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Petersbourg, February 5, O. S.

THE 3d Instant being the Czarina's Name-day, all the Foreign Ministers were invited to Dine and Sup at Court. In the Afternoon Major Biron, the Great Chamberlain's youngest Brother, was betrothed to Prince Menzicoff's Daughter. At Night there was a Ball and a fine Firework.

Stockholm, Feb. 9, O. S. Count Gallowin, Minister from the Czarina, had his Audience of Leave the 5th Instant, and will set out this Week. The great Snows have retarded Prince Maximilian of Hesse's Departure till this Morning; and his Swedish Majesty accompanies him Part of the Way.

Whitehall, February 29.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto John Baron, Master of Arts, the Archdeaconry of Norfolk, void by the Promotion of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. Thomas Tanner to the Bishoprick of St. Asaph.

His Majesty has been pleased to confer the Dignity of a Baronet of Great Britain upon Robert Brown of the City and Liberty of Westminster, Esq.

East India House, Feb. 23, 1731.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Compa-

ny will be holden at their House in Lendenhall-street, London, on Wednesday the 22d of March next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, the same being a Quarterly Court; and that a General Court of the said Company will be holden at the same Place on Wednesday the 5th of April next, for the Election of Twenty Four Directors for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine a Clock in the Morning till Six in the Afternoon of the said Day; after which Time no Bills will be taken in. That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Friday the 24th of March next; and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up on Thursday the 9th of March next, and opened again on Thursday the 13th of April next.

Union Fire-Office.

The Directors of the Union Society for Insuring Goods and Merchandize from Loss by Fire, give Notice, that the Half Yearly General Meeting of the said Society will be held at their Office in Gutter Lane, Chancery-side, on Wednesday the 22d of March, 1731, at Three in the Afternoon; where all who are insured in the said Office are desired to be present.

Advertisements.

Newly published,

†† A Sermon preached before the House of Lords, in the Abbey Church at Westminster, upon Monday January 21, 1731. Being the Day appointed to be kept as the Day of the Martyrdom of King Charles-the First. By Francis Lord Bishop of Chichester. Printed by S. Buckley in Amen-Corner. And Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-Lane. Price 6 d.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Heighes Woodford, late of Epsom, in the County of Surry, Clerk, deceased, are to come before Anthony

thony Allen, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Cusitor's-Street, Chancery-lane, to prove their several and respective Demands, on or before the 4th Day of April next, or they will be absolutely excluded the Benefit of the said Decree, a Distribution being then to be made.

IN pursuance of a Decree and Order of the High Court of Chancery, a Commission is to be executed upon Monday the 20th Day of March next, at the Dwelling House of Thomas Paltrey, called the Golden Lyon in the Town of Brecon, in the County of Brecon; between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the poor Relations of John Jeffereys, Esq; deceased, the Testator in the said Order mention'd to prove their Consanguinity to him: This is to give Notice to all the poor Relations of the said John Jeffereys, Esq; as are of the Degree of third Cousins, or nearer of Kin to him, to come before William Kynaston, Esq; one of the Masters of this Court, or at the Execution of the said Commission, and prove the same; and that such of them as do not prove their Kin at such Commission, or before the said Master, will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

WHereas the Commissioners named in the renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Homer, of Tamworth, in the County of Warwick, Mercer, intended to have met on the 24th Instant, in order to have made a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; but by an unavoidable Accident the same was prevented: This therefore is to give Notice, that the Commissioners will meet on Thursday the 9th of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; at which Time, all Persons concerned are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution Money, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against George Whale, of Aishmansthorpe, in the County of Southampton, Shoemaker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 10th and 24th of March next, and on the 6th of April following, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the House of John Jones, being the Swan Inn in Andover, in the said County, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and then the Commissioners will chuse Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Hewitt, of the City of Coventry, Innholder and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 14th and 20th of March next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution-Money, and at the first Sitting the Commissioners will appoint Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Estate or Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Long, Attorney, in Church-Fryars, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Sarah Stephens, of the Parish of Paynswicke, in the County of Gloucester, Clothier, and she being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender herself to the Commissioners on the 13th and 20th of March next, and on the 3d of April following, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of John White, being called or known by the Name or Sign of the Faulcon in Paynswicke, aforesaid, and make a full Discovery of her Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution-Money, and at the second Sitting the Commissioners will appoint Assignees: And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the

Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice thereof to Mr John Bell, Attorney, in the City of Gloucester.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Horley, of Henley in Arden, in the County of Warwick, Tallow-Chandler and Grocer, intend to meet on the 3d of April next, at Twelve in the Forenoon, at the House of Mrs Gerrard, called or known by the Name of the Swann Inn in Henley in Arden aforesaid, in order 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hutt, of St. Paul's Church-yard, London, Upholsterer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of March next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order 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; which will peremptorily be made on that Day.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Stevens, of Nicholas-Lane, London, Vintner, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Stevens 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 Third Year of his present Majesty's Reign) his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Francis Russell, of Norkett, in the Parish of Hayes, in the County of Middlesex, Innholder and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Francis Russell 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 third Year of his present Majesty's Reign) his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Palmer, of Oakingham, in the County of Berks, Mercer, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Richard Palmer 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 Third Year of his present Majesty's Reign) his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of March next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Amstuck, of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Amstuck 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 third Year of his present Majesty's Reign) his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 21st of March next.