, you have evinced ability to manage them, and have conducted the nation to glory unrivalled, and to respect among the nations of Europe never equalled.—This was only, as they conceived, a foretaste of what might be expected, when the wise disposer of events should see fit to call you to the Throne.—In a personage, now alas! no more, they saw a promise that, if in course of nature it should fall to her charge, the sceptre would be swayed to meet the most sanguine wish.—In her progeny they fondly indulged in the anticipation of a long succession of heirs worthy of the Throne, and enthroned in the affections of a great and enlightened nation. How vain are all human calculations! how uncertain happiness here below! how delusive the hopes of man, if mortal objects are their aim—it were only galling a green wound, now to expatiate on the innumerable instances in which the transcendent virtues of a late beloved and ever to be respected Princess, shown forth with meridian splendor; the Incorporations are sensible of their inability to do justice in delineating her character, and they would think it ungracious to dwell on a subject so harassing to parental feeling.—They consider it equally impro-

per and vain in them to attempt to describe their feelings on the melancholy occasion—They therefore will only, with humility, tender their cordial condolence—they sincerely sympathize in a parent's sorrow and commiserate in a national calamity.

Sincerely hoping the trying dispensation will produce the same effect adversity had on the King of old, they doubt not your Royal Highness will by that means find support in the only source of solid consolation, and pray your Royal Highness to believe them very loyal, devoted and ever dutiful subjects.

Signed in name, and by appointment of the Seven Incorporations, by

*Robert Grainger, Convener.*

[*Transmitted by W. R. K. Douglas, Esq. M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

WE, the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Monmouth, deeply sensible of the grievous loss that the nation, in common with your Royal Highness, has sustained by the lamented decease of your Royal Highness's Daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta of Saxe Cobourg, beg leave most respectfully to offer your Royal Highness our sincere and heartfelt condolence on this melancholy event, and we humbly trust your Royal Highness will pardon our thus intruding upon the sacred character of your grief, with these assurances of our participation in your sorrow.

Fervently attached as we are to the august House of Brunswick, and animated as we have been by the most sincere attachment to our beloved Monarch and to your Royal Highness, we had fondly cherished the hope, that the much lamented Princess Charlotte would, through your immediate line, have perpetuated to us those invaluable principles to which your Royal Highness and your Illustrious House have always shewn so just a regard.

We humbly trust however that the same Divine Providence, which in its inscrutable designs has inflicted this dread calamity upon us, will support your Royal Highness under this severe trial; and we ardently hope that the Illustrious House of Brunswick may long continue to rule over this free nation, and to reign, as they have ever done, in the hearts, and in the affections of a loyal and attached people.

In the name, and on the behalf of the Meeting,

*Robert Thompson, Sheriff and Chairman.*

[*Transmitted by the Sheriff for the County of Monmouth, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, the Commanding in Chief, the Bailiff, and Jurats, the Clergy, the King's Procureur, and the Constables of this His Majesty's Island of Guernsey, in the States assembled, do humbly beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, with minds impressed with poignant grief at the afflicting calamity which at present overwhelms us, in common with all His Majesty's faithful subjects.



In expressing our sentiments of condolence, on the melancholy event of the loss of a Princess, endeared to your Royal Highness by the warmest filial affection, and to her Illustrious Consort, by every virtue that can adorn exalted station—a Princess universally beloved—who lived in the hopes of millions, and who expired in the tears of an afflicted nation. We devoutly implore the Almighty Disposer of all things to vouchsafe to your Royal Highness that Christian fortitude which is our only consolation in the hour of calamity, and which will enable your Royal Highness to look forward with pious hope, that a legitimate offspring will never be wanting to perpetuate the present dynasty of these realms.

Actuated by fervent zeal, and the most lively sense of the blessings we enjoy under your Royal Highness's paternal and benign Government, we humbly supplicate the Almighty to preserve your Royal Highness in health and prosperity, and that your Royal Highness may long, very long, continue the blessing of your faithful people, is the ardent prayer of, may it please your Royal Highness, your Royal Highness's most dutiful and most humble servants,

*Anthony Walsh, Colonel Commanding  
Peter de Hairlland, Bailiff.*

[*Transmitted by Colonel Walsh, Commanding in Chief, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, the Provost, Bailies, Dean of Guild, Convener of the Trades, and Remanent Members of the Common Council of the Royal Burgh of Aberbrothock, in the County of Forfar, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, with expressions of heart-felt sorrow, upon the recent loss, which your Royal Highness your Illustrious House, and the nation in general have sustained, in the afflicting and premature death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales.

Her virtues as a daughter and a wife, and her conduct, in every stage of her short life, endeared Her Royal Highness to all classes of His Majesty's subjects; and the deep sorrow manifested by them on this melancholy occasion, is a strong proof, not only that they felt, and acknowledged these virtues; but that they are firmly attached to the Family of their Sovereign.

As it has pleased an All-wise Providence to remove Her Royal Highness from an affectionate and loyal people, we submit to its dispensation, and humbly pray that your Royal Highness, and the other Members of your Illustrious House, may bear this severe national and domestic calamity with fortitude and resignation.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and by our appointment, and the seal of the Burgh attached hereto, this 11th day of December, in the year 1817.

[*Transmitted by James Farquhar, Esq. M. P. for Arbroath, and presented by Lord Viscount Sidmouth.*]

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To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Inhabitants of the Borough of Newark-upon-Trent, in the County of Nottingham, participating in the common grief felt by all ranks of His Majesty's subjects, on the premature demise of Her Royal Highness the late Princess Charlotte Augusta, beg to offer to your Royal Highness the testimony of our sincere condolence on an event, which has at once deprived your Royal Highness of an only child, and this nation of its fairest and fondest hopes.

We are deeply sensible of the magnitude of this unexpected calamity, and that the poignant and undissembled grief of your Royal Highness, and of an afflicted people, can find no alleviation, but in the consolations which religion offers to us under the most severe dispensations of Divine Providence; and while the contemplation of the piety and virtues which adorned and distinguished the short and fleeting life of this beloved Princess tends to embitter our loss, we remember with thankfulness and resignation, that they have furnished a bright example for the admiration and instruction of posterity, and have assured us, that the departed spirit of her whom we mourn, is gone to receive the reward of the righteous in a blessed state of immortality.

We seize the opportunity afforded us by this melancholy occasion, to renew to your Royal Highness the expression of attachment to the persons and government of His Majesty, and of your Royal Highness, and our ardent wishes that the sceptre of this kingdom may never cease to be swayed by the descendants of the Illustrious House of which your Royal Highness is so distinguished a branch.

[*Transmitted by Thomas Bland, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Cupar in Fife, in Council assembled.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Cupar in Fife, deeply sympathizing with your Royal Highness on the late awful dispensation of Providence, which has at once deprived your Royal Highness of an affectionate Daughter and the nation of a beloved Princess, in whom, as the future Sovereign of these dominions, the public hope and expectation were fondly centered, venture to approach your Royal Highness, and to offer our most sincere and heart-felt condolence, on that most melancholy and ever to be lamented event.

But whilst we thus deplore the occasion of our present address, we repine not, nor murmur at the afflictions with which it has pleased the Almighty at this time to visit your illustrious family and our nation: confiding in the righteousness and wisdom of His Sovereignty, we console ourselves with the hope that he will pour his choicest blessings on your Royal Highness, and that, by the bounty of

his Almighty power, the Crown of these realms may, to the remotest period, be worn by the descendants of our revered and beloved Monarch, under whose mild and beneficent reign his subjects have enjoyed the greatest happiness and security, and under whose counsels the country has been raised to an unexampled pitch of glory and prosperity.

We sincerely hope that your Royal Highness may derive consolation from the public sympathy manifested on this melancholy occurrence, and our fervent prayer is, that your Royal Highness may be long spared in the enjoyment of peace, happiness and prosperity.

Signed in name, presence and by appointment of the Council, at Cupar, this 3d day of December 1817, by

*William Cockburn, Sen. Magistrate.*

[*Transmitted by Sir David Wedderburn, Bart. M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

WE, the Commission Grand Jury of the City of Dublin, have unanimously come to the following resolutions:

First.—That deeply impressed with the recollection of the late melancholy event, which has wrung from the heart of the whole nation such sincere sentiments of sorrow, respectfully offer to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Great Britain and Ireland, and to His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, our most unfeigned condolence, our sympathy, our respect, feeling as we do for the irreparable loss which their Royal Highnesses individually and the nation generally have lately met with.

Second.—That the above resolution be forwarded by our Foreman to Government, in order to have the same respectfully transmitted to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, and to His Serene Highness Prince Leopold.

For self and fellow Jurors,

*William Dixon, Foreman.*

*J. B. Fitzsimons, Secretary.*

Grand Jury Room, Green-Street,  
December 3, 1817.

THE following Addresses have been presented to His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg; which Addresses His Serene Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg.

THE humble Address of His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Inhabitants of the County of Tipperary, assembled, beg leave most humbly to approach your Serene Highness with feelings of the deepest affliction for the untimely decease of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta.

Deeply sensible of the great national loss sustained by the death of Her Royal Highness, we feel it our duty, while bowing to this awful dispen-

sation of Divine Providence, to offer, with the most unfeigned sympathy, our sincere condolence to your Serene Highness, upon the lamentable fate of a Princess, whose virtues ornamented her illustrious rank, and were calculated to raise the highest expectations, when in the course of events she should fill that high station in the British empire, which the nation fondly hoped Her Royal Highness was destined to occupy.

We cannot but more acutely feel the heavy calamity inflicted upon your Serene Highness, when we reflect upon the conjugal affection and domestic happiness, so peculiarly exemplified in the private life of your late royal and beloved Consort, and that of your Serene Highness; thus while you afforded by your private virtues a brilliant example to the kingdom at large, you at the same time obtained its esteem and admiration.

We beg leave to express our cordial wishes for your future welfare, and humbly trust that Divine Providence will grant your Serene Highness the power to withstand the irreparable misfortune, with which it has pleased Him to afflict your Serene Highness and these realms.

*Vere Dawson Hunt, Sheriff.*

To His Serene Highness Leopold, Prince of Saxe-Cobourg:

The respectful Address of the principal Inhabitants of the Town and Vicinity of Balbriggan.

*May it please your Serene Highness;*

SORROW, such as that of your Serene Highness, is sacred; and it is with hesitation we approach its precincts. Yet in the deep-felt sympathy of the British people, in our admiration of the exalted character of Her Royal Highness our late Princess, in our reverence for her memory, in our universal and unfeigned affliction at her loss, in these your Serene Highness may find some balm to soothe the severity of that sorrow which your Serene Highness so deeply feels. And to these we request permission to add, the consciousness which your Serene Highness possesses of the esteem and admiration of a people; grateful for that happiness which Her Royal Highness experienced in such a union.

We do not entreat your Serene Highness not to grieve; we know too well the extent of the loss by which that grief has been occasioned, to prefer such a request; but we entreat your Serene Highness to look for consolation in the prospect of that meeting, whose joy shall infinitely exceed the grief of the present separation, and the union consequent upon which shall last for ever.

*Geo. Hamilton, Chairman.*

To His Serene Highness Leopold-George Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Misnia, Landgrave of Thuringia, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of New Windsor, in the County of Berks.

