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AT the Court at St. James's, the 9th Day of November, 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 this Ninth Day of November,—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 this Ninth Day of November, to the Thirty-First Day of December next, and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said Thirty-First Day of December next:—Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

AT the Court at Kensington, the 23d Day of October, 1759.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 14th of April last, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of this Instant October.—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the said Prohibition should be continued for some longer Time.—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, Prohibit and Command, that no Person or Persons whatsoever (except the Master General, Lieutenant General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the said 29th Day of this

Instant October, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or Ship or Lade any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the Twenty-Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Salt Petre, and to enforce the Law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Salt Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition." And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great-Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Blair.

St. James's, November 17.

The three following Adresses having been transmitted to the Right Honourable the Earl of Holderness, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Adresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Adress of the Nobility, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and of the Ministers of the Gospel in the Shire of Ayr.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, thoroughly sensible of the Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's auspicious Government; Blessings which our Predecessors in this Country, before the glorious Revolution, often exposed their Lives and Fortunes to obtain, beg Leave, with all Humility, to offer our Congratulations on the late Success of your Majesty's Arms, both by Land and by Sea; which has had the happy Effect to free our Fellow-Subjects in your Majesty's Electoral Dominions, and in America, from those Devastations and Ravages which a merciless Enemy had projected.

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ed. And if French Measures are to be judged of by common Rules, we should also suppose, that the Blow, given to their Fleet by your Majesty's Ships, under the brave Admiral Boscawen, will make them lay aside their boasted Scheme of invading Britain.

At the same Time permit us, Great Sir, with the most profound Deference and Submission, to represent, That this Scheme of an Invasion, however desperate, and therefore never attempted by Louis the Fourteenth, or his Ministers, except when the Change of Government in Britain was recent, and the People unhappily divided; which, thank God, is no more the Case, may notwithstanding be attempted at this Time, the French being baffled in all their other Designs. And as it is also possible, that some few of their Ships may escape the Vigilance of your Majesty's Navy; and impossible for your Majesty, however anxious for the Safety of your People, to have your Ships and Troops stationed round every Part of your extensive Coast; we, in such Situation, apprehend it to be incumbent on all your Majesty's Subjects, from their Allegiance and for Self-preservation, not to remain in a State of Inaction, but to be ready to join in repelling the Invaders: Such in particular we can, on good Grounds, affirm, is the Voice of the Inhabitants of this populous Country, who wait, with Impatience, an Order to put themselves in Readiness.

Notwithstanding of this our Zeal, we find, that the Want and Dilute of Arms renders us at present in a Manner incapable to be of any real Use to ourselves, or to the Publick, should the French make a Descent on these Islands. And for these Reasons most humbly pray, That your Majesty will be pleased to give such Orders for putting this Country in some Posture of Defence, as your Majesty, in your great Wisdom, shall think proper.

That your Majesty may be long preserved for the Good of your People, and the Support of the Protestant Religion, and of the Liberties of Europe: And that all your Descendants may inherit those Princely Virtues, with which you are distinguished, is the constant Prayer of your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The most humble Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Ayr in Council assembled.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, beg Liberty, with the most profound Humility, to congratulate your Majesty on the glorious Success of your Arms by Sea and Land, whereby the pernicious Designs of our Enemies have been hitherto baffled, our Commerce protected, and the peaceable Possession of the Fruits of our Industry secured to us.

Being sensible of these ineffimable Blessings, enjoyed by us under your Majesty's most auspicious Government, we are ready to hazard our Lives and Fortunes in Defence of your sacred Person, and of our Country, now threatened with an Invasion from a perfidious Enemy, rendered desperate by repeated Losses and Disappointments.

As your Majesty's Troops are at present necessarily employed at a Distance from us, we and our fellow Burgesses are very desirous of being put in a Condition of making all the Defence in our Power, and of co-operating with the regular Forces against the Enemy, should they attempt to land on our Coast, or to destroy the Shipping in our Harbour.

But the Want of Arms and Ammunition renders us unable to accomplish these good Purposes.

