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St. James's, November 27.

THIS Day being appointed for the Keeping of the King's Birth-day, a great Number of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, waited on His Majesty, to compliment Him on the Occasion. The Court was very numerous and extremely splendid. At Noon the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired; and at Night there was a Ball at Court, and Ringing of Bells, Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other publick Demonstrations of Joy throughout London and Westminster.

ABSTRACT of several Acts of Parliament, now in Force, which were made for preventing His Majesty's Subjects from Trading to the East-Indies, under Foreign Commissions; and from being interested or concerned in any Foreign East-India Company to be erected.

BY the following Acts of Parliament now in Force, and which were made, for preventing His Majesty's Subjects from Trading to the East-Indies under Foreign Commissions; and from being interested, or concerned, in any Foreign East-India Company, to be erected; it is enacted as follows, viz.

5th Geo. I. Cap. 21.] By an Act passed in the 5th Year of His late Majesty King George the First, all His Majesty's Subjects, except those Licensed by the East-India Company, are prohibited from going to the East-Indies. — And to the End such Offenders may be brought to Justice, the East-India Company are empowered to arrest, and seize, such Offenders in the East-Indies, and to send them to England, there to answer for the said Offence; And every British Subject, who shall procure, solicit for, obtain, or act under, any Commission, Authority, or Pass, from any Foreign Prince, or State, to sail, or go, or trade, in, or to the East-Indies, incurs, and forfeits, for every such Offence, 500*l*.

5th Geo. I. Cap. 21.] By another Act passed in the 5th Year of His late Majesty King George the First, every Subject of His Majesty, who shall go to, or shall Trade, or Adventure into, or from, the East-Indies, (contrary to the Laws in being,) and shall be convicted thereof, in any of His Majesty's Courts of Re-

cord at Westminster, is to pay, and suffer such Fine, and Imprisonment, as the Court shall think fit.

And all the Goods, and Merchandize, that shall be bartered or traffick'd for, in the East-Indies or purchased there, by any such Offenders, or that shall be found in his Custody, or in the Custody of any other Person, by his Order, or Procurement, are declared to be forfeited, with double the Value thereof.

9th Geo. I. Cap. 26.] By an Act passed in the 9th Year of His late Majesty King George the First, all His Majesty's Subjects are prohibited from subscribing, contributing to, encouraging, or promoting, the raising, establishing, or carrying on, any Foreign Company, from, and after, the 24th Day of June, 1723, to be raised, formed, or erected, for Trading to the East-Indies, and from being interested in, or intitled to, any Share in the Stock, or Capital, of such Foreign Company, under Forfeiture of all his, her, or their Interest, in the Capital, Principal, Stock, or Actions, of any such Foreign Company, together with Treble the Value thereof.

And the Attorney-General is empowered to exhibit Bills of Complaint in the Court of Chancery, or Court of Exchequer, against such Offenders, for the Discovery of such Offence; which Discovery such Offenders are obliged to make on the Attorney-General's waving in such Bill, the said Forfeiture of the Treble Value, and insisting only on the Single Value thereof; And in such Case, the Single Value is to be decreed to be paid by such Offender.

And that every Subject of His Majesty accepting of any Trust, or knowing of any Interest, Share, Part, Proportion, or Concern, which any other of His Majesty's Subjects shall have, or be intitled to, in any such Foreign Company; and who shall not, within Six Months, next after the Accepting such Trust, or coming to the Knowledge of such Interest, Share, Proportion, or Concern, as aforesaid, truly discover the same in Writing to the East-India Company, or their Court of Directors, shall forfeit Treble the Value of the Interest so accepted in Trust, or so known and not discovered, as aforesaid; and any Person making such Discovery, is intitled to a Moiety of the Forfeiture.

And all His Majesty's Subjects, (other than such as are lawfully authorized thereunto,) going to, or found in the East-Indies, are declared guilty of a High Crime, and Misdemeanor, and are made liable to Corporal Punishment, Imprisonment,

prisonment, or Fine, for the same, at the Discretion of such of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster, where the Prosecution for such Offence shall be commenced.

And every Person so offending may be seized, and brought to England, and committed to Goal there, by any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, until sufficient Security be given by Natural-born Subjects or Denizens, to appear in the Court, where such Prosecution shall be commenced, to answer the same, and not depart without Leave of the Court.

3d Geo. II. Cap. 14.] By an Act passed in the 3d Year of His present Majesty, it is Enacted, That if any of His Majesty's Subjects (other than the East-India Company, and those licensed by them) shall directly, or indirectly, go to, trade, or adventure into, or from, the East-Indies, every such Offender shall incur the Forfeiture, and Loss, of all the Ships, and Vessels, employed in such Voyage, Trade, or Adventure; and also all the Goods laden thereupon, or that were sent to, acquired, traded, or adventured, within the East-Indies, and all the Proceed, and Effects, of the same, and Double the Value thereof.