*May it please your Serene Highness;*

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgesses,

and other Inhabitants of the Borough of New Windsor, beg leave to approach your Serene Highness with the expression of our affectionate condolence.—The calamity which has plunged your Serene Highness into a sorrow, which the whole British people at once deplore and reverence, can admit of little alleviation from public sympathy; but when time, the “balm of hurt minds,” shall have tranquillized the keenness of your Serene Highness’s affliction, it may afford a mournful satisfaction to know, how warmly a nation’s confidence appreciated the worth of your late Illustrious Consort; and, amongst other indications of that reverence, with which the memory of the Princess Charlotte Augusta will be preserved, to be assured, that the Inhabitants of Windsor, who have witnessed the growth of those virtues, which were a nation’s hope, bewail their loss with a grief as sincere as it is spontaneous.

We pray that the Great Dispenser of Mercies will gradually lead your Serene Highness to the consolations which He alone can bestow, and we devoutly trust, when the present heaviness of sorrow, which presses on your heart, shall have been exchanged for the tranquillity which virtue can create, that your Serene Highness will look back with content upon the bright pattern of domestic goodness, which you have presented to an admiring people, and long enjoy the respectful affection which the British Nation unites in testifying towards your Serene Highness’s character and example. *Charles Knight, Mayor.*

To His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg.

WE, the Dean and Canons of His Majesty’s Free Chapel of St. George, within His Castle of Windsor, beg leave to add the tribute of our heartfelt condolence to that which is expressed by the general voice of the nation, upon the calamitous event, which has blasted our fairest hopes, and inflicted a wound in the breast of your Serene Highness, the pain of which time may alleviate, but nothing except resignation to the Divine Will can heal.

To the happy union of your Serene Highness with your Illustrious Consort whose loss we deplore; to the talents and virtues which she possessed, and to that conformity of sentiments and character which cemented that union, by combining private comfort with public duty, we had looked forward as to a source of future blessings to this country; and of reward to the exemplary conduct of your Serene Highness as a man, and your tender affection as a husband. But at the moment when our hearts sanguinely anticipated this bright prospect, when a pledge of future prosperity was promised to the nation, and of exalted distinction and domestic happiness to your Serene Highness, it pleased the Almighty Disposer of events to annihilate these fond hopes, and to take unto Himself the illustrious person, in whom they originated. The trial, Sir, is a most severe one to yourself and to the nation. But the fortitude which your Serene Highness has already evinced in bearing up against it, more especially on the heart-rending occasion, of which we ourselves were witnesses,

leads us to trust, that under this heavy calamity, you have resorted to the great source of comfort, which is above, and that you have derived consolation from that Heavenly Fountain. Thither may we all betake ourselves at this period of woe, and say, however severe the visitation, “God’s Will be done.”

To His Serene Highness PRINCE LEOPOLD.

The humble Address of the Bishop of Bath and Wells, and of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Andrew, in Wells.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

WE the Bishop of Bath and Wells, and the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Andrew, in Wells, venture to hope that we shall not be considered as intruding upon a retirement, consecrated to affectionate sorrow, in offering the tribute of unfeigned respect to your character, especially as exhibited in the domestic relation so lamentably dissolved, and in presenting the assurance of our most cordial sympathy in your affliction. Members of a community in which private virtues are ever esteemed the best pledge of public usefulness, we could not but cherish the most sanguine hope of reigns to come in long succession, which might prove, under the favour of Providence, signally instrumental to the happiness and glory of our country. The hand that gave and seemed to be maturing the blessing, has in a moment taken it away, and in humble silence we bow beneath the mysterious dispensation of All-perfect Wisdom and Goodness. At the same time we cannot refrain from testifying a most lively sense of the value of what we have lost, in the presence of Him, by whom such value could be best appreciated, and to whom such testimony would be most acceptable.

Deign, Sir, to accept our most hearty wishes for the full restoration of your health, and for that gradual return of composure and peace of mind, which the witness of conscience, and the recollections of past conduct, must tend, under the regulation of religious principle, to hasten and secure.

*R. Bath and Wells.*

*G. Gloucester, Dean of Wells.*

To His Serene Highness George Leopold, Prince of Saxe Cobourg.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

AT a moment when the united people feel the most undisguised sorrow, at the loss which your Serene Highness and themselves have so lately experienced, and are endeavouring to express those feelings in their real characters of respect and affection, the County of Essex is anxious to bear testimony to your Serene Highness, of the share it takes in the general grief of the country.

We, therefore, are desirous of shewing that our feelings, as subjects, and inhabitants of this realm, have not made us forgetful of the distress into which the death of our beloved Princess has individually plunged your Serene Highness.

Fondly as we looked forward to a more extended life to her, we invariably felt convinced that, that extended life would have been rendered happy by

her union with you; well knowing that she had before her one of the fairest prospects of human felicity, that could have presented itself to human hope: the nation also viewed those prospects with a fond and pleasing anticipation.

But the hand of Providence has drawn its veil of clouds across it, and darkened the enviable scene.

Justly as we appreciate the feelings which now overwhelm you, under circumstances in which we ourselves may, as men, be placed; we presume not to force ourselves into the hallowed retirement of sorrow, but venture to express our sincere condolence; believing that a nation's heartfelt participation in your grief, may in some degree strengthen the power of supporting it.

We, therefore, respectfully offer to your Serene Highness, this tribute of our united and sincere condolence, hoping it may tend, however insufficiently, to assuage your affliction.

*John Hall, High Sheriff.*

By, and in the name, and on behalf of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Essex.

December 6, 1817.

To His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg.

SIR,

WE, the Mayor, the Bishop, Clergy, and other Inhabitants of His Majesty's City of Gloucester, humbly trust that we shall not be considered as intruding upon a retirement consecrated to affectionate sorrow, in offering this tribute of unfeigned respect to your character, especially as exhibited in the domestic relation so lamentably dissolved; and in presenting the assurance of our most cordial sympathy in your affliction.

Members of a community in which private virtues are ever esteemed the best pledge of public usefulness, we could not but lately cherish the most sanguine hope of reigns to come in long succession, which might prove, under the favour of Providence, signally instrumental to the happiness and glory of our country.

The hand that gave and seemed to be maturing the blessing, has in a moment taken it away, and in humble silence we bow beneath the mysterious dispensation of all perfect Wisdom and Goodness. At the same time we cannot refrain from testifying a most lively sense of our invaluable loss, as the only consolation we can offer to your Serene Highness, under the pressure of this national calamity.

Deign then, Sir, to accept, in conclusion, our most hearty wishes for the full restoration of your health, and for the gradual return of that tranquillity of mind which the witness of conscience, and the recollection of past conduct, must tend, under the regulation of religious principle, to hasten and secure.

*D. Walker, Mayor.*

To His Serene Highness Leopold Prince of Saxe Cobourg.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

WE, the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Burgesses of the Borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in Guild assembled, being penetrated with grief for the na-

tional loss which we have sustained, in the ever to be lamented death of your late amiable and Royal Consort, deem it our duty, as it is certainly our inclination, to offer to you the tribute of our unfeigned sympathy in your distress.

Severe in any case is the affliction, which robs an affectionate Husband of a virtuous Wife; severer still is that, which in one moment dooms the Royal Mother and her infant to the tomb. But, inscrutable as the ways of Providence are, we are bound to confide in His goodness, and acquiesce in the wisdom of His decrees.

Think not, most Illustrious Prince, because we are far removed from you, by distance of place, or inferiority of rank, that we are insensible to the domestic affliction which now wounds your bosom, and which has stript the House of Brunswick of its fairest flower. Far other hopes we had indeed entertained. But alas! our anticipated joys are turned into mourning. Those hopes are for ever blighted! hopes, indeed, which were founded on a rare assemblage of personal virtues in that union, which so lately had drawn forth the congratulations of a whole nation, and on that almost unexampled state of conjugal felicity, which was equally the theme of English praise, and the admiration of foreign courts. But may it add to your consolation, that these virtues, which your bright example cherished in this revered Princess, and that felicity which was the result of your pure and enlightened minds, will be for ever hallowed in the bosom of a great and grateful nation.

For Her—we sorrow not as others who have no hope. She is gone from the promise of an earthly, we trust, to the possession of a Heavenly Kingdom—from a temporal, to an eternal diadem of glory. For You—we heartily implore that Almighty Being, who “tempers the wind to the shorn lamb,” that he may enable you to support your affliction with fortitude and resignation to his will, that He may again lift up the light of his countenance upon you, and grant you a long and happy life amongst us.

Given under our common seal, at Berwick-upon-Tweed aforesaid, this 1st day of December, in the fifty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign, and in the year of our Lord 1817.

*David Stow, Mayor*

To His Serene Highness the Prince of Saxe Cobourg

The dutiful and affectionate Address of that Body of Protestant Dissenters commonly called the Associate (Burgher) Presbytery in Edinburgh.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

IN this season of grief, that overspreads the British Empire, and desolates the heart of every individual, we, the Ministers and Elders of the Associate Presbytery in Edinburgh, assembled in our Monthly Presbyterial Meeting, request permission to add our voices also to those which do homage to the memory, and which mourn the death of your Serene Highness's most Illustrious Consort, and that of Her Royal Infant.

Disciples of Jesus Christ, and dispensers of the ordinances of that religion which teaches us “to

rejoice with them that rejoice, and to weep with them that weep," we had participated largely in those feelings of joy which the marriage of your Serene Highness with the Heiress of British Crowns, had universally diffused. In that domestic felicity which your Serene Highness enjoyed in the society of the best of women, and in the prospect of a most important national event, which we fondly hoped would have been the commencement of a long line of Royal Princes, in the house of your Serene Highness, who would have swayed a sceptre over the British Empire, and reigned in the hearts of our posterity to the latest ages.

But, alas! "She has given up the ghost; Her sun has gone down while it is yet day; our harp is turned to mourning, and our organ into the voice of them that weep;" Ah! we mingle our tears with those, which your Serene Highness continues to shed on that tomb, which has swallowed up our dearest earthly hopes! But "it is the Lord!" He has done whatsoever "seemed good to him." We know him who said "not as I will, but as thou wilt; Father, glorify thy name."

We entreat your Serene Highness to accept the assurances of our profound regard, and our tenderest sympathy, endeared as you have been to our hearts, as the husband of our incomparable Princess, as well as by your own personal virtues, which made you worthy of Her, you are, if it were possible, become dearer to us still, by a most unexpected communion with you in the heaviest sufferings which can enter into the lot of man.

Most fervently have we supplicated the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort, that He would be pleased to uphold and strengthen your Serene Highness whilst drinking this bitter cup; nor shall we cease to make our intercessions in your behalf, that your Serene Highness may find the alleviation of your sorrows, in the Religion of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, which certifies that "we have a great High Priest, who is deeply touched with the feeling of our distresses, and has compassion on them that suffer," which gives to your Serene Highness the assurance of hope, that the object of your endeared affections is entered into Her Saviour's joy; and which holds forth the cheering prospect of a blessed re-union that shall never be dissolved. "For since we believe that Jesus died, and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus, will God bring with him."

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, at Edinburgh, this 3d day December, in the year of our Lord, 1817.

*James Hall, Moderator.*

[Transmitted by the Lord Advocate of Scotland.]

