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## DECLARATION.

THE Overtures made to His Majesty by the Governments of Russia and of France have not led to Negotiation: And the Intercourse to which those Overtures gave rise being terminated, His Majesty thinks it right thus promptly and publicly to make known its Termination.

The continued Appearance of a Negotiation, when Peace has been found to be utterly unattainable, could be advantageous only to the Enemy.

It might enable France to sow Distrust and Jealousy in the Councils of those, who are combined to resist her Oppressions: And if, among the Nations which groan under the Tyranny of French Alliance, or among those which maintain against France a doubtful and precarious Independence, there should be any which even now are balancing between the certain Ruin of a prolonged Inactivity, and the contingent Dangers of an Effort to save themselves from that Ruin; to Nations so situated the delusive Prospect of a Peace between Great Britain and France could not fail to be peculiarly injurious. Their Preparations might be relaxed by the vain Hope of returning Tranquillity; or their Purpose shaken by the Apprehension of being left to contend alone.

That such was, in Fact, the main Object of France in the Proposals transmitted to His Majesty from Erfurth, His Majesty entertained a strong Persuasion.

But at a Moment when Results so awful from their Importance, and so tremendous from their Uncertainty, might be depending upon the Decision of Peace or War, The King felt it due to Himself to ascertain, beyond the Possibility of Doubt, the Views and Intentions of His Enemies.

It was difficult for His Majesty to believe, that the Emperor of Russia had devoted Himself so blindly and fatally to the Violence and Ambition of the Power with which His Imperial Majesty had unfortunately become allied, as to be prepared openly to abet the Usurpation of the Spanish Monarchy; and to acknowledge and maintain the Right, assumed by France, to depose and imprison friendly Sovereigns, and forcibly to transfer to herself the Allegiance of independent Nations.

When, therefore, it was proposed to His Majesty to enter into Negotiation for a general Peace, in Concert with His Majesty's Allies, and to treat either on the Basis of the *Uti possidetis*, (heretofore the Subject of so much Controversy,) or on any other Basis, consistent with Justice, Honour, and Equality, His Majesty determined to meet this seeming Fairness and Moderation, with Fairness and Moderation, on His Majesty's Part real and sincere.

The King professed His Readiness to enter into such Negotiation, in concurrence with His Allies; and undertook forthwith to communicate to Them the Proposals which His Majesty had received. But as His Majesty was not connected with Spain by a formal Treaty of Alliance, His Majesty thought it necessary to declare, that the Engagements which He had contracted, in the Face of the World, with that Nation, were considered by His Majesty as no less sacred, and no less binding upon His Majesty, than the most solemn Treaties; and to express His Majesty's just Confidence that the Government of Spain, acting in the Name of His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, was understood to be a Party to the Negotiation.

The Reply returned by France to this Proposition of His Majesty casts off at once the thin Disguise, which had been assumed for a momentary Purpose;

and displays, with less than ordinary Reserve, the Arrogance and Injustice of that Government. The universal Spanish Nation, is described by the degrading Appellation of "the Spanish Insurgents," and the Demand for the Admission of the Government of Spain as a Party to any Negotiation, is rejected as inadmissible and insulting.

With Astonishment as well as with Grief His Majesty has received from the Emperor of Russia a Reply, similar in Effect, although less indecorous in Tone and Manner. The Emperor of Russia also stigmatizes as "Insurrection," the glorious Efforts of the Spanish People in Behalf of their legitimate Sovereign, and in Defence of the Independence of their Country; thus giving the Sanction of His Imperial Majesty's Authority to an Usurpation which has no Parallel in the History of the World.

The King would readily have embraced an Opportunity of Negotiation which might have afforded any Hope or Prospect of a Peace compatible with Justice and with Honour. His Majesty deeply laments an Issue, by which the Sufferings of Europe are aggravated and prolonged. But neither the Honour of His Majesty, nor the Generosity of the British Nation, would admit of His Majesty's consenting to commence a Negotiation, by the Abandonment of a brave and loyal People, who are contending for the Preservation of all that is dear to Man; and whose Exertion in a Cause so unquestionably just, His Majesty has solemnly pledged Himself to sustain.

*Westminster, December 15, 1808.*

AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 14th of December 1808,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this Day ordered by His Majesty in Council, that the Parliament, which was to meet on Monday the Sixteenth Day of January next, be further prorogued to Thursday the Nineteenth Day of the same Month, then to meet for the Dispatch of Business: And the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that Part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause a Commission to be prepared in the usual Manner for proroguing the Parliament accordingly. *W. Parokener.*

AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 14th of December 1808,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that those

Ports and Places of the Island of St. Domingo, which are not in the actual Possession of France, and from which the British Flag is not excluded, shall be considered as not being in a State of Hostility with His Majesty, and that His Majesty's Subjects and others are at Liberty freely to trade thereat, in the same Manner as they may trade at Neutral Ports and Places;

Provided nevertheless, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect any Question now depending in His Majesty's Tribunals respecting the Character of the said Ports and Places; but such Question shall be decided in the same Manner as if this Order and Declaration had not issued:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, and the Judges of His Majesty's Courts of Vice Admiralty, are to take Notice of His Majesty's Pleasure hereby signified, and govern themselves accordingly. *W. Parokener.*

Admiralty-Office, December 17, 1808.