Naples, Oct. 28. Yesterday a severe Shock of an Earthquake was felt in this City, but it happily went off without doing any considerable Damage. The Marquis d'Offun, the new French Ambassador, arrived here on Thursday last with a numerous Retinue.

Petersbourg, Oct. 31. Her Imperial Majesty having publicly declared her Intention of setting out for Moscow towards the Beginning of December, if the Sledging Ways are then open, most of the Foreign Ministers have wrote to their respective Courts for Leave to attend her in that Journey. The Mines in Siberia have produced more Copper this Year than they did in any preceding one.

Rome, Nov. 4. Yesterday^d died Cardinal Riviera, after a tedious Illness, in the 81st Year of his Age.

Leghorn, Nov. 5. The Accounts we have lately received from Corsica, in Relation to the Affairs of that Island, differ very much, some alledging, that the Malecontents are up in Arms, and in the utmost Confusion, whilst others say positively, that Tranquility is like to be soon established amongst them by a new Plan of Pacification. We are informed by the Master of a Ship lately arrived from the Levant, that the Plague is entirely ceased at Algiers, and that several armed Vessels were actually getting ready in that Port for a Cruize.

Stockholm, Oct. 2. The King has caused publick Notice to be given, for the Encouragement of those who shall settle upon the Coast of this Kingdom, and employ themselves in the Fisheries, that they shall be exempt from all Taxes, have no Soldiers quartered on them, and be free to cut what Wood they shall have Occasion for in building themselves Houses. The Directors of our East India Company have ordered their China Ships to be ready to sail the Beginning of January.

Vienna, Nov. 8. Two Deputies are arrived here from Hambourg, with a Commission to thank their Imperial Majesties for the great Pains

they took in bringing about a Reconciliation between the King of Spain and the Magistrates of that City.

Ratisbon, Nov. 12. The Evangelick Body has named a Deputation, who is to wait on the Empress Queen at Vienna, in order to beseech her Imperial Majesty to cause the Religious Grievances of the Protestants in Upper Austria, Carinthia, and Styria, to be immediately redressed.

Dresden, Nov. 13. The King's Intention of having all the Regiments of his Electoral Troops compleat, having been signified to the Officers of each Regiment; those Officers have, in Consequence thereof, already begun to raise Recruits.

Hambourg, Nov. 14. Our Commerce with Spain being re-established on its ancient Footing, several Ships are already sailed from hence for the different Ports of that Kingdom. According to our last Advices from Warsaw, a Senatus Consilium is shortly to be held there, after which their Polish Majesties propose to return to Dresden.

Franckfort, Nov. 15. A great Number of Artificers have, with the Permission of the Magistrates of this City, engaged themselves to go to Nova Scotia, and other British Settlements in America.

Berlin, Nov. 15. The King has caused an Edict to be published, whereby a former Edict, for prohibiting the Importation and wearing of all Kinds of Foreign Manufactures made of Cotton, is renewed for a certain Time therein mentioned. His Majesty has disposed of the Regiment of Foot of the late Major General Derfchan, in Favour of M. Widdersheim, heretofore Lieutenant Colonel of the Prince of Brunswick's Regiment of Fusiliers.

Dusseldorp, Nov. 17. On Tuesday Morning last, a Bark passed by this City upon the Rhine, having on board about seventy Recruits for the Service of the Dutch. According to the last Advices we received from Bonn, the Elector of Cologne's intended Journey to Urdingen and Mergentheim is laid aside; and 'tis now said, his Electoral Highness will set out shortly for Munich, in order to spend some Part of the Winter at that Court.

Paris, Nov. 17. The Commissaries appointed to adjust the Differences between the Clergy and the Parliament, having reported to the King the Progress they have made in that Affair, an extraordinary Council was held thereupon in his Majesty's Presence on Wednesday last at Versailles.

Hague, Nov. 21. The States of Holland and Westfrizeland have this Day renewed their Deliberations, when M. Haesten was introduced and took his Place in the said Assembly on the Part of the Province of Guelderland. The Deputies of the different Colleges of the Admiralty of this Country have likewise assembled here some Days past, to consider of some Affairs belonging to their Department.

Tower of London, Nov. 7, 1752.

The Lieutenant-General, and the rest of the principal Officers of his Majesty's Ordnance give Notice, That they will be ready on Tuesday the 5th Day of December next, to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are willing to contract for three Vessels of the following Burthens,

ships, to be employed in his Majesty's Service, in the Rivers Thames and Medway, for the Term of Six Years, viz.

One Vessel of the Burthen of Eighty Tons.
One Ditto. ——— Fifty Tons.
One Ditto. ——— Thirty-five Tons.

Further Particulars of the Contract may be known, by enquiring at the Minuting Office in the said Office of Ordnance.