To His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, &c. &c.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Ministers of the Presbytery of Inverness, beg leave to approach your Serene Highness with the expression of our most unfeigned and lively sympathy with your Serene Highness's just grief for the death of your illustrious consort, Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales,

and your infant son. In common with the whole nation, we deeply deplore this event, not only as a public calamity, but as a dispensation peculiarly afflicting to your Serene Highness, whose affectionate devotedness to Her Royal Highness has eminently endeared you to every British heart. That your Serene Highness may be enabled to submit to this bereavement with the resignation becoming a wise and pious mind, and may at length be reunited to your justly beloved consort, in that world where there is no more pain, nor sorrow, nor death, are the earnest prayers of, may it please your Serene Highness, His Majesty's most faithful, most loyal, and most obedient subjects, the Ministers of the Presbytery of Inverness.

Signed in our name and presence, and by our appointment, by *Alex. Rose, Moderator.*  
Inverness, December 4, 1817.

To His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe-Cobourg, &c. &c. &c.

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, Portreeve, and Inhabitants of the Borough of Penryn, in the County of Cornwall, beg leave to approach your Serene Highness with most sincere sentiments of condolence on the afflicting loss which we have sustained in the death of your late illustrious consort, Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte. We trust your Serene Highness will not deem it an intrusion on the sacred hours of sorrow, deigning to receive our Address as the heartfelt spontaneous offering of undissembled grief and regret.

From the early disclosure of the virtues of this lamented Princess, the nation had indulged the brightest hopes, that when called to the Throne of her Ancestors (a Throne surrounded with mercy and truth, and established in righteousness), a long and splendid career of glory and prosperity would have been the lot of this favoured nation; but since it has pleased Almighty God, in His wisdom, to determine otherwise, and to call her from the prospect of an earthly, to the enjoyment of an heavenly crown, we bend with resigned submission to His will, and fervently pray, that, in His goodness, He will be pleased to impart to your Serene Highness those consolations which can only flow from Himself; in His mercy, enabling you to look forward with Christian faith and joyful hope, to a period of reunion in those realms of bliss where perfect, uninterrupted, and real happiness can alone be found.

*William Richards, Mayor.*

To His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe-Cobourg.

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Gloucester, in approaching your Serene Highness respectfully to offer our condolence upon the melancholy event which has so recently occurred, feel at a loss for words to express the grief with which we are weighed down for the lamented death of your Serene Highness's late beloved and Royal Consort.

We humbly, though sincerely, sympathize in your Serene Highness's affliction upon this melancholy occasion; but we presume not to offer

consolation, which can alone be derived from the Most High; at the same time we fervently hope, that that Gracious Providence, which has thus chastened us, will afford to your Serene Highness strength to bear, and resignation piously to submit to, His unerring decrees.

To your Serene Highness, who so well knew how to appreciate the inestimable worth of her whom you have lost, any encomium upon her character, however deserved, would be superfluous, and, perhaps, distressing; we, therefore, refrain from dwelling upon the painful subject: but the universal and unfeigned regret which has been evinced throughout the kingdom at her demise, must afford to your Serene Highness a pleasing, though melancholy, conviction of the high opinion which she maintained in the hearts of a loyal and affectionate people.

We beseech your Serene Highness to pardon this early intrusion upon the privacy of your domestic sorrows, but a sincere veneration towards our deceased and ever-to-be-lamented Princess, and a grateful recollection of your Serene Highness's unremitting attentions to her, who constituted the main hope of the whole British nation, prompt us to be amongst the first to pay this mark of respect to her memory. For those lasting consolations under this great affliction, which will still restore to your Serene Highness health of body and tranquillity of mind, we must place our reliance upon an All-gracious Providence, humbly praying that He will reconcile your Serene Highness and the British people to the loss which is now so deeply deplored.

Given under common seal, at the Tolsey, in the said City, the 24th day of November 1817.

To His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederic, Prince of Saxe Cobourg.

*May it please your Serene Highness,*

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Bristol, in Common Council assembled, beg to offer our humble tribute of condolence to your Serene Highness, at the late afflicting event which has plunged your Serene Highness in the greatest grief and concern.

The happiness with which we had the honour recently to congratulate your Serene Highness on the occasion of your marriage, affords a painful contrast to our present feelings, but the affection and tenderness uniformly manifested by your Serene Highness towards your late amiable and illustrious consort, have excited the sympathy and respect of a whole kingdom; the general expression of which it is hoped may afford some consolation to your feelings, whilst it secures to your Serene Highness the affection and esteem of a nation to which you are so justly endeared.

That the Almighty Disposer of all Events may enable your Serene Highness to find some abatement of your grief in the consolation of religion, but the hand of time may soften your present sorrows, and, that your serene Highness may long enjoy health and every earthly blessing, is the sincere prayer of this ancient and loyal Corporation.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS the Parliament stands prorogued to Tuesday the sixteenth day of December next, We, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said sixteenth day of December to Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of January next; and We have given order to the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Great Britain, to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do further hereby, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice aforesaid, publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall, on the twenty-seventh day of January next, be held and sit for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said twenty-seventh day of January next.

Given at the Court at Brighton, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, in the fifty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign.

GOD save the KING.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION,

*Prohibiting His Majesty's Natural-born Subjects from serving or enlisting or entering themselves to serve in the Military Forces or Ships of War, raised or set forth by the Persons exercising or assuming to exercise the Powers of Government in certain Provinces and parts of Provinces in Spanish America, or in the Military Forces of His Catholic Majesty employed in Spanish America, or in His said Majesty's Ships of War.*

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS there unhappily subsists a state of warfare between His Catholic Majesty and divers Provinces or parts of Provinces in Spanish America: and whereas it has been represented to Us, that many of Our subjects have, without Our leave or license enlisted, or entered themselves to serve in the military forces or ships of war raised or set forth or intended to be raised or set forth by the persons, exercising or assuming to exercise the powers of Government in such Provinces or parts

of Provinces, and that divers others of Our subjects are about in like manner to enter and enlist themselves: and whereas such practices are highly prejudicial to and tend to endanger the peace and welfare of Our Crown and Dominions, we do therefore hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, strictly charge and command all and every of our natural-born subjects, of what degree or quality soever, not to serve in any such military forces or ships of war as aforesaid, and not to enlist or enter themselves to serve therein, and not to go beyond the Seas, or embark, in order to serve, or with intent to enter, or enlist themselves to serve in such military forces or ships of war: and it is at the same time Our Royal will and pleasure, and We do, by and with the advice aforesaid, hereby also strictly charge and command all and every of Our said subjects not to serve, or enlist, or enter themselves to serve in any of the military forces or ships of war raised or set forth, or to be raised or set forth, by His Catholic Majesty, and not to go beyond the Seas; or embark, in order, or to the intent to serve, or enter, or enlist themselves to serve in such military forces or ships of war; it is nevertheless Our Royal will and pleasure, that nothing herein contained, shall be deemed or taken to prohibit any of Our subjects, who are engaged at the time of the date of this Our Proclamation, in serving in the military forces of His Catholic Majesty, with Our leave or licence, from continuing to serve therein, provided that such Our said subjects do not serve with the military forces of His Catholic Majesty, when employed in Spanish America: and We do hereby, by and with the advice aforesaid, strictly require all Our said subjects duly to conform to Our commands herein contained, under pain of Our highest displeasure, and the utmost forfeitures, penalties, and punishments, to which by law they will otherwise be liable.

Given at Our Court at Brighton, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, in the fifty-eighth year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS We have thought fit to order that certain pieces of gold money should be coined, which should be called "half sovereigns or ten shilling pieces," each of which should be of the value of ten shillings, and that each piece should be of the weight of two pennyweights thirteen grains  $\frac{6,370}{10,000}$  troy weight of standard gold, according to the weights approved of and confirmed by Us in Council, in pursuance of an Act made in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for regulating and ascertaining the weights to be made use of in weighing the gold and silver coin

of this kingdom;" and We have further thought fit to order that every such piece of gold money, so ordered to be coined as aforesaid, shall have for the obverse impression the head of His Majesty, with the inscription "Georgius III. Dei Gratia:" and the date of the year; and for the reverse the ensigns armorial of the United Kingdom, contained in a shield, with the inscription "Britanniarum Rex. Fid. Def.:" with a newly invented graining on the edge of the piece: and whereas pieces of gold money of the above description have been coined at His Majesty's Mint, and will be coined there, in pursuance of Orders which We have given for that purpose: We have therefore, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, thought fit to issue this Proclamation; and We do hereby, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, ordain, declare, and command, that the said pieces of gold money so coined, and to be coined as aforesaid, shall be current and lawful money of the kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and shall be called "half sovereigns or ten shilling pieces," and shall pass and be received as current and lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland; and every of such pieces, not weighing less than two penny weights, thirteen grains and one quarter, shall pass and be received as of the value of ten shillings of lawful money of Great Britain and Ireland in all payments whatsoever.

Given at the Court at Carlton-House, the tenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, in the fifty-seventh year of His Majesty's reign.

GOD save the KING.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS We have taken into consideration the state of the copper coin of this kingdom; and have deemed it expedient, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, that all copper monies of this realm commonly called a halfpenny or a farthing, coined at His Majesty's Mint, and current in His Majesty's dominions, by virtue of any Proclamation prior to the twenty-sixth day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, should be called in and recoined.

And whereas in pursuance of an Order in Council, dated the twenty-first of January one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, considerable quantities of the said copper monies before-mentioned, have been received and exchanged at His Majesty's Mint, so that only a small portion of such monies now remain in circulation; We do, therefore, by this Our Royal Proclamation, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, think proper to declare and command, and We do declare and

command, that no copper monies whatsoever (other than and except such copper monies as are now current, by virtue of His Majesty's Proclamation bearing date the twenty-sixth day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, or any Proclamation dated subsequent to the said twenty-sixth day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven) shall from henceforth be allowed to pass, or be current, in any payment whatsoever, within the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

And we do further, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice aforesaid, declare and command that all persons holding any of the copper monies of this realm, commonly called a halfpenny or a farthing, coined at His Majesty's Mint, and current in His Majesty's dominions, by virtue of any Proclamation bearing date prior to the said twenty-sixth day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, who shall, on or before the thirty-first day of this instant December, bring the same to the Officers of His Majesty's Mint, in bags, containing fifty-six pounds weight avoirdupois each, and in quantities not less than three of such bags, and in tale not exceeding fifty-five pieces to the pound, or three thousand and eighty pieces to each bag of fifty-six pounds, shall thereupon receive the amount and value thereof according to the rate hereinafter specified (that is to say) for every such bag of fifty-six pounds weight, averaging fifty-five pieces to the pound, the sum of six pounds eight shillings and fourpence; for every such bag of fifty-six pounds weight, averaging fifty-four pieces to the pound, the sum of six pounds six shillings; for every such bag of fifty-six pounds weight, averaging fifty-three pieces to the pound, the sum of six pounds three shillings and eight pence, and so in proportion for any less average number of Pieces to the pound.

Given at Our Court at Carlton-House, the fifth day of December one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, in the fifty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign.

GOD save the KING.

