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Westminster, May 27.

HIS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, the Honourable Sir Henry Bellenden, 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

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money out of the Sinking Fund, and applying certain Monies remaining in the Exchequer, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty six.

An Act for enabling His Majesty to raise One Million for the Purpose therein mentioned, and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.

An Act for further continuing an Act of the sixth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, For securing and encouraging the Trade of His Majesty's Sugar Colonies in America; to indemnify Commissioners of the Land Tax for Counties at large and Ridings, who have acted by Virtue of Leasehold Estates; and to obviate a Doubt relating to the Qualification of Commissioners of the Land Tax for the City and Liberty of Westminster.

An Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and the more speedy and effectual Manning His Majesty's Navy.

An Act for the better Recruiting of His Majesty's Forces on the Continent of America, and for the better Regulation of the Army, and preventing Desertion there.

An Act for extending the Act of the Twenty-second Year of His present Majesty, For amending, explaining, and reducing into one Act of Parliament, the Laws relating to the Government of His Majesty's Ships, Vessels, and Forces by Sea, to such Officers, Seamen, and others, as shall serve on Board His Majesty's Ships or Vessels employed upon the Lakes, great Waters, or Rivers in North America.

An Act for reviving and continuing an Act For the Relief of Debtors, with Respect to the Imprisonment of their Persons; and for continuing an Act, made in the last Session of Parliament, To continue several Laws relating to the Distemper now raging among the Horned Cattle in this Kingdom.

An Act to render more effectual an Act, passed in the twelfth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George, to prevent unlawful Combinations of Workmen employed in the Woollen Manufactures, and for better Payment of their Wages; and also an Act passed in the thirteenth Year of the Reign of his said late Majesty, for the better Regulation of the Woollen Manufacture, and for preventing Disputes among the Persons concerned therein, and for limitting a Time for prosecuting for the Forfeiture appointed by the aforesaid Act, in Case of the Payment of the Workmen's Wages in any other Manner than in Money.

An Act for encouraging the Fisheries, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

An Act for inclosing, by the mutual Consent of the Lord and Tenants, Part of any Common for the Purpose of planting and preserving Trees fit for Timber or Underwood, and for more effectually preventing the unlawful Destruction of Trees.

An Act for more effectually discouraging, and preventing the Stealing, and the buying and receiving of Stolen Lead, Iron, Copper, Brass, Bell Metal and Solder, and for more effectually bringing the Offenders to Justice.

An Act to enable Infants, Lunaticks, and Femes Covert, to surrender Leases, in order to renew the same.

An Act for appointing a sufficient Number of Constables for the Service of the City and Liberty of Westminster; and to compel proper Persons to take upon them the Office of Jurymen, to present Nusances and other Offences, within the said City and Liberty.

An Act to enable the Commissioners for building a Bridge cross the River Thames, from the City of Westminster to the opposite Shore in the County of Surry, to purchase Houses and Grounds, and to widen the Ways and make more safe and commodious the Streets, Avenues, and Passages leading from Charing Cross to the two Houses of Parliament, Westminster Hall, and the Courts of Justice there, and Westminster Bridge, and to enable a less Number of Commissioners to execute the several Acts relating to the said Bridge, than at present are required by Law; and for Relief of George and James King, with regard to a Lease taken by their late Father from the said Commissioners.

An Act for explaining, amending, and rendering more effectual an Act, made in the Twenty second Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for making a free Market for the Sale of Fish in the City of Westminster, and for preventing the forestalling and monopolizing of Fish, and for allowing the Sale of Fish under the Dimensions mentioned in a Clause contained in an Act of the first Year of his late Majesty's Reign, in Case the same are taken with a Hook.

An Act for regulating the Proceedings in personal Actions in the Courts Baron of the Manors of Sheffield and Ecclesall, in the County of York.

An Act to indemnify Persons who have omitted to qualify themselves, according to the Directions of several Acts of Parliament, within the Times limited by such Acts respectively, and for allowing further

further Time for that Purpose; and concerning the Admissions of Officers and Members of Cities, Corporations, and Borough Towns, and the filing of Affidavits of Articles of Clerkship.