Allow us further, with the greatest Submission, to lay before your Majesty the defenceless State of the whole Firth of Clyde, in the Trade whereof many Thousands of your faithful Subjects are interested. And to pray in the most humble Manner, that your Majesty will be pleased to give such Orders for Defence of the said Firth, against our Enemies, as the Exigence of the Times will admit. And also, for putting the Inhabitants of this Burgh in such Posture of Defence, as your Majesty, in your great Wisdom, shall think proper.

That your Majesty may have continued Success against your Enemies; and long Reign over a free and happy People; and that there may never be wanting of your Royal Line, inheriting your Princely Virtues, to sit upon the Throne of these Realms, is, and shall be the constant Prayer of your Majesty's most faithful Subjects, the Magistrates and Council of your Burgh of Ayr.

Signed by our Preses, in our Presence, and by our Appointment,

William Ferguson, Provost.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Ministers and Elders of the Provincial Synod of Mers and Tiviotdale, in Synod assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

THE Provincial Synod of Mers and Tiviotdale beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty on the signal Success with which the Almighty hath blessed your Majesty's Arms, and to express the Sense they have of the Blessings of your Majesty's Government, their zealous Attachment to your Sacred Person and Royal House, and their Detestation and Abhorrence of all the wicked Designs and Enterprizes of your Majesty's Enemies.

The Justice of your Majesty's Cause, and that Wisdom, Unanimity and Steadiness with which your Majesty's publick Measures have been conducted, have had that visible Countenance from Heaven, by which your Majesty hath been distinguished as the Object of Divine Favour, and your faithful Subjects ensured of Felicity under your auspicious Reign; whilst the unjust and ambitious Attempts of your Majesty's perfidious Enemies have been signally marked, by the Divine Providence, with Confusion and Disappointment.

The Provincial Synod, with Hearts full of Joy, and warm with Love and Gratitude, call to Mind the glorious Success of your Majesty's Arms in Germany, the Expelling of your Enemies from your Electoral Dominions most unjustly assaulted, in Revenge of your Majesty's firm and invariable Attachment to the essential and undoubted Interests of your British Subjects: With Pleasure they call to Mind the Heroick Efforts of your faithful and illustrious Ally the King of Prussia, the Terror of lawless Ambition, and, with your Sacred Majesty, the Guardian of Publick Liberty and of the Protestant Cause: With Hearts thankful to God and to your Majesty, they now behold your Enemies effectually humbled in North America, where, in Violation of the most solemn Treaties, they attacked the British Colonies, and with savage Cruelty assaulted and distressed your Majesty's peaceable and useful Subjects.

With these glorious and happy Events is connected all that is dear to every True Briton, the Security of our Religion, the Preservation of our free and

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happy Government, the Prosperity and Extension of our Commerce: Blessings by which your Majesty's auspicious Reign is happily distinguished, and which are secured to us by the Establishment of the Protestant Succession in your August Family.

The French King, foiled in every iniquitous and perfidious Attempt, now insolently threatens a Descent on your Majesty's British Dominions. On a Prospect so alarming, however improbable the Success, this Provincial Synod do most humbly and devoutly offer up their Prayers to Almighty God, that he may disappoint and defeat so audacious an Enterprize. And while they glory in their unquestioned Loyalty and Attachment to your Majesty's Sacred Person and Illustrious Family, they have the Pleasure of giving the fullest Assurance to your Majesty, of the firm and determined Loyalty of the People under their Care: And they humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty of their own and of their People's steady Resolution to support your Majesty's Government, at the Hazard of their Lives, and of all that is dear to them in this World.

And they humbly beg Leave, most gracious Sovereign, to add their most earnest Prayers, that the Divine Providence may guard and protect your Majesty's most Sacred Person from all Dangers; and that, notwithstanding the restless and implacable Malice of your Enemies, your Majesty's Reign may be long and glorious, over a free and happy People; that the Imperial Diadem of these Realms may fit easy on your Royal Head; and that the Sceptre, as a Blessing to Posterity, may continue to latest Generations in your Illustrious House.

Signed in our Name, in our Presence, and at our Appointment, by

Kelfo, Oct. 24, 1759. William Paton, Moderator.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Gloucester, has been presented to His Majesty by George Selwyn, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, Lord 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, Sheriffs, and Common-Council, of the City of Gloucester, in Council assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

Amidst the loud Acclamations of universal Joy, be pleased to accept, Most gracious Sovereign, of the humblest and sincerest Congratulations of your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council, of the ancient City of Gloucester, in Council assembled, upon the new and repeated Successes of your Majesty's Arms in every Quarter of the World.

