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St. James's, December 2.

THIS Day the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London, waited on His Majesty, to congratulate Him on His safe Arrival; and Mr. Recorder made their Compliments to His Majesty, to the Effect following;

May it please your Majesty,

THE Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London most humbly entreat your Majesty's Permission to congratulate your safe Return to Great Britain.

They are very sensible that (during your Majesty's Absence) your Royal Mind has been employed for the Welfare and Security of this Kingdom. That your Majesty's Cares have been extended for the Preservation of the Tranquillity of Europe, for the Cause of Religion and Liberty, and for the Good of Mankind; by pursuing of which noble Views, your Majesty establishes your Glory upon the most solid Foundation.

Your Majesty's more immediate Concern for the Prosperity of Great Britain, and your most tender Regard for your People, has been evident in a peculiar manner through the whole Course of your Reign.

By your Wisdom and the Vigilance of your Councils, your Majesty has secured them against all Attempts of their Enemies at Home and Abroad: By your constant and steady Adherence to our excellent Constitution in Church and State, your Majesty has protected them in the full Enjoyment of their Laws, their Liberties, and all their Rights and Privileges.

Therefore, Sir, Gratitude, Duty and Interest must command their Affection to your Majesty's Royal Person, and their Zeal for the Support of your Government.

These your Majesty's most faithful and dutiful Subjects humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, not only of their ardent Wishes for the long Continuance of your Majesty's Reign, but of their most hearty Endeavours in their Sphere, that it may in every respect be Prosperous and happy. And are persuaded, they can do nothing which will give your Majesty to great a Satisfaction, as their being vigilant to suppress all Disorders, and to preserve the publick Peace, and promoting to the utmost of their Power, the Trade, the Wealth, the flourishing Condition and Happiness of all your People.

His Majesty was pleased to receive them very graciously; and to confer the Honour of Knighthood on Felix Feast, Esq; one of the Sheriffs.

Leicester-House, January 1.

This Day M. de Chavigni Envoy Extraordinary from France, being just arrived from Hanover, had his first private Audiences of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales in their respective Apartments, to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, January 3.

This Day M. Chavigni had a private Audience of the young Princesses, being introduced by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, January 4, 1723.

His Grace the Duke of Grafton Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, having transmitted to His Majesty the following Extract of a Letter from Richard Davies and Richard White, Esqs; Justices of the Peace, dated at Bantry in the County of Carke, Dec. 4, 1723, His Majesty has been pleased to give Direction that the same should be published, so the end the Owners of the Vessel may take such Measures as the Law appoints for recovering it, and for punishing the Criminals, who are kept in Custody in Ireland in order to their being brought to Justice.

CARTERET.

Bantry, Dec. 4, 1723.

ON Friday the 29th of November ult a Sloop of about 40 Tons, arrived in our Harbour of Bantry, commanded by John Applegath, and having three other Men and one Boy on Board: He called her the William and Thomas of Cromerty in Scotland, pretended she was homeward-bound from the Island Palma, with a little Wine and some Pitch, and told a formal story to that Purpose, but suffering much in their Passage thro' the Severity of Weather, did not think it worth while to carry her Home, and therefore exposed the Vessel and Cargo to Sale in this Place, and accordingly that same Evening sold them to Henry Galwey, Merchant in this Town.

But by Information since given to us, the Fact is, That about the Beginning of August last, the Thomas and Anne Sloop of London, Thomas Reay (a Quaker) Master, of about 40 Tons, sailed in Ballast from the River Thames to Shoaram, with the said Master, three Sailors, and the said Boy on Board; at Shoaram they took in a Loading of Wheat upon Freight to Lisbon, where they deliver'd that Cargo, and the three Sailors leaving the Master, he hired three more there, and took in a Loading of Salt and Tobacco on the King of Portugal's Account for the Island of St. Michael's, where they arrived in the Beginning of October, and having delivered the Tobacco and most of the Salt, they took in Part of another Loading of Wheat on the same Account for the Garrison of Massagan on the Coast of Barbary, and most of the said Loading being on Board, and the said Master Thomas Ray sick on Shore, John Applegath and the other two Sailors cut the Cables in the Evening about the 20th of October, and run away with the Vessel and Cargo and Boy to the Island Palma, where John Applegath assuming to be Master and Part Owner, changed the Name of the Vessel, and called her the William and Thomas, and selling the Cargo, took in some Wine and Pitch, but being frighten'd by an Account of another Ship making into the same Bay, hoisted Sails and put to Sea with little or no Loading or Provisions on Board, and went round the Western Islands to prevent a Pursuit, and after 30 Days and a great deal of bad Weather arrived in Bantry on the 29th of November last.