An Act to improve, widen, and enlarge the Passage over and through London Bridge.

An Act for building a Bridge cross the River Thames, from Black Fryars in the City of London, to the opposite Side in the County of Surrey.

An Act for regulating the Nightly Watch, and Beadles, and better Enlightening, Paving, and Cleansing the Streets and other Passages, and repairing the Highways within the Parishes of St. John Wapping, St. Paul Shadwell, the Hamlet of Radcliffe, the Parish of St. Anne, in the County of Middlesex, and the Precinct of Well Close, in the Liberty of the Tower of London.

An Act for rebuilding the Parish Church, and enlarging the Church Yard of St. John of Wapping, in the County of Middlesex.

An Act to enable the Proprietors and Inhabitants of Houses in York Buildings, in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, to make and levy a Rate on themselves, sufficient to answer the Expence of re-building or repairing of the Terrace Walk, and Water-gate, and such other Part of the Premisses adjoining to the River Thames, and belonging to the said Buildings, as shall be judged necessary, and for keeping the same in Repair for the future.

An Act to enable the respective Trustees of the Turnpike Roads leading to Highgate Gatehouse and Hampstead, and from St. Giles's Pound to Kilbourn Bridge, in the County of Middlesex, to make a new Road from the Great Northern Road at Islington, to the Edgeware Road near Paddington, and also from the North End of Portland Street, cross the Farthing Pye House Fields, into the said new Road, and for enlarging the Terms and Powers granted by two several Acts for repairing the said Road from St. Giles's Pound to Kilbourn Bridge.

An Act for amending, repairing, and widening the Roads, leading from the Ryeway in the Parish of Yarpole, in the County of Hereford, to Presteigne, in the County of Radnor, and from thence to Leintwardine, and from Presteigne aforesaid, to the Top of Trap Hill, and from the Ryeway aforesaid, by the Maidenhead, to Wooferton, in the County of Salop.

An Act for explaining, amending, and making more effectual an Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intitled, An Act for repairing and widening the Road from the Top of White Sheet Hill, in the Parish of Donhead Saint Andrew, in the County of Wilts, through the Towns of Shaftesbury, Milborne Port, and Sherborne, in the Counties of Dorset and Somerset, to the Half Way House in the Parish of Nether, otherwise Lower Compton in the said County of Dorset, and several other Roads near the Towns of Shaftesbury and Sherborne aforesaid, and for repairing other Roads adjoining to the Roads in the said former Act mentioned.

An Act to enlarge the Term and Powers of an Act for repairing the Road from Shrewsbury to Wrexham, in the County of Denbigh, and to repair and widen several other Roads therein mentioned, and the Road from Wrexham to Chester, and from thence to Pen Fordd y Waen, in the Parish of Whitford, and also the Road from Broughton to Mold, in the County of Flint.

An Act for explaining and making more effectual an Act, passed in the Twenty-fourth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, for repairing the Road leading from the East End of Brumpton High Lane, in the County of York, to the Town of Richmond, and from thence, to and through the Towns of Askrigg and Ingleton, in the said County, to the Town of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster; and also for repairing the Road leading from Richmond aforesaid, through Gilling, Melsonby, and Aldbrough, to Lucy, otherwise Lowy Cross, and from Gilling through Gilling Town Lane, to the Turnpike Road on Gatherly Moor.

And to Ten private Bills.

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

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

AFTER so long and unwearied Application to the Publick Business, it is reasonable that I should give you some Recess. I must, at the same Time, return you My hearty Thanks for the vigorous and effectual Support you have given Me, in maintaining that just and national Cause, in which I am engaged.

The Injuries and Hostilities, which have been for some Time committed by the French against My Dominions and Subjects, are now followed by the actual Invasion of the Island of Minorca; which stands guarantied to Me by all the great Powers of Europe, and in particular by the French King. I have therefore found Myself obliged, in Vindication of the Honour of My Crown, and of the Rights of My People, to declare War in Form against France. I rely on the Divine Protection, and the vigorous Assistance of My faithful Subjects, in so just a Cause.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I return you My hearty Thanks for the Readiness and Dispatch with which you have granted Me such large Supplies. You may depend on their being strictly applied to the good Purposes for which they were given.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

Nothing has given Me more inward Satisfaction, than the Confidence which you repose in Me. It is the most acceptable Return you could make to Me; and you may be assured, shall be made use of only for your Good. The Preservation of your Religion, Liberties, and Independency, is, and always shall be, My great Aim; and I trust you will not be wanting to yourselves.