*Copy of a Letter from Rear-Admiral Sir Edward Pellew, Bart. Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the East Indies, to the Honourable William Wellesey Pole, dated on board His Majesty's Ship Culloden, in Bombay Harbour, the 7th of April 1808.*

SIR,

I REQUEST you will submit to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the inclosed Letter from Lieutenant William Dawson, acting in the Command of His Majesty's Ship St. Fiorenzo, stating the Particulars of the Capture of La Piedmontaise French Frigate, mounting Fifty Guns, on the 8th ultimo, in the Gulph of Manaar.

In making this Communication to their Lordships I am desirous of expressing those mingled Sentiments of Admiration and Concern which I experience in the Loss of Captain George Nicholas Hardinge, who fell in the Moment of Victory, after having exerted, during Three successive Days, the most remarkable Zeal, Gallantry, and Judgment in the Conduct of this very brilliant Action. His Majesty's Service has been thus deprived of a most excellent and distinguished Officer; of whom the highest Expectations have been justly formed, from a Knowledge of his many, great and excellent Qualities.

The Merit of Lieutenant William Dawson, upon whom the Command devolved after the Death of Captain Hardinge, is already well known to the Board by his gallant Behaviour on a former Occasion, when he was severely wounded at the Capture of the Psyche Frigate by the St. Fiorenzo, in which nearly the whole of her present Officers and Crew had the Honour to share.

The Manner in which he continued the Action, which had been so nearly concluded by his lamented Captain, and finally conducted it to a successful Issue, will, doubtless, secure to him the high Approbation and Reward of their Lordships.

The undaunted Bravery, the animated and persevering Exertions of every Officer, Seaman, and Marine on board the St. Fiorenzo, have been truly

worthy of the beloved Country in whose Cause they have been so nobly engaged;—the public Gratitude will be commensurate with their eminent Services.

I learn that the St. Fiorenzo had arrived with her Prize in Safety at Colombo, from whence she may shortly be expected at this Fort.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

EDWARD PELLEW.

SIR,

*His Majesty's Ship St. Fiorenzo, at Sea,  
9th March 1808.*

IT is with great Regret I have to inform you of the Death of Captain Hardinge, late of His Majesty's Ship St. Fiorenzo, who fell gloriously in the early Part of an Action on the 8th inst. between His Majesty's Ship St. Fiorenzo and the French National Frigate La Piedmontaise.

The St. Fiorenzo sailed from Point de Galie on Friday the 4th inst. at Half past Eleven A. M. On the 6th, at Seven A. M. passed Three Indiamen, and, shortly after, saw a Frigate bearing N. E. We immediately hauled our Wind in chase, and made all Sail, being at that Time in Latitude 7° 32' Longitude 77° 58'. We made the private Signal, which was not answered; and at Five shewed our Colours, which the Enemy took no Notice of. At Forty Minutes past Eleven P. M. we ranged alongside of him on the Larboard Tack, and received his Broadside. After engaging till Fifty Minutes past Eleven P. M. within a Cable's Length, the Enemy made sail a-head, out of the Range of our Shot; we ceased firing, and made all Sail after him; continuing to come up with him till Daylight, when finding he could not avoid an Action, he wore, as did we also. At Twenty-five Minutes past Six recommenced the Action at the Distance of Half a Mile, gradually closing with him to a Quarter of a Mile. The Fire was constant and well-directed on both Sides, though that of the Enemy slackened towards the latter Part of the Action. At a Quarter past Eight P. M. the Enemy made all Sail away; our Main-top-mast-yard being shot through, the Main Royal mast, and both Main-top-mast-stays, the Main-spring-stay, and most of the standing and running Rigging, and all our Sails shot to Pieces, and most of our Cartridges fired away, (as our Guns were directed at his Hull he was not much disabled about his Rigging,) we ceased firing, and employed all Hands in repairing the Damages sustained, and fitting the Ship again for Action. From the great Injury our Masts, Yards, and Sails had received, I am sorry to observe that it was not in our Power to chase to renew the Action immediately; we, however, succeeded in keeping Sight of him during the Night; and at Nine A. M. on the 8th, the Ship being perfectly prepared for Action, we bore down upon the Enemy under all Sail; he did not endeavour to avoid us till we hauled athwart his Stern, for the Purpose of gaining the Weather Gage, and bringing him to close Fight, when he hauled up also, and made all Sail; but perceiving that we came fast up with him, and that an Action was inevitable, he tacked, and at Three we passed each other on opposite Tacks, and recommenced Action within a Quarter of a Cable's Length. With Grief I have to observe that our brave Captain was killed by a Grape-Shot the second Broadside. When the Enemy was abast our Beam he wore, and, after an Hour and Twenty Minutes close Action, struck their Colours, and waved their

Masts for a Boat to be sent them. She proved to be La Piedmontaise, commanded by Monsieur Epron, Capitaine du Vaisseau; she mounts Fifty Gun, long Eighteen-Pounders on her Main Deck, and Thirty-six-Pounder Cannonades on her Quarter Deck. She had Three Hundred and Sixty-six Frenchmen on board, and nearly Two Hundred Lascars, who worked their Sails. She sailed from the Isle of France on the 30th December. In the Action she had Forty-eight killed and One Hundred and Twelve wounded. The St. Fiorenzo has Thirteen killed and Twenty-five wounded; most of the latter are in a most promising Way. A List of them I have the Honour to inclose for your Information. The Enemy was cut to Pieces in His Masts, Bow-sprit, and Rigging; and they all went by the Board during the Night.

