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St. James's, April 27, 1778.

ABOUT Half past Nine o'Clock in the Morning, on Friday the 24th Instant, the King set out for Greenwich, and arrived at the Royal Hospital about Ten o'Clock; was received by the Earl of Sandwich, the Governor, and Principal Officers of the Hospital, and immediately went in His Barge, attended by Lord Sandwich, the Marquis of Lothian, Gold Stick, Colonel Harcourt, and Colonel St. John, to the Princess Augusta Yacht, commanded by Sir Richard Bickerton, on Board of which the Royal Standard, Admiralty and Union Flags, were hoisted: At One o'Clock His Majesty sailed from Greenwich, and was saluted in His Passage down the River from Woolwich Warren, Tilbury Fort, and Gravesend.

Early on Saturday Morning the King arrived at the Nore, and sailed along-side of the Men of War lying there under the Command of Rear Admiral Campbell, from each of which he received a Royal Salute of Twenty-one Guns: The Yacht afterwards proceeded up to Chatham, where she arrived at Half past Eight o'Clock. In her Passage up the Medway she was saluted by the Garrison of Sheerness, by the Victory of One Hundred Guns lying at Blackflakes, and by Gillingham Fort, and Upnor Castle. His Majesty landed at Three Quarters past Eight o'Clock in the King's Yard, and was received by Lord Amherst, the Commissioners of the Navy, and the Commissioner and Officers of the Yard. As soon as His Majesty landed, the Artificers and Workmen belonging to the Yard being all assembled, gave Three Cheers as His Majesty entered, and then immediately dispersed, and returned to their several Employments. His Majesty then went into the Commissioner's House, where he staid a short Time to refresh Himself, and then proceeded to view the Works carrying on in the Yard: He went first on board the London, a Ninety Gun Ship under Repair; next into the Suffolk of Seventy-four Guns; and afterwards into the Leander, a Fifty Gun Ship building. After His Majesty came from on Board the Suffolk, He went down into the Dock to look at her Bottom; viewed several other Ships building and repairing; also the Smith's Shop, where the Men were employed in making a large Anchor; then into the Store-houses in the Eastern Part of the Yard, and looked at the Malt-pond, Malt-house, and Boat-houses, examined the Stock of Timber very attentively; afterwards went into the Rope and Hemp-houses, and returned on Board the Yacht at Half past Twelve o'Clock. A full Chorus of Shipwrights, employed in repairing the Namur, sung the Song of *God save Great George our King*, as His Majesty passed. His Majesty landed again in the Yard in the Afternoon about Five o'Clock, and viewed the Alfred, a Seventy-four Gun Ship upon the Stocks; afterwards visited the several Store-houses, Rigging-houses, and Anchor Wharf, in the Western Part of the Yard; from thence He pro-

ceeded to the Gun Wharf, and viewed minutely the Magazines, Artillery, and Stores; then to the Victualling-Office at Chatham; and returned at Half past Seven o'Clock on Board the Yacht.

26th April, Sunday, His Majesty landed at the Yard, and proceeded to the Army Barracks, and to the Lines, and reviewed the First Battalion of the Royals or First Regiment of Foot; and at Ten o'Clock had a Public Levee at the Commissioner's House, at which a Number of the Officers of the Navy and Army were present: The Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of Rochester, as also many Gentlemen of the Country, who on this Occasion came to pay their Duty to His Majesty, were received with the utmost Graciousness and Affability. The Recorder of Rochester addressed himself to the King in the following Words:

S I R E,

THE Mayor and Corporation of Your Majesty's most loyal City of Rochester, ever desirous of paying their Duty to Your Majesty, and of shewing every Mark of Respect to so good and gracious a Sovereign, are very happy in having the Honour of waiting on Your Majesty, to assure You of their most inviolable Attachment to Your Sacred Person, and of their Zeal to support Your Majesty, and Your Government, on all Occasions.

After which the Mayor, Recorder, and the of rest the Corporation, had the Honor of kissing His Majesty's Hand.

His Majesty expressed much Satisfaction at the excellent Condition of the Arsenals of the Navy and Ordnance, and of the great Quantity of Stores (particularly of Timber) in the Dock-Yard; and was highly pleased at the great Exactness with which the Officers and Men of the Royal Regiment went through their several Manœuvres.