Then the Lord Chancellor, having receiv'd Directions from His Majesty, said;

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, That both Houses of Parliament should forthwith severally adjourn themselves to Friday the Eighteenth Day of June next.

Kensington, May 29.

The following Address of the County of Inverness, North-Britain, in a General Meeting of the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply, has been presented to His Majesty by the Hon. Pryse Campbell, jun. Esq; Representative in Parliament for the said County of

of Inverness; Being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Coventry one of the Lords of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the County of Inverness, North-Britain, in a General Meeting of the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply, assembled at Inverness.

May it please your Majesty,

WE humbly beg Leave to express our zealous Attachment to your Royal Person and Family, and to our most happy Constitution.

The Attempts which have been so long carried on against your Majesty's Colonies in America, contrary to the Faith of Treaties, and the avowed Invasion intended against your British Dominions by the Common Enemy of our Peace, and of that of Europe, should awaken the Attention, and excite the Abhorrence of all your Majesty's loyal Subjects: But ours in a special Manner, in whose Memories it must be recent, how far their crafty Designs succeeded in withdrawing Numbers from their Allegiance, and plunging them into a most unnatural Rebellion, the Consequences of which not only affected this Island, but, in some Measure, all those who were connected with your Majesty, in a dangerous and expensive War, for the Maintaining of the Liberties of Europe; tho' by the happy Extinction of it under the Conduct of his Royal Highness the Duke, it only terminated in the just Punishment of some of those, who were either so weak or so wicked as to have been signally active in promoting it.

And here permit us, with the highest Sense of Gratitude, to acknowledge the paternal Care and great Wisdom of your Majesty, who, when your Clemency was obliged to leave some to the Justice of the Laws, devised, that from the Loss of a few, a most extensive Benefit should result to the Whole of this Country, by applying the Estates which became vested in your Majesty, to the Improvement of this Part of your Dominions in such Manner, that by training up even the lowest Order of the Inhabitants to Industry, they may acquire a Property which it will be their Interest to defend; and by weaning them gradually from the Vices that naturally arise from Idleness, they may be led to the highest of Virtues, a Love of true Liberty and of their Country.

It is with the greatest Pleasure we beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that the happy Effects of your mild and wise Government are so sensibly felt among us, that should our Enemies again endeavour to disturb our Peace, and sow the Seeds of Disaffection in this Country, our Unanimity and Attachment to your Royal Family and our Constitution, which are inseparably connected, is such as must disappoint and make them fail of Success. In this Opinion we are confirmed by a Variety of Circumstances, and especially by our observing, that when it was lately proposed among us, in order to the speedy and effectual Recruiting your Majesty's Forces, that (without neglecting the Duty assigned us by the Act of Parliament) we should use our utmost Endeavours to find able bodied Volunteers, and that such should be encouraged by a large Addition to the ordinary levy Money; we found all Ranks of People within the County extremely willing to contribute to make that Measure take Effect.

We shall only add, that it shall be our constant Care to testify, by our Actions, our unviolable Attachment to your Majesty's Person, Family, and Government.

That your Majesty's Life may be prolonged as a Blessing to those Lands; that you may triumph over your Enemies, and may long enjoy the Satisfaction of procuring Peace and Security to your People, is our joint Prayer to Almighty God.

Signed in our Name, at our Sight, and by our Appointment, by Æneas Mackintosh, of Mackintosh, our Præses, at Inverness, the sixth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred and fifty six Years.

Æneas Mackintosh, Præses.