It is now a pleasing Part of my Duty to recommend to your particular Notice the cool, steady, and gallant Conduct of Lieutenants Edward Davis and Henry George Moyley; the latter, I am sorry to add, was severely wounded about Ten Minutes before the Enemy struck. I also experienced very great Assistance from Mr. Donovan, the Matter, by the judicious and Seaman-like Manner in which he laid us close alongside the Enemy. To Lieutenant Samuel Ashmore, of the Royal Marines, I am much indebted, for the cool and determined Courage evinced by him through the whole Action. Indeed every Officer, Petty Officer, Seaman, and Marine in the Ship behaved in the most brave and gallant Manner, and nobly maintained the Pre-eminence of the British Flag. In the first Boat from the Prize came Mr. W. F. Black, Assistant-Surgeon of His Majesty's 86th Regiment, captured by the Piedmontaise on his Passage to Madras, who rendered the Surgeon great Assistance.

I am also much indebted to the Officers of the Army, and the Captains and Officers of the Country Ships, who were Prisoners on board the Enemy, for the great Assistance they afforded us with their Lascars in erecting Jury Masts, and working the Ship into Port, as from our weak State, and the great Number of Prisoners on board us, we could spare but few Hands from our own Ship to send on board the Prize.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

WILLIAM DAWSON.

*To Sir Edward Pellew, Bart. Rear-Admiral  
of the Red, and Commander in Chief of His  
Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the East Indies.*

*List of Officers, Seamen, and Marines killed and wounded  
on-board His Majesty's Ship St. Fiorenzo, in Action  
with La Piedmontaise French National Frigate, on  
the 6th, 7th, and 8th of March 1808.*

*Wounded on the 6th.*

William Pitt, Seaman; slightly.  
John Treacy, Supernumerary Seaman; ditto.  
William Miller, Seaman; ditto.

*Killed on the 7th.*

Thomas Martin, Seaman.  
Charles Smallwood, ditto,  
Robert Currell, ditto.  
John Middleton, ditto.  
William Mead, Supernumerary Seaman.  
William Martin, Marine.  
John Luff, ditto.  
Joseph Litchfield, ditto.

*Wounded on the 7th.*

John Meadows, Seaman, dangerously; since dead.  
 William Baldwin, Seaman, lost a Leg; since dead.  
 George Byng, Seaman; severely.  
 John Finch, Seaman; ditto.  
 Francis Jackman, Seaman; ditto.  
 Walter Boze, Seaman; ditto.  
 William Long, Seaman; ditto.  
 John Acton, Seaman; lost Two Arms.  
 Philip Ulrick, Seaman; severely.  
 William Wakefield, Seaman; lost an Arm.  
 Richard Lock, Seaman; slightly.  
 William John Brown, Quarter-Master; ditto.  
 John Ellier, Seaman; ditto.  
 Benjamin Pool, Marine; ditto.

*Killed on the 8th.*

George Nicholas Hardinge, Esq; Captain.  
 John Beer, Seaman.  
 John Burn, ditto.  
 Evan Jones, Marine.

*Wounded on the 8th.*

Henry George Moyley, Lieutenant; severely.  
 Thomas Gadsby, Carpenter's Mate; ditto.  
 Thomas Clerk, Seaman; dangerously.  
 John M'Ewen, Corporal of Marines; ditto.  
 Charles Richards, Marine; lost an Arm.  
 William Pope, Marine, dangerously; since dead.  
 Henry Thorn, Boatwain's Mate; slightly.  
 William Davis, Seaman; ditto.  
 George Anger, Seaman; ditto.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ayr.*

Robert Montgomerie, Esq; to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated November 30, 1808.

*1st Regiment of Ayrshire Local Militia.*

William Kelfo, Esq; to be Colonel. Dated September 10, 1808.  
 Robert Cameron, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated as above.  
 William Fullarton, Esq; to be Major. Dated as above.

*To be Captains,*

William Logan, Esq. Dated September 10, 1808.  
 Hugh Stevenson, Esq. Dated September 12, 1808.  
 John Nicholson, Esq. Dated September 13, 1808.  
 John Telfer, Esq. Dated September 14, 1808.  
 Quintin Jamieson, Esq. Dated September 15, 1808.  
 James Donaldson, Esq. Dated September 16, 1808.  
 William Smith, Esq. Dated September 17, 1808.  
 John M'Connell, Esq. Dated September 19, 1808.  
 Robert Thompson, Esq. Dated December 1, 1808.  
 John Gouldie, Esq. Dated December 2, 1808.

*To be Lieutenants,*

Hugh Cunningham, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.  
 John Eaton, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808.  
 James Telfer, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.  
 Gilbert M'Garvie, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.  
 William Fergusson, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.  
 James M'Lean, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.  
 Gabriel Muir, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.

John M'Lownan, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

John M'Craith, Gent. Dated September 20, 1808.  
 Hew Aiken, Gent. Dated September 21, 1808.  
 John Dick, Gent. Dated September 22, 1808.

*To be Ensigns,*

Hugh Highel, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.  
 John Boyle, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808.  
 James Blair, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.  
 William Kirkwood, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.  
 John Gouldie, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.  
 Hugh Girvan, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.  
 Robert Niven, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.  
 James M'Murray, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

Andrew Williamson, Gent. Dated September 20, 1808.

John Dick, Gent. Dated September 21, 1808.

*To be Surgeon,*

Hugh Logan, Gent. Dated December 1, 1808.

*To be Quarter-Master,*

William Muir, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.