His Majesty was received with the highest Demonstrations of Joy and Affection from all Classes of People, who testified their Satisfaction at the Arrival of their Royal Visitor by the loudest Acclamations, and by every Proof they could give of their Zeal and Loyalty.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 22d of *April*, 1778,

P R E S E N T,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was graciously pleased, by His Royal Proclamation, bearing Date the 25th Day of October 1776, to promise and declare,

That the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, fit for His Majesty's Service, should be paid in the Manner thereby directed, to every such Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who should, on or before the 31st of December then following

[Price Threepence-Halfpenny.]



ing, enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majesty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board such Tenders as should be employed for raising Men for the Service of the Royal Navy. And whereas His Majesty was also pleased, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the 8th Day of November, 1776, to promise and declare, That a Reward of Two Pounds for every Able, and Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, should be paid in the Manner thereby directed, to any Person who should discover any Seaman or Seamen, who might secrete themselves, that so such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's said Service, by any of His Majesty's Sea-Officers employed for raising Men, on or before the 31st Day of December, 1776. And whereas His Majesty was likewise pleased, by His Royal Proclamation, bearing Date the 15th Day of August last, to promise and declare, That every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who should voluntarily enter himself to serve on Board any of His Majesty's Ships, on or before the 31st Day of October then next, should receive as of His Majesty's Royal Bounty, the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man, to be paid in Manner thereby directed. And whereas the Time limited by the said Proclamations, for Payment of the said Bounties and Rewards, hath been prolonged and extended to the 30th Day of this instant April; and it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service that the said Bounties and Rewards should be continued to be paid for some Time longer; His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Payment of the said Bounties and Rewards be prolonged and extended from the said 30th Day of this instant April to the 30th Day of June next, inclusive. — Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

Steph. Cottrell.

Dublin Castle, April 16.

The following Address was presented to the Earl of Buckinghamshire, Lord Lieutenant of this Kingdom, by James Plunket, Esq;

To His Excellency John Earl of Buckinghamshire, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Roman Catholic Inhabitants of the County of Monaghan.

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Roman Catholic Inhabitants of the County of Monaghan, humbly beg Leave to assure your Excellency, that we are truly sensible of the many Blessings and benign Protection we have received for a long Series of Years, under the best of Monarchs, His Royal Grandfather, and Great Grandfather; and that, with Hearts full of Gratitude, we declare, that we shall be at all Times ready to defend His Sacred Person and Government, against any Power that shall dare to attack or invade this His loyal Kingdom of Ireland.

Dated at Monaghan, the 10th Day of April, 1778.

Dublin Castle, April 22.

A Petition of the Right Honourable Peter Earl of Altamont, and the Right Honourable Ralph Earl of Ross, having been laid before his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, praying a Grant of Four Yearly Fairs, and a Weekly Market, to be held at the Town and Lands of Glan, otherwise Gore-Kelly,

in the Half-Barony of Ballymow and County of Galway, that is to say, one Fair to be held on every 24th Day of May, one other Fair to be held on every 19th Day of August, one other Fair to be held on every 20th Day of November, and one other Fair to be held on every 23d Day of December; and a Weekly Market on every Saturday for ever; his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to order His Majesty's Writ of *Ad quod Damnum* to be issued, as in such Cases is usual.

Berlin, April 18. The Princess of Prussia is arrived at Berlin, where her Royal Highness proposes to take up her Residence for some Time.

The Regiments that composed the ordinary Garrison here have been replaced by the Troops from Pomerania, which are to form Part of the Army under the Command of His Royal Highness Prince Henry.

His Prussian Majesty is in Cantonments at Frankenstein, upon the Frontiers of Silesia.

St. James's, March 21.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, That all Officers belonging to Regiments of Cavalry and Infantry, now serving in Ireland, except such as are employed on the Recruiting Service, do join their respective Corps without Delay; and it is His Majesty's further Pleasure, That all Officers belonging to any of the Garrisons in Ireland do repair to their respective Posts without Delay.

W E Y M O U T H.

St. James's, March 26, 1778.

THE King has been pleased to direct, That, for the Future, the Captain-Lieutenants of Militia shall bear the Rank of Captain, and that all Captain-Lieutenants of Militia shall take the Rank as Captains on all Occasions from the Date hereof, or from the Dates of such Commissions of Captain Lieutenant as His Majesty's Lieutenants of Counties may hereafter give.

W E Y M O U T H.