It is our peculiar Happiness to live in a Period that will be ever distinguished in the British Annals, by the Glory of your Majesty's Conquests, the Wisdom and Unanimity of your Councils, and by the Loyalty and Affection of all your Majesty's Subjects. Under your Auspices the British Arms receive fresh Lustre! Nor will any of those Victories, renowned in History, obtained by our Ancestors over the same avowed and ever-aspiring Enemy, reflect greater Honour to the British Name, than the Reduction of Guadaloupe, the Battle of Minden, and the Defeat under the Walls of Quebec, with the consequent Acquisition of the Metropolis of our Enemies in that

Part of the World, and a whole Series of other important Successes and favourable Events, with which it has pleased God to bless your Majesty's Arms by Sea and Land, in so small a Compass of Time.

In the Review of many of these great Achievements, we behold with joyful Surprise every Obstacle of Art, of Nature, of Situation, of Climate, and of superior Numbers, overcome by the Intrepidity of your Majesty's Troops and Naval Forces; and the Abilities and Perseverance of those who commanded them: Nor doth the Victories and Acquisitions of your Majesty's Fleets and Armies redound more to the Honour, than to the real Interest and Benefit of our Country, the Welfare and Protection of our Trade, the Extension of the Protestant Religion, and the Deliverance of so many of your Majesty's Subjects from the Incroachments of their Enemies, and all the Horror of savage Cruelty.

Other Monarchs often unsheath the Sword from Views of Ambition, or for their own Glory; but it is your's, to protect your Subjects, their Rights and Privileges: 'Tis hence, that amidst the Calamities of War, destructive to other Nations, so many real Blessings are derived to us; and which call forth our highest Gratitude to that Divine Providence, which has hitherto protected your Majesty's Person, and preserved your Life to the Happiness and Glory of these Nations; and may the same good Providence crown your Majesty's unparalleled Successes with an honourable and lasting Peace: For while we rejoice as Britons, we weep like Men for the Devastations of War: We mourn a great Man fall'n ere his Noon of Life, who had so early run the Race of Glory; who, like the Great Gustavus, died at the Head of his Troops, and Victory lay bleeding by his Side. But whilst, with the universal Voice, we lament his Loss, we have fresh Cause for the Exultation in the Steadiness and Intrepidity of your Majesty's Troops and surviving Generals, that suffered not the Fall of so beloved Leader to restrain their native Ardour, nor the Lawrels to be snatched from their victorious Hands. Such Examples, under your Majesty's gracious Influence, your known Experience in War, and Readiness to distinguish and reward military Virtues, cannot fail to animate your faithful Britons, and give a Succession of Heroes to Posterity.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall in the City of Gloucester, this ninth Day of November, in the Year of our Lord, 1759.

The following Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Commonalty, of the City of York, having been transmitted by George Fox Lane, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, to the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Pitt, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Commonalty of the City of York, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty, on the Success of your Arms in different Parts of the World.

The Reduction of Quebec; amongst the many Advantages, obtained by Sea and Land in the Course of one Year, is an Event of the greatest Importance, and furnishes a noble Example of the happy Effects

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of Bravery, supported by Unanimity; for we cannot help observing with Pleasure on this great Occasion, that it seems materially owing to the Harmony which subsisted amongst the several Commanders, inspiring the Troops with Alacrity and invincible Resolution, that we have been saluted with Victory over unimagined Difficulties, and Numbers much superior.

The Fields of Cressy and Agincourt, memorable for signal Instances of British Courage, are equalled at least by the Plains of Minden, and the Walls of Quebec. But to moderate our Rejoicings for the repeated Successes with which your Majesty's Arms, under Heaven, hath been blessed, we feel a sensible Concern for the Loss of the illustrious Leader, who so gallantly fell in completing a Conquest, long wished for, and always before attempted in vain.