At the Court at Carlton-House, the 10th October 1817,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS the time limited by the Order of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council of the thirty-first of May last, for prohibiting the exportation of gunpowder, arms, or ammunition, to the places therein specified, will expire on the thirtieth day of November next; and whereas it is expedient, that the said prohibition should be continued for some time longer; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, doth, therefore, hereby order, require,

and command, that no person or persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's service) do, at any time during the space of six months (to commence from the thirtieth day of November next), presume to transport any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, to any port or place on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on any part of the Continent of America (except to a port or place, or ports or places in His Majesty's territories or possessions, on the Continent of North America, or in the territories of the United States of America), or ship or lade any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, on board any ship or vessel, in order to transporting the same into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on the Continent of America (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of His late Majesty's reign, intitled, "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of salt-petre, and to enforce the law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying coastwise of salt-petre, gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition;" and also by an Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His Majesty's reign, cap. 2, intitled, "An Act to enable His Majesty to restrain the exportation of naval stores, and more effectually to prevent the exportation of salt-petre, arms, and ammunition, when prohibited by Proclamation or Order in Council."

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Jas. Buller.

Office of Ordnance, December 22, 1817.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

To be, Second Lieutenants.

Gentleman Cadet Edward B. Brooke, vice Wilson, promoted. Dated December 15, 1817.  
Gentleman Cadet William Y. Fenwick, vice Molesworth, promoted. Dated as above.  
Gentleman Cadet Francis Weller, vice Cuppage, promoted. Dated as above.  
Gentleman Cadet Charles P. Jones, vice Clark, promoted. Dated as above.  
Gentleman Cadet William Pottinger, vice Burn, promoted. Dated as above.  
Gentleman Cadet Ebenezer Jones, vice Doyle, promoted. Dated as above.



Gentleman Cadet Charles Pearson, vice Burnaby, promoted. Dated December 15, 1817.  
 Gentleman Cadet Thomas Knatchbull, vice Smith, promoted. Dated as above.  
 Gentleman Cadet James H. St. John, vice Lys, promoted. Dated as above.  
 Gentleman Cadet Richard J. Dacres, vice Blake, promoted. Dated as above.

*Commission in the North Wootton Troop of Oxfordshire Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.*

Richard Wootten, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Duffield, deceased. Dated December 5, 1817.

Whitehall, December 6, 1817.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the morning of Sunday the 23d of last month, the woollen and worsted spinning mill, belonging to Messrs. Hooman, Pardoo, and Company, in Kidderminster, was totally destroyed by fire; and that there is reason to suppose the same was wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons unknown;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in the felony above-mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said mill), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE THOUSAND POUNDS is hereby offered to any person or persons (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices in the said felony, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.—Five hundred pounds, part of the above reward, to be paid by Messrs. Hooman, Pardoe, and Company, and the remaining five hundred pounds to be paid by the Norwich Union Fire-Office.

Admiralty-Office, December 18, 1817.

THE following official notification has been received at this Office:

“ For the information of vessels destined for the Archipelago of Gothenburg and the Quarantine Port of Kånsö, notice is hereby given, that on the Island of Stora Kånsö a round tower has been built, high fifteen yards, terminating in a plat-

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form, with the upper part of brick, and the coping painted white.

“ This tower, which from the great height of the spot where it is raised, should be seen at an equal distance with the Light-house of Winga, is situated south, 71° east, of Winga; north, 20° west, of Yttra Tistlarna; and south, 71° east, by the compass, of Buskars-arm.

“ In entering these roads it is to be observed, that when a vessel has passed to the southward of Winga, she is to steer direct for the tower of Kånsö, until she arrives to the northward of Kånsö Tjärskär, situated west of Kånsö, and pointed out by a stone beacon. The entrance between Kångö and Vargö, and the Port of Vargo-hala, south of the tower, will then be seen, and the vessel may proceed by the northward of the tower, directly and without danger, to the Quarantine Port of Kånsö, navigating along the north and north west coasts of Kånsö.”

JOHN BARROW.

POST HORSE DUTIES.

Stamp-Office, London, December 16, 1817.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled “ An Act for letting to farm the Post Horse Duties, and for better securing and facilitating the recovery of the said Duties,” the Commissioners of Stamps will again put up to be let to farm, such of the said duties (which were granted by the Act of the forty-fourth year of His Majesty's reign, chap. 98) as shall arise in the district under mentioned, at the Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place, on Wednesday the 14th day of January next, between the hours of eleven and one, at a yearly rent, for the term of three years from the 1st day of February next inclusive, the highest bidder at the former letting of the said duties having failed to complete his contract for the same, pursuant to the conditions at such letting, wherefore the said Commissioners of Stamps have declared such contract void:

No.	DISTRICT.	Annual Rent at which it will be put up.
10.	NORTH WALES, viz.	} 8000
	Anglesea.....	
	Carnarvonshire.....	
	Denbighshire.....	
	Flintshire.....	
	Merionethshire and.....	
	Montgomeryshire, with.....	
	Shropshire.....	

The district will be put up at the sum above set opposite thereto, which, if there be no bidding, will be gradually abated down to a certain point, or till a bidding shall be made. The highest bidder will be declared the farmer, and will be required to pay down immediately, in Bank notes, seven and a half per cent. upon the annual rent as a deposit; if no sufficient bidding shall be made, it will be withdrawn.

All persons intending to bid for the said duties, are to deliver in their proposals, addressed to the Commissioners at the Stamp-Office, Somerset-

Place, at least three days previous to the said 14th day of January next, signed with their names, and stating the places of their abode, otherwise their proposals cannot be proceeded upon.

And no persons licensed to let horses for the purpose of travelling post, nor any one for their use, can be admitted to contract for the said duties.

By order of the Commissioners of Stamps,  
Wm. Kappen, Secretary.

OFFICE FOR TAXES, SOMERSET-PLACE,

December 23, 1817.

**P**ursuant to Acts, passed in the forty-second and fifty-third years of His present Majesty's reign, notice is hereby given, that the price of the Three per Centum Reduced Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England this day, was £80 and under £81 per Centum.

By order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes,  
Matt. Winter, Secretary.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,  
August 16, 1817.

**T**HE Commissioners and Governors of the said Hospital hereby give notice, that, on Saturday the 21st of February next, or as soon after as conveniently may be, the undermentioned farms will be let on leases, to commence upon the several days, and for the terms of years hereinafter respectively mentioned, that is to say,

Goosewell Farm and Stable Hills Farm, in the parish of Crosthwaite and county of Cumberland, for the term of eleven years, from the 5th of April next: Dilston New Town South Farm and Thornborough Highbarns Farm, in the parish of Corbridge; Harsondale Vauce and Middle Deanran Farms, in the parish of Warden; and Buteland Farm, in the parish of Chollerton, and Blagillburnhead Farm, in the parish of Alston, for the term of nine years, from the 12th of May next: and Whettonstall Hall Farm and Watch Hill Allotment, in the parish of Bywell Saint Peter; Rowleyhead Farm, Turfhouse Farm, Longhope Farm, Bagraw Farm, and Heckford Farm, in the parish of Hexham; Westbrokenheugh Farm, in the parish of Warden; Broad Pool Common Allotment, in the parish of Wark; Thorneyburn Common Allotment, in the parish of Thorneyburn; Tarretburn Common Allotment, in the parish of Bellingham; Meldon Park Farm, in the parish of Meldon; Needleshall South Farm and Hartburngrainge West Farm, in the parish of Hartburn, for the term of twelve years, from the 12th of May next.

Such persons as may be desirous to take any of the said farms, are requested to deliver or send their proposals, in writing, to John Dyer, Esq. at Greenwich-Hospital, so as that the delivery thereof at that place shall not be later than on Friday the 20th day of February next; and all such proposals as shall be received after that day will be returned as inadmissible.

Such alterations as may be thought essentially necessary by the receivers, and approved by the Directors of Greenwich-Hospital, will be made as soon as conveniently can be after the commencement of the term, the tenants being at the expence of leading all materials.

In the present and all future lettings, by the Commissioners and Governors of Greenwich-Hospital, the tenants will be required to pay one moiety of the expence of the leases.

Mr. Thomas Dixon, of Keswick, will shew the farms in the parish of Crosthwaite; Mr. Anthony Wailes, of Beart, the farms in the parish of Corbridge; Mr. William Coats, of Haydon-Bridge, the farms in the parish of Warden; Mr. John Dickin-son, of Lowbyer, near Alston, will shew Blagillburnhead Farm; Mr. Cuthbert Surtees, of Ebchester, the farms in the parish of Bywell Saint Peter; Mr. William Sample, of Low Brunton, near Hexham, the farms in the parish of Hexham; Mr. Joseph Storey, of Wark, the farms in the parishes of Chol-ler-ton, Wark, Thorneyburn, and Bellingham; and Mr. Edward Bell, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the farms in the parishes of Meldon and Hartburn.

Messrs. Forster and Wailes, on being applied to at their Office in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, will give any further particulars which it may be necessary to require.

CONTRACT FOR DANTZIC, RIGA, OR MEMEL FIR TIMBER.

Navy-Office, December 15, 1817.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 31st instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Yard at Sheerness with

852 loads of Dantzic, Riga, or Memel Fir Timber.

One half of the said quantity of timber to be delivered in January next, and the remainder to be delivered in February next.

A form of the tender may be seen at this Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty; nor any noticed, unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

Every tender must be accompanied by a letter addressed to the Navy Board, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £1000, for the due performance of the contract.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

Navy-Office, December 20, 1817.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 7th of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Commissioner the Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart. will put up to sale, in His Majesty's Yard at Portsmouth, several lots of Old Stores, consisting of

Old Colours, Rope, Boltrope, Yarns from Rope, White Oakum, Curvel-built Boats, Lignum Vitæ Shivers and Pieces, &c. &c. &c.

all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots, must apply to the Commissioner of the Yard for a note of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here, and at the Yard.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

South Sea-House, December 20, 1817.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give notice, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at this House, on Monday the 5th of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of declaring a dividend on the capital stock for the half-year ending on that day.

N. Simpson, Secretary.

**COMMERCIAL DOCK COMPANY.**

Commercial Dock-Office, 106, Fenchurch-Street, December 22, 1817.

**N**otice is hereby given, that the transfer-books of this Company will be shut on the 31st instant, and opened again on the 5th January next; and that a Half-yearly General Court of Proprietors will be held at this Office, on Friday the 9th day of January next, at one o'clock precisely, pursuant to Act of Parliament, for the purpose of declaring a half-yearly dividend; and for electing, by ballot, one Director and one Auditor.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
William Allan, Secretary.

**WEST INDIA DOCK COMPANY.**

West India Dock-House,  
December 23, 1817.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the West India Dock Company do hereby give notice, that an Half-yearly General Court will be held, pursuant to the directions of the Act of Parliament, at the West India Dock-House, No. 8, Billiter-Square, on Friday the 9th day of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which meeting a dividend will be declared on the Company's stock, for the half year ending the 31st instant.

By order of the Court of Directors,  
H. Longlands, Secretary.

N. B. The chair will be taken at two o'clock precisely.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children.

December 20, 1817.

**N**otice is hereby given, that the stated Quarterly General Meeting of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital will be held on Wednesday the 31st day of December instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

By order,  
Morris Lievesley, Secretary.

British Linen Company's Bank, Edinburgh,  
December 1, 1817.

**T**HE General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company, at their meeting held this day, having ordered half a year's dividend on the Company's capital stock to be paid at Christmas next; notice is hereby given to the Proprietors to

call for the same at the Company's Office here, on Friday the 26th current; and in order to settle said dividend, no transfer of stock will be made from Thursday the 11th to Thursday the 25th current, both days inclusive.