War-Office, March 21.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, That all Officers belonging to Regiment, on the British Establishment, except such as are employed on the Recruiting Service, shall repair to their respective Posts without Delay.

By His Majesty's Command,
B A R R I N G T O N.

War-Office, March 28, 1778.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the King, That there are at this Time several Deserters from the different Corps in His Majesty's Land Service, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of His Majesty's gracious Pardon; and that such an Instance of His Royal Clemency would have due Influence upon their future Behaviour: His Majesty is pleased to grant His Free Pardon to all Deserters from His Land Forces, who shall surrender themselves before the 11th Day of May next, either to the Regiments to which they belong, or to some other Corps in His Majesty's Service, or to any Additional Company or Recruiting Party in Great Britain or Ireland.

Such Deserters, if able-bodied Men and fit for Service, shall be attested in the Corps to which they surrender, and not be liable to be claimed by any other Corps to which they may have formerly belonged.

And whereas many of the said Deserters may have enlisted in other Corps, and are now serving in

wherein: His Majesty is graciously pleased to extend to such Deserters the Benefit of this Pardon; and to direct that they shall continue to serve in the Corps wherein they now are, and not be claimed by that in which they formerly served.

And whereas several of the said Deserters have been apprehended, and are now in Goal, or in Regimental Custody: His Majesty is likewise pleased to grant to them His Free Pardon, of which they are to have the Benefit, upon their Arrival at their respective Regiments, or upon their being enlisted by some other Corps or Recruiting Party.

Any Soldier who may desert; after these His Majesty's most gracious Intentions are made public, shall not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded against with the utmost Severity.

By His Majesty's Command,

BARRINGTON.

Admiralty-Office, April 18, 1778.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Sea-Officers, who are absent with Leave from my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that it is their Lordships Directions that they return to England within Six Months after the Date hereof, or they will forfeit all the Half-Pay that may be due to them.

Ph. Stephens.

Office of Ordnance, April 24, 1778.

WHEREAS it is for the Good of His Majesty's Service, that the several Persons who have served in the Royal Regiment of Artillery, and now receive Pensions on the Invalid List, should be seen and examined, that it may be known which of them are capable of doing Garrison or other Duty:

These are therefore to require all the Invalid Pensioners of the said Royal Regiment of Artillery, residing in London, or within 35 Miles thereof, (those who have lost a Limb excepted) to appear personally before the Commanding Officer of Artillery at Woolwich, on the 11th of May next, in order to undergo an Examination by the Officers appointed for that Purpose; and such of the said Invalids as do not appear at the Place and Time aforesaid, (excepting only such as have lost a Limb or are otherwise totally disabled) will be taken to be dead, or otherwise provided for by the Government, and struck off the Invalid List.

Victualling-Office, April 24, 1778.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 8th of May next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Fresh Beef (during the Term of Three Months) to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Torbay in the County of Devon, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office; or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Dartmouth; or to the Agent for the Victualling at Plymouth.

And all Persons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasion are desired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 8th of May next; nor unless the Person who makes the Tender, or some Person on his Behalf, attends, to answer for him when called for.

General Post-Office, April 7, 1778.

ON Saturday last the 4th Instant, about Eleven at Night, the Post-Boy was attacked and robbed, Eight Miles from York, in the Road to Malton, of the Bag of Letters from this Office of Thursday Night last the 2d Instant, for Scarborough, Malton, Whitby, and

other Places within the Delivery of Scarborough and Malton, and also of the Bag with the Bye and Road Letters for the same Places.

The Person who committed this Robbery was then on Foot, but when he passed two Turnpike Gates in the Neighbourhood was mounted upon a Light Bay mottled Horse, about Fourteen Hands and an Half high, strong made; and the Bar-keepers agree with the Post-Boy in the Description of the Robber, that he was a stout Man, Six Feet high, and thin in the Face, with Black Stockings, Waistcoat and Breeches, and Brown Copper coloured Coat, his own short curled Hair powdered, with a round Hat, two Sides of it tied up; and the Post-Boy observed, whilst he lay with his Hands and Feet bound in a Field adjoining the Road; that the Robber put the Bills, &c. which he took out of the Letters; into the inside Pocket of his light Great Coat.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen; or if any Person, whether an Accomplish in the Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
Anth. Todd, Secretary.

Cambridge, April 13, 1778.

