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Westminster, May 28.

HIS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes, seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to several publick and private Bills.

After which His Majesty was pleased to make the following most gracious Speech.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE Dispatch you have given to the publick Business, and the advanced Season of the Year, make it proper for me to put an End to this Session of Parliament.

The Zeal and Unanimity which you have shewn in all your Proceedings, with Regard to the true Interest of your Country, and in Support of the common Cause, have fully answered my Expectations, and will, I am persuaded, give general Satisfaction here at Home, and cannot fail of having their due Weight and Influence Abroad.

I expect to hear very soon that the Congress is opened: The Preliminary Articles having laid so good a Foundation for a general Pacification, I hope all Parties will bring with them such favourable Dispositions for finishing and perfecting this desirable Work, that we shall soon see a happy Conclusion of this important Transaction, with that Satisfaction to me and my Allies, which may reasonably be expected from the Justice of our Cause, and the mutual Confidence which is established among us.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I return you my Thanks for the effectual Supplies you have raised for the Service of the Year. The prudent Application you have made of the Produce of the Sinking Fund, will contribute to the Support of the Publick Credit; and the Power you have given me of borrowing Five Hundred Thousand Pounds

for the Discharge of the Seamens Wages, will meet with universal Approbation.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

It is unnecessary for me to recommend, in any particular Manner, to your Care, the Preservation of the publick Peace in your several Stations and Countries. Your own Inclinations will naturally lead you, by a due Execution of the Lawes, and a faithful Administration of Justice, to promote, upon all Occasions, the Welfare and Prosperity of my People.

And then the Lord Chancellour, by His Majesty's Command, said,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

It is His Majesty's Royal Will and Pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued to Thursday the Eighth Day of August next, to be then here held; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the Eighth Day of August next.

St. James's, May 24.

This Day Sig. Giacinto Fiorelli, who has resided here several Years with the Character of Secretary from the most Serene Republick of Venice, being recalled, had a private Audience of Leave of His Majesty, to which he was introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

He had afterwards a private Audience of Leave of Her Majesty, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Grantham Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by the Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, May 27. This Day Sig. Fiorelli had a private Audience of Leave of His Royal Highness the Duke;

And also of Her Royal Highness the Princess Royal, and Her Royal Highness the Princess Caroline; to whom he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, May 28.

His Majesty has been pleased to create Sir John Hobart, Bart. and Knight of the Bath, a Baron of the Kingdom of Great Britain, by the Name Stile and Title of Baron Hobart of Blickling, in the County of Norfolk.

Sir

Sir John Monson, Bart. and Knight of the Bath, a Baron of the Kingdom of Great Britain, by the Name Stile and Title of Baron Monson, of Burton, in the County of Lincoln.

Sir Thomas Coke, Knight of the Bath, a Baron of the Kingdom of Great Britain, by the Name Stile and Title of Baron Lovell, of Minster-Lovell, in the County of Oxon.

Sir Thomas Wentworth, Knight of the Bath, a Baron of the Kingdom of Great Britain, by the Name Stile and Title of Baron of Malton, in the County of York.

Exchequer, May 27, 1728.

The Paymaster of the several Lotteries gives Notice, That he hath Money reserv'd in his Hands to pay off the Annuities on Benefit Tickets in the Lottery Anno 1710, which became due at Lady-Day 1728.

Office of Ordnance, May 20, 1728.

The Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That on Thursday the 30th of this Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, they shall be ready to sell to the best Bidder, by Auction, at the Office of Ordnance in the Tower of London, several Parcels of Small Arms, and other old Stores, which may be seen till the Time of Sale at the said Office.

General Post-Office, May 22, 1728.

This is to give Notice, that the Postmaster General hath ordered Pacquet Boats to be again put upon the Corunna or Groyne Station as before the War with Spain; and that Letters for Spain, and the Northern Parts of Portugal, will be taken in accordingly upon Tuesday the 4th Day of June next, and so constantly upon every Tuesday Fortnight following, as it hath been usual.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,
May 22, 1728.

The Directors of His Majesty's Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich do hereby give Notice, that such Shoemakers as are willing to serve the said Hospital with Shoes for the Pensioners there, may give in their Proposals to them, sealed up, on Wednesday the 5th of June next, at Twelve a-Clock, at Salters Hall; and in the mean Time they may see a Sample Shoe at the Steward's Lodgings in the said Hospital.

The Directors of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a perpetual Assurance Office do hereby give Notice, that all Members of the said Corporation who shall be Five Quarters in Arrear at Midsummer-Day next, will be excluded at the next General Court, unless they pay their Arrears on or before the 25th Day of July next.

Tho. Hodgson, Secr.

In last Saturday's Gazette, in the last Line of the Advertisement for Sale of the Estate of Samuel Montague, for Richard Walker, read Reimerd Watkins, Clerk.

Advertisements.

A Pleasant and improveable Freehold Estate of about 280 l. per Annum, at Bishopton, in the County of Durham, is to be forthwith sold. Enquire of Mr. George Wilson, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-lane.

Notice is hereby given, that the Creditors of the late Right Honourable Esther Hewart, Marchioness Dowager de Gouvernnet, are, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, to come in and prove their Debts before William Kinafton, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on or before the 1st Day of August next.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against William Wright, of Redenhall cum Harleston, in the County of Norfolk, Vintner, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 5th, 12th and 27th of June next, at Two in the Afternoon, at the White Swan Inn

in Redenhall cum Harleston aforesaid; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas Edward Pullin the Younger, of Cricklade, in the County of Wilts, Chandler, and John Trotman, of Blunsdon, in the said County of Wilts, Yeoman, are chosen Assignees of the Estate and Effects of Thomas Withers, late of Farringdon, in the County of Berks, Staymaker, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded; All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or to his Estate, or who have any Goods or Effects of the said Bankrupt's in their Hands, are required to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, and no other, or they will be prosecuted for the same.

Whereas Henry Smith, late of the City of Bristol, Linnendrapery, hath surrendered himself, pursuant to Notice, and been twice examined: This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 10th of June next, at the House of John Tudbury, called the Elephant Coffee House in Bristol, 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 John Clarke, of the Parish of St. Edmund the King, London, Turner, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined: This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 10th of June next, 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 Charles Hubbard, of Paten-Nofer-Row, London, Peruke-maker, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 10th of June next, 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 Elizabeth Harrison, of the City of York, Widow and Chapwoman, hath surrendered herself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that she will attend the Commissioners on the 10th of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish her 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 her Certificate.

The Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Barlow, late of Bury, in the County of Lancaster, Tobaccaciff, intend to meet on the 20th of July next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of James Howarth, at the Sign of the Fleece in the Danes-Gate, Manchester, in order to make a further 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.

The Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Potter, late of Colchester, in the County of Essex, Woollendrapery, intend to meet on the 5th of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to take the Assignees Accounts, when the said Assignees are required to bring in and make up the same; when the Creditors that have not proved their Debts, may come prepared to do the same, and pay Contribution-Money.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Watts, late of London, Marriner, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Henry Watts 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 shewn to the contrary on or before the 17th of June next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Norris, of Great Chelfea, in the County of Middlesex, Gardiner and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said George Norris 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 shewn to the contrary on or before the 17th of June next.