London, December 23, 1817.

**N**otice is hereby given, that an account of the distribution to His Majesty's ships *Astrea*, *Phæbe*, *Galatea*, *Racèhorse*, *Eclipse*, and *Nisus*, of the sum of £4000, as a further payment on account of the produce of the French frigates *La Nereide* and *La Renommée*, captured on the 20th and 27th May 1811, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, on the 3d January next, pursuant to Act of Parliament.

William Marsh, acting Agent.

London, December 23, 1817.

**N**otice is hereby given to the officers and company of His Majesty's sloop *Favourite*, *John Maxwell*, Esq. Commander, who were actually on board at the capture of the *San Joseph*, *Bon Jesu*, and *Providenzia*, slave vessels, on the Coast of Africa, on the 1st, 9th, and 13th September 1813, that they will be paid their respective proportions of the net proceeds of the hulls, stores, and cargoes of the said prizes, on the 1st of January next; and all shares not then claimed will be recalled at No. 23, Norfolk-Street, Strand, every Tuesday and Friday for three months from first day of payment.

Flag	-	-	£96	2	6
First class	-	-	192	5	1
Second class	-	-	48	1	3
Third class	-	-	24	0	7½
Fourth class	-	-	11	16	6
Fifth class	-	-	7	17	7¾
Sixth class	-	-	3	18	9¾
Seventh class	-	-	2	12	6½
Eighth class	-	-	1	6	3¼

William Marsh, Agent.

Westminster, December 20, 1817.

**N**otice is hereby given, that an account of a sum proposed to be distributed in part of the proceeds of the hull and stores of the *Temerario*, captured on the 5th of March 1816, by His Majesty's ship *Bann*, *William Fisher*, Esq. Commander, and of the *San Antonio*, captured by the same ship, on the 16th March 1816 (both which vessels were condemned in the Vice-Admiralty Court at Sierra Leone), will be delivered into the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, on Saturday the 3d day of January next.

John and Thomas Maude, Agents.

**N**otice is hereby given, that the Copartnership business lately subsisting and carried on at Chorley, in the County of Lancaster, between Samuel Hilton, of Blackburn, in the said County, and James Kay, of Chorley aforesaid, as Cotton-Spinners, under the firm of Hilton and Kay, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts due to the said late firm, as well as what may be due from them, will be respectively received and paid by the said Samuel Hilton, who will continue the said concern and business, under the firm of Samuel Hilton.—Dated this 18th day of December 1817.

Samuel Hilton.  
James Kay.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between John Broadhurst and Sarah his wife, late Sarah Weaver, and Michael Peacock, of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, Linen-Drapers and Hosiers, under the firm of Weaver and Peacock, is dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands the 20th day of December 1817.

*Michael Peacock.  
John Broadhurst.  
Sarah Broadhurst.*

Frome, December 16, 1817.

THIS is to give notice, that the Partnership lately carried on by us at Frome, Somerset, under the firm of Lydford and Moon's Linen Drapery, Haberdashery, Child-Bed Linen and Lace Warehouse, was by mutual consent dissolved on the 1st day of December instant.

*Ann Lydford.  
Harriet Moon.*

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between Thomas Blakey and Robert Dickinson, under the firm of Blakey and Dickinson, Woollen-Drapers and Tailors, 151, Fleet-Street, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—All debts due to or from the concern will be received and paid by Thomas Blakey.

*Thomas Blakey.  
Robert Dickinson.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, George Calthrop and James Thompson Calthrop, of Boston, in the County of Lincoln, Corn-Merchants, hath been this day dissolved and determined by mutual consent.—All debts due and owing to and from the said late Partnership will be received and paid by the said George Calthrop, by whom the business will be continued at Boston aforesaid.—Dated this 20th day of December 1817.

*George Calthrop.  
James T. Calthrop.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on between us the undersigned, Joseph Senior, of Earleheaton, near Dewsbury, in the County of York; William Cowie, of Wakefield, in the said County; and John Mabson, of Wakefield aforesaid, carrying on trade at Wakefield aforesaid, as Blanket and Cloth-Manufacturers, under the firm of Joseph Senior and Company, was on the 1st day of December instant dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of December 1817.

*Joseph Senior.  
Wm. Cowie.  
John Mabson.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership carried on at Bollington and Sutton, in the County of Chester, by and between Noah Clayton and James Holme, both of Bollington aforesaid, Stone-Masons, under the firm of Clayton and Holme, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—All debts owing by the said Partnership will be paid and discharged by the said James Holme; and all debts owing to the said Partnership are to be paid to and received by him: As witness our hands this 13th day of December 1817.

*Noah Clayton.  
James Holme.*

THIS is to give notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Emilia Rider and William Henry Weed, of Little Britain, in the City of London, Printers, (trading under the firm of Rider and Weed), was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said Emilia Rider retires from the said business in favour of her son, the undersigned John Rider, and that the said business will in future be carried on by the undersigned William Henry Weed and John Rider, under the firm of Weed and Rider; and all debts due to and from the firm of Rider and Weed will be received and paid by the present firm of Weed and Rider: As witness our hands this 24th day of June 1817.

*E. Rider.  
W. H. Weed.  
J. Rider.*

London, November 19, 1817.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately carried on under the firm of Prosser and Lodwidge, of No. 7, New-Square, Minorities, as Ship, Insurance and Commercial Agents, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent from the above date: As witness our hands.

*Ch. Prosser.  
James Lodwidge.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Copartnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Stonehouse and Thomas Satchell, of Sunderland near the Sea, in the County of Durham, Mercers and Drapers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 12th day of December 1817.

*James Stonehouse.  
Thomas Satchell.*

Whereas the Partnership betwixt Miss M. Perrott and Louisa Bales (late Chapman), Dress-Makers, Upper James-Street, Golden-Square, London, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts due by or to their late firm will be paid and received by the aforesaid M. Perrott.

*Louisa Bales.  
Matilda Perrott.*

LIEUTENANT GENERAL JOHN SONTAG, deceased.

ALL persons who have any claims or demands on the estate and effects of Lieutenant General John Sontag, late of Earl's-Court-Road, Kensington, in the County of Middlesex, deceased (who died on or about the 4th day of May 1816), are requested forthwith to send an account, containing the particulars of such claims or demands, and all persons indebted to the deceased's estate are requested to pay the same to Ellis and Veal, Solicitors, Abingdon-Street, Westminster.

ALL persons who may have any claims against the estate of William Dodd, late of Saint James's-Street, Westminster, Tailor, deceased, are requested to furnish Messrs. Sweet and Stokes, Solicitors to the Administrators, Basinghall-Street, London, with the particulars of their claims, within one calendar month from this date, or in default thereof they will be excluded all benefit from his estate.—Dated this 22d day of December 1817.

TO be sold by auction, by Richard Booth, at the Castle Inn, in the City of Coventry, on Tuesday the 30th day of December instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in one or more lot or lots, by order of the Commissioners in and under a Commission of Bankrupt against James Harris, subject to such conditions as will then be produced;

A capital freehold estate or dwelling house, with an extensive manufactory, gas-house, dye-house, yards, garden, and appurtenances, situate in Fleet-Street, in the City of Coventry, and late in the occupation of the said James Harris.

The above premises are eminently calculated for carrying on a manufactory either in the silk, cotton, hosiery, plush, or any other line in which extensive buildings are necessary, and the dyeing trade; a river runs at the back; the whole are compact, and the manufactory has a complete gas and steam apparatus connected with it.

Mr. Charles Lilly, of Spon-Street, in the said City, will direct a person to shew the above estate.

All that old dye-house and garden at the back thereof, situate in the Conduct-yard, nearly opposite to Saint John's Church, in Spon-Street aforesaid.

All those three tenements or dwelling houses, situate in Conduct-Yard aforesaid, two in the occupations of John Smith and John Chater, and the other untenanted.

For further particulars apply at the Office of Mr. Carter, Solicitor, Coventry.

Whereas by a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause wherein George Bonyngge Rochfort, Esq. is plaintiff, and John Weir, Esq. is defendant, it was referred to Robert Steele, Esq. then one of the Masters of the said Court, since deceased, to enquire and state to the Court, whether there were any debts remaining unpaid of George Bonyngge, late of the Parish of Saint Catherine, in the County of Middlesex, in the Island of Jamaica, Doctor of Physic, deceased, who died in or about the month of February 1791. And also whether William Bonyngge, the defendant in the pleadings named (who is described in the will of the said

George Bonyng to be a free negro, then living with him the said George Bonyng), is living or dead, and if dead, when he died, and whether any thing and what was due to him in respect of his annuity at the time of his death; and if living whether any and what arrears of his said annuity are now due to him. All persons claiming debts due from the said George Bonyng, deceased, are to come in and prove their debts, before William Courtenay, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court of Chancery, at his Chambers, in Southampton Building, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 23d day of January 1818, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. And the said William Bonyng the Annuitant, if living, is to come in and make out his claim to any arrears of his annuity which may be due to him; and if the said William Bonyng is dead, then any person claiming any arrears of the said annuity which were due at the time of his death, is peremptorily to come in and make out such claim before the said William Courtenay, at his Chambers as aforesaid, or in default thereof such person will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Wyatt against Cardale, the Creditors, and Legatees of Richard Wyatt, late of Freemans, near Horsted-Keyne, in the County of Sussex, Esq. deceased (who died in the month of January 1816,) are by their Solicitors forthwith to come in and prove their debts, and claim their legacies, before John Campbell, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause wherein William Small and others are the plaintiffs, and Silvester Lowden the elder and others are defendants, the Creditors of Sarah Wright, formerly of Cheshunt, in the County of Hertford, and late of Upper Holloway, in the Parish of Islington, in the County of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 30th of July 1815), are forthwith to come in and prove their debts before Francis Paul Stratford, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in the Cause Grand versus Hanbury, the Creditors of Major Woolhead, of Blackfriar's-Road, in the County of Surrey, late of the Navy-Office (who died on the 3d day of April 1798), are personally, or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their debts before Joseph Jekyll, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 12th day of February 1818, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause, Clough against Wynne, the Creditors of Watkin Wynne, Son of Robert Watkin Wynne, of Plasnewydd, in the County of Denbigh, Esq. deceased, and late a Lieutenant in His Majesty's 23d Regiment of Foot (who died on or about the 2d day of August 1811, at or near Albuera, in Spain), are by their Solicitors forthwith to come in and prove their debts before William Alexander, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Buckle against Middleton, the Creditors of Martha Middleton, late of Whitby, in the County of York, Spinster (who died in the year 1812), are, on or before the 23d day of January next, to come in and prove their debts before John Springett Harvey, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Order.