*2d Regiment of Ayrshire Local Militia.*

John Boyle, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated September 10, 1808.

Alexander Hamilton, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated December 2, 1808.

Alexander Cooper, Esq; to be Major. Dated December 1, 1808.

*To be Captains,*

Robert Montgomerie, Esq. Dated September 10, 1808.

Robert Hunter, Esq. Dated September 12, 1808.

John Hamilton, Esq. Dated September 13, 1808.

John M'Kenzie, Esq. Dated September 14, 1808.

John Dunlop, Esq. Dated September 15, 1808.

Alexander M'Gown, Esq. Dated September 16, 1808.

Robert Cunningham, Esq. Dated September 17, 1808.

Hugh Brown, Esq. Dated September 19, 1808.

George Erskine, Esq. Dated December 1, 1808.

William Deans, Esq. Dated December 2, 1808.

*To be Lieutenants,*

John Wyllie, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.

Thomas Stewart, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808.

Robert Fawlds, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.

Hugh Lockhart, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.

Richard Reid, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.

John Wyllie, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.

Robert Black, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.

William King, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

John Johnston, Gent. Dated September 20, 1808.

John Loudon, Gent. Dated September 21, 1808.

John Barbour, Gent. Dated September 22, 1808.

John Love, Gent. Dated September 23, 1808.

*To be Ensigns,*

Robert Speirs, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.

James Smith, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808.

James Rodger, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.

George Stevenson, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.

John Duncan, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.

Matthew Brown, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.



James Blair, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.  
John Barclay, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

*To be Surgeon.*

Thomas Walker, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.

*To be Quarter-Master,*

George Pagan, Gent. Dated December 1, 1808.

*3d Regiment of Ayrshire Local Militia.*

John Hamilton, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated September 12, 1808.

Henry V. White, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated December 1, 1808.

William Parker, Esq; to be Major. Dated December 2, 1808.

*To be Captains,*

Thomas Greenshields, Esq. Dated September 10, 1808.

William Sommerville, Esq. Dated September 12, 1808.

Mungo Fairlie, Esq. Dated September 13, 1808.  
Anthony Whiteside, Esq. Dated September 14, 1808.

James Allason, Esq. Dated September 15, 1808.

John Johnston, Esq. Dated September 16, 1808.

Alexander Hamilton, Esq. Dated September 17, 1808.

James Findlay, Esq. Dated September 19, 1808.

John Walker, Esq. Dated September 20, 1808.

George Reid, Esq. Dated December 1, 1808.

*To be Lieutenants,*

William Brown, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808

William Rankine, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808.

Robert M'Kean, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.

John Campbell, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.

Henry Drinnan, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.

James Turner, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.

William Hay, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.

William Gibson, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

William Wallace, Gent. Dated September 20, 1808.

Thomas Shaw, Gent. Dated September 21, 1808.

William Key, Gent. Dated September 22, 1808.

John Allan, Gent. Dated September 23, 1808.

*To be Ensigns,*

John Andrew, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808

Thomas Greenshields, Gent. Dated September 12, 1808

Alexander Reid, Gent. Dated September 13, 1808.

William Tod, Gent. Dated September 14, 1808.

Robert Thomson, Gent. Dated September 15, 1808.

Thomas Findlay, Gent. Dated September 16, 1808.

Alexander Nichol, Gent. Dated September 17, 1808.

William Smith, Gent. Dated September 19, 1808.

*To be Surgeon,*

Francis Steel, Gent. Dated September 10, 1808.

*To be Quarter-Master,*

John Weir, Gent. Dated as above.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Peebles. Dated September 24, 1808.*

*Peebleshire Regiment of Local Militia.*

The Right Honourable Alexander Lord Elibank to be Colonel.

Robert Nutter Campbell, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Sir Thomas Gibson Carmichaell, Bart. to be Major.

*To be Captains,*

Andrew Douglas, Esq.

John Burton, Esq.

James Aitken, Esq.

James Ker, Esq.

Alexander Murray Bartram, Esq.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Alexander Williamson, Gent.

Robert Ballantyne, Gent.

James Burton, Gent.

William Burton, Gent.

*To be Ensigns,*

Thomas Gibson, Gent.

Thomas Grieve, Gent.

Thomas Henderfon, Gent.

John Stewart, Gent.

*To be Adjutant,*

John Burton, Gent.

*To be Quarter-Master,*

John Murray Robertson, Gent.

*To be Surgeon,*

James Bryden, Gent.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.*

*City of Worcester Local Militia.*

Ferdinando Smith, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, Dated September 24, 1808.

Samuel Wall, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated as above.

John Dowding, Esq; to be Major. Dated as above.

Eliaz Isaac, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.

Moses James, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.

John Duncan, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.

Martin Barr, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.

James Chamberlaine, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.

John Hall, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 30, 1808.

Joseph Smith, Esq; to be ditto. Dated October 1, 1808.

George Hill, Esq; to be ditto. Dated October 3, 1808.

George Earl, Esq; to be ditto. Dated October 4, 1808.

James Knight, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated September 24, 1808.

John Morton, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.

James Reynolds, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.

Robert Jones, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.

Richard Pitt, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.