The Lords and others Commissioners for the Affairs of the Royal Hospital near Chelsea hereby give Notice, That all the Out-Pensioners (as well Letter-men as others) belonging to the said Hospital, residing in London and within 20 Miles thereof, are required to make their Personal Appearance before the 25th of February next, at the Secretary's Office in the said Hospital, where Attendance will be given every Tuesday and Wednesday (and no other Day,) from Eight of the Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, in order to take their said Appearance: And that all such Out-Pensioners that are at as a further Distance, do forthwith apply themselves to the next Justice of the Peace where they reside, and make Oath of their being Pensioners of the said Hospital, mentioning the Regiment they did belong to, how long they served, their Age, how wounded or disabled, the present Place of their Abode, and that they are no otherwise provided for by the Government; to the Intent the Commissioners for the said Hospital may be satisfied that such Persons are the same that have passed their Examination; which Affidavits are to be sent by the General Post only, directed to the Right Honourable Spencer Compton, Esq; Paymaster General, at the Horse-Guards, London; that no one will be entered on the Pay-Book, or entitled to the said Pension, but such as make their Appearance, or send Affidavits as before directed.

Kingmill Eyre, Secr.

African-House, January 3, 1723.

The Court of Assistants of the Royal African Company of England give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday next the 8th Instant, at Twelve of the Clock. By Order of the Court of Assistants.

Fra. Lynn.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, Dec 20, 1723.

The Trustees for Raising Money on the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, That they intend to expose to Sale in the Hall of the South-Sea House, on Tuesday the 21st Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the several Estates following, viz. The Mannor of Canningham in the County of Lincoln, and a House at Balgook in the County of Hertford, late the Estates of Sir Robert Chaplin, Bart. (one of the said late Directors) an Estate at Hoxton in the County of Hertford, late the Estate of Sir Theodore Jasssen, Bart. (one other of the said late Directors.) Several Freehold and Copyhold Estates in Manewden, High-Onger, Blackmore, Abbers Roking, Nafswell, and Roydon, in the County of Essex, and in Haysden, and Steuenge, in the County of Hertford, late the Estates of Robert Chester, Esq; (one other of the said late Director.) And the Mannor of Crowhurst in the County of Surrey, late the Estate of Edward Gibbou, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees said Office.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, Jan. 3, 1724.

The Trustees for Raising Money on the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, That on Wednesday the 5th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, will be exposed to Sale by Sale or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, the several Estate following, viz. The Mannor of Shalford, in the County of Essex, late the Estate of Colonel Hugh Raymond, (one of the said late Directors.) The new Mills in Rotherfield Peppard, in the County of Oxford, and a Farm in Cold Norton in the Parish of Cave sham in the said County, late the Estates of Francis Hawes, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) A Freehold Estate in East-Smithfield, and several Leasehold Houses in Thames-street, London, late the Estate of Robert Chester, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) A House in Queen-Square, Ormond-street, and two Houses in Jocky Fields, and several Houses in Thomas street, late the Estates of Mr. Robert Surman, (late Deputy Cashier of the South-Sea Company.) Particulars of the said Estates may be had on Thursday the 9th of January Instant, at the Trustees said Office.

Advertisements.