Pursuant to a Decree of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Westminster, made in a Cause Maddocks against Kitching, the Creditors of John Maddocks, late of Corentry-Street, Piccadilly, in the County of Middlesex, Coffee House-Keeper (who died on or about the 26th of March 1814), are, on or before the 23d day of January 1818, to come in by their Solicitors, before Abel Moysey, Esq. Deputy-Remembrancer

of the said Court, at his Chambers, in the Exchequer-Office, in the Inner-Temple, London, and prove their respective debts, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Gooch against Bingham, the Creditors of Mary Ann Hopson, formerly of Rodington, in the County of Salop, and late of Dawleish, in the County of Devon (who died in May 1815), are personally, or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their debts before Joseph Jekyll, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 12th day of February 1818, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William John Beard, of Phoenix-yard, Princes-street, Cavendish square, in the County of Middlesex, Smith, Farrier, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignee of his estate and effects, on Tuesday next the 30th day of December instant, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Office of Mr. James Hartley, Solicitor, No. 26, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee selling or disposing of the said Bankrupt's stock in trade, furniture, book debts, and other effects, by private contract, as to him shall seem most advisable; and to take such security or securities for the same, payable at such time and times as he may approve; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits at law, or in equity, for recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Anthony Jackson, of Windrush, in the County of Gloucester, Stone-Mason, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 30th day of December instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Office of Mr. Tarn, in Stow-on-the-Wold, in the said County of Gloucester, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling or disposing of the said Bankrupt's freehold cottages, tenements, stone-quarries and land, situate and being in the Parish of Windrush aforesaid, by public auction or private contract, for ready money or upon credit, as to the said Assignees may seem expedient and most beneficial to the said Bankrupt's estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, for recovery of any part of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry Wilckens and John Gabriel Migault, of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, Merchants and Partners, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts' estate and effects, at the Office of Messrs. Pritt and Kewley, Solicitors, Water-Street, Liverpool, on Wednesday the 14th day of January next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, to take into consideration the state and condition of certain premises at Over, in the County of Chester, used as a salt-manufactory, belonging to the said Bankrupts, and the best means of removing certain obstacles which at present prevent their being offered for sale; and also to consider of the propriety of further continuing the manufacture of salt on the said premises for the benefit of the estate, until a sale can be effected, and to give their directions as to the management and superintendance of the same; and on other special matters connected with the said estate.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Cumberlege, late of George-Yard, Lombard-Street, in the City of London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of said Bankrupt, on the 30th day of December instant, at John's Collee-House,

Cornhill, London, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, to confirm an agreement entered into by the said Assignees, subject to the approval of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, for compounding a debt of considerable amount claimed to be due from the said Bankrupt, or otherwise to disallow the said agreement, and to direct the said Assignees what steps they shall take relative to the said debt.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry White, of Warminster, in the County of Wilts, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 30th day of December instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at John's Coffee-House, Cornhill, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees disposing of the lease, if any is belonging to the said Bankrupt, and of the stock in trade, fixtures, and other effects of the said Bankrupt, either altogether or in lots, by private sale or public auction, at such prices, and to such person or persons, and either for ready money or upon such credit or security as the said Assignees shall think proper to accept; and also to the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action at law or suit in equity, for recovery, defence, or protection of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, or any part thereof.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Halmarack, of Newcastle-under-Lyne, in the County of Stafford, Mercer and Draper, are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, at the Swan Inn, Hanley, in the said County of Stafford, on the 15th of January next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, to assent to, or dissent from the said Assignees taking further proceedings in the actions at law already commenced by them against several persons, then and there to be named, for the recovery of debts due to the estate; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting suits at law against several persons, to be also then and there named, for the recovery of debts due to the estate; or to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees disposing of the remaining outstanding debts due to the estate, by public auction; and on other special affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Stanton, of the Strand, in the County of Middlesex, Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on the 26th day of December instant, at Twelve o'Clock precisely, at the Chambers of Messrs. Mayhew and Price, 19, Chancery-Lane, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling by private contract, all the estate and interest of the Bankrupt in his house No. 337, Strand, and the shop and other fixtures belonging thereto, and also all the household furniture, stock in trade, and other property belonging to the said Bankrupt, and also to authorize and empower the said Assignees to employ an accountant in respect of the affairs of the said Bankrupt, and to settle or compound any debt due from or to the said Bankrupt's estate, or to submit to arbitration any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles Myer, late of Somerset-Street, Portman-Square, in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Friday the 26th day of December instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Crown and Rolls, Chancery-Lane, to receive the answer of the Commissioners of His Majesty's woods, forests, and land revenues, to the memorial addressed to them in compliance with the resolution of the Creditors, at the meeting convened by notice in the London Gazette of the 9th instant, and the opinion of counsel taken in pursuance of the same resolution, and to determine on the measures to be adopted in respect of the ground comprised in the agreements between the Crown and the Bankrupt, and of the materials now lying thereon, and of the premises, part of such ground, comprised in the agreement between the Bankrupt and James Smith; and on other special affairs.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date on or about the 15th day of November 1817, was awarded and issued forth against Henry Cooper, of Brixton, in the County of Surrey, Builder, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman; This is to give notice, that the said Commission is, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, superseded

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Wood, of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, 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 29th day of December instant, on the 13th day of January next, and on the 3d day of February following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said days, 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. Charles Hull, Solicitor, No. 8, Chiswell-Street, Finsbury-Square.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Alexander Bruce, John Brown, and George Scott, now or late of London, Army Clothiers, Dealers and Chapman, and who are or late were Copartners in trade, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 27th and 30th of December instant, and on the 3d of February next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of their Certificate. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Messrs. Price and Williams, Solicitors, No. 9, Old-Square, Lincoln's-Inn.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Peter Shortman, of the City of Bristol, Shopkeeper, 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 6th and 7th of January next, and on the 3d of February following, at Twelve at Noon on each day, at the Commercial-Rooms, in Bristol, 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 Messrs. Dax, Son, and Stephenson, Solicitors, No. 23, Doughty-Street, London, or to Messrs. Baynton and Son, Solicitors, Bristol.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Richardby, of the City of Durham, Joiner, 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 20th and 21st days of January next, and on the 3d of February following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each day, at the Wheat Sheaf Inn, in Durham, 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. Charles Wilson, Solicitor, Greville-Street, Gaton-Garden, London, or to Mr. John Hines, Solicitor, Durham.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Travers, of Newton, in the County of Chester, John Travers Ross and Hugh Jones, both of Lower Whitley, in the said County of Chester, Millers, Dealers in Grain, and Copartners in trade (carrying on business at Grimsditch-Mills, within Lower Whitley aforesaid, under the firm of John Travers and Company), and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 14th day of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, on the 15th of the same month, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 3d of February following, at Three in the Afternoon, at the George Inn, in Warrington, in the said County of Lancaster, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of their Certificate. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Messrs. Hurd and Johnson, Inner-Temple, London, or to Mr. Dodd, Solicitor, Warrington.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Henry Wylie and William John Richardson, of Abchurch-Lane, in the City of London, Merchants and Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 8d and 10th of January next, and on the 3d day of February following, at Twelve at Noon, on each of the said days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the Last Sitting, the said Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of their Certificate. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Mr. Charles Wright, Solicitor, Fenchurch-Street.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Williams, of Leadenhall-Street, in the City of 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 3d and 10th days of January next, and on the 3d day of February following, at Eleven of the 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 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 Messrs. Kearsey and Spurr, Solicitors, Bishopsgate-Street.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Wingfield, of Long-Lane, West-Smithfield, in the City of London, Saddler and Harness-Maker, 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 30th day of December instant, on the 6th day of January next, and on the 3d day of February following, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon on each of the said days, 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. Allan, Solicitor, Frederick's-Place, Old Jewry, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Fletcher and William Yeates, of Brrighthelastone, in the County of Sussex, Copartners, Tailors and Drapers, Dealers and Chapmen, intend to meet on the 10th day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 20th of December instant), to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupts; when and where they are required to surrender themselves, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects, and finish their Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of their Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Walker, of Upper Russell-Street, Bermondsey, in the County of Surrey, Glue-Maker, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 3d day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 16th day of December instant), in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Charles William Walker, of the Marine Library, Brrighthelastone, in the County of Sussex, Stationer and Jeweller, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by further Adjournment from the 16th of December instant), in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Davies, of the City of Canterbury, in the County of Kent, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 6th instant), in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Nicholson and John Brown, now or late of Bow-Lane, Cheapside, in the City of London, Pin, Needle, and Fish-Hook-Manufacturers, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen (trading under the firm of Nicholson and Co.) intend to meet on the 3d day of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 13th of December instant), to take the Last Examination of John Brown, one of the said Bankrupts; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Francis Kendrick, of Holborn, and George Tyndale, of Aldgate, London, Linen Drapers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 10th day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 16th day of December instant), in order to take the Last Examination of Francis Kendrick, one of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Disclosure and Discovery of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Thomas Reeve and Joseph Leigh (alias Lee), of Bucklersbury, in the City of London, and of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, Warehousemen and Copartners, intend to meet on the 13th day of January next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 2d inst.), to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupts; when and where they are required to surrender themselves, and make a full Disclosure and Discovery of their Estate and Effects, and finish their Examinations; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of their Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Cooper, late of East Cheap, in the City of London, but now of Fenchurch-Street, in the same City, Merchant (lately carrying on business in the City of London, in Partnership with James Alpe and I. Birch, under the firm of Alpe, Cooper, and Birch, intend to meet on the 13th day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 9th of December inst.), in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt bearing date the 16th day of September 1813, awarded and issued forth against George Sharpley, now or late of Southwick, in the County of Southampton, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th day of January next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's-Arms Inn, in Portsea, in order to make a First and Final 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 10th day of February 1816, awarded and issued forth against James Amos and Charles Sutherland, of Saint Helena-Place, in the City of London, Merchants (trading under the firm of James Amos and Co.) intend to meet on the 3d day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 30th of August last), in order to make a Dividend of the Separate Estate and Effects of James Amos, one 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 10th day of February 1816, awarded and issued forth against James Amos and Charles Sutherland, of Saint Helen-Place, in the City of London, Merchants trading under the firm of James Amos and Co., intend to meet on the 3d day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the

30th day of August last), in order to make a Dividend of the Separate Estate and Effects of Charles Sutherland, one 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 20th of February 1816, awarded and issued forth against James Wilkinson, of Oxford, within Warrington, in the County of Lancaster, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 15th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Nag's Head Inn, in Warrington, in the said County of Lancaster, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 11th day of June 1816, awarded and issued forth against John Tallis, of Doncaster, in the County of York, Wholesale Linen-Draper, intend to meet on the 20th day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Guildhall, in Doncaster aforesaid, to make a Further 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 7th of November 1815, awarded and issued forth against William Lakeman, of Stancombe, in the Parish of Harborton, in the County of Devon, Mailster, intend to meet on the 13th day of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the New London Inn, in the City of Exeter, to make a First and Final 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 17th day of May 1817, awarded and issued forth against Othniel Nattali, of Nicholas-Lane, Lombard-Street, in the City of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 1st of November 1816, awarded and issued forth against Samuel Morand, late of Broad-Street, London, but now of Dean-Street, Finsbury-Square, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London ((by Adjournment from the 2d day of August last), in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 14th of December 1812, awarded and issued forth against John Chapple and Thomas Bushell Fitzgibbon, of Mayfield, in the County of Sussex, Brewers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 27th day of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the Joint 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.



