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At the Court at St. James's, the 29th Day of December, 1759,

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Proclamation of the 15th of May last, "For giving Encouragement to Seamen and able bodied Landmen to enter themselves on board His Majesty's Ships of War; for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves; for pardoning such Seamen as have deserted and shall return into the Service; and also for taking up all stragling Seamen," hath been prolonged and extended to the 31st of this Instant December; — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His privy Council, hereby Order that the said Time be prolonged and extended from the aforesaid 31st Day of this Instant December, to the 11th Day of February next; and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 11th Day of February next—Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

St. James's, January 22.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgesses and Commonalty of the Borough of New Windsor has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Lord Vere: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Borough of New Windsor in the County of Berks.

WE beg Leave to approach your Majesty with Hearts overflowing with Joy and Gratitude for the late uncommon Success of your Majesty's Arms, for which we are indebted to the Goodness of Providence, and your Majesty's unwearied Attention to the Interests of this Kingdom. By the Wisdom of the Councils, the Conduct of the Commanders, and the Bravery of the Forces of your Majesty, both by Sea and Land, the Reputation of Great Britain hath been raised to a Degree of Glory unknown in History. It would take up too much Time to enumerate the several Victories your Majesty's Arms have lately obtained, the noblest Repository whereof is in your Majesty's Royal Mind and Heart, and in the grateful Memory of your dutiful and loyal Subjects. We shall only say, that, considering their Nature, Number, and Importance, they will for ever make this Part of your Majesty's Reign, (though before sufficiently happy and blest to your People) the brilliant Period of the British Annals. The Revival of publick Virtue is the peculiar Characteristick of these Times, and doth particular Honour to your Majesty's Government: 'Tis with Pleasure we observe the passionate Regard Men have of late shewn

for their Country, and the ardent Love they bear to your Majesty: So that there is nothing now but we may promise ourselves from Affections so general, and so vigorous, under the Direction of your Majesty's Wisdom and Councils. We rejoice to see the Unanimity of our Fellow Subjects for the Service of your Majesty and the common Good; and beg Leave to join in the universal Wish of your Kingdom, that your Majesty may live long to enjoy the Glory your Royal Arms have acquired; and after a great Length of Time hand it down complete with the Blessings of a lasting Peace, to your Majesty's illustrious Family, on the Prosperity of which depends the future Happiness of Great Britain.

Given under our Common Seal in our Council Chamber, this Thirty-first Day of December, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Nine.

Prince Ferdinand's Head Quarters at Marbourg, Jan. 11. Since we were informed of the Success of our Troops in forcing the Town of Dillenburg, and throwing Provisions into the Castle thereof on the 7th, we have received likewise the News, that, on the same Morning, Major Keith's Highlanders, supported by Colonel Luckner's Hussars, who commanded the whole Body, attacked the Village of Eybach, where Beaufremont's Dragoons had an advanced Post, near our Quarters on the Side of Dillenburg, defeated them, and killed and dispersed a great Part of that Regiment, made about 80 Prisoners, and took near 200 Horses with their Baggage. The Highlanders distinguished themselves greatly upon the Occasion. There has likewise been another Affair to our Advantage on the Left of our Army. M. de St. Germain, upon the 8th Instant, advanced on that Side with the Grenadiers of the French Army, supported by some Dragoons and eight Battalions, but was surprized by the Duke of Holstein, at the Head of our Grenadiers with some Prussian Dragoons, and four Battalions in the Neighbourhood of Ebsdorff, and, after a brisk Cannonade, forced to retreat precipitately. In the Pursuit, our Hussars made seven Officers and fifty Men Prisoners. The Enemy has not appeared since.

Hague, Jan. 18. By the last Advices from Saxony, which are of the 2d Instant, we hear, that his Prussian Majesty was himself at Pretschendorff, General Hullen at Frauenstein, and Prince Henry of Prussia remained with the Grand Prussian Army about Willsdorff; but nothing material had then passed in those Quarters.

Admiralty Office, Jan. 19, 1760.

PURsuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information hath been sent to this Office by Mr. Robert Hayward, Deputy to Sir Thomas Allin, Bart. that on the 11th and 12th Instant, 144 Casks of Wine, and one Piece of Foreign Brandy, all of them Ullages, and a great many of them damaged by Salt Water, were stranded on the Manours of Sir Thomas Allin, in the Half Hundreds of Mutford, and Lottingland, in the County of Suffolk; all which are in the Custody of the said Sir Thomas and his Deputies; but no Papers, Consignments, or Quality, are known,

J. Cleveland.

Admiralty Office, January 21, 1760.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, That Information has been sent to this Office, that the Ship Roy Salomon, Gable Lolkcs, Master, laden with Wine, and bound from Bourdeaux to Amsterdam, is stranded at Aberystwith, in the County of Cardigan.

