

the opposite Shore in the County of Middlesex; and to enable His Majesty to grant the Inheritance of the Ferry at Richmond to certain Persons therein mentioned.

An Act for enabling John, Robert, James, and William Adam, to dispose of several Houses and Buildings, in the Parishes of Saint Martin in the Fields and Saint Mary le Bone, in the County of Middlesex, and other their Effects, by Way of Chance, in such Manner as may be most for the Benefit of themselves and Creditors.

And to one Private Bill.

After which His Majesty was pleased to make the following most Gracious Speech:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,
I CANNOT close this Session without assuring you, That I have observed, with much Satisfaction, the Zeal, Assiduity, and Perseverance, with which you have applied yourselves to the very important Business which, at the Meeting of Parliament, I recommended to your particular Attention: And I hope, and trust, That the Laws, which have been the Result of your Deliberations, will be found to answer the salutary Purposes for which they were intended.

The Continuance of the War between Russia and the Porte, with both of whom I am closely connected in Friendship, although under no Engagement to either, gives Me great Concern. But, from the pacifick Dispositions of other Powers, I have Reason to hope, That those Troubles will extend no further. I shall persevere in My earnest Endeavours to preserve the general Tranquillity of Europe; at the same Time, it shall be the constant Object of My Care, to be sufficiently prepared against any Event which may affect the Honour, Safety, or Interest, of My Kingdoms.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I return you My hearty Thanks, for the Supplies which you have granted Me with so much Cheerfulness: And I see with Pleasure, that, notwithstanding the ample Provision which you have made for every Branch of the Publick Service, and the effectual Relief and Support which you have afforded to the East India Company, you have been able to make some Progress in reducing the National Debt.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

The Experience I have had of your Attention to the Publick Good, and of your Attachment to Me, convinces Me, That you will, in your several Stations, use your utmost Endeavours to assist Me, in promoting the Happiness of My People. I have no other Object but their Welfare; and no other View, but to employ the Powers with which I am intrusted in maintaining the Credit, Reputation, and Prosperity, of My Kingdoms.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by His Majesty's Command, said;

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

IT is His Majesty's Royal Will and Pleasure, That this Parliament be prorogued to Tuesday the Seventh Day of September next, to be then here held; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Tuesday the Seventh Day of September next.

Gotha, June 12. On the 28th of last Month died at Roda, in the 47th Year of her Age, her Serene Highness the Princess Louisa, Dutches Dowager of Saxe-Gotha, Widow of the late Prince John Augustus, Duke of Saxe-Gotha.

Munich, June 20. All Kind of Grain is very promising in this and the neighbouring Countries;

and though some particular Districts have suffered by Hail, yet upon the whole there has not been for many Years so great a Prospect of Plenty.

Hamburg, June 22. All the Accounts received here from Mecklenbourg, Holstern, and the neighbouring Countries, agree in confirming, that there never was a greater Appearance of a plentiful Harvest, than now, of all Kinds of Grain and Forage.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, June 30, 1773.

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next, the 4th of July, for the late Princess Louisa of Saxe Gotha, Widow of the late Prince John Augustus of Saxe Gotha, Uncle to His present Majesty, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fringed or plain Linnen, white Gloves, Necklaces and Ear-Rings, black or white Shoes, Fans and Tippetts.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, fringed or plain Linnen, black Swords and Buckles.

N. B. There will be no Drawing-Rooms on Sundays at St. James's till further Notice,

St. James's, June 29.

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Charles Brooke, Gent. the Office of Rouge Croix Pursuivant of Arms, in the Room of Henry Hastings, Esq; now Somerset Herald.

The Circuits appointed for the Summer Assizes are as follow, viz.

Home Circuit.

Lord Mansfield Lord Chief Justice.

Lord Chief Baron Smythe.

Hertford, Monday July 26, at Hertford.

Essex, Wednesday July 28, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday August 2, at Maidstone.

Suffex, Monday August 9, at Lewes.

Surry, Wednesday August 11, at Croydon.

Norfolk Circuit.

Lord Chief Justice De Grey.

Mr. Justice Aston.

Bucks, Monday July 19, at Buckingham.

Bedford, Thursday July 22, at Bedford.

Huntingdon, Saturday July 24, at Huntingdon.

Cambridge, Monday July 26, at Cambridge.

Suffolk, Thursday July 29, at Bury St. Edmund's.

Norfolk, Tuesday August 3, at the Castle of Norwich.

City of Norwich, The same Day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Northern Circuit.

Mr. Justice Gould.

Mr. Justice Blackstone.

City of York, Saturday July 24, at the Guildhall of the said City.

York, The same Day, at the Castle of York.

Durham, Tuesday August 3, at the Castle of Durham.

Town of Newcastle upon Tyne, Saturday August 7, at the Guildhall of the said Town.

Northumberland, The same Day, at the Castle of Newcastle upon Tyne.

Cumberland,