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By the King,

## A PROCLAMATION.

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**W**HEREAS our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the Twenty second Day of this Instant November; We, with the Advice of our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, That the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said Twenty second Day of November, to Thursday the Seventeenth Day of January next; and we have given Order to our Chancellor of Great Britain, to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And we do hereby further declare our Royal Will and Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Seventeenth Day of January next, be held, and sit for the Dispatch of divers weighty and important Affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Westminster on the said Seventeenth Day of January next.

Given at our Court at St. James's the Twenty first Day of November, 1750, in the Twenty fourth Year of our Reign.

GOD Save the KING.

*Petersbourg, Nov. 6.* On the 1st Instant, all the Nobility and Foreign Ministers appeared at Court, to compliment her Imperial Majesty on her coming to reside in her Winter Palace; on this Occasion the Court was very numerous and extremely splendid. The Frost is set in here very severe. The Lake of Ladoga is froze up, as is the Little and Great Neva, the Ice whereof is so firm, that People go upon it without the least Danger; and several Ships, which did not depart in Time, are entirely froze up. We have received Advice of the Death of General

Bismark, Commander in Chief of her Imperial Majesty's Forces at Pultowa. General Arnimb, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland, has communicated to this Court, a Rescript which his Polish Majesty caused to be published before his Departure from Warsaw; whereby he enjoyns all the Governors and Commanders bordering upon the Russian Territories, to be very careful not to suffer the least Prejudice to be done to the Subjects of this Empire; and particularly not to receive any Person whatsoever, who shall attempt to escape out of the Russian Territories.

*Warsaw, Nov. 17.* On the 12th Instant a Fire broke out in the Belfry of the Church adjoining to the Convent of the Dominicans, which burnt with such Violence, that 'twas impossible to extinguish it. There were four fine Bells in it, three of which were melted; and the fourth, which was the largest, fell down and broke to Pieces; but by good Providence, neither the Church, nor the Convent, nor any of the neighbouring Houses, received much Damage. The last Letters from Moldavia say, that the Plague continues to make great Havock in several Towns and Villages in that Province; that it had spread itself into Upper Podolia, where it likewise carried off great Numbers of People; and that they were taking all imaginable Precautions to prevent its spreading.

*Vienna, Nov. 18.* Her Imperial Majesty advances happily in her Pregnancy. Count Nadasty, Chancellor of Hungary, is returned hither from Presbourg, where he has been to regulate every Thing necessary for the Opening of the General Diet of the States of Hungary, which now seems fixed for the 18th of April next. Their Imperial Majesties continue in their Resolution of going thither on that Occasion; of which the Protestants of that Country having been informed, are determined to make use of that Opportunity to solicit her Imperial Majesty for some Redress of their Religious Grievances. Frequent Conferences continue to be held at Court upon the Means for making the Establishment

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ment of Commerce at Trieste become more flourishing. The greatest Part of the Officers and Soldiers belonging to the Regiment of Prey-fing, which was lately disbanded, are already provided for in other Regiments.

*Bern, Nov. 20.* Towards the End of last Month, a Duel was fought at Lausanne, between Mr. Rowley, a younger Son of Admiral Rowley's, and M. Monrond of that Town; in which Mr. Rowley had the Misfortune to be wounded; whereupon M. Monrond, who gave the Challenge, fled to Lyons; but as Mr. Rowley is since recovered of his Wounds, which were at first thought to be dangerous, and is now preparing to set out for England, it is expected that M. Monrond will soon return from Lyons, in order to take his Tryal for this Offence.

*Ratisbon, Nov. 22.* We have received Advice from Munich, that Count Konigsfeldt, Great Chamberlain and Minister of State to the Elector of Bavaria, died there the 16th Instant, aged 72. He had filled several considerable Employments, and amongst others, that of Minister Plenipotentiary to the Congress at Soissons.

*Hambourg, Nov. 24.* The Duke of Mecklenbourg has sent hither M. de Birckholtz, one of his Privy Councillors, in order to represent to the Count de Raab, the Imperial Minister, the Reasons which oblige that Prince to forbid the raising of any more Recruits for the Imperial Troops in Mecklenbourg, lest the other Princes of the Empire should insist on doing the like. By Letters from Copenhagen we learn, that the Small Pox continues to carry off great Numbers of People in that City; and that the Queen of Denmark is again with Child. We have received Advice of the Death of Lieutenant General Bensfeld, Commander of the Danish Troops in Norway.