**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 1st day of March 1817, awarded and issued forth against William Gillmore Harvey, of Battle, in the County of Sussex, Gun-Powder-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th day of January next, at Twelve at Noon, at Guildhall, London, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 6th day of May 1817, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Jenkins, of Judd-Street, Brunswick-Square, in the County of Middlesex, now or late Master of the Ship City of London, Master-Mariner, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 13th of January next, at Twelve at Noon, at Guildhall, London, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 25th of October 1816, awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Bailey, of Beddington-Corner, near Mitcham, in the County of Surrey, Calico-Printer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 9th day of May 1817, awarded and issued forth against Philip Farrington, of Wood-Street, Cheapside, in the City of London, Silk-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th of December instant, at Twelve at Noon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 20th of December instant), in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 3d day of May 1814, awarded and issued forth against John Knowles Ridley, of Widgeon-Hill, in the Parish of Leominster, in the County of Hereford, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, deceased; intend to meet on the 15th of January next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Guildhall Coffee-House, in the City of Worcester, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 10th day of May 1817, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Jefferson, of Wigton, in the County of Cumberland, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 15th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the King's Arms Inn, in Wigton, to make a Final 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 6th of November 1816, awarded and issued forth against Richard Drabwell, of Doncaster, in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th day of January next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Guildhall, in Doncaster, in the said County of York, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 14th day of May 1816, awarded and issued forth against Edward Robson, of Morpeth, in the County of Northumberland, Hardwareman, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d day of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the George Inn, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 29th day of June 1814, awarded and issued forth against Robert Copland the younger, of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d of January next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the George Inn, in Dale-Street, Liverpool, in order to make a Dividend of the Joint Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt and William Coulborn, late of Liverpool aforesaid, Merchant, deceased, the late Partner of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Joint Creditors of the said Robert Copland and William Coulborn, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 18th day of April 1814, awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Linthorne, of Walbrook, in the City of London, and James Hare Joliffe, late of Quebec, in the Province of Canada, but now of Crewkerne, in the County of Somerset, Merchants and Partners, (trading in London, under the firm of Benjamin Linthorne and Co. and in Canada, under the firm of Linthorne and Joliffe), intend to meet on the 27th day of January next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 14th of November 1815, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Symonds Scott, of Great Saint Helens, Bishopsgate Street, in the City of London, and late of Budge-Row, Cannon-Street, in the said City of London, and formerly of King-Street, Cheapside, in the said City, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 12th day of November 1814, awarded and issued forth against Anthony Fenn Kemp, of Austin-Friars, in the City of London, Merchant (trading under the firm of Anthony Fenn Kemp, junior, and Company) intend to meet on the 31st of January next, at Twelve at Noon, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 27th day of June 1815, awarded and issued forth against Robert M'Brair, late of Fen-Court, Fenchurch-Street, in the City of London, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th day of January next, at One in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 5th ult.), 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 3d of February 1816, awarded and issued forth against John Champney, of Balby, in the County of York, Maltster, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the house of Mr. Richard Branch, the Green Dragon Inn, in Doncaster, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 14th day of May 1817, awarded and issued forth against James Bradshaw, of Postern-Row, Tower-Hill, in the County of Middlesex, Woollen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th day of January next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London (by Adjournment from the 8th day of November last), in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 14th day of March 1816, awarded and issued forth against John Cartwright, late of Saltford, in the County of Somerset, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at the Commercial-Rooms, in the City of Bristol (by Adjournment from the 18th day of December instant), in order to make a Final 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 8th day of June 1811, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Poulton, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the County of Stafford, Potter, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 19th of January next, at Twelve at Noon, at the Swan Inn, in Hanley, in Stafford, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 5th of December 1810, awarded and issued forth against Edward Meeson, late of Aldermanbury, in the City of London, Wholesale Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Final Dividend of the Joint Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, and Richard Stannard, his late Partner in Trade; when and where the Joint Creditors of the said Bankrupt and the said Richard Stannard, 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.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Welchman, of Bradford, in the County of Wilts, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Welchman 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, and also of an Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present

Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Ratcliffe, of Church-Street, Bethnal Green, in the County of Middlesex, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Ratcliffe 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 18th day of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Warne, of Bedford-Street, Covent-Garden, in the County of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe-Maker, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Warne 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, and also of an Act passed in the forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 13th day of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Overton, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Plater, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Overton 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 18th day of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Christopher William Swales, of Somerset-Street, Portman-Square, in the County of Middlesex, Dress-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Christopher William Swales 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 18th day of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Spence, of Bishop-Wearmouth, in the County of Durham, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Spence 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 18th of January next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Christopher Beerenbroek, of Oxford-Street, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great

Britain, that the said Christopher Beerenbroek 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 13th of January next.

**W**Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Smart, of Kingsgate Street, in the County of Middlesex, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Smart 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, and also of another Act passed in the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 13th of January next.

In Saturday's Gazette, page 2598, line 50, in a meeting of Creditors, for Edward Ranfield, of the Parish of Saint Philip and Jacob, Gloucester, read Edward Banfield, &c. &c.

Notice to the Creditors of James Macfarlane, Vintner, in Linlithgow.

December 18, 1817.

**U**PON an application to the Court of Session, in terms of the Statute, the Court, of this date, appointed a general meeting of the Creditors of the said James Macfarlane, to be held within his own Inn or Tavern, in Linlithgow, on Friday the 9th day of January next 1818, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, for the purpose of choosing a new Trustee or Trustees in succession, instead of John Glen, Merchant, in Linlithgow, resigned, with the same powers, and under the same rules and regulations.

Notice to the Creditors of Donald Bethune, Merchant, in Kirkibole, by Tongue, Sutherlandshire.

December 19, 1817.

**U**PON application of a Creditor to the extent required by law, with the consent of the said Donald Bethune, the First Division of the Court of Session, upon the 18th day of December current, sequestrated the whole estate and effects of the said Donald Bethune; and appointed his Creditors to meet within John's Coffee-House, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 31st day of December current, at Twelve at Noon, to choose an Interim Factor on his estate; and to meet again, at the same place and hour, on Thursday the 15th day of January next, for the purpose of naming a Trustee—Of which notice is hereby given to all concerned, in terms of the statute.

Notice to the Creditors of Andrew Rothead and Son, Musical Instrument-Makers, in Edinburgh, as a Company, and of Andrew Rothead and John Rothead, the individual Partners thereof.

Edinburgh, December 15, 1817.

**R**ALPH HARDIE, Writer, in Edinburgh, the Trustee, hereby intimates, that in terms of instructions from the Commissioners on the Bankrupt estate of Messrs. Rothead and Son, a general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Sale-Rooms, Merchant's-Hall, Hunter's-Square, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 8th day of January 1818, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of deciding on the sufficiency of a Cautioner, proposed by the Bankrupts for their composition, in place of Mr. Andrew Lawrie, who, from circumstances, cannot now be received.

ERRATUM in Gazette of 16th December.

In the advertisement of the meeting of the Creditors of Andrew Bissett Webster, Merchant, St. Andrews, for 9th of January next, in place of Tontine Tavern, St. Andrews, read Tontine Tavern, Cupar-Fife.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of Benjamin Carswell (committed by the name of Benjamin Caswell, otherwise Casewell), late of Elham, Kent, Butcher and Farmer; John Turner, late of Saint John's-Square, Middlesex, Hardwareman (surviving partner of the firm of Wilcox and Turner; Richard Freeland, late of Brompton, Kent, Shopkeeper and Tallow Chandler; Thomas Richardson the elder, late of Hadlow, Kent, Potter; Daniel Hooker, late of Adlington, Kent, Shopkeeper; Ambrose Hukins, late of Waltham, Kent, Bricklayer; and William Bishop, late of Staplehurst, Kent, Saddler and Farmer, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Maidstone, in the County of Kent, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Maidstone, in and for the said County, on Thursday the 15th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

BENJAMIN CARSWELL.  
JOHN TURNER.  
RICHARD FREELAND.  
THOMAS RICHARDSON.  
DANIEL HOOKER.  
AMBROSE HUKINS.  
WILLIAM BISHOP.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of William Budge, late of Pawlett, Somersetshire, Dairyman; William Bowring, late of the Parish of Wootton Courtney, in the County of Somerset, Butcher, James Caple, late of Blagdon, Somersetshire, Teazle-Dealer and Farmer; James Gaylard, late of Yeovil, Somersetshire, Labourer (sued with Henry Little); William Giblett, late of Wells, Somersetshire, Carrier; John Glynn, late of Martock, Somersetshire, Labourer; John Hawkins, late of Mudford, Somersetshire, Dairyman; Jeremiah Hodges, late of Berrow, Somersetshire, Carpenter; William Hill, late of Mudford, Somersetshire, Carpenter; Samuel Lye, late of South Pether-ton, Somersetshire, Currier; John Perry, late of Bruton, Somersetshire, Carpenter; Job Richards, late of Berrow, Somersetshire, Currier; James Smith, late of Tintinhull, Somersetshire, Farmer and Shopkeeper; Edmund Jenkins, late of Bridgewater, Somersetshire, Victualler; James Toogood, late of Chilton, formerly of West Camel, Somersetshire, Farmer; William Tucker, late of Pilton, Somersetshire, Baker; Edward Villis, late of the Parish of Overstowey, Somersetshire, Cordwainer; and James Selway, late of Stogursey, Somersetshire, Farmer, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Ivchester, in the County of Somerset, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Wells, in and for the said County, on the 16th of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the Creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the Creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and they do hereby declare, that they are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of their conduct to their Creditors.

WILLIAM BUDGE.  
WILLIAM BOWRING.  
JAMES CAPLE.  
The M mark of JAMES GAYLARD.  
WILLIAM GIBLETT.  
JOHN GLYNN.  
JOHN HAWKINS.  
JEREMIAH HODGES.  
WILLIAM HILL.  
SAMUELL LYE.  
JOHN PERRY.  
JOB RICHARDS.  
JAMES SMITH.  
EDMUND JENKINS.  
JAMES TOOGOOD.  
WILLIAM TUCKER.  
The M mark of EDWARD VILLIS.  
JAMES SELWAY.

**BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—** the petition of John Evans, late of Stafford, in the County of Stafford, Joiner, but now a prisoner for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Stafford, in the County of Stafford, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at Stafford, in and for the said County, on the 14th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning, and that a schedule annexed to the said petition, containing a list of the creditors of the said prisoner, is filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoner may refer; and he doth hereby declare, that he is ready and willing to submit to be examined touching the justice of his conduct towards his creditors.

JOHN EVANS.

**BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—** the petition of Letice Davies, late of the Parish of Llandarog, in the County of Carmarthen, Widow, but now a prisoner for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Carmarthen, in the County of Carmarthen, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Carmarthen, in and for the said County, on Wednesday the 14th of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that a schedule annexed to the said petition, containing a list of the creditors of the said prisoner, is filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoner may refer; and she doth hereby declare, that she is ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of her conduct towards her creditors.

The ✕ mark of LETICE DAVIES.

**BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—** the petitions of William Vipond, late of Princes End, in the County of Stafford, Miner and Huckster; Joseph Granger, late of Tipton, in the County of Stafford, Collier; James Wilkinson, late of Nottingham, but since of Newcastle, in the County of Stafford, Frame Work Knitter; John Smith, late of Walsall, in the County of Stafford, Stocking-Maker and Hosier; Thomas Granger, late of Bilston, in the County of Stafford, Collier and Bootman; and William Humphrison, late of Wolverhampton, in the County of Stafford, Gardener and Huckster, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Stafford, in the County of Stafford, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Stafford, in and for the said County, on Wednesday the 14th day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of all the Creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the Creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and they do hereby declare, that they are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of their conduct towards their creditors.

