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P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to enable his Majesty to make Rules, Orders, and Regulations, more effectually to prevent the spreading of the Distemper which now rages amongst the horned Cattle in this Kingdom;" it is enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for his Majesty, his Heirs, and Successors, by and with the Advice of his or their Privy Council, from time to time, to make such Rules, Orders, and Regulations, or to vary or repeal the same, as he or they shall judge most expedient and effectual in Great-Britain, Ireland, and all other his Majesty's Dominions, for putting a Stop to, or preventing the spreading of the said Distemper; and whosoever shall offend against any such Rules, Orders, Regulations, or Variations, being convicted thereof before any Justice or Justices of the Peace for any County, Riding, Division, City, Liberty, or Town Corporate, where such Offence shall be committed, are made subject to the Penalty of Ten Pounds; one Moiety to the Informer, and the other Moiety to the Poor of the Parish; to be levied by Distress; and in Default of Distress, the Offender to be committed by such Justice or Justices to the House of Correction for three Months; and that such Rules, Orders, and Regulations shall be publicly read upon the next Sunday after the Receipt of the same, and the first Sunday in every subsequent Month, during the Time the same shall continue in Force, immediately after the Prayers, in all Parish Churches, Chapels, and other Places set apart for divine Worship; and every such Order, Rule and Regulation, shall be kept by the Minister of every Parish Church, Chapel, or Place, who shall permit any Person residing

within his Parish, Chapelry, or Place, to read the same, during the Time such Rule, Order, or Regulation shall continue in Force. And it is further enacted by the said Act, That the Removal, Driving, or Sale of every Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer, or Heifer, contrary to any such Rule, Order, or Regulation, shall be deemed a distinct and separate Offence within the Intent and Meaning of the said Act.

And whereas, in pursuance of the Powers thereby vested in the Crown, his Majesty was pleased, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, on the 12th Day of March last, to make several Rules, Orders, and Regulations, for the more effectual putting a Stop to the spreading of the said Distemper amongst the horned Cattle: And for the better Notification thereof, his Majesty caused the same to be printed and published, and distributed to every Parish throughout the Kingdom; yet notwithstanding the same, his Majesty hath received Information, that through the Neglect of the Officers, and others appointed to carry the said Order into Execution, divers infected Cattle have been suffered to be drove to Fairs, Markets, and Towns; and that the Hides of infected Cattle have been likewise suffered to be carried thither; by Means whereof the Distemper hath not only been continued, but spread into many Parts of the Kingdom; and that notwithstanding the Justices of the Peace were empowered by the aforementioned Order to appoint proper Persons to be Inspectors of the Cattle, Grounds, &c. in their respective Districts, yet that few or none had been appointed; His Majesty taking the same into Consideration, and being desirous of contributing, as far as in him lies, to the putting a Stop to the spreading thereof, which if not timely prevented, may end in the entire Destruction of the horned Cattle, doth therefore, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, hereby order, require, and command, that for the Space of three Calendar Months, to be computed and begin from the Twenty seventh Day of this Instant December, no Person do send, drive, or remove, or cause to be driven, sent, or removed, any Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer, or Heifer, out