The following Address of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Cambridge, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Marquis of Granby, one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Marquis of Rockingham, one of the Lords of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Cambridge.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most loyal and obedient Subjects, being deeply sensible of the many Blessings we have long enjoyed under your Majesty's just and wise Government, think it our Duty, in this important and critical Situation of Affairs, to approach your Royal Person with the most sincere and dutiful Assurances of our Zeal for your Majesty's Service, and the Honour of our Country.

The Preparations of that great Neighbouring Power, our ancient Rival, to invade these Kingdoms, have filled us not only with a real Sense of our Danger, but with an Indignation as strong as it is well founded, at so unjust and desperate an Undertaking. Convinced as we are that no ambitious Views, no Schemes of Acquisition or Conquest have influenced your Majesty's Counsels, but a Paternal Regard for the Rights of your Subjects, the Security of your Colonies, and the National Commerce; we look upon this Design of France as the most violent Insult upon Great Britain, and as filling up the Measure of those continued Encroachments and Hostilities which that Crown has carried on unprovoked, in the more distant Parts of your Majesty's Dominions, ever since the Peace of Aix la Chapelle.

Persuaded of the Justice of our Cause, and animated by the high Importance of it, we should hold ourselves unworthy of the Name of Britons, were we not determined to exert ourselves to the utmost, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, in Defence of your Majesty's Sacred Person, the Protestant Succession in your Illustrious House, the Religion, the Laws, and the Liberties of our Country.

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The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the Town of Cambridge, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Lord Duplin, one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Marquis of Rockingham, one of the Lords of His Majeſty's Bed Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the Town of Cambridge, beg Leave, at this critical Conjuncture, to addreſs your Majeſty with our ſincereſt Thanks, and Hearts full of Gratitude, for the great Care and Affection, that your Majeſty has, on all Occaſions, and now particularly, moſt graciouſly ſhewn, by the vigorous and active Meaſures that have been lately carried on by your Royal Order, to curb the inſolent Attacks of our perfidious Neighbours in our Colonies, and to defend theſe your Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland, and your People from any hoſtile Attempts that may be made, and with which we are now threatned;

Conſcious of your Majeſty's Goodneſs, and of the numberleſs Bleſſings which we enjoy under your auſpicious Reign, by the vigilant and paternal Care that you always take to preſerve to all your Subjects their Rights and Privileges, that they may freely enjoy them unreſtrained, and without the leaſt Infringement;

We aſſure your Majeſty, that in any Time of Neceſſity, no People ſhall be readier to ſerve and defend your Royal Perſon with more unfeigned Zeal and truer Affection than we, who conſtantly offer up our Prayers for the Continuance of your Majeſty's Health, and that Succeſs may attend your Armies and Fleets whenever they are faced by our treacherous Enemies.

Given under our Common Seal the twentieth Day of May, in the Year of our Lord, One thouſand ſeven hundred and fifty ſix.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Portſmouth, in the County of Southampton, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Sir William Rowley and Sir Edward Hawke, Knights of the Bath, their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Marquis of Rockingham, one of the Lords of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Portſmouth, in the County of Southampton.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majeſty having thought proper to declare War againſt the French King, we your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of your ancient and loyal Borough of Portſmouth, beg Leave to approach your Throne, there to teſtify our higheſt Senſe of and Confidence in your Majeſty's Piety, Juſtice, Magnanimity and Wiſdom, from a full Conviction of which we reſt aſſured the French King has unjuſtly begun the War, and is reſolved to hearken to no Terms of Peace; your Majeſty's is then the Cauſe of God, the Cauſe of Mankind, as well as that of your Subjects: What therefore have we not then to hope for? Above all, we truſt that the Lord of Hoſts will go forth with your Majeſty's Arms.

For ourſelves, full of that Duty and Affection which your Majeſty has ſo juſt a Claim to from us, and from all your Subjects, and fired with ſo noble a Cauſe, we fully purpoſe to ſhew ourſelves Men, and in our ſeveral Stations act as it becomes thoſe who have the moſt lively Senſe of the many invaluable Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's moſt auſpicious Reign.