Charles Leffingham, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 30, 1808.  
 Richard Bennet, Gent. to be ditto. Dated October 1, 1808.  
 John Allen, Gent. to be ditto. Dated October 3, 1808.  
 John Young, Gent. to be ditto. Dated October 4, 1808.  
 George Allies, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 Thomas Hughes, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.  
 James Hulfton, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.  
 John Collingwood, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.  
 Jeremiah Herbert, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.  
 Josiah Munn, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 30, 1808.  
 Henry Chamberlain, Gent. to be ditto. Dated October 1, 1808.  
 Thomas Palmer, Gent. to be ditto. Dated October 3, 1808.  
 James Hulfton, Gent. to be Surgeon. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 John Hammond Smith, Gent. to be Quarter-Master. Dated as above.

*West Worcester Regiment of Local Militia.*

John Jefferys, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 Robert Pardoe, Esq; to be Major. Dated as above.  
 Richard Jukes, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.  
 James Pardoe, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.  
 Richard Watfon, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.  
 William Prattenton, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.  
 John Turner Whitgrove, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.  
 Thomas Ferguson Gaine, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 James Halder, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.  
 John Thomas Smith, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.  
 William Burratton, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.  
 John Lewis, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated September 24, 1808.

*North Worcester Regiment of Local Militia.*

Richard Williams, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 William Congreeve Ruffell, Esq; to be Major. Dated as above.  
 Robert Boulton Waldron, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.  
 John Lucas, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.  
 Edmund Read, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.  
 William Anderton, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.  
 Richard Jee, Esq; to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.

John Holyoake, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 William Timmings, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 26, 1808.  
 Benjamin Smith, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 27, 1808.  
 John Cromwell, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 28, 1808.  
 Robert Coales Woolley, Gent. to be ditto. Dated September 29, 1808.  
 Henry Ellins, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated September 24, 1808.  
 John Parry Nash, Gent. to be Surgeon. Dated as above.

*Downing-Street, December 20, 1808.*

His Majesty was pleased, by a Commission bearing Date the 11th of February last, to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir John Stuart, K. B. to be Commander of His Majesty's Forces in the Mediterranean (the Garrison of Gibraltar excepted).

*Crown-Office, December 20, 1808.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Boffinney.*

The Right Honourable John Otway Earl of De-fart, of the Kingdom of Ireland, in the Room of Lord Rendlesham, deceased.

*Admiralty-Office, December 16, 1808.*

Notice is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice-Hall, in the Old-Bailey, London, on Friday the 20th Day of January next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.  
 W. W. Pole.

*Navy-Office, December 9, 1808.*

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 21st Instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, they will put up to Sale, at their Office in Somerset Place, His Majesty's Sloops Rosario, Renard, and Beaver, all lying at Sheerness.

Any Persons wishing to view the Vessels, must apply to the Commissioners of the Yards for a Note of Admission.

Catalogues and Conditions of Sale may be had here, and at the Yard.  
 R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

*Navy-Office, December 8, 1808.*

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Thursday the 22d Instant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for supplying

Canvas Bags for Seamen, and Frocks and Trowsers, made of Cloth of British Manufacture, for Seamen and Boys, to be delivered at the Slop-Office in Somerset-Place, where Patterns of the Articles may be seen.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock on the Day of Treaty, nor any noticed, unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Letter from

Two respectable Persons engaging to become bound with the Person tendering, in the Sum expressed in the Particulars, for the due Performance of the Contract.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary

OFFICE FOR TAXES, SOMERSET-PLACE.

December 20, 1808.

PURSUANT to an Act passed in the Forty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, Notice is hereby given, That the Price of the Three per Centum Reduced Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England on this Day, was £.65 and under £.66 per Centum.

By Order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes, Matthew Winter, Secretary.

The Parish of Saint James, within the City and Liberty of Westminster.

WHEREAS by a certain Warrant, bearing Date the 12th Day of November 1808, under the Hands and Seals of us the undersigned John Willock and Edward Jenden, Esqrs. two of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes acting in and for the said Parish of St. James Westminster, under and by virtue of the Powers and Authorities contained in a certain Act of Parliament, made and passed in the Forty third Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act for consolidating certain of the Provisions contained in any Act or Acts relating to the Duties under the Management of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes, and for amending the same;" we the said John Willock and Edward Jenden, in pursuance of the Powers and Authorities vested in us in and by the said Act, did authorise and empower one Thomas Dawson, of Great Marlborough-Street, in the said Parish of St. James Westminster, Auctioneer, for us and in our Names as Commissioners as aforesaid, to seize and secure the personal Estate of Launcelot Atkinson, late one of the Collectors of His Majesty's Parliamentary Assessed Taxes for the said Parish of St. James Westminster, wheresoever the same could be discovered or found; and whereas the said Thomas Dawson, by virtue of the said Warrant, hath seized and taken into his Possession divers Goods, Chattels, and other Effects, the Property of the said Launcelot Atkinson; now, therefore, we the said John Willock and Edward Jenden, as such Commissioners, in further pursuance of the Powers vested in us in and by the said Act, do hereby appoint a public Meeting of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes acting in and for the said Parish of St. James Westminster, to be held at the Vestry-Room of the said Parish, on Thursday the 5th Day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, for the Purpose of proceeding to the Sale and Disposal of the said Goods, Chattels, and Effects, to satisfy and pay into the Hands of the Receiver-General of the said Taxes the Sum of 3700l. received by the said Launcelot Atkinson, as such Collector as and for the Taxes aforesaid, of and from the Inhabitants of the said Parish of St. James Westminster, which he has neglected to pay according to the said Act, and has unlawfully detained, together with the reasonable Costs and Charges of recovering and raising the same, and paying the same to the said Receiver-General.