Confident as we are, from the known Wisdom of your Majesty's Councils, that, notwithstanding the vast warlike Preparations, and menaced Invasion from the Coast of France, that the Glories of a well directed, and prosperous War, will at length be crowned with an honourable and a lasting Peace; we pray your Majesty may long live, to smile upon the Felicities of a grateful People, happily secured in their Trade and Commerce; in their Liberties, their Properties, their Religion, and in every Thing else that is valuable and dear to them.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of King's Lynn in Norfolk, has been presented to His Majesty by J. Turner, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, Lord 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 Common Council of King's Lynn in Norfolk, in Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council, beg Leave to approach your Throne with our warmest Congratulations on the great and wonderful Success with which the Divine Providence has blessed your Majesty's Arms, in the Prosecution of this just and necessary War.

Such a continued Series of Victories as has attended the British Arms in every Quarter of the Globe, but above all in America, is a glorious Evidence of the Wisdom of your Majesty's Councils, of the Abilities of those intrusted with the Command of your Majesty's Forces; and we may humbly presume they carry with them the Sanction of the great Disposer of all Events, to the Justice of your Majesty's Cause.

Permit us, at the same Time, Most gracious Sovereign, that we sincerely lament the Loss of a General, to whom we owe so large a Share of our Successes, and whose early Virtues and Military Abilities promised so many future Triumphs to these Realms, to express our Joy for the Success of that Gallant Officer, who had the Honour of finishing the arduous Enterprize so intrepidly begun; who, actuated by Duty to your Royal Person, and by Zeal for the Welfare of his Country, preferred so dangerous a Service in a distant and barbarous Country, to the Enjoyment of an ample Fortune and domestic Happiness at home.

These Acquisitions, so important to the Trade and Commerce of Great Britain, and to the Safety of your Colonies abroad, will ever distinguish this memorable Year; as your Majesty's auspicious Reign will be distinguished in the Annals of this Nation; by the Happiness and Prosperity of your People.

May the Divine Power enable your Majesty to crown all these Glories with an equitable and lasting Peace, and may Gratitude ever bind the Affections of a Free People to your Sacred Person, and to your Illustrious House.

Given under our Common Seal, with our Assent and Consent, the 10th Day of November, 1759.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Chester, has been presented to His Majesty by Richard Grosvenor, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord 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, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Chester, in Common Council assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common Council of your ancient and ever loyal City of Chester, do heartily embrace this Opportunity, humbly to approach your Royal Person, with our warmest Congratulations, upon the late many and great Successes, with which it hath pleased Heaven, regardful of the Justice of your Cause, to bless your Majesty's Arms.

Among these signal Victories, we beg Leave more particularly to express our gratulatory Zeal on account of that glorious Achievement, which has subjected to the British Empire, the most important and hitherto unconquered Capital of the French Territories in North America.

Permit us likewise, gratefully to acknowledge your Majesty's Prudence, visible in your ample Preparations against the threatened Attacks upon your Dominions at home; and more especially in your timely calling into Service those Constitutional Troops, who will be ever ready to lay down their Lives and Fortunes in the Defence of your Sacred Person and Illustrious Family.

We have also a true Sense of your Majesty's great Wisdom, and paternal Care of your People, so manifestly shewn in the Choice of those, whom you have been pleased to admit into your Councils; and entrust with the Conduct of your Fleets and Armies.

May the Almighty still shower down his Blessings on your Royal Person; may He continue to go out with your Hosts, and to crown their Arms with Victory, so that, in His appointed Time, the equitable Concessions of humbled Foes, may render this Nation as highly honoured in Peace, as it is terrible now in War.

Given under our Common Seal the 10th Day of November, in the Year of our Lord, 1759.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, has been presented to his Majesty by Sir John Mathar, being

being introduced by the Lord 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 and Burgeses of the Town of Kingston upon Hull.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

THE many glorious and important Successes obtained by your Majesty's Arms by Sea and Land, in all the Quarters of the World, this Year, call upon us, your Majesty's most faithful and obedient Subjects, the Mayor and Burgeses of your Town of Kingston upon Hull, to present our most hearty Congratulations to your Majesty thereon.

