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St. James's, May 20.

AN humble Address of the High-Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury and Gentlemen, Freeholders of the County of Antrim, having been transmitted from Ireland to the Right Honourable the Earl of Sunderland, was, in his Lordship's Absence, presented to his Majesty by the Right Honourable James Stanhope, Esq; one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Ratisbon, May 16. On the 8th Instant the College of Princes were taken up in regulating their Ceremonial with the Ministers of the Counts, from whom they pretend the first Visit, tho' 1st arrived. Letters of the 6th Instant from the Prussian Camp before Stetin, say the King of Sweden's Design in siezing the Island of Usedom, was to march directly to Dantzick, and there join the Transports which he expected from his own Dominions, after which he intended to enter Poland: But it was thought these Measures were broken by the Loss of his Squadron at Sea, and by a considerable Body of Prussians being posted at Wollin. Count Metternich the Electoral Minister of the King of Prussia, has received Orders to get himself ready for a Journey to Vienna, notwithstanding M. Cocceius is there already from the Prussian Court. The said Count has been Residentiary Minister many Years at the Diet, and was employed at the Treaties of Ryswick and Utrecht, and in the Negotiations about the Succession of Neuchatel. His Son, who assists in the College of Princes, will be introduced into that of the Electors, to take Care of Affairs there during his Absence. 'Tis not doubted that Count Metternich's Commission to the Imperial Court relates to the Affairs of the North, concerning which the King of Prussia has written a Letter to the Emperor from the Camp near Stetin, importing in Substance, That his Treaty of Sequestration with the Northern Allies, had been made in the sole View of preserving the Peace of the Empire, and part of the Swedish Territories and Troops out of the Hands of their Enemies: That instead of acknowledging this Piece of Service, the King of Sweden had shewed himself very much dissatisfied at the Transaction, both during his Stay at Bender and since his Return; upon which he (the King of Prussia) had given Assurances of the Sincerity of his Intentions, by several Letters to Stralsund, by sending a Minister of his own thither, by Propositions to the Swedish Envoy M. Friedorff, and by very reasonable Overtures to the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel: That he did not design nor desire the least Advantage to himself on this Occasion, but only to keep his Treaty and secure his own Country, by preventing the mutual Invasions of Pomerania, Saxony, or Poland, which left the King of Sweden at Liberty to act in other Places, where it might be done with much greater Appearance of Advantage: That he was ready to restore Steirn on a Peace in the North, and was willing to admit the Guarantees of the Treaty of Westphalia to be his Securities for the Performance; but that the King of Sweden still persisted to oblige him to break his Treaty without Delay; that his Troops in Wolgast had been dislodged, and Hostilities actually begun by invading the Isle of Usedom, and killing several of his Men there: That the frequent Protestations made by the Swedish and French Envoys had only been to cover this Design the better, and make him secure: That therefore he had been obliged to put himself at the Head of his Army, and should in Conjunction with the Northern Allies and other Princes, take such Measures as might at least be for the Safety of his Country, and the Maintenance of his Treaties. That he hoped the Emperor would approve of this Resolution, since there was no Medium left, but either to enter into such

a Concert, or abandon the Empire to the Will of the King of Sweden and the Danger of a new War: That however, he was still disposed to hearken to an Accommodation, and earnestly desired the Emperor as Head of the Empire, to employ his best Offices for preventing further Hostilities: Lastly, that he should be ready to lay down his Arms as soon as ever the Tranquility in his Neighbourhood was re-established; and should always submit to whatever might be resolved in the Congress at Brunswick under the Emperor's Direction, for carrying on the War, or coming to Terms of Agreement.

Stralsund, May 7. O. S. Two Frigates of 20 to 30 Guns each, and a Gally of 24 Oars have lately been launched at this Place; and another Frigate of about 30 Guns is on the Stocks, which may be ready for launching about the End of this Month. On the 3d Instant arrived here M. de Croissi: He entered this Place without Ceremony, has taken on him the Character of Ambassador Extraordinary, and had Yesterday a private Audience of the King, which lasted about an Hour. Admiral Henck, with 4 or 5 Swedish Frigates, has taken Possession of the Passage at Sea near this Place, called the New Deep; by which Means the Danes will be hindered from coming with their Ships to insult this Town.