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of any Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of Great-Britain called England, to any Fair, Market, or any other Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of Great-Britain called England; or do buy, sell, or expose or offer to Sale, any Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer, or Heifer, in any such Fair, Market, Town, Parish, or extraparochial Place whatsoever, except fat Cows and Oxen ready for immediate Slaughter. And for the greater Certainty, that such fatted Cattle are not infected, or come from any infected Place or Herd, his Majesty doth hereby further require and command, that no Person or Persons whatsoever do, for and during the said Term of three Months, buy, sell, or expose, or offer to Sale, or cause to be bought, sold, or exposed, or offered to Sale, in any Fair, Market, or any Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of the Kingdom of Great-Britain called England, or to drive, remove, or send, or cause to be driven, removed, or sent to any Fair, Market, or other Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of the Kingdom of Great-Britain called England, any such fatted Beast or Beasts, unless the Owner or Owners of such Beast or Beasts shall deliver, or cause to be delivered to the Constable, or other Officer attending such Fair or Market, or to the Clerk of such Market, or to some Inspector or Inspectors, appointed or to be appointed to attend such Fair or Market, (which Inspector or Inspectors the Justices of the Peace in their several Divisions are hereby authorized and required to appoint,) in Case the same shall be driven, removed, or sent to, or shall be sold, or exposed, or offered to Sale, in any Fair or Market; or otherwise to one of the Churchwardens, Overseers of the Poor, or Constables of the Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place, to which such Beast or Beasts shall be driven, removed, or sent, or where such Beast or Beasts shall be sold, or exposed, or offered to Sale, or to some Inspector to be appointed by the Justices of the Peace in that Behalf, a Certificate under the Hand and Seal, or Hands and Seals, of one or more Justice or Justices of the Peace of the County, Riding, Division, City, Liberty, or Town Corporate, from whence such Beast or Beasts shall be brought, specifying the Name or Names, and Place or Places of Abode of the Owner or Owners of such Beast or Beasts; and that, upon Examination on Oath of one or more credible Person or Persons, it appeared to him or them, that the said Beast or Beasts, and the Herd or Herds, out of which the same was or were taken, was or were, and had been, for the Space of six Weeks next before the Date of such Certificate, intirely free from the said Distemper or Infection.

And his Majesty doth hereby further require and command, that no Person or Persons shall, from and after the said Twenty seventh Day of this Instant December, buy, sell, or expose, or offer to Sale, or cause to be bought, sold, or exposed, or offered to Sale, in any Fair, or Market, or any Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of the Kingdom of Great-Britain called England, or shall bring or send, or cause to be brought or sent to any Fair, Market, or Town, Parish or Extraparochial Place whatsoever, within that Part of the Kingdom of Great Britain, called England, any raw Hide or Skin of any Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer, or Heifer, unless the Owner or Owners of such Hide or Skin shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, to some Constable, Clerk, Churchwarden, Overseer of the Poor, Inspector, or other Officer as aforesaid, as the Case shall happen to be, a Certificate, under the Hand and Seal, or Hands and Seals of one or more Justice or Justices of the Peace, specifying the Name or Names, and Place or Places of Abode of the Owner or Owners of such Hide or Skin; and that upon Examination on the Oath of one or more credible Person or Persons, it appeared to him or them, that the Beast, from which such Hide or Skin was taken, was found and free from Infection.

And for the more easy carrying this Order into Execution, his Majesty doth hereby require and command, That the aforesaid Oath or Oaths shall and may be administered by the Rector, Vicar, or Curate, and attested by one of the Churchwardens, or Overseers of the Poor of the Parish or Place, from whence such Beast or Beasts, Hide or Skin, shall be brought or removed, in case no Justice of the Peace shall be resident at that Time within three Miles of such Parish or Place; and that such Oath or Oaths so administered, certified, and attested, shall be as effectual as if the same had been administered and certified by a Justice of the Peace of such County, Riding, Division, City, Liberty, or Town Corporate.

And his Majesty doth hereby further require and command the Churchwardens, Overseers of the Poor, Constables, and Inspectors, or some or one of them, to stop any Ox, Bull, Cow, Calf, Steer, or Heifer, herein before prohibited to be removed, and to carry the Offender or Offenders before some Justice or Justices of the Peace, to be dealt with according to Law; and also to stop any Fatted Ox or Cow in any Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place through which such Ox or Cow shall be driven, or intended to be driven, to any Market, Fair, Town, Parish, or Extraparochial Place, for Sale; and likewise any Hide or Skin which shall be carried, or intended to be carried through such Town, Parish,

fish, or Extraparochial Place, to any Fair, Market, Town, Parish, or other Extraparochial Place, for Sale; unless such Certificate or Certificates, as are before required to be delivered upon the Sale of such fatted Beast, Hide and Skin, be produced to him or them; and, in case no such Certificate or Certificates be produced, then to carry the Offender or Offenders before some Justice or Justices of the Peace, to be dealt with according to Law.