*Berlin, Nov. 24.* M. Rozencrantz, late Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, sets out To-morrow on his Return to Copenhagen, from whence 'tis said he will go with the same Character to the Court of Great Britain. M. Thienen, his Successor, who has been extremely ill of the Small Pox, is in a fair Way of Recovery. The Winter is set in very severe, and there has already fallen a great Quantity of Snow. The Distemper amongst the horned Cattle continuing to rage in this Country, all necessary Precautions are taking to prevent its spreading. Advice has been received from Ebeleben, of the Death of Prince Augustus of Schwartzbourg Sonderhausen, in the 60th Year of his Age.

*Hague, Dec. 1.* On Saturday Morning died here, after some Months Illness, the Right Honourable the Countess of Hyndford, Lady of the Bed-chamber to her Royal Highness the Princess of Orange. The States General have issued a Placart, in which they say, that having

been informed that the Distemper among the Cattle, after having in a Manner ceased in their Dominions for some Time, had begun again to rage with great Violence; their High Mightinesses were convinced the Renewal of that Distemper was owing to the Introduction of foreign Cattle; for which Reason they prohibit the Importation of any Cattle into the Republick's Territories till after the 1st of April next, on pain of a Fine of 2000 Florins, besides the Confiscation of the Cattle for the Benefit of the Poor; those who shall be unable to pay the Fine, are to be publicly whipped, and banished for Life. The States of Holland likewise came to a Resolution during their last Assembly, to prohibit a-fresh the Importation of all Cattle into their Province, as also to forbid the transporting of Cattle from one Place to another, without proper Certificates of Health from the B<sup>l</sup> or other Officers of the respective Places. This Resolution has since been made publick, by a Proclamation dated Nov. 21, N. S.

*Whitehall, November 24.*

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint John Seabright, Esq; to be Captain; George Cary, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant; Jennison Shaftoe, Esq; to be Lieutenant; and ——— Monson, Gent. to be Ensign in the First Regiment of Foot Guards.

*Leicester House, November 21.*

This Day Senhor Joachim Jose Fidalgo de Silveira, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Portugal, had his first private Audience of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

He had afterwards a private Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales.

He was introduced to both by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

*St. James's, November 23.*

This Day the Envoy of Portugal had his first private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke.

And afterwards his first private Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess Amelia.

To both which he was introduced by the Master of the Ceremonies.

*Whitehall, November 24, 1750.*

Whereas Mr. — Brookes, Timber Merchant, and Mr. Thomas Fry, China Manufacturer, both of Stratford le Bow in the County of Essex, have received by the Penny-Post, two anonymous Letters, one dated the 7th, and the other the 13th Instant, threatening the said Mr. Brookes to set his Buildings in Flames, if he refused to leave Fifty Pounds at a Place which the Writer specifies in his said Letter; and likewise threatening Mischief to the said Mr. Fry, if he refused to leave Thirty Pounds at a certain Place also specified in the Letter directed to him; His Majesty for the better discovering and bringing the Offenders to Justice, is pleased to pro-  
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give his most gracious Pardon to any Person or Persons concerned in Writing and Sending either of the said Letters, (except the Person who actually wrote the same) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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**W**HEREAS several valuable Jewels and precious Stones, consisting of a Diamond Seal, a Diamond Girdle Buckle, several Diamond Rings, and several loose Brilliant and other Diamonds, have been, in and before the Year 1743, at several Times pledg'd or pawn'd by Robert Bray, now or late of London, Jeweller and Diamond Cutter, to Samuel Davis, late of the Parish of St. Andrew, Holborn, London, Goldsmith, deceased, for several Sums of Money, amounting altogether to 750 l. and upwards. And whereas several other Jewels and precious Stones, Watches, Rings, and other Jewellers and Goldsmiths Goods, have been at several Times pledged or pawned by divers other Persons to the said Samuel Davis, for several Sums of Money; the Executors of the Will of the said Samuel Davis (not knowing where the said Robert Bray, or the said other Persons, or all or either of them, by whom such Jewels, precious Stones, Watches, Rings, or other Goods have been so pledged or pawned, do or doth reside, or may be found or heard of) do hereby give Notice to all whom these Presents may concern respectively, that such of the said Jewels, precious Stones, Watches, Rings and other Goods so pledged or pawned, as shall not be redeemed by or before the 24th Day of May next, will be then peremptorily sold publickly in London, for the best Price or Prices that can be gotten for the same respectively, without further Notice.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Orders of the High Court of Chancery, on Friday the 7th Day of December next, at Five in the Afternoon, before Richard Edwards, Esq; at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, A Parcel of Salt Marsh at Higham near Chalk in Kent; A Messuage and 45 Acres of Land at Hatton in Bedford, Middlesex; Two Houses in East Smithfield, London, all Freehold; and 68 Acres of Land and a Messuage near Illington in Middlesex, being Copyhold, Part of the Estate of Thomas Huxley, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, A Capital Messuage and Park called Moor Park, with the Lands thereto belonging, in or near Rickmansworth and Watford in the County of Hertford, late the Estate of Benjamin Haskins Stiles, Esq; deceased. Whereof a Particular may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas-Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Culliford's Street near Chancery Lane, on Thursday the 18th Day of December next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, Part of the Freehold Estates of John Martin, late of Kettlewell, in the West Riding in the County of York, Tenant, deceased, situate at Hawkswick in the said West Riding. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