IN Pursuance of the Directions in the Will of the late Dr. Woodward, I do hereby give Notice to all whom it may concern, that the Place or Office of Woodwardian Lecturer in this University is now vacant by the Death of the Reverend Dr. Ogden, the late Lecturer; and do appoint Thursday the 7th of May next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, at the Senate House in Cambridge, for the electing a Woodwardian Lecturer.

R. Plumtre, Vice-chancellor.

Mines Royal, Mineral and Battery Works.

THE Governors and Court of Assistants of these Corporations give Notice, That a General Court of these Societies will be held at their House in Budge-row, Cannon-street, on Monday the 4th Day of May, 1778, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy Governors, and Court of Assistants; under the Mines Royal Charter; and to consider of a Dividend.

Richard Ladyman, Secretary.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Childrens

April 28, 1778.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Governors and Guardians of this Corporation (appointed by the Charter) will be held at the said Hospital, on Wednesday the 13th of next Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon, for electing by Ballot a President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, General Committee, and Officers, for the Year ensuing: And the said Governors having appointed that Day for their Dining together this Year, at the said Hospital, the said Governors, or any Gentleman inclined to dine with them, may have Tickets of the Steward, at Half a Guinea each, free from all other Expences, there being no Collection.

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

April 28, 1778.

Whereas the Time of raising the present Regiment of Militia for the County of Nottingham will expire on the Second Tuesday in May next; I do therefore hereby appoint a Meeting of the Deputy Lieutenants of the said County to be holden at the County Hall in Nottingham, on Tuesday the 12th of May, (being the Second Tuesday of that Month) at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon: And I hope the Deputy Lieutenants and other Gentlemen of the County will be so obliging as to attend there on that Day, to put the Militia Laws further into Execution.

NEWCASTLE.

Bristol, April 23, 1778.

ALL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of the late Captain Joseph Cookson, before his Decease, are desired to send in their Accounts to Mr. George Fisher, or Mr. Edward Davis, in Prince's-street, Executors to his Estate, on or before the 12th Day of May next, as they intend the 19th to make a Dividend of his Effects in their Hands, at the Assembly Coffee-house, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon. Those Persons, whose Accounts are not delivered in by the said 12th of May, will be excluded from that Dividend.

THE Assignees of the Estate and Effects of Benjamin Dellanoy, late of Cawood in the County of York, Grocer, acting under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust, do hereby give Notice, that they propose to make a Final Dividend of the Monies received by them in Pursuance thereof, on the 23d Day of May, 1778, at the House of Mr. Thomas Smith, in the Pavement, York, one of the said Assignees, amongst such of the Creditors of the said Benjamin Dellanoy as are intitled thereto by virtue of the said Deed.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Tickell, late of Mumfords-court, Milk-street, London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 12th Day of May next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Spread Eagle, in Hanging-ditch, Manchester, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Welton, of Middle-street, Cloth-fair, near West-Smithfield, London, Weaver, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Friday next, the 24th of May, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at the Chapter Coffee-house, in Pater-noster-row, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; as also to their disposing of all or any Part of the Bankrupt's Effects, by Private or Public Sale, as may appear most advantageous; and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Sir William Desse, of Soho-square in the County of Middlesex, Knight, Money-scrivener, 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 8th Day of May next at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, on the 12th Day of the same Month at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 9th Day of June 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joshua Tinker, late of Meal-hill in the Parish of Kirkburton in the County of York, Clo-

thier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the New Inn, in Leeds, 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. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Stafford, of Houndsditch, London, Currier, Leather-cutter, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d of May next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 and prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Benjamin Stables, now or late of Tadcaster in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of June next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, (by Adjournment from the 25th Day of this instant April) at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; 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 Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Etherington, of the City of York, Bookseller, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Christopher Etherington hath conformed 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 late 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 May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Brown, (Partner with John Nicholson) of Cannon-street, London, Upholsterer, Undertaker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Brown hath conformed 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 5th Year of His late 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 May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Fenwick Bird the Elder, late of the City of Bristol, Money-scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Fenwick Bird the Elder hath conformed 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 late 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 May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Levy Wolf, late of Virginia-street, Ratcliff-highway, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Levy Wolf hath in all Things conformed 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 late 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 May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Cawley, of Guildford in the County of Surrey, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Cawley hath in all Things conformed 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 late 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 May next.