And whereas it has been found by Experience, that nothing can contribute so effectually to prevent the spreading of the said Distemper, as by killing the Cattle when it first appears upon them, before it begins to be infectious, and communicates itself to the rest of the Herd, so it is of absolute Necessity that Inspectors should be appointed for that Service: His Majesty doth therefore hereby empower and require the Justices of the Peace of the several Counties, Ridings, Divisions, Cities, Liberties, and Towns Corporate, to appoint one or more Inspector or Inspectors of the Houses, Buildings, Grounds, and Cattle in their respective Divisions, where any Infection now is, or hereafter shall appear to be, for the Purposes contained in his Majesty's Order of Council of the said Twelfth Day of March last, and of this Order; who are to take care that such infected Cattle be killed as soon as the Distemper shall appear upon them, and to do every other Thing according to the said Orders, and such Instructions as they shall receive from the said Justices, from Time to Time, to answer the Ends thereof.

And his Majesty doth hereby further order, That no Person or Persons do buy, sell, or expose, or offer to Sale, or cause to be bought, sold, or exposed, or offered to Sale, the Milk, Carcase, Flesh, Fat, or Intrails, or any Part of any infected Beast; or feed, or cause to be fed, any Hog, Calf, Lamb, or any other Animal therewith.

And whereas it is of absolute Necessity, that the Hides and Skins, as also the Horns, and every other Part of any infected Beast that shall die of the said Distemper, should be buried with the Carcase, and that the Hides should be flayed and cut in the same Manner as is required by his Majesty's aforementioned Order of Council of the Twelfth of March last, to be observed with respect to the Cattle that are directed to be shot, or otherwise killed. And whereas a due Compliance therewith may be attended with some Loss to the Proprietors of such Cattle; his Majesty, in Consideration thereof, doth hereby promise, That the said Proprietors shall be paid for every Ox, Bull, or Cow, that shall die of the said Distemper, and be buried in the Manner required by the first Article in his Majesty's aforementioned Order

of Council, any Sum not exceeding Ten Shillings, the Numbers, and Values, and Conformities to the above Rules, to be ascertained in like Manner as is required by the aforementioned Order in Council, with respect to such Cattle as shall be shot, or otherwise killed, flayed, and buried.

And whereas the Lords of his Majesty's Privy Council did, by their Order on the Twenty fifth of November, One thousand seven hundred and forty five, nominate and appoint certain Justices of the Peace, to take due Order and Care in relation to the infected Cattle in the County of Middlesex, by pursuing the same Methods that were used in the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifteen, which Justices have appointed Inspectors or Surveyors, and have, from time to time, reported to the Lords of his Majesty's Privy Council, their Proceedings therein. And whereas it will create a great and unnecessary Expence, if the Justices of the Peace should appoint particular Inspectors for every Division in the said County of Middlesex, his Majesty doth therefore hereby require and command, That the Justices named in the said Order, do proceed in the Execution of the same, and do likewise put in Execution his Majesty's Order of Council of the Twelfth Day of March last, and this present Order, within the County of Middlesex.

And his Majesty doth hereby ratify and confirm all the Rules, Orders, and Regulations, and also all and every other Part of his aforementioned Order in his Privy Council of the Twelfth of March last, unless where the same is varied by this present Order. And his Majesty doth hereby strictly charge and command all his Justices of the Peace, Constables, Churchwardens, and Overseers, and all Farmers, Cow-keepers, and others, to conform themselves to what is thereby required, as also by this his further Order in his Privy Council.

And his Majesty being informed, that several Cow-keepers and Farmers have shewn great Unwillingness to comply with his Majesty's said Order in Council of the Twelfth of March last, from an Apprehension of the Difficulties and Delays that might attend their soliciting the Payment of the Rewards or Recompence promised by his Majesty's said Order, his Majesty doth therefore hereby notify and declare, That the Rewards or Recompence promised thereby, shall, for the future, be paid, without Fee or Reward, or any Deduction whatsoever, by John Sharpe Esquire, Solicitor of his Majesty's Treasury, at his Chambers, No 11. in Lincoln's Inn, or his Assistant, in whole Hands Money shall be constantly deposited, to answer the Demands of all such Persons who shall bring or send Certificates to him in the Manner and Form required.

And

And for the better notifying of this Order, it is his Majesty's Pleasure, That the same be forthwith printed and published, and be also inserted in the next *London Gazette*, and be likewise read, together with the former Order of Council, in all Parish Churches, Chapels, and other Places set apart for Divine Worship, in the Manner, and at the Times prescribed by the Act of Parliament aforementioned.