That theſe Bleſſings, through your Majeſty, may be conveyed to diſtant Lands, and in your Royal Perſon and Family continued to us and ours to the lateſt Poſterity, is the fervent Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful
And loyal Subjects.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Reading in the County of Berks, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable Lord Viſcount Fane, one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Marquis of Rockingham, one of the Lords of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Reading in the County of Berks.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of your Majeſty's ancient Borough of Reading, being warmed with a juſt Indignation at the daring Menaces and hoſtile Violences of France, beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, that in the preſent, and on all future Occaſions, we are, and ever ſhall be, ready to exert ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Power, in the Defence of your Majeſty's Sacred Perſon, Crown and Dignity.

We think ourſelves bound in Duty to return your Majeſty our unfeigned Thanks for the vigorous and ſeaſonable Meaſures your Majeſty has taken to vindicate the Honour of the Crown and the Rights of your Subjects; not doubting but that your Majeſty will obtain that Satisfaction by the Sword, which could not be procured by pacifick and more agreeable Meaſures.

From the Juſtice of our Cauſe we place a ſtrong Confidence in the Bleſſing of the Almighty upon your Majeſty's Counſels and Arms, and pray that your unwearied Endeavours for the publick Good may be crowned with Succeſs, and that your Majeſty may long live to enjoy the

the Fruits of it, which we hope will be continued in your Royal and Illustrious Progeny to the latest Ages.

Given under our Common Seal the 25th Day of May, 1756.

Naples, April 27. Their Majesties and the Royal Family are now at Portici, where they propose staying till the Beginning of July, when they will go to Caserta for the Remainder of the Summer. Advice having been received here, that a contagious Distemper is broke out at Algiers, the King has caused an Ordonnance to be published, by which all Ships coming from thence, or any other Port on the Coast of Africa, are obliged to perform an exact Quarantine.

Leghorn, May 3. For five or six Weeks past a Kind of malignant Fever has raged in this City, which has carried off a great Number of Persons.

Rome, May 8. The Pope having determined to make the Port d'Anzio more commodious for the Reception of Vessels, a sufficient Number of Slaves out of the Galleys, together with the necessary Materials and Stores, have been ordered thither from Civita Vecchia, under the Escort of the Pope's Frigat St. Paul. On the 5th Instant M. Corsini set out for Lisbon to carry the Cap to the new promoted Cardinal. The necessary Dispositions are making for the Pope's Journey to Castle Gandolfo, as usual at this Season.

Florence, May 15. On the 12th Instant a Battalion of the Tuscan Regiment in Garrison here marched to Leghorne, and was replaced the same Day by the second Battalion of the said Regiment. On the 13th, being the Empress's Birth-Day, the same was celebrated as usual; Prior Antinori, Member of the Regency, and Secretary at War, was appointed to receive the Compliments on that Occasion in the Morning, and in the Evening Count Richecourt gave a Ball at one of the Emperor's Country Seats near the City, to which he is removed for the Summer.

Hague, May 20. The States General having appointed M. Mauritius to replace M. Buys as Minister from this Republick to the Circle of Lower Saxony, he has taken the usual Oaths to qualify himself for that Employment, and is preparing to set out for his Post at Hambourg. Next Saturday is appointed for the Review of the Regiment of Swiss Guards. 'Tis said her Royal Highness the Princess Governante will set out towards the End of next Week, with the young Prince Stadtholder and the Princess Caroline his Sister, for Dieren, where she proposes to stay some Time.

Brussels, May 25. Our Advices from France, for this Week past, contain no farther Particulars of the Duke of Richelieu's Proceedings in the Island of Minorca. We are informed from the Frontiers of France, that several more Regiments are now upon their March from Lorrain, towards Normandy and Brittany; and that they are soon to be followed by all the Regiments that can be spared from the Garrisons in French Flanders. The Militia, which is now assembled and exercising all over the Country, is ordered to replace them every where.

Victualling-Office, May 21, 1756.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 2d of July next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they shall be ready to treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake the Victualling such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Madeira, and be in want of Provisions. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London.

General Post-Office, May 17, 1756.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That all Correspondence whatsoever, by Letters or otherwise, between these Kingdoms and France, is now entirely at an End; and that no more Mails will be forwarded from this Office; nor will any more Packet Boats be suffered to sail from Dover to Calais, till His Majesty's Pleasure shall be further known.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Sec.*

General Post Office, May 21, 1756.