By Order of the Board,
Wm. Bogdani.

Trinity-House, Nov. 25, 1752.

Whereas a dangerous Shoal is grown up on the Cross Ridge in Cockle Gatt, as advertised in the publick Papers, dated the 11th of November Instant.

Notice is hereby given, That a Red Buoy is placed somewhat to the Northward of the said Shoal in $3\frac{1}{4}$ Fathom Water; with the following Marks; Winterton Church half a Sail's Breadth open to the Northward of the Tower of Winterton Fire Light, Hornsby Church open to the Northward of the Houses on Scratsby Clift, also with the following Bearings:

Caster Lights S. W. by W.

Buoy of the Ridge W. S. W.

Buoy of the Seabeeds S. E.

On this Shoal which is described in the Advertisement of the 11th Instant, there is not more than 12 Feet Water, notwithstanding it was then 15 Feet Water.

N. B. The Buoys coming into Cockle Gatt from the Northward, are black on the Starboard Side and white on the Larboard Side.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ship's undermentioned, who were at the taking sundry Goods out of the Ship *St. Antonio y Alma Sancta*, lately condemned to them as Prize, that they may receive their respective Shares of the Remainder of the Produce of the said Goods, at the Agent's Office, the Corner of George Yard, on Tower Hill, on the Day against each Ship's Name express'd, viz.

Princess Mary, Tuesday January 2.

Winchester, Wednesday — — 3.

Harwich, Thursday — — 4.

Preston, Friday — — 5.

Medway Prize, } Monday Jan. 8.

Fogo Fireship, }

And on Tuesday the 9th of January, the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Harwich*, will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the Prize Rotterdam, at the same Place. The Recalls to be on the first Tuesday of every Month for three Years after.

Advertisements.

Bristol, Nov. 20, 1752.

ALL Persons, who have any Demands on the Estate of William Barnsdale, late of Bristol, Gentleman, deceased, are desired forthwith to send Accounts thereof to Samuel Worrall, an Attorney, in Bristol, on or before the 25th of January next. And all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said William Barnsdale, are forthwith to pay the same to the said Samuel Worrall, the said William Barnsdale's Executors intending soon afterwards to make a Dividend of his residuary Estate amongst such Persons as were his Creditors at the Time of his Failure, pursuant to his Will.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Wednesday the 24th Day of January next, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London, The Estate late of John Heald of Leeds in the County of York, Flax-dresser, deceased, consisting of diverse Messuages, Lands and Tenements, situate in Leeds, Coulton, Halton and Seacroft in the said County of York, Part Freehold and Part Copyhold; the Freehold Part of the yearly Rent of 62 l. or thereabouts; and the Copyhold Part of the yearly Rent of 8 l. 10 s. or thereabouts, subject to the Dower of Martha Heald, Widow of the said John Heald, upon Part of the said Freehold Estate of the yearly Value of 42 l. 3 s. 6 d. and to the Life of the said Martha Heald, upon other Part of the said Freehold Estate of the yearly Value of 9 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Friday the 15th Day of December next, between the Hours of Five and Seven in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, Two Freehold Houses in Foster Lane in the Occupation of Mr. Martin and Mr. Whipham; and four Freehold Houses and other Tenements in Half-moon Court near Ludgate, late the Estate of John Cooke, of Doctors Commons, Gent. deceased. The Houses in Foster Lane being 53 l. and the other 71 l. 4 s. per Annum. For further Particulars enquire at the said Master's House in Curfitor's Street.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Friday the 22d Day of December next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, An Estate, Part Freehold and Part Copyhold, situate at Westfield near Market Dearham in the County of Norfolk, of the yearly Value of 13 l. late the Estate of William Taylor, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey-Street.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, on Friday the 15th Day of December next, between Five and Seven in the Afternoon, before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, A Freehold Estate, call'd the Wyld; and the Leasehold Rectory of Wingfield in the County of Berks, Part of the Estates of the late William Hercy, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Joseph Lewin, late of the Parish of St. Mary le Bow in the City of London, Chinaman, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitor's Street, London, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Daniel Tabois, late of Castle Street, in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Sweepwasher, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts, before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Assignees under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Green, late of Ave-mary-Lane, London, Merchant, Dealer and Chipman, desire the Creditors of the said Bankrupt to meet on Friday next, being the 1st Day of December, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Pope's Head Tavern in Cornhill, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, touching the said Bankrupt's Estate, and also for compounding or submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Disputes relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Winde, of the Parish of St. Anne Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Wine Merchant, Dealer 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 6th and 13th Days of December next, and on the 9th Day of January following, at Three 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. Watkinson, in Lion's-Inn.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Bowes, of Kendall, in the County of Westmorland, Linnen Draper, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a final 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 prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Dod Bonell, late of London, 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 Dod Bonell 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 19th of December next.