Temple Stanyan.

Naples, Nov. 22. Several other Barks are lately arrived with Troops from Barcelona, and more are still expected; some are landed at Gaeta, and others at Baia, and in this Port. Count Finocchietti, who was Minister at Constantinople, and has been since Agent for this Court at Venice, is ordered to go from hence to the Hague, to reside there in the same Character as the Marquis Fogliani had before. On Thursday next, the Queen's Birth Day, the youngest Infanta will be baptised by the Nuncio, and the French Ambassador is to be Sponsor in the King his Master's Name.

Florence, Nov. 29, N. S. By the Accounts which we have received this Morning from Rome, Cardinal Acquaviva was still alive, but his Physicians were of Opinion, that he could not hold out for many Days. The Emperor has sent Orders to reduce his Body Guard, which consisted of two Companies of 50 Gentlemen each, hitherto called Gens d'Armes, and Light Horse, into one Body, which is to be called The Noble Guard. M. D'Esarmoise, a Lorrainer, the Commander of it, has been promoted to the Rank and Title of Veld Marechal Lieutenant, and all the Subaltern Officers have Rank in Proportion. The Uniform is to be Yellow trimmed with Black and Silver. One of his Imperial Majesty's Palaces has been appropriated for the Accommodation of this Company, and both the Riding House and Academy are to be removed from hence to Pisa.

Florence, Dec. 6, N. S. Upon the 1st Instant his Britannick Majesty's Ship the *Lynn* arrived at Leghorn in ten Days from Portmahon, from whence she sailed with Vice-Admiral Medley, and separated from him off Villa Franca. The Day before Yesterday a Bark with Spanish Troops on Board arrived at Leghorn from Barcelona, in order to proceed to Naples.

Aix in Provence, Dec. 8, N. S. The Enemy, who left Broz upon the 1st Instant, marched to Vance upon the 2d, and upon the 3d to Grace, where they levied Contributions. Upon the 5th they marched from Grace, by Fayence and Calas, to Draguignan, where they are at present. Our Army, which was incamped in the Wood of Lesterel, has been obliged to march into the Neighbourhood of St. Maximin,

where we have very good Magazines. By all Accounts the Enemy observes a very exact Discipline.

Aix in Provence, Dec. 11, N. S. The Spanish Troops which left this Place the Day before Yesterday, are encamped in the Plain of St. Maximin, from whence they are to march to Brignelles, in order to be at Hand to join our Army in case of Need. Our Head Quarters are at Lagues. The Austrians, who were advanced as far as Draguignan, have we hear turned off to Frejuls, where they have established their Head Quarters, as well to cover the Siege of Antibes, as to facilitate the Disembarkation of their Provisions and Forrage. Our Reinforcements arrive daily. Besides 4500 Militia which are come up, the Regiments, Navarrais, Bresse, Annis, Medoe, Cambresis, Bearn, Xaintonge, Bourbonnois, and Soissonois Foot, and Escart's Regiment of Horse, and Languedoc's Dragoons, have in Part joined us. By Advices from Toulon, 8000 Men were enter'd into that Town, in order to defend it in case of an Attack.

Nice, Dec. 9, N. S. The King of Sardinia is looked upon to be entirely out of Danger, and on the Mending Hand, the Small Pox beginning to dry and fall off. The only Complaint remaining now is Weakness, of which it is not questioned but his Majesty will soon get the better. With regard to the Army in Provence, it has yet made no great Progress in the Country: The Van Guard under the Command of General Novati is at Grace, and the main Body, which hitherto has been at Piotta, will move To-morrow to Cannes. We are at Work on building a Bridge over the Var; and Vice-Admiral Medley, in order to forward it, has, at the Request of the Duke of Savoy, order'd all his Carpenters and some of his ablest Seamen thither, under the Command of an Officer, who are extremely useful, in forwarding the Work in Hand. The Trenches were opened before the Castle of Savona on the 1st Instant, with little or no Opposition: And all the Batteries, consisting of upwards of forty Pieces of Cannon and twenty-four Mortars began to fire upon it on the 5th in the Morning; and in one Day have disconcerted the Besieged, and done such Execution on the Walls, that it is not questioned but the Place will be in the King of Sardinia's Possession in eight or ten Days at most. The Spanish Infantry, which was in full March towards Savoy, has been stopt by a Courier of the Duke de Huefcar's the Spanish Ambassador at Paris. Those Troops are now about Avignon, waiting for final Orders from Madrid. Advices from Genoa mention, that General Keihl being arrived there from Vienna, had secured all the Posts and Gates of the City, except that to Bisagno: That he had likewise taken the Parole of Honour