Publick Notice is hereby given, that the Correspondence between these Kingdoms and France being now at an End, the Letters for all Parts of the Continent; except to France, *will be forwarded from this Office every Tuesday and Friday, by the Way of Holland and Flanders; and that Letters for Spain and Portugal will be forwarded from hence, as usual, every Tuesday to Corunna and Lisbon, by the Falmouth Pacquet Boats.*

By Command of the Post Master General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Advertisements.

IN June 1755, I was seized in Jamaica with a Bilious Fever, a Disorder very common in that Island, and in a few Hours was delirious; they bled me and gave me a Vomit, but my Fever continuing very High, I took Dr. James's Powder, (that is sold at Mr. Newbery's in St. Paul's Church-Yard) one Dose of which vomited and purged me pretty much, and then sweat me profusely, after which I slept some Hours; and the Fever entirely left me. I thought it was prudent however to take a Dose or two of Bark, which I did, and soon recover'd my Strength. My Carpenter, James Caseburn, was in our Passage Home taken with a Fever, which threw him into strong Convulsions, so that his Arms, Legs and Body, were contracted or distorted to a very great Degree, and every one in the Ship gave him over for lost; but upon taking two Doses of the Powders, which worked him pretty much, he perfectly recovered.

Alex. Hamilton, *Captain of the Peakbay.*

WHEREAS John Hippisley, of Lambaurne in the County of Berks; John Hippisley Cox, of Stone Easton in the County of Somerset; and William Calley, of Burthrop in the County of Wilts, Esqrs; as Devisees in Trust of and in the last Will and Testament of William Hippisley, late of Staunton in the said County of Wilts, Esq; deceased, have publickly declared their Intention to sell the Manor, Advowson, and all the Lands which were late the Estate of John Hippisley, of Staunton aforesaid, Esq; deceased, situate, lying, and being within the said Manor and Parish: All Persons who may be inclined to purchase the same, are hereby required to take Notice that Robert Hippisley, Brother of the said William Hippisley, and Son and Devisee of the said John Hippisley, of Staunton aforesaid, claims and intends to file his Bill in the Court of Chancery in or before next Trinity Term, for the Recovery of all the Lands within the said Manor and Parish, (except what are included in the Marriage Settlement of the last mentioned John Hippisley) not only as immediate Devisee of the said Lands, in and by the last Will and Testament of the said John Hippisley, subject to the Contingency of the said William Hippisley, paying in his Life Time the Sum of 3000 l. to the said Robert Hippisley, and 1000 l. to George Hippisley, deceased, Brother of the said William, which never was paid, but refused by the said William in his life Time to be paid, but also as Tenant in Tail thereof, in and by the said Will, (if the said William had really paid the said 3000 l. and 1000 l.) he the said William dying unmarried and without Issue, and having suffered no Recovery of the same, tho' a Fine is admitted to have been passed of the Lands comprized in the aforesaid Marriage Settlement, and of those only as by the Deed of Mortgage made to John Thresher, Esq; for which Purpose the said Fine was passed, will appear.

Robert Hippisley.
Mount Trenchard Ireland.

Wednesday the 19th Day of May, in the 29th Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Second, 1756, Between Mary Johnson, by Bill of Revivor, Plaintiff, Thomas Pitt, Esq; Defendant.