Hambourg May 21. The King of Denmark came on the 18th Instant to Fredricksfort, where he viewed the Swedish Men of War taken in the late Action, and was entertained on Board by Vice-Admiral Gabel. Letters from Copenhagen of the 18th advise, that great Diligence was used in fitting out there 6 more Men of War of the Line, which are designed to join the Squadrons commanded by Admiral Raab, and by Vice-Admiral Gabel. We have Advice from Warlaw, that as soon as the King of Poland had received an Account of the Swedes having possessed themselves of the Island of Usedom, he dispatched 5 Expresses to several Saxon Regiments, with Orders to draw together and march with all Expedition towards Great Poland, whither 'twas talk'd his Majesty would go in Person.

Hague, May 24. M. Imhoff, a Privy-Counsellor to the Duke of Brunswick-Wolfenbuttel, arrived here Yesterday, in order to pass over to England, to Congratulate the King in the Name of that Prince, on his Majesty's Accession to the Throne. The Princess Carolina is still detained here by contrary Winds.

Whitehall, May 20. Sir John Norris, Admiral of the Blue, with a Squadron of 20 Men of War, and a Fleet of Merchant Ships under his Convoy, sailed from the Nore the 18th Instant in the Morning for the Baltick, to protect the Trade of his Majesty's Subjects in that Sea.

On the 19th died Charles Earl of Halifax.

St. James's, May 20. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Earl of Burlington, to be Lord Lieutenant of the West-Riding of the County of York, and of the City of York, and County of the same, and the Ansty of York.

His Majesty has been pleased to direct Letters Patents to pass the Seals, for granting the Dignity of Baronet of the Kingdom of Great Britain to George Warrender of Lochend, in the Shire of Haddington, Esq; Lord Provost of the City of Edinburgh.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Robert Clavering, Clerk, and Master of Arts, to be Hebrew Professor in the University of Oxford.

Major Thomas Talmash to be Lieutenant-Governor of Montserrat.

William Wynne, Esq; to be Standard-bearer to His Majesty's Band of Pensioners.

These are to give Notice, that the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of his Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint Money for paying all the Arrears due to the Pensioners belonging to the Chest at Chatham to Lady-Day 1714. and that the said Pay will begin at Chatham on Tuesday the 21st of June next.

The Trustees for disposing by Subscription the South Sea Stock belonging to the Publick give Notice, That the 31st Instant is the last Day appointed for the Payment of the Fifth Tenth Part on each Subscription at the Companies House in Broad street and that on Failure thereof the first Payment will be forfeited.

These are to give Notice, That the General Penny-Post Office, which now is kept in Broad street, will on Thursday the 26th of this Instant May 1715, be removed into St Christopher's Church yard in Threadneedle street near Stock's Market, where Letters and Parcels will be taken in as usual.

The Committee for Letting the Cities Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice that they intend to Let by Lease one Tenement and a Coach house adjoining in Camomile street in the Possession of Thomas Henly and Anne Taylor. One Tenement next Greyhound Alley in Hannsditch known by the Sign of the Blew Ball, and one Tenement in Greyhound Alley adjoining thereto. And one Tenement near the upper end of Grub street in Possession of John Knowles, and a Tenement and Ground behind the same. And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall on Wednesday the 25th Instant, at 4 of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the Premises severally: Of which more particular Information may be had at the Controller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.

The Committee for Letting the Cities Lands in the Account of the Chamber of London give Notice, that they intend to Let by Lease or Grant Liberty for Lighting the City of London and Liberties thereof for Twenty one Years from the 24th Day of June next; and that they will sit in the Council-Chamber in the Guildhall London on Wednesday the 15th Day of June next, at 4 of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the method and manner of Lighting the same; after which they will appoint a further Day for Leasing or Granting thereof

Advertisements.

*** This Day is Published. Forty Eight Sermons and Discourses on several Subjects and Occasions, in Four Volumes, by Robert South, D. D. N. B. The Fourth Volume consisting of 12 Sermons and Discourses, &c. (never before published) may be had alone. Printed for Jonah Bowyer at the Rose in Ludgate-street.