nour of all the Genoese Officers, (but those of two Regiments) that they acknowledged themselves to be Prisoners of War. But that upon his taking Possession of a Post, in which there were some Pieces of Cannon, the People had taken up Stones, and pelted the Soldiers, and in some Measure driven them off, and run afterwards to Arms, and had with much Clamour demanded, that those in the Palace might be given out to them, which however was refused: That notwithstanding great Numbers of them had appear'd, with such Arms as they had been able to pick up, and for the whole Day, on the 6th Instant, had endeavour'd to drive the Imperialists from their Posts, but had been generally repulsed.

Hague, Dec. 27, N. S. Mr. Trevor delivered his Letter of Revocation on Saturday last to the President of the Week; and took his Leave of the States by a Memorial to the following Purport.

High and Mighty Lords,

"At the same Time that I have the Honour
to deliver to your High Mightinesses
the Letter of Revocation, which the King, my
Master, has most graciously vouchsafed to
grant me, I have the Satisfaction to find my
self charged with express Orders from his Ma-
jesty, not to take my Leave, of your High
Mightinesses, without renewing, in his Royal
Name, the strongest and sincerest Assurances
of his immutable Affection for your Repub-
lick, and of his constant and earnest Desire
to co-operate with your High Mightinesses, in
the most perfect Concert, towards promoting
the true and lasting Welfare of both Nations.
I should with Pleasure indulge upon this
Point, which is as strongly enjoined me by
the King, as it is important to your High
Mightinesses; were it not, that all the many
Promises, I could so easily alledge of this Truth,
must appear but weak, in Comparison of
that, which your High Mightinesses have
now actually before your Eyes, in the Pre-
sence of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cum-
berland, under whose auspicious Influence the
Publick Liberty of Europe, the only solid
Foundation of that of your Republick, may
now promise itself the same effectual Sup-
port, as that of his Royal Highness's own
Country has so lately owed to his Valour
and Conduct.

"The Confidence, with which your High
Mightinesses have been pleased to honour me
during several Years Residence; and the
Knowledge the same has procured me of your
personal Sentiments, and of the Maxims of
your Government; forbid me to doubt of
your making the fullest Return to these his
Majesty's most cordial Professions, illustrated
by such a signal Proof of Attention and Re-

gard, as is unprecedented in the History of
your Republick.

"The Conformity there is, as well in Re-
ligious, as Civil Liberties, between the Con-
stitutions of the two States, has rendered at
all Times the strictest Union of Affections,
and Forces, natural to them: — Mutual In-
terests render the same mutually beneficial: —
Solemn and reiterated Treaties have long since
render'd it sacred. — Common Wrongs now
render it more than ever necessary: — And
may a Concert of Councils and Efforts, ad-
equuate to the present Exigency, at Length
render this Union awful in the Eyes of all
Europe, and salutary to the two Powers and
their Allies!

"It has ever been, High and Mighty Lords,
this real and effective Union between the two
Powers, which has made the primary Object
of my Negotiations with your High Mighti-
nesses; and which shall, in all Times and
Places, make that of my most ardent Wishes.
— Happy for me, if by Sentiments, which are
become so natural to me, I can but preserve
myself a Place in your High Mightinesses
good Will, and good Opinion; the surest
Pledges I can have of those of my Sovereign."

Hague, Dec. 24, 1746.

Signed

Robert Trevor.

Westminster, December 23.

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 William
Saunderson, Deputy Gentleman-Usher of the
Black Rod, was sent with a Message from his
Majesty to the House of Commons, command-
ing their Attendance in the House of Peers.
The Commons being come thither accordingly,
his Majesty was pleased to give the Royal As-
sent to,

*An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty,
by a Land Tax to be raised in Great Britain, for
the Service of the Year 1747.*

Whitehall, December 18, 1746.