UPON the Plaintiff's humble Petition this Day preferred unto the Right Hon. the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein contained, and upon Reading the Six Clerks Certificate, and an Affidavit of Joseph Vere, it is ordered, That the said Defendant Thomas Pitt do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill of Revivor on or before the 1st Day of July next.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 23d Day of June next, between the Hours of Five and Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon, a Capital Messuage, Barton, Demesne and other Lands and Cottages in the Parish of St. Mabyn in the County of Cornwall, of the yearly Value of 70l. or thereabouts; as also a Dwelling House, several Cottages, Gardens and Lands. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold, before the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John and Ambrose Godfrey Hanckwitz, on Friday the 24th Day of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, the following Estates, viz. A Freehold Farm for the Life of Mr. John Godfrey Hanckwitz, in Wybeston in Bedfordshire, lett to Luke Addington, at 60l. per Annum. Three Freehold Farms and also an House, Garden and Cottage, and a Blacksmiths Shop, for the joynt Lives of Mr. John Godfrey Hanckwitz and his Wife, situate at Harrold in Bedfordshire, Dentford and Boshot in Northamptonshire, lett at 100l. 10s. per Annum, together with a Quit Rent of 4s. per Annum. Also two Leasehold Houses in Southampton-street, Covent Garden, lett at 135l. per Annum, subject to a yearly Ground Rent and Out-goings of 42l. 18s. 10d. and an Annuity of 60l. and Eleven Years to come of the Lease. Also three other Leasehold Houses in Southampton-street aforesaid, and Maiden Lane, lett at 109l. per Annum. Eleven Years of the Lease to come; and a fourth in Maiden Lane, about Thirty-two Years of the Lease to come, lett at 45l. per Annum; all subject to several yearly Payments of 76l. 6s. Particulars to be had at Skinners Hall, Dowgate Hill, London.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, before the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt issued against Katherine Forman and Henry Lang, late of Old Broad-street, London, Merchants and Copartners, on Tuesday the 15th Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Rolls Coffee House in Chancery Lane, London, The Estate and Interest of the said Bankrupts, (being an equitable Estate only) of and in sundry Pieces or Parcels of Land in the Parish of St. Peter in the Island of Barbados, with the several Buildings thereon. For further Particulars inquire of Messr. Commeline and Athawes, at Cordwainers Hall, in Distaffe Lane, London.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery the Creditors and Legatees of William Taylor, late of Swinhoe in the County of Northumberland, Esq; are to come before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, to prove their several Demands, and claim their respective Legacies, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to an order of the High Court of Chancery, William Ford Garrett, Son of Henry Garrett, late of Cloth Fair, London, Salesman, deceased, if Living, or his Representatives if Dead, are hereby required forthwith to come before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, London, and make out his or their Claim to a Legacy of One Hundred Pounds given to the said William Ford Garrett by the Will of William Ford, late of Devereux Court near Temple Bar in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Matthew Blaquiere, late of London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignee of his Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next, at Twelve in the Forenoon, at the Amsterdam Coffee House behind the Royal Exchange, in order to assent to or dissent from his commencing one or more Suit or Suits in Law or Equity, concerning the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, and to compound, agree or leave to Reference or Arbitration any Debt, Dispute, &c. relating thereto.

THE Creditors of Gregory Joyce, late of Crutched Fryers in the Parish of St. Olave, Hart-street, London, Merchant, (a Fugitive for Debt beyond the Seas at Bilboa, on the 1st Day of January 1755, who received the Benefit of the late Insolvent Act, at the General Quarter Session of the Peace held by Adjournment at Southwark in and for the County of Surry, on the 24th Day of February last,) are desired to meet at Randall's Coffee House in Lombard-street, on Friday the 4th Day of June next, at Two o'Clock, to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said Gregory Joyce's Estate and Effects, as the said Act directs.

THE Creditors of Alexander Wilson, late of the Parish of St. Margarets Westminster in the County of Middlesex, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet on Thursday next being the 3d Day of June, at Twelve o'Clock, at the British Coffee House, Charing Cross, in order to consider of a Proposal for making a further Dividend, and on other Special Affairs.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for John Brander, of the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty five Days, to be computed from the 25th of this present May; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 9th Day of July next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Wilks, late of Ludgate Hill, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, did meet, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, on the 26th Day of May Instant, at Guildhall, London, in order to choose an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, but no Creditor of the said Bankrupt then and there appearing, or any Person duly authorised by any Creditor, for the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; This is therefore to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named have adjourned for the Choice of such Assignees until Thursday the 30 Day of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and choose an Assignee or Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Cobbe, of Bedford-street in the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden in the County of Middlesex, Upholsterer 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 2d and 16th of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 10th of July following, at Eleven 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. John Hilditch, Attorney, in Gough Square, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Isaac Worthington, of Macclesfield in the County Palatine of Chester, Throwster, Dealer and Chapman, surviving Partner of John Ford, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part them, on the 3d and 9th Days of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 10th Day of July following, at Ten o'Clock 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 Nathaniel Beard, Attorney, in Dyer's Court, Aldermanbury.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Francis Ellwood, of Cheapside, London, Chinaman, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d Day of June next, at Four 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 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 Francis Wheatley, of St. Saviours Southwarke, in the County of Surry, Dyer, intend to meet on the 18th of June next, at Four 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 prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