J. Cleveland.

Salop, Jan. 8, 1760.

Whereas an Act hath passed in this present Session of Parliament to enable the Lord Lieutenant of those Counties, where the Militia Forces have not been raised, to summon a Meeting of all such Persons as are qualified and willing to serve as Officers in the Militia, notwithstanding the Suspension made in pursuance of the Directions of the former Acts: And whereas at the Meeting of His Majesty's Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Salop, this Day held at the Talbot Inn in this Town, a sufficient Number of Gentlemen qualified to serve as Officers in the Militia of the said County, did not appear, or give in their Names in Writing for that Purpose; in order therefore that the Militia Acts may the more effectually be carried into Execution, His Majesty's said Lieutenant doth hereby give Notice, that another Meeting will be held at the Place aforesaid, on Tuesday the 5th Day of February next; and likewise desires, that all Persons qualified to serve as Officers, and willing to accept Commissions, will attend the said Meeting, or deliver or cause to be delivered their Names in Writing to His Majesty's said Lieutenant, or such Person as he shall appoint to receive the same, specifying the Rank in which they are willing to serve.

POWIS.

Grosvener Street, January 22, 1760.

The second General Meeting for putting in Execution the several Acts of Parliament relating to the Militia within the County of Cornwall, will be held at the House of Catherine Arthur, being the Sign of the Crown and Sceptre in Lostwithiel in the said County, on the 5th Day of February next; when and where all Persons qualified and willing to accept Commissions to fill up the Vacancies of Lieutenants and Ensigns in the said Militia, may deliver in their respective Names in Writing to His Majesty's Lieutenant, or to such Person as he shall appoint to receive the same.

EDGCUMBE.

Horton-House, Jan. 10, 1760.

Whereas a sufficient Number of Gentlemen, qualified to fill up the Vacancies of Lieutenants and Ensigns in the Northamptonshire Militia, have not yet entered their Names, altho' several Meetings have been duly held for that Purpose, in pursuance of an Act passed this present Session of Parliament: Further Notice is therefore hereby given, that another Meeting will (pursuant to the said Act) be held at the George Inn in the Town of Northampton, on Tuesday the 26th Day of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; when and where it is hoped Gentlemen qualified and willing to serve as Officers in the above vacant Commissions, will deliver in their Names in Writing to His Majesty's Lieutenant, or to such other Person as shall be appointed to receive the same, specifying the Rank in which he is desirous of serving.

DUNK HALIFAX.

Rogers, Clerk of the General Meetings.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children, January 22, 1760.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital will be held by Adjournment at the said Hospital in Lambs Conduit Fields, on Monday next the 28th Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Morning, when all the Governors and Guardians are desired to be present.

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

British Linen Office, Edinburgh, Jan. 15, 1760.

The Directors of the British Linen Company give Notice, that there is a General Quarterly Court of the said Company to be held here on the 3d Day of March next.

Navy Office, Jan. 7, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to contract for the Stores undermentioned, for His Majesty's Service, on the Days expressed against the same, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, that they may attend with their Proposals accordingly, viz.

Iron, ——— on Wednesday 13 Feb. 1760.
Hemp, ——— Friday 15 ditto.
East Country Tar, ——— Wednesday 20 ditto.
Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals, } Friday 22 ditto.
Norway Goods, ——— Wednesday 27 ditto.
Riga Masts, ——— Friday 29 ditto.

Navy Office, January 10, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Thursday the 31st Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, they will expose to sale at this Office. Several Parcels of old Stores lying at His Majesty's Yard at Chatham, consisting of Junk, Paper Stuff, decayed Boltropes, Hammocks, Smiths Bellows and Nets, Iron Pots, Rags, White Ocham, Rakings and Refuse Ends, where any Persons willing to be Purchasers, may have the Liberty of viewing them at any Time in the common working Hours of the Yard till the Day of Sale: And as a Deposit of 25 l. per Cent. or in that Proportion, is to be made by the Persons who shall purchase the said Lots, all Persons who shall attend the sale are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpose; and unless the Stores so purchased shall be paid for and taken away at the End of forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Deposit shall be forfeited and become the Property of the Crown.

Office for Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for Exchanging Prisoners of War, Nov. 17, 1759.