It having been represented to his Majesty, That on
the Twentieth Day of November last, a Fire broke out
in the Hatch on the Top of the House of William
Fowler, at Hampton in the County of Oxford, whereby
by the same was entirely consumed, as also a large Rick
of Beans; and there being great Reason to suspect,
that the said House was wilfully and maliciously set
on Fire, several Fires having happened within a few
Years past, in the said Town. His Majesty, for the
better Discovery, and bringing to Justice the Person
or Persons, concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to
promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them,
who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplices or Ac-
complices therein, so as he, she, or they may be appre-
hended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a further Encouragement, the Right Ho-
nourable the Earl of Coventry hath hereby promise a
Reward.



Reward of Twenty Pounds to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by Samuel White, Esq; and Company, on the Conviction of any of the said Offenders.

William Backwell, for Sam. Child, Esq; Self and Co.

London, December 4th 1746:

General Post-Office.

Whereas Vincent Matthews, alias John Saffary, alias William Morris, Esq; alias Thompson, is charged with the Robbery of his Majesty's West-India Ship, the *St. John*, on the 24th of February 1743. He is described to be a lean Man, about five Foot seven Inches high, with a thin long Visage, of a fresh Complexion, somewhat freckled about the Temples, and somewhat pitted with the Small-Pox, and with a longish Nose, with a Ring in the Middle of it. He is further described to be somewhat round-shoulder'd, with a slender hollow Back, with thin Legs and thick Ankle-Bones, and is said to be of mean Capacity, and writes a very bad Hand, and speaks very ill; he is about Thirty-five Years of Age, and is said to have a small white Hand, to be slow of Speech, and of an effeminate Voice, and to flammer a little when he speaks. He was formerly a Hackney-Coachman, belonging to the White Hart Yard, and afterwards kept the White Hart Inn in Brook's Market, which he quitted about four Years ago; after that he lived in Theobald's Row, and pretended to be a Dealer in Medals, but, as is said, rode in a Gang of Smugglers, and since that he some Time lived at Bedford; and lastly he lived as a Person of Figure and Fortune in and near the City of York, and particularly at two Houses, or Places called Accomb and Middlethorp, where he went by the Name and Title of William Morris, Esq.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whatever Person or Persons shall, now, or at any Time hereafter, apprehend the said Vincent Matthews, alias John Saffary, alias William Morris, Esq; alias Thompson, so that he be brought to Justice, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, by the Conviction of the said Vincent Matthews for the said Offence; and above what is allowed by Act of Parliament for the apprehending of Highwaymen. The same Reward and Encouragement is offered to any Person or Persons who may have been an Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Robbery, who will moreover be intitled to his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
George Shelvocke, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship Captain, Monmouth, and Princess Louisa, who were present at the taking the *Catin*, a French Privateer, that they may receive their respective Shares of the said Prize, at Mrs. Wydown's, at Plymouth, on Monday the 29th of December Instant. And the Shares that shall remain undemand'd, will be paid the first Wednesday in every Month for three Years.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship the *Milford*, that the Bounty Money, &c. for *Le Lewis Quinsme*, taken on the Coast of Scotland, will be paid at the Three Tuns Tavern in Crutched Fryars, on Tuesday the 30th of this Instant December, likewise on Tuesday the 13th of January, and on the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Penbrooke*, who were on board her at the taking the Ship *Le Just* and *Le Gilgany*, That a Distribution of Ten Thousand Pounds, Part of the Produce of those Ships and their Cargoes, will be made at the Crown Tavern in Threadneedle Street, between the Hours of Eleven and Three o'Clock, on Friday and Saturday the 2d and 3d Days of January next: And such who shall then remain unpaid, may apply to Mr. Samuel Leake, in Portmouth, the first Friday in every Month for three Years.

London, December 23, 1746

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Trustees for the River L. E. E. will be holden by Adjournment at the Bull Inn at Haddesdon in the County of Hertford, on Friday the 9th of January next, at Ten in the Morning.

B. Tooley Clerk to the Trustees.

Advertisements.

This Day is Published,

In F. lumes in Octavo.