**T**O be sold, together or in Parcels, A Freehold Estate at Holt in the Parish of Kintbury and County of Berks, (with a large Quantity of Timber thereon) of the yearly Value of 155 l. Another Freehold Estate in the same Parish, with some Tythes there, and the Right of Fishing in the River Kennett, of the yearly Value of 98 l. Another Freehold Estate at East Hamnett near Chichester in Sussex, of the yearly Value of 25 l. Several Freehold Houses in and near the City of Winchester, of the yearly Value of 35 l. 10 s. Several Leasehold Estates in and near Winchester, of the yearly Value of 99 l. Particulars whereof may be had at Mr. George Wilson's Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 12th of December next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Manor of South Wheatley, near Redford in the County of Nottingham, and the Farm of South Wheatly, with some small Tenements thereto adjoining; together of the yearly Value of 132 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Matters Chambers.

**T**O be sold, by the Executors and Trustees of Doctor Simon Burton, deceased, for the Benefit of his Creditors, pursuant to an Act of Parliament made in the Year 1747, The Manor of Holt, Bradford and Pombre, with divers Farms and Appurtenances thereunto belonging, in Wilts; and also an Estate at Kerrsley, Caundon and Corley in the City and County of Coventry; and also the Manor of Crooks Easton, with a Farm and other Appurtenances thereunto belonging; and the Manor of Appleford and Briddlesford, and Briddlesford Woods in Hants, and the Isle of Wight; and also one Messuage or Tenement in Saville Row, in the Parish of St. George Han ver Square in Middlesex, being altogether of the yearly Value of 1400 l. or thereabouts: Any Person who is desirous to be a Purchaser, may apply to Mr. Thomas Denham, or Mr. Charles Spelman, at their Chambers No 2. Pump Court in the Temple, for a Particular of the said Estates, or any of them, and be further informed of the Value of each Estate, and the Nature thereof.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Sir Robert Austen, late of Hall Place, in the Parish of Bexley in the County of Kent, Bart. deceased, are, on or before the first Day of Hilary Term next, to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey-street, and prove their several Debts, and claim their respective Legacies, or in Default thereof, they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Anna Hopkins, late of Enfield in the County of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof, they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Thomas Newson, late of New Hermitage-street, in the Parish of St. George in the East in the County of Middlesex, Mariner, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

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**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Harvey, late of Well Close Square in the Parish of St. Mary White-Chappel in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

**T**HE Creditors of Lyonel Vane, late of Gerrard Street, in the Parish of St. Ann in the County of Middlesex, Esq; late a Fugitive for Debt, and discharged from the Fleet Prison by Virtue of the late Act of Parliament for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Lyonel Vane's Estate and Effects, at the Dwelling House of John Bedford, Vintner, known by the Sign of the Crown and Rolls Tavern in Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 19th Day of December next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, on special Affairs.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Watson the Elder, of Lewisham in the County of Kent, Fellmonger, 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 30th of November instant, on the 7th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 5th of January following, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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. Stagg, Attorney, in Red Cross-street near Cripplegate, London.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Homer, now or late of Idle-Lane, London, Broker and Chapman, 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 5th and 12th of December next, and on the 5th of January following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, 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. Scrase, Attorney, in Norfolk-street in the Strand.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Kissett, of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, Merchant, 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 5th of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, and on the 6th of the same December, and on the 5th of January following, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said last mentioned Days, at the House of James Lansdale, Vintner, situate

on the Kay in Great Yarmouth aforesaid, known by the Name of the Duke's Head Tavern, 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 Ramey, Attorney, in Yarmouth aforesaid.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Bartholomew Kilpin, of Long-acre in the County of Middlesex, Coach and Coach Harness-maker, intend to meet on the 19th Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; 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.

**W**hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Andrew Mounsher, now or late of Portsmouth, in the County of Southampton, Sailmaker, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Andrew Mounsher 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 15th of December next.

**T**HE under-mentioned Person claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notice has been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and is herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Marshal or Keeper of the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Surry, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Aron Coronell, late of the Willow Walk, in the Parish of St. George Hanover-square in the County of Middlesex, Merchant.