Whereas Desertions from Parole among the Prisoners of War now admitted thereto in several Parts of the Kingdom, have been, and continue to be very frequent, and whereas there is Reason to believe such Prisoners have met, and do meet with Assistance from some of his Majesty's Subjects and others residing within this Kingdom, some of whom have been prosecuted to Conviction, and Prosecutions are carrying on now against others, and whereas adhering to the King's Enemies by giving them Aid or Comfort, either within his Realm or elsewhere, or the Concealment thereof, are the highest Crimes; the Commissioners for Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for Exchanging Prisoners of War, do hereby Promise a reasonable Reward to any Person by whose Means any such Prisoners of War shall be apprehended, or by whose Discovery any of His Majesty's Subjects, or any Person residing within this Realm, shall be convicted of aiding and assisting, directly or indirectly, the said Prisoners of War in their Escapes from Parole, or of proving them to be so aided and assisted, or of affording them, directly or indirectly, or of procuring them to be afforded, Comfort and Harbour in or after such their Desertions from Parole, or by any other Means aiding and assisting them in such Desertions and Escapes; and the said Commissioners do hereby further give Notice, that all and every such Person or Persons so offending against their Allegiance and the Laws of this Kingdom, will be prosecuted at the Law directly.

January 13, 1760.

Publick Notice is hereby given, that the Trustees of Wadesmill Turnpike Roads in the County of Hertford, are appointed to meet at the George Inn at Puckridge in the said County, on Friday the 8th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Bof. Toller, Clerk to the Trustees.

A General Meeting of the Trustees for repairing and amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Sussex, will be held at the Three Tuns Tavern, St-Margaret's Hill, Southwark, on Thursday the 7th Day of February 1760, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, so choose Trustees in the Room of those who are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and upon other Affairs relating to the Trust.

Roger Peck, Clerk.

Ramsgate Harbour, January 18, 1766.

The Trustees for enlarging and maintaining the said Harbour do hereby give Notice, that they intend to meet on Friday the 8th Day of February, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Merchants Seamens Office over the Royal Exchange, to elect new Trustees to fill up the Vacancies in the Trust: And that they will also meet on Friday the 1st of February, at the above-mentioned Place, by Adjournment from this Day.

John Scott, Secretary.

*Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship *Leverpole*, Richard Knight, Esq; Commander, that were on board at the taking the *Novelle Hirondelle*, a French Privateer, that they will be paid the nett Proceeds of her Hull and Bounty on board the said Ship at Portsmouth before her sailing; and the Shares not then demanded may be received the first Thursday in every Month for three Years afterwards, at the Navy Coffee House in Crouch'd Fryers.*

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Freehold Estate lying and being in and near Finchingsfield in the County of Essex, of the clear yearly Value of 52 l. 5 s. 10 d. together with the Timber, &c. growing thereon, the Estate late of Sir Swinerton Dyer, B. &c. deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey Street, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of the Right Honourable Robert (the first) Earl of Oxford, formerly Sir Robert Walpole, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Carey Street, on or before the last Day of next Hilary Term, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Jepson, of London, Merchant, are desired to meet at the Salutation Tavern in Nicholas Lane, London, on Monday the 4th of February next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suits or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also compounding any Debt or Debts due to the said Bankrupt's Estate, and referring to Arbitration, or otherwise compromising any Disputes relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Peirson, of the City of York, Mercer, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, at the Queen's Arms Tavern in St. Paul's Church Yard, on Thursday next the 24th Day of January Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting or defending one or more Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Effects, and to the compounding, submitting to Reference, or Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matters in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for John Tilly, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Sail Cloth Maker, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt,) to surrender himself and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 19th Instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 8th of March next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination, and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Israel Pottinger, of Pater Noster Row, London, Bookseller, 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 25th of January Instant, the 9th of February next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, and on the 4th of March following, at Eleven 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 Mr. HENRY, Attorney, in Pater Noster Row, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Heathfield and Robert Smith, late of Ludgate Hill, London, Silkmen, Dealers, Chapman and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th of January Instant, on the 8th of February next; and on the 4th of March 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 their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Welch, Attorney, in Newgate Street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Perrott, of Ludgate Hill, London, 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 26th of January Instant, on the 4th of February next, and on the 4th of March following, at Four o'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. Cobb, at Sadlers Hall in Cheapside, London.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Dividend which was to have been made of the Estate and Effects of William Blackstone, of Watling Street, London, Haberdasher, on the 25th Day of this Instant January, at Guildhall, London, is put off to a further Day, of which timely Notice will be given in the London Gazette.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Richardson, of Tower Hill, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 13th of February next, (and not on the 9th, as published in last Saturday's Gazette) at Four o'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 Elizabeth Bond, of Moorfields, London, Widow, Broker, Dealer and Chapwoman, intend to meet on Wednesday the 20th Day of February 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 Hans Billman, of Old Fish Street, London, Sugar Refiner, intend to meet on the 18th of February next, at Ten o'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 renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Oghorn, late of Bridgwater in the County of Somerset, Whipmaker, Grocer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 19th Day of February next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Killigrew, Vintner, called the Fountain Tavern in High Street in the City of Bristol, 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.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Medd, of the Borough of Leicester, in the County of Leicester, Mercer, Hofer and Chapman, (Copartner with Richard Weston, of the same Place) have certified to the Right Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said George Medd 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 12th of February next.