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THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Rogers, late of London, Broker, intend to meet on the 23d of June next, at Four 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Mary Looker, of Bishopsgate-street, London, Victualler, intend to meet on the 26th Day of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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 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 Hargreaves, late of Waterbarn in the Township of Spotland, Parish of Rochdale and County of Lancaster, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Thomas Moxon, being the Sign of the King's Arms in Leeds in the County of York, 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. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Savill, late of Threadneedle-street, London, Money Scrivener, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Savill 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 June next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Michael Malcolm, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Cabinet Maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Michael Malcolm 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 Day of June next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Elizabeth Denham, of Catherine-street, in the Parish of St. Mary le Strand in the County of Middlesex, Victualler, Dealer, and Chapwoman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Elizabeth Denham hath in all Things conformed herself 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, her Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of June next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Anne Richardson, of the Parish of St. Swithen, London, Victner, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Anne Richardson hath in all Things conformed herself 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, her Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of June next.

THE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1755, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 in and for the said County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

First Notice.

John Mills, of Burwood, in the Parish of Walton upon Thames, in the County of Surry, and late of Lisbon, Gentleman.

Edward Sutton, formerly of Long Lane, Southwark, in the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen, late of Collier's Rents, in the Parish of St George Southwark, in the County of Surry, Cooper and Marshalsea Court Officer.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Goal or Prison of Ivelchester, in the County of Somerset, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 in the Town of Bridgewater, in and for the said County of Somerset, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

John King, late of North Newton, in the Parish of North Petherton, in the County of Somerset, Yeoman.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first Day of January 1755, and having surrendered himself to the 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 Eighth 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 in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

Samuel Johnson the Elder, formerly of the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, late of St. Omer in the Province of Artois in Flanders, last of Boulogne in France, Merchant.

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The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first Day of January 1755, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Woodstreet-Compter, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the said City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

William Beck, late of King Street Bloomsbury, in the County of Middlesex, Coachman.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1755, and having surrendered themselves to the Warden of his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the ate Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the said City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Second Notice.

Philip Horne, formerly of High Holborne in the County of Middlesex, Hosier.

Third Notice.

Thomas Alford, formerly of Cow Cross, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre's in the County of Middlesex, Victualler.

The following Persons being Prisoners for Debt in his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, in the City of London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 at the Guildhall of the said City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Third Notice.

Henry Finch, formerly of St. Clement East Cheap, Victualler, late of South Lambeth, in Surry, Gardiner.

Charles Meymott, formerly of St. Bennett's Hill Paul's Wharf, London, late of King Street St Giles's, Middlesex, Dealer in Tobacco, Rum, Brandy, and Coals.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January, 1755, and having surrendred themselves to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter in the City of London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 at the Guildhall of the City of London, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Third Notice.

Henry Read, late of the Parish of St. Dunstan in the West, London, Gentleman.

Abraham Saqui, late of Houndsditch, London, Pedlar.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Goal the Castle of Lincoln, hereby gives Notice, that she intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 Division of Holland in the said County of Lincoln, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quatrer Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Name, viz.

Third Notice.

Rosemunday Marriot, formerly of Weston, late of Spalding in the County of Lincoln, Widow.

The following Persons being Prisoner for Debt, in his Majesty's Goal the Castle of Lincoln, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth 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 Division of Lindsey in the said County of Lincoln, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Names, viz.

Third Notice.

Samuel North, formerly of Manby, late of Louth, Baker.

David Bennit, late of Saltfleet, Grocer.

John Pell, late of Gaton upon the Woulds, Farmer and Grazier.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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