The Successes of the last Year were so many and great, that the most sanguine of your Majesty's Subjects, could scarce hope to have them surpassed in this, but, to enumerate the glorious Victory obtained by your Majesty's Troops near Minden in Germany, under the Command of Prince Ferdinand of Brunwick; the Defeat of the French Fleet by that of your Majesty, under the Command of Admiral Boscawen on the Coast of Portugal; the Victories obtained by your Majesty's Fleet and Forces in the East Indies; the Taking of the Island of Goree on the Coast of Africa; and the Islands of Guadaloupe and Marigalante in the West Indies; the strong Forts of Duquesne, Frontenac, Niagara, Ticonderoga, and Crown Point in North America; and to crown all, the Victories obtained by your Majesty's Army, under the Command of the Brave and ever to be Celebrated General Wolfe, over the French Forces near Quebec, and Reduction of that important City, will make this Year ever Memorable and Glorious to your Majesty, as well on account of the Vigorous and Wise Measures taken by your Majesty, for carrying on the just and necessary War, in which we are engaged, as of the Valour and Resolution of your Land and Sea Forces in the Execution of them.

That all your Majesty's Endeavours for the Honour and Safety of your Kingdoms and Subjects, may ever be attended with the like Success, until our inveterate Enemies will submit to such Terms as shall be productive of a Glorious and Lasting Peace, and that your Majesty may live to see the same established, and may long enjoy the Fruits of it, blessed with Health and the Love and Obedience of a happy People, is the sincere and hearty Prayer of us your Majesty's most loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal, the 6th Day of November, in the Thirty-third Year of your Majesty's Reign.

Admiralty-Office, November 16.

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 from the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Lancaster, that the Brigg Peggy, belonging to Mr. John Tarleton, of Liverpool, on the 10th of November, about Four o'Clock in the Morning, being off of Beaumont, a Storm arose, which continued all that Day, and about Seven the next Morning, made the Pile Fowdrey in the Port of Lancaster, but the Storm continuing, prevented their keeping the Sea, and being S. W. from Pile Castle about two Leagues, struck several Times on a Sand Bank, and in about a Quarter of an Hour, the fell on one Side and sunk; that the Crew, in Number 16, took to the Boat and landed at Heysham in the afore said Port; and that the said Vessel, whereof Patrick Mac Aulane was Master, was bound from Jamaica to Liverpool, and laden with Sugar, Cotton-wool, Indico and Tortois Shell.

J. Cleveland.

Custom-House, London, Nov. 16, 1759.

The Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs gives Notice, that he will be ready, on the 26th Day of November Instant, and the Four following usual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn Debentures which became due between the 22d of September 1759, exclusive, and the 14th of November following inclusive, without Interest.

The said Receiver General gives this further Notice, that in Case any of the said Debentures shall remain unpaid for want of being tendered for Payment on one of the five Days above-mentioned, that no Interest will be paid thereon.

General Post-Office, August 20, 1759.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That, for the Time to come, no Person whatsoever will be permitted to pass from England, in any of the King's Packet Boats, stationed at Harwich or Dover, without first obtaining a Passport from one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

All Persons, intending to return to England in the said Packet-Boats, are in like Manner to produce a Passport from His Majesty's Minister at the Hague, or from His Majesty's Consul or Vice-Consul at Flushing, before they can be received on Board.

By Command of the Post-master General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

LIFE ANNUITIES.

Ramsgate Harbour, Friday Nov. 16, 1759.

The Trustees for Enlarging and Maintaining the said Harbour do hereby give Notice, that by Virtue of the Power vested in them by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22d Year of his present Majesty's Reign, they intend to raise a farther Sum of Money by sale of Life Annuities, secured upon and payable out of the Rates and Duties on Shipping granted by Parliament for that Purpose. For further Particulars enquire of the Secretary at the Old South Sea House, every Day except Holidays.

John Scott, Secretary.

Lead Office, November 15, 1759.

The Court of Assistants of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, do hereby give Notice, that a Court of Election of a Governor, Deputy Governor, and twelve Assistants for the Year ensuing for the said Corporation, will be held at their House in St. Martin's Lane, Cannon Street, on Monday the 31st of December next, from Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon to One in the Afternoon; and that the Transfer Books will be shut on Wednesday the 5th of December next, and opened again on Wednesday the 2d of January following. Printed Lists of the Proprietors will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 24th of December next.

Robert Aslett, Secretary.

The following Eight Gentlemen are chosen Directors of the Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office, for the Year ensuing.