Given under our Hands at a public General Meeting of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes, held at the Vestry-Room of the Parish aforesaid the 15th Day of December 1808, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon,

John Willock.  
Edward Jenden.

London Life Association.

THE Court of Directors of the London Life Association hereby give Notice, that the Half yearly General Court of the Society appointed by their Deed of Settlement, will be held at their House, No. 48, St. Paul's Church-Yard, on Wednesday the 4th January next, at Twelve o'Clock precisely.

Joseph Rainbow, Clerk.

London Assurance-House, Birchington-Lane, Dec. 14, 1808.

Notice is hereby given to Persons assured against Fire by this Corporation, that printed Receipts for the Premiums due at Christmas are now ready to be delivered at this House; where Attendance is given daily, from Ten o'Clock in the Morning till Four in the Afternoon, for assuring Houses and other Buildings, Household Goods, Goods in Trade, Merchandise, Ships in Harbour, Cargoes in Ships and in Lighters on Rivers and Canals, Ships building and repairing, Farming Stock, &c. from Loss or Damage by Fire; and all Persons who are desirous of increasing their present Assurances in consequence of the great Increase in the Value of Buildings and of all building Materials, are hereby informed, that for such additional Assurances they will not be put to any fresh Expence for new Policies.

Notice is likewise given, that the Fifteen Days allowed by the Corporation after the Quarter-day for the Payment of the Premiums, will expire on the 9th of January next.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
Stephena Lee, Secretary.

Professorship of Botany, in Trinity College, Dublin.

Notice is hereby given, that the above Professorship is vacant by the Death of the late Dr. Robert Scott. The Emoluments of this Professorship arise from a Charge on every Student, at a certain Standing; which Charges, on an Average of the last Three Years, have amounted to 157l. per Annum, from Fees of Three Guineas from every Student who chooses to attend the entire Course of Botanical Lectures, and also from Fees payable by those Students who may attend such Courses of Clinical Lectures as the Professor shall give in his Turn at Sir Patrick Dunn's Hospital. Each Candidate is to inform the Register of the College of Physicians, Dr. Leaby, No. 27, Exchequer-Street, and the Register of Trinity College, Dr. Stokes, at the College, by Letter, of his Name, the Place or Places of his Education, what Medical Degrees he has taken, and at what University, and where he has practised as a Physician. Such Letters to be delivered some Time before the 16th of January 1809, when the Election will take place, at the Provost's House, Trinity College, Dublin.—October 8, 1808.

James John Leahy, Register of the King and Queen's College of Physicians.  
Whitley Stokes, Register of Trinity College.

London, December 13, 1808.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Governor and Company for working of Mines, Minerals, and Metals, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, will be held at the Sun Fire-Office, in Bank-Street, Cornhill, on Thursday the 12th Day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, to consider of a Dividend; and that the Transfer-Book will be shut on Thursday the 29th Day of December next ensuing.

John Richards, Clerk.

## East India Ship Manſhip.

27, Nicholas-Lane, Lombard-Street.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, &c. who were actually on board the Manſhip, Captain Lloyd, on the 14th June 1795, when Captain Eſſington's Squadron captured ſeveral Dutch Ships off the Iſland of St. Helena, that their Proportions of a Fifth Diviſion of Prize Money received, will be paid at my Houſe, on Thursday the 22d Inſtant, between the Hours of Eleven and Two o'Clock; and ſuch Shares as ſhall not then be demanded will be recalled every ſucceeding Thursday.

Chas. A. Hacket, Agent.

London, December 16, 1808.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship *Stately*, George Parker, Eſq; Captain, who were actually on board at the Detention of the Prussian Ship *Fenchon*, on the 11th April 1806, (His Majesty's Ship *Ruby* in Company.) that they will be paid their reſpective Proportions of His Majesty's Grant of Two Thirds of the Net Proceeds of the ſaid Ship and Cargo, on board the 19th Inſtant; and all Shares not then demanded will be recalled at No. 23, Norfolk Street, Strand, every Thursday and Friday for Three Months after firſt Day of Payment.

Marſh and Creed, Agents.

London, December 20, 1808.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship *Repuſe*, Honourable A. K. Legge, Captain, who were actually on board at the Capture of the *Marengo* and *Belle Poule*, on the 17th March 1806, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Head-Money for the ſaid Ships, at Poſtſmouth the 23d Inſtant; and all Shares not then claimed will be recalled at No. 23, Norfolk Street, Strand, every Tueſday and Friday for Three Months after firſt Day of Payment.

Marſh and Creed, Agents.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Ship's Company of His Majesty's Ship *Iſis*, W. G. Lobb, Eſq; Command'r, who were actually on board the ſaid Ship at the Capture of the *Demarary* Packet, on the 4th July 1803, that they will be paid their reſpective Proportions of Prize Money for the final Payment, on board the ſaid Ship at Poſtſmouth, on the 23d Inſtant; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled every Day for Three Years to come, at No. 12, Upper Thames Street.

Peyton and Grenfell, and Joſh. Trounſell, Agents.

London, December 12, 1808.

Notice is hereby given, that an account of Sums of the Heir, captured on the 22d Day of Auguſt 1807, by His Majesty's Ship *Fygard*, Wm Bolton, Eſq; Captain, will be depoſited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeably to Act of Parliament.

Cook and Leopard, Agents.