(12 bound 20s.)

THE WORKS of the late Right Reverend and Learned Dr. Francis Hare, Lord Bishop of Chichester.

Printed by E. Owen, removed from Amen-Corner to Warwick-Lane.

Hazard's Lottery Office, Dec. 23, 1746.
THE NR 16857; drawn this Day a Prize of 1. 5000 l. was registered at this Office.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Cooke, late of Marchboure in the Parish of Effingham in the County of Surry, Yeoman, deceased, are to come in before Robert Holland, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symonds's Inn, on or before the 14th Day of February next, and prove their respective Debts, or they shall be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree. And for the Convenience of such of the said Creditors as live in the County, a Commission will be opened on Thursday and Friday the 15th and 16th Days of January next, at the House of Ann Mills, Widow, being the Sign of the White Lyon in Guildford in the County of Surry, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, for such Creditors to prove their Debts.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Clobery, late of Bradstone in the County of Devon, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come before William Kinston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their several Demands, or in Default thereof, they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree: And for the Convenience of such Creditors who live in the County, a Commission will be opened at the House of William Skinner in Tavistock in the said County of Devon, on the 14th of January next.

WHEREAS John Wilkinson, late of King's Lynn, Norfolk, Sail-maker, hath appointed Hugh Crawford, Jos. Paine and William Wilkinson, of King's Lynn aforesaid, Trustees, to collect in the Debts due to the said John Wilkinson, and to make a Dividend of the said Effects to the Creditors of the said John Wilkinson: Now the said Trustees desire the Creditors of the said John Wilkinson immediately to send to one or more of them, an Account of the several Debts due to them, that they may receive the Dividend due to them out of the said Effects, the said Dividend being to be made to each Creditor in January next.

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THE Creditors of Richard Tillley the Elder, of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded, and who have proved their Debts under the said Commission, are desired to meet the Assignees on the 2d of January next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Crown Tavern at Cripplegate, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits in Equity, or Actions at Law, or to compound, agree, or submit to Arbitration any Debt or Debts due and owing to the said Bankrupt's Estate, and upon other special Affairs.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Wilcoks, late of the City of Gloucester, Upholder, met on the 8th of December instant, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, for choosing Assignees under the said Commission; but no Creditor appearing, the said Commissioners have adjourned the said Choice to Tuesday the 30th of this Instant December, at the Dwelling-house of John Eldridge, called Eldridge's Coffee-house in the City of Gloucester, by Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and chuse Assignees accordingly.

WHEREAS an Advertisement was published in this Paper in October last, requiring all Persons, who are any ways indebted to the Estate of the late Mr. Samuel Barlow, deceased, to settle their Accounts, and pay their respective Balances, to Mr. Benjamin Barlow, in Bucklersbury; and the said Advertisement not having been duly complied with, this is to give further Notice, that unless all Persons so indebted to the said Mr. Samuel Barlow do immediately come and settle their respective Accounts, and pay or give some Security for their Debts, they will be directly prosecuted. No more Business will be carried on.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Welchman, of Stratford in the County of Warwick, Innholder and Vintner, 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 2d and 3d of January next, and on the 3d of February following, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Fisher, Vintner, called the Rummer Tavern, Situate in All Saints Lane, in the Parish of All Saints, in the City of 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 Mr. John Wade, Attorney in Bristol.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Roger Phillips, late of Steventon otherwise Steanton, in the Parish of Ludford, in the County of Salop, Makiler, intend to meet on the 24th of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Dwelling-house of Walthall Fenton, Innholder, being the Sign of the New Crown in the Town of Ludlow, in the said County of Salop, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bank-

rupt's Estate; 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Benext, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 21st of January next, (and not on the 7th, as was advertised in the Gazette of Tuesday the 9th of December Instant) at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, 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, 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 and issued forth against William Crispe, of Chelsea in the County of Middlesex, Dealer in Wines and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Hunt, late of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Hatter and Haberdasher, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Samuel Hunt 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 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 13th of January next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Griffith, late of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Dealer in Wine, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Griffith 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 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 13th of January next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Lhuillier, of the Parish of St. Ann, within the Liberty of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Souff Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Lhuillier 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 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 13th of January next.