Mr. Samuel Burch. Thomas Barratt, Esq;
Mr. Benjamin Crowley. Daniel Booth, jun. Esq;
Mr. George Evans. Mr. Richard Jeffreys.
Mr. Joseph Foster. Mr. John Price.

The Sixteen following are continued according to the Deed of Settlement.

Mr. Nicholas Crisp. Mr. James Bagnall.
Mr. Jonathan Eade. Mr. William Beech.
Mr. Joseph Flight. Mr. Joseph Bishop.
Mr. Thomas Holmes. Mr. Thomas Harris.
Mr. James Johnson. Henry Neale, Esq;
Mr. Bartholomew Payne. Mr. Thomas Scott.
Mr. Henry Urwin. Joshua Smith, Esq;
Henry Willoughby, Esq; William Timbrell, Esq;

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Ships Company of His Majesty's Ships Mercury and Experiment, who were actually on board at taking the Providence, a French Prize, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the above Prize and her Cargo, as follows, the Mercury on her Arrival at Portsmouth, and the Experiment on the 12th of December next, at the House of Humphry Coles, Esq; in St. Martin's Lane. The Shares not then demanded will be paid there the first Thursday in every Month during three Years after.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ships Montague and Deptford, who were actually on board at the taking the Marquis de Marignac, a French Privateer, on the 1st of February 1759, that they will be paid their respective Shares of said Privateer's Hull, Stores, and Bounty, on their Arrival in Port from their present Cruises.

And to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Amazon, who were actually on Board at taking three French Privateers, viz. The Zephir and Rose, on the 26th of September 1758, and the Bellona on the 8th of July 1759, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Bounty of said Privateers; on Tuesday the 20th of November 1759, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryers; and the Shares remaining unpaid upon each of the above Ships Prize List, will be recalled at the same Place the 3d Tuesday in every Month for three Years to come.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ship Dower and Peregrine Sloop, who were actually on board at the retaking a Dutch Brigantine called the Rotterdam, on the 27th of July 1757, that they will be paid their respective Shares for the Salvage of the said Recapture, on Monday the 10th of December next, at the Three Kings in Deal; and the Shares not then demanded, will be recalled at the same Place the first Monday in every Month, for three Years to come.

Advertisements.

In the Press, and speedily will be published,

A Second Volume of the ORATIONS of DEMOSTHENES, translated into English, which, together with the Philippic Orations, complets the Number of those delivered in Political Debates. With a Preface, and Notes Historical and Critical.

By Dr. Thomas Leland.

Printed for W. Johnston: in Ludgate Street.

Dr. ANDERSON'S, or The Famous SCOTS PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghis underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curstons-Street Chancery-lane, London, on Wednesday the 19th Day of December next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, The Freehold, Leasehold, and Copyhold Estates, late of John Hawkins, of Enham in the County of Southampton, Esq; deceased, lying contiguous to each other in the Parishes of Andover and Enham, in the said County of Southampton, 24 Miles from Winchester,

16 from Salisbury, 12 from Newbury, and 4 from Wayhill, in a fine healthful sporting Country near Wiltshire and Hampshire Downs. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

TO be sold, before the major Part of the Commissioners named in and authorized by a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Fisher, of the City of Bristol, Merchant, on Wednesday the 21st of November instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, The said Bankrupt's Moiety of 5000 l. or thereabouts, payable after the Death of a Lady now in her Sixty Second Year: Also his Moiety of 800 l. payable after the respective Deaths of a Gentleman about 61, his Wife about 51, and the Lady first mentioned. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. William Fuller, in Lombard Street, London; and of Mr. Matthew Hall, Banker, in Bristol.