Notice is hereby give to the Creditors of Hannah Hirst, late of St. James's, Westminister, Widow, deceased, that they do, pursuant to a Decree, of the High Court of Chancery, & with cause before Henry Lovison, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Little Lincoln-Inn-Fields, London, and prove their respective Debts, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt issued against John Hitchcock, of London, Merchant, will meet on the 15th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at which Time the Assignees will put up to Sale the Remainder of a Term in a Lease of the Mannor of Welton, in the County of Surrey, held of the Crown; as also the Mannor-House, furnished or unfurnished, with Outh ykes, Grasses and Orchards, containing about three Acres together, a Field of Pasture Ground containing about two Acres, and also three Cottages with the Appurtenances, all situate on or near Welton-Crope in the said County of Surrey; Particulars may be had of Mr. Joshua Hinton, Attorney, in Ditchfield Lane.

The Creditors of Mr. D. Niel Bradley, late of Atterham Key, in the Parish of Upchurch, in the County of Kent, who are Creditors by Judgment, Bond, or other Specialties, are desired by the Administratrix to give Notice thereof, on or before the 11th Day of February next, to Mr. Richard Sheafe, Attorney, in Rochester, or to Mr. Joshua Hinton, Attorney, in Ditchfield Lane, London, in order to receive a proportionable Dividend of the said Intestate's Estate.

The Creditors upon Judgment, Bond, or any other Specialties, of Thomas Gregory, late of Fleet-Street, London, Silkman, deceased, who have not yet discovered their Debts to his Administrators, are hereby desired to send an Account thereof forthwith to Mr. Robert Phillimore, at Mr. Neve's, an Attorney, in Freeman's-Court, Cornhill, London, in order to their being satisfied, the Administrators being going to make a Dividend of the said Thomas Gregory's Estate amongst the rest of the Creditors.

On the 26th of December last, one Mr. William Ball, alias Brooks, died at the House of Mr. James Hewitt, at the Sign of the Peacock in the City of Coventry, having left some Effects there. This is to give Notice to his Relations, or to whom it may concern, that they may come and pay the Charge, and receive the Effects of the above-said Deceased.

This is to give Notice to all Persons that have any Plate, Rings, Jewels, Wearing Apparel, Household Goods, or any Goods whatsoever, pledged for Money, in their own Name, or in the Name of any other Person, now in the Keeping or Possession of Mrs. Abigail Woodvins, alias Seley, living in Parrot-Alley in East-Smithfield, That they pay the Money which shall be due on such Plate, Rings, Jewels, Wearing Apparel, Household Goods, or other Goods whatsoever, on or before the 4th Day of February next, the Person desiring to leave off her Business.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Jordan, late of Gosport, in the County of Southampton, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 11th and 18th Instant, and on the 3^d of February next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the Naval Coffee-house at Portsmouth, in the said County of Southampton; and at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Joseph Billish, Attorney, in Portsmouth.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Dent, of Charing-Cross, in the County of Middlesex, Mercer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 13th and 20th Instant, and on the 3^d of February next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Messieurs Dandy and Dyer, Attorneys, the Corner of Aldermanbury, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Wilkinson, late of York Fields, in the County of York, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 16th and 17th Instant, and on the 3^d of February next, at the House of John Scooby, Inholder, in Wakefield aforesaid, called the White Bear, at Ten in the Forenoon; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hall, late of Norley, in the County of Cheshire, Cheshire-factor, intend to meet at the White Talbot in Cheshire, on Tuesday the 4th of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons who are indebted to, or have any of the Bankrupt's Effects, are then to pay and deliver the same to the Assignee, or they will be sued for the same.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Ellis Sizer, of Kirkby Malhamdale, in the County of York, Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th of January Instant, at John Hamilton's, being the Sign of the George in Fossegate in York, in order to make a second and last Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

Whereas John Stockwell, late of the Parish of St. George, in the County of Surrey, Uphoker, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of January Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and to object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate, in order for his Discharge.

Whereas Benjamin Bradshaw, of Southwark, in the County of Surrey, Uphoker, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of January Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and to object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

Whereas Simon Wood, late of Bewdley, in the County of Worcester, Mercer, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 20th of January Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and 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 acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Benjamin Taylor, of Dorking, Street near Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Peruke-maker, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Benjamin Taylor 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 24th of January Instant.