WILLIAM VIPOND.  
The ✕ mark of JOSEPH GRANGER.  
JAMES WILKINSON.  
JOHN SMITH.  
The ✕ mark of THOMAS GRANGER.  
WILLIAM HUMPHRISON.

**BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—** the petitions of Edward Nangles, late of Preston, Lancashire, Miller; John Donnelly, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Grocer and Flour-Dealer; William Robinson, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Innkeeper; John Peters, late of Pemberton, Lancashire, Miller; William Wyatt, late of Flixton, Lancashire, Shopkeeper and Cotton-Manufacturer; Patrick Moore, formerly of Dublin, Ireland, but late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Silk-Mercer; Giles Cunliffe, late of Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, Cotton-Manufacturer; Edward Smith, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Innkeeper and Cowkeeper; James Lord, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Tobacconist and Dry-Salter; Thomas EmLOW, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Milkman; Edward Bull, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Butcher; Charles Broad, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Innkeeper and Brewer (late a partner in the firm of Broad and Tomlinson, Liverpool, Lancashire, Brewers); Charles Ratcliffe, late of Gosnargh, near Preston, Lancashire, Farmer;

Thomas Wilden, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Carpenter; John Jackson, late of Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, Warehouseman; Andrew Cayton, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Hawker; Robert Cookson, late of Lytham, Lancashire, Mariner; James Lowe, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Baker and Shopkeeper; Archibald Tate, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Joiner; Matthew Stone, late of Salford, Lancashire, Flour-Dealer and Grocer; Robert Higham, formerly of Romily, Cheshire, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Lime-Dealer; John Runcorn, late of Wigan, Lancashire, Joiner; Agnes Smith, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Draper; Matthew Malkin, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Baker and Shopkeeper; John Johnson, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Tailor; John Murray, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Master-Mariner; Robert Lee, late of Heywood, near Bury, Lancashire, Cotton-Weaver; Joseph Hardman, late of Manchester, Lancashire, Publican; William Ratcliffe, late of Adlington, Lancashire, Labourer; Thomas Whittell Waring, late of Liverpool, Lancashire, Merchant; and William Mollineux, late of Blackrod, Lancashire, Labourer, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's Castle of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at Lancaster, in and for the said County, on the 13th of January next, at Ten in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer, and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

EDWARD NANGLES.  
The ✕ mark of JOHN DONNELLY.  
WILLIAM ROBINSON.  
JOHN PETERS.  
WILLIAM WYATT.  
PATRICK MOORE.  
GILES CUNLIFFE.  
EDWARD SMITH.  
JAMES LORD.  
THOMAS EMLOW.  
EDWARD BULL.  
CHARLES BROAD.  
CHARLES RATCLIFFE.  
THOMAS WILDEN.  
JOHN JACKSON.  
ANDREW CAYTON.  
ROBERT COOKSON.  
JAMES LOWE.  
ARCHIBALD TATE.  
MATTHEW STONE.  
ROBERT HIGHAM.  
JOHN RUNCORN.  
AGNES SMITH.  
MATTHEW MALKIN.  
JOHN JOHNSON.  
JOHN MURRAY.  
ROBERT LEE.  
JOSEPH HARDMAN.  
WILLIAM RATCLIFFE.  
THOMAS WHITTELL WARING.  
WILLIAM MOLLINEUX.

**BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—** the petitions of Thomas Baker, late of the Parish of Lesnewth, in the County of Cornwall, Farmer; Timothy Lifechild, late of Penzance, in the County of Cornwall, Hatter and Shopkeeper; Martin Pascoe, late of Gwinnar, in the County of Cornwall, Grocer and Baker; John Williams, late of the Parish of St. Sampson's, in the County of Cornwall, Farmer; John Pellow, formerly of Phillock, in the County of Cornwall, Shopkeeper, but late of the Parish of Germoe, in the said County, Innkeeper; William Ward, late of the Parish of Crowan, in the County of Cornwall, Miner; William Green, late of the Parish of Saint Wenn, in the County of Cornwall, Farmer; Philip Raddall, late of the Parish of South Petherwin, in the County of Cornwall, Farmer; and James Hicks, late of the Parish of Saint Wenn, in the County of Cornwall, Husbandman, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Bodmin, in the County of Cornwall, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Lostwithiel, in and for the

said County, on the 13th of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning; and that schedules, annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the Creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the Creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

The ✕ mark of WILLIAM WARD.  
WILLIAM GREEN.  
PHILIP RADDALL.  
The ✕ mark of JAMES HICKS.  
THOMAS BAKER.  
TIMOTHY LIFECHILD.  
The ✕ mark of MARTIN PASCOE.  
JOHN WILLIAMS.  
JOHN FELLOW.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of John Davies, late of Abergavenny, in the County of Monmouth, Carpenter; Richard Edwards, late of the Parish of Redwick, in the County of Monmouth, Farmer; and Edmund Harris, late of Abercarn, in the Parish of Munnidyslwn, in the County of Monmouth, Victualler and Smith, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's goal of Monmouth, in the County of Monmouth, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at the Town Hall, in the Town of Usk, in and for the said County, on the 12th of January next, at Nine in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the Creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, where all creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

JOHN DAVIES.  
RICHARD EDWARDS.  
The ✕ mark of EDMUND HARRIS.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of James Robinson, late of Penrith, in the County of Cumberland, Horse-Breaker; James Harveyson, late of Breakonwaite, in the County of Cumberland, Farmer; Ann Atkinson, late of Workington, in the County of Cumberland, Shopkeeper; Joseph Leonex, late of Snoddon Close, in the County of Cumberland, Husbandman; Isaac Eelbeck, late of Harrington, in the County of Cumberland, Stone Mason; Mary Harimant, late of Harrington, in the County of Cumberland, Widow; Margaret Roach, late of Workington, in the County of Cumberland, Shopkeeper; William Barton, late of Severham Church Town, in the County of Cumberland, Farmer; and John Little, late of Sebergham Turnpike, in the County of Cumberland, Yeoman, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's goal of Carlisle, in the County of Cumberland, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Cocker-mouth, in and for the said County, on the 13th of January next, at Ten in the Morning; and that schedules, annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and they do hereby declare, that they are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of their conduct towards their creditors.

JAMES ROBINSON.  
JAMES HARVEYSON.  
ANN ATKINSON.  
The ✕ mark of JOSEPH LEONEX.  
ISAAC EELBECK.  
MARY HARIMANT.  
MARGARET ROACH.  
WILLIAM BARTON.  
JOHN LITTLE.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of Samuel Evans, late of Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire, Breeches-Maker and Glover, late a Victualler, and Richard Shepherd, late of Cote, in the same County, Labourer, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's

goal of the Castle of Oxford, in the County of Oxford, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Oxford, in and for the said County, on the 13th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and they do hereby declare, that they are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of their conduct towards their creditors.

SAMUEL EVANS.  
The ✕ mark of RICHARD SHEPHERD.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of Thomas Darley, late of South Kelsey, in the County of Lincoln, Farmer and Coal-Dealer; Edward Raby, late of Market Raisin, in the County of Lincoln, Publican; Matthew Monk Lee, late of Boson, Lincolnshire, Farmer; George Hall, late of North Kelsey, in the County of Lincoln, Farmer; William Simpson, late of Gainsborough, in the County of Lincoln, Fishmonger; George Southwell, late of Soughorpe, in the County of Lincoln, Horse-Dealer; John Hall, late of Hundelby, Lincolnshire, Publican; and Richard Hart, late of Brantbroughton, Lincolnshire, Bricklayer, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's goal of the Castle of Lincoln, in the County of Lincoln, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Lincoln, in and for the said County, on Wednesday the 14th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our Creditors.

THOMAS DARLEY.  
EDWARD RABY.  
MATTHEW MONK LEE.  
GEORGE HALL.  
The ✕ mark of WILLIAM SIMPSON.  
GEORGE SOUTHWELL.  
JOHN HALL.  
RICHARD HART.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petition of Joseph Lonsdale, late of Budle Quay, in the Parish of Balmfrough, in the County of Northumberland, Coal Merchant, but now a prisoner for debt confined in His Majesty's goal of Morpeth, in the County of Northumberland, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at the New Moot Hall, in the Castle Garth, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in and for the said County of Northumberland, on Thursday the 15th of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning; and that a schedule annexed to the said petition, containing a list of the Creditors of the said prisoner, is filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the Creditors of the said prisoner may refer; and doth hereby declare, that he is ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of his conduct towards his creditors.

JOSEPH LONSDALE.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of Henry Todd, late of Bishopthorpe, in the Ainsty of the City of York, Joiner and Grocer, and Thomas Williamson, late of the City of York, Tailor and Draper, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's goal of the City of York, in the City of York, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said City, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at the Guildhall, City of York, in and for the said City, on the 16th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the

Creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

HENRY TODD.  
THOMAS WILLIAMSON.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petitions of James Ollivant, late of Liverpool, Broker; Richard Boardman, of Warrington, Shopkeeper and Hair-Dresser; and Ralph Shorrocks, of Darwen Chapels, in the Parish of Blackburn, Grocer, all in Lancashire, but now prisoners for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Lancaster Castle, in the County of Lancaster, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at Lancaster, in and for the said County, on Tuesday the 13th day of January next, at the hour of Ten of the Clock in the Morning; and that schedules annexed to the said petitions, containing lists of the creditors of the said prisoners, are filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoners may refer; and we do hereby declare, that we are ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of our conduct towards our creditors.

JAMES OLLIVANT.  
RICHARD BOARDMAN.  
RALPH SHORROCK.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petition of Thomas Paisley, late of Silswood-Park, in the County of Northumberland, Farmer, but now a prisoner for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Morpeth, in the County of Northumberland, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which will be holden at the New Moothall, Castle Garth, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in and for the said County, on the 15th of January next, at Ten in the Morning; and that a schedule annexed to the said

petition, containing a list of the creditors of the said prisoner is filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoner may refer; and doth hereby declare, that he is ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of his conduct towards his creditors.

The X mark of THOMAS PAISLEY.

BY order of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors—the petition of Jeffrey Holland, late of Dolbenmaen, in the County of Carnarvon, Clerk, but now a prisoner for debt confined in His Majesty's gaol of Carnarvon, in the County of Carnarvon, will be heard before His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, at an adjournment of the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, which will be holden at Carnarvon, in and for the said County, on the 15th of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; and that a schedule annexed to the said petition, containing a list of the creditors of the said prisoner, is filed in the Office of the said Court, No. 9, Essex-Street, in the Strand, in the County of Middlesex, to which the creditors of the said prisoner may refer; and doth hereby declare, that he is ready and willing to submit to be fully examined touching the justice of his conduct towards his creditors.

JEFFREY HOLLAND.

THE Assignee of the estate and effects of John Judd Weekes, of Walworth, in the County of Surrey, late a Clerk in the Navy-Office, Somerset-House, who hath been discharged under the Insolvent Debtors Act, doth hereby give notice that he will, after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, make a dividend of the monies received from the estate of the said Insolvent among such of the creditors of the said Insolvent as shall prove their debts in the manner directed by the said Act.—London, December 22, 1817.

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