TO be sold, together or in separate Lots or Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, London, Several Freehold Messuages, Lard, Tenements, and Hereditaments, situate in the several Parishes of Kilkinton, Saxton, and Shurburn in the County of York, being in the Whole of the yearly Rent of 120 l. 4s. 4d. Half-penny; Lest the Estates and Inheritance of Gervais Hammond the Younger, late of Parlington in the County of York, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or in Parcel, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curstons Street, London, the Real Estate of the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Viscount Windfor, deceased, in the Counties of Monmouth and Worcester; and some perpetual Advowsons in the County of Glamorgan, in Manner following, (that is to say) The Manors or Lordships and Burroughs of Uck and Treleick, otherwise Trelegg; and several Messuages, Lands, Rent- and Hereditaments in the said County of Monmouth, of the yearly Rent of 1320 l. and upwards, besides Improvements, after dropping of Lives, together with the Advowsons belonging to the said Estate; and some other Advowsons in the County of Glamorgan; on Friday the 14th Day of December next, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, and the Navigation of the River Avon, in the County of Worcester, lett for 630 l. a Year; and also the Manors of Hldbury, otherwise Hildbury, in the same County, with several Messuages, Lands and Tenements thereunto belonging, held under a Freehold Lease for three Lives, all in being; as in the Bishop of Worcester, of the yearly Value of 450 l. and upwards, besides Improvements, after dropping of Lives, to be likewise sold together or in Parcels, on Thursday the 20th Day of December next, between Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the said Master's House. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legates of the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Viscount Windfor, deceased, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts, and claim their Legacies, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curstons Street, London, on or before the first Day of Hilary Term next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Thomas Pitt, formerly of Old Sarum in the County of Wilts, Esq; deceased, commonly called Governor Pitt, are, on or before the 20th Day of December next, to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Eid, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symonds Inn in Chancery Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legates of John Ellison, late of Walpole in the County of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceased, are, on or before the 18th Day of December next, to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey Street, London, and prove their several Demands, and claim their respective Legacies, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Hunt, late of Basingstoke in the County of Southampton, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey Street, London, and prove their several Demands, or in Default thereof they will be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Coxhead, late of Leverton in the County of Berks, Victualler, 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 21st and 28th of November Instant, and on the 29th of December next, at Ten o'Clock in the Fore-

noon, on each of the said Days, at the Sign of the Three Swans in Hangerford in the said County of Berks, 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. George Jones, Attorney, at Newbury, Berks.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Tough, of Leadenhall Street, in the City of London, Whipmaker, Dealer and Chapman, did meet, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, on the 13th of November Instant, at Guildhall, London, in order to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, but at the Request of the major Part of the Creditors then present, the said Choice was adjourned till the 30th of November Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, when the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Alexander Wilson, late of the Parish of St. Margaret Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Banker, Broker, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of this Instant November, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Rolls Coffee House in Chancery Lane, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared and prove the same, and the Claimants to make out their Claims.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Cockle and James Cockle, both of the City of Lincoln, Fellmongers, Chymen, and Partners, intend to meet on the 24th Day of December next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Richard Gray, being the Sign of the Sarazens Head in the City of Lincoln, 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 William Cottle, of Trowbridge in the County of Wilts, Linen Draper, Shopkeeper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1st Day of December next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 9th of October last, at the Request of the Creditors then present) 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 and prove the same, and the Claimants to make out their Claims, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Jonathan Parker and Joseph Foster, of the Parish of St. Mary White Chappel, in the County of Middlesex, Chymists, Druggists, and Partners, intend to meet on the 10th Day of December next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts 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 John Fild, of Cornhill, London, Silversmith, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th of December next, at Four 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Mathew Blaquiere, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 11th of December next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further 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 Joseph Coper, late of King's Lynn in the County of Norfolk, Painter Signs, Colour Men, and Chapman, intend to meet on the 12th of December next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Guildhall in King's Lynn aforesaid, 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 William Shaw, late of Ipswich in the County of Suffolk, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Jane Postlethwaite, known by the Name of Pontack's Coffee House in Water Street in Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, 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 John Beech, late of Water End, in the Parish of Great Gaddesden, in the County of Hertford, Tanner, intend to meet on the 10th of December next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Butler, being the King's Arms at Berkhamsted St. Peter, in the County of Hertford, 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. Note, In the former Advertisement of this Dividend being made on the 19th of November Instant, there happened not to be sufficient Notice.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Fisher, of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knight, Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said James Fisher 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 8th of December next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Lane, of the City of Bristol, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said John Lane hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Direction 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 8th of December next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Manser, of Maidstone in the County of Kent, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said William Manser 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 8th of December next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Smith, of Hertford in the County of Hertford, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said John Smith 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 8th of December next.