*** This is to give Notice, That Warrants to the Assessors and Collectors of the Land Tax for the Year 1715, will be speedily Printed for Robert Vincent at the Crown and scepter over against Fetter-lane in Fleet street, and Christopher Coningsby at the Ink Bottle over against Clifford's-Inn back Gate in Fetter-lane in Fleetstreet.

John Bollaë, Daniel Hawkey, and Samuel Williams, Esqrs; three of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the County of Cornwall, do give Notice, That on Friday the 3^d Day of June next, they will sell by the Candle, to the best bidder, at the House of Mrs. Pellowe in the Market-place at Penzance in the County aforesaid, all the French Brandies, Claret and White-Wines, (being a considerable Quantity) saved within the Port of Penzance, out of two Dutch Ships lost in January last. The said Goods may be viewed and tasted in the Cellars there on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next before the Sale.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery the Rectory and Parsonage of Meddeth in the County of Cambridge, and all the Tythes of Corn and Hay, and the Lands, Meadow and Pasture Grounds thereto belonging, with the liberty of a Foid Courtie, holden by Lease of the Dean and Chapter of Ely, and now Let to a good Tenant at 150 l. per Ann. and lying within 5 Miles of Roydon, and 6 Miles of Cambridge, late the Estate of Thomas Scyllaud, Deceased, is to be Sold to the best bidder before William Fellowes, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, where Particulars may be had of the said Estate.

THE Estate called Hickmays bouie, with a House, Barne, Dove-house, Barne and Stable, about 130 Acres of Land, between 40 and 50 Acres whereof are Marsh, the rest Arable and Meadow, with a Ferry and Ferry-house thereto belonging, and also a Track of Land whereon great Store of Oylvers breed, in the Parish of St. Thomas the Apostle in the Isle of Harrey in the County of Kent, late the Estate of Thomas Searhouse, deceased, and Let by Lease for 62 l. per Ann. is by Decree of the High Court of Chancery to be Sold to the best Purchaser, before Samuel Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn. where Particulars may be had.

ALL Persons that have pawned any Plate, Rings, Jewels, Watches, wearing Apparel, or other Goods, to Mr. John Church, deceased, at the Sign of the three Vizard Masks and Golden Ball in Hewitts-Court in the Strand, are desired to Redeem the same by Appraisment next, when the House will be Let and the Goods will be Sold.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Criddle of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 27th Instant, and on the 3^d and 20th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to

come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Philip Pike of Monmouth-street in the Parish of St. Giles's in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, and on the 2^d and 20th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Smith of Fiskerton Anger in the County of Wilts, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, and on the 2^d and 20th of June next, at 4 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Anthony Self, sen. late of Westbury Leigh in the County of Wilts, Mercer; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 1st, 6th, and 20th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

THE Commissioners in the renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Colebrooke, late of Gosport in the County of Southampton, Brewer, intend to meet on the 15th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid Contribution money, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they'll be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Diodate of Goodman's Fields in the County of Middlesex, Factor, intend to meet on the 21st of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay Contribution-money, or they'll be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

Whereas Thomas Brooke of Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, hath surrendered himself pursuant to Notice, and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 6th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas George Braier of London, Merchant, hath surrendered himself, (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 8th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Paul Kaye of Spittlefields in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; this is to give Notice that he will attend the Commissioners on the 13th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Thomas Bradford of Endfield in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined, this is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 4th of June next, at 9 in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas the said Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hartley of the Parish of St. Andrews Holbourn in the County of Middlesex, Stationer, have certified to the Right Honourable William Lord Cowper, Baron of Wingham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts; this is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 10th Day of June next.

Whereas the said Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Francis Bradshaw, of Fleet-street, London, Sadler, have certified to the Right Honourable William Lord Cowper, Baron of Wingham, Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts; this is to give Notice that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 10th of June next.

Stolen or Strayed, on Friday Night May the 5th, out of Cambridge Common in the County of Cambridge, a Bay Mare, with a Black Mane, a Black Cut Tail, no White, about 14 Hands high, or 14 and an Inch, 4 Years old, about 10 l. Price. If any Person produces her or order her to be brought to the Vice-Lie within six days, at London, or to the Picketin near the Great Bridge, Cambridge, shall have all Charges paid and a reasonable Reward.