Poſtſmouth, December 1<sup>o</sup>, 1808.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships *Speedwell* and *Julia*, who were actually on board the ſaid Ships at the Capture of the Dutch Galliot *Joigne Piſtor* and *Fred n Swediſh* Brig, on 27th October 1804, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money for the ſame on the 28th Inſtant, at No. 28, High Street, Poſtſmouth; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at

the ſame Place every Monday and Thursday afterwards for Three Months to come, at the Expiration of which Time the Accounts will be rendered to Greenwicb Hoſpital, and the Balance paid in.

N. P. Rothery.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the underſigned Joſeph Leigh and William Breeze, both of Hanley, in the County of Stafford, Manufacturers of Earthenware, was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent. All Debts owing by the ſaid Partnership Concern will be paid by Mr. Ralph Hammersley, of Shelton, whom we have authorized to receive all Debts owing thereto. Witneſs our Hands the 16th Day of December 1808.

Joſeph Leigh.  
William Breeze.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between George Gadſby and Joſeph Moxon, carrying on Trade as Cheeſe-Factors at Leiceſter, was, on the 14th Day of May laſt, diſſolved by mutual Conſent: As witneſs their Hands the 2d Day of December 1808.

Geo. Gadſby.  
Joſeph Moxon.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between William Lyon and Daniel Collyer, of Gray's Inn-Square, Attornies and Agents, was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent.—Dated the 28th Day of November 1808.

Wm. Lyon.  
Dan. Collyer.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately ſubſiſting between us the underſigned Thomas Prickett, John Prickett, and John Beazley, of Lamberhurſt, in the Counties of Kent and Suſſex, Millers, was diſſolved and determined by mutual Conſent on the 30th Day of January, in the Year of our Lord 1805: As witneſs our Hands,

Thos. Prickett.  
John Prickett.  
John Beazley.

Briſtol, December 16, 1808.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between the underſigned Charles Cichley, of the City of Briſtol, Houſe-Carpenter and Builder, and the underſigned John Rowe, is this Day by mutual Conſent diſſolved.

Charles Cichley.  
John Rowe.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership ſubſiſting between James Garrutt and Charles Garrett, of Walworth, in the Pariſh of Saint Mary, Newington, in the County of Surrey, Painters, Glaziers, and Plumbers, has been this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent: As witneſs their Hands this 25th Day of November 1808.

James Garrutt.  
Ch. Garrutt.

Briſtol, December 13, 1808.

THE Copartnerſhip Term of the underſigned Thomas Wigan and Francis Crofs, late of the City of Briſtol, Diſtillers under the firm of Thomas Wigan and Co. being expired, Notice is hereby given, that the ſaid Copartnerſhip is finally diſſolved; and that all Perſons having Demands upon or being indebted to the ſaid Concern are to apply to the ſaid Thomas Wigan for Settlement thereof.

Thos. Wigan.  
Fras. Crofs.

Notice is hereby given, that the Copartnerſhip heretofore ſubſiſting between us, William Coward and George Garnett, both of Kendal, in the County of Weſtmoreland, Surgeons and Apothecaries, was diſſolved by mutual Conſent on the 11th Day of January 1806; and that all Debts due to and from the ſaid Copartnerſhip Concern will be received and paid by the ſaid George Garnett: As witneſs our Hands this 10th Day of December 1808.

Wilm. Coward.  
Geo. Garnett.



Notice is hereby given, that the Copartnership lately subsisting between William Warre, the late John Henry Warre, and James Warre, carried on at Oporto under the Firm of Warre and Co. and in London under the Firm of Warre, Brothers, Portugal Merchants, was dissolved by mutual Consent on the 11th Day of January 1802, as far as related to John Henry Warre, who died on the 15th of June 1801.

*William Warre.*

*James Warre.*

*Brathwaite Warre,*

Executrix to the late John Henry Warre.

ALL Persons having Claims upon the Estate of Mr. John Benson, late of Margate, deceased, are requested to send the same to Mr. Dawes, of Angel-Court, Throgmorton-Street, Solicitor to the Executors; and all Persons owing Debts to the Deceased are requested to pay the same to Mr. Dawes.

THOMAS PREST, deceased.

London, December 17, 1808.

ALL Persons having Claims upon the Estate of Mr. Thomas Prest, late of Nottingham, deceased, are desired to send an Account thereof, within Three Months from the above Date, to Mr. John Evance, No. 81, Queen-Street, Cheap-side, only surviving Executor; and all Persons indebted to the Estate are requested to pay the same to Mr. Evance.

The late Mr. JOHN HOLLAND, deceased.

Birmingham, December 3, 1808.

ALL Persons who have any Claim or Demand on the Estate of the late Mr. John Holland, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Attorney at Law, deceased, are requested to deliver the Particulars thereof to his Administrators, Mr. Benjamin Holland, of Elmley Lovatt, in the County of Worcester, Gentleman, and Mr. Jacob Holland, No. 22, Colmore-Row, or to Mr. Alexander Stanbie, Merchant, Great Hampton-Street, or Edward Chater, Attorney at Law, Dale-End, of Birmingham aforesaid, in order that the same may be examined and discharged; and all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said Mr. John Holland are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts to his said Administrators, the said Mr. Stanbie, or to the aforesaid Edward Chater, with whom the Deeds, Papers, and Writings, late in the Possession of Mr. Holland, deceased, are deposited.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause wherein Andrew Reid and others are Plaintiffs, and Henry Meux and another are Defendants, and in a Cause wherein the said Henry Meux is Plaintiff, and Thomas Meux and others are Defendants, before Robert Steele, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at the public Sale-Room of the said Court, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, in One Lot, on Monday the 23d Day of January 1809, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, the Freehold, Copyhold, and Leasehold Estates of Messrs. Meux and Company, comprising the Dwelling-House, Counting-Houses, and Brew-House, Stables, and other Buildings in Liquor Pond-Street, Portpool-Lane, and Backhill, in the Parish of St. Andrew, Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, with the Plant, Steam Engines, Utensils, and Erections; and divers public Houses, held for Terms of Years at certain reserved Rents, and several Freehold and Copyhold public Houses belonging to Messrs. Meux and Co.

Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London; of Mr. Whitton, Solicitor, Great James-Street, Bedford-Row; and of Messrs. Aldridge and Smith, Solicitors, Lincoln's Inn, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 23d of June 1808, made in a Cause wherein Henry Salmon and Eliza his Wife are Plaintiffs, and John Gilbert and others are Defendants, the Creditors of Robert Lock, late of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in the County of Southampton, Esq; and late a Lieutenant in His Majesty's Royal Artillery, (who died in or about the Year 1789 or 1790,) are to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Steele, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane,

London, on or before the 23d of January next, 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, made in a Cause Duncombe versus Howell, the Creditors of Margaret Boycott, late of Newport, in the County of Salop, Widow, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before John Simeon, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Munrickhuizen versus Munrickhuizen, the Creditors of John Henry Munrickhuizen, late of American-Square, London, Notary Public, are, on or before the 23d Day of January next, to come in and prove their Debts before John Simeon, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, 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, made in a Cause March against Cromwell, the Creditors and Legatees of John March, late of Tower-Hill, in the City of London, and of Harley-Street, in the County of Middlesex, Printer, deceased, are to come in and prove their several Debts, and claim their respective Legacies, before Francis Paul Stratford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 13th Day of February 1809, 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, bearing Date the 19th of July 1808, made in a Cause wherein Augustus Newton (an Infant) and others are Plaintiffs, and William Manning and others are Defendants, the Creditors of John Collins, late of Berner's-Street, in the Parish of Saint Mary-le-Bone, in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Compton Cox, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Thomas Evans, of Coventry-Street, in the County of Middlesex, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, may receive a Dividend of Three Shillings and Three Pence in the Pound on the Amount of their respective Debts, by applying at the Office of Mr. Nind, No. 3, Great Pre-coot-Street, Good-man's-Fields, any Saturday, between the Hours of Tea and Two o'Clock.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Samuel Bryan, of Grosvenor-Mews, in the County of Middlesex, Chandler, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on the 22d Day of December instant, at Seven o'Clock in the Evening, at Mr. Dalman's, the George, Davis-Street, Berkeley-Square, 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 the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; also to assent to or dissent from the Disposal of the Bankrupt's Effects by public Sale or private Contract as may be most advisable; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Whitehead, late of Shaw Hall, in Saddleworth, in the County of York, Woollen-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 6th of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at John Buckley's, the Bull's Head, in Molsley, in the Parish of Ashton-under-Line, in the County of Lancaster, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees making an Application

to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, by Bill or Petition, to direct and order that certain Incumbrances affecting the said Bankrupt's Freehold Estate may be paid off and discharged, and the Bankrupt's Estate released therefrom before a Sale is made thereof, and to determine in what Number of Lots the said Bankrupt's Freehold Estate shall then be sold, and for postponing the said Sale; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees confirming or dissolving any Contract or Agreement which hath been entered into by the said Bankrupt with any Person or Persons for or touching any Part of his Freehold Estate; and to assent to or dissent from any Action or Actions being brought, or Suit commenced by the said Assignees against any Person or Persons withholding Goods from the said Assignees belonging to the said Bankrupt's Estate; and to the said Assignees prosecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Richard Rafell, of Shoreham, in the County of Kent, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 28th Day of December instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Three Tuns Tavern, Saint Margaret's-Hill, Southwark, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of any Part of of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and particularly to authorise the Assignees to dispose of the Lease of the Bankrupt's Premises at Shoreham aforesaid, either by private Contract or public Sale; and to consider what Steps are proper to be taken respecting the Sale of Part of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects since the Date of the Commission, by Mr. George Hooper.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date on or about the 17th Day of June 1808; was awarded and issued forth against John Bell, late of Southwood Lane, Highgate, in the County of Middlesex, Underwriter, (but now of His Majesty's Prison of the Fleet;) This is to give Notice, that the said Commission is, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, superseded.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Compere, of Saint Alban's, in the County of Hertford, Grocer, 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 27th and 31st of December instant, and on the 31st of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, 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, 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 Messrs. Benbow and Hope, Stone-Buildings, Lincoln's-Inn.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Burries, of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, Taylor and Draper, 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 23d, 24th, and 31st of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Globe Tavern, in Liverpool, in the said County, 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. Windle, John-Street, Bedford-Row, London, or to Mr. Pennington, Solicitor, Bafnet-Street, Liverpool.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Bell, now or late of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, Master Mariner, 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 11th, 12th, and 31st Days of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Globe Tavern, in Liverpool, 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. Windle, Solicitor, John-Street, Bedford-Row, London, or to Messrs. Griffith and Hinde, Solicitors, Lower Castle-Street, Liverpool.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Young, of the Township of Ardwick, in the Parish of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, 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 24th of December instant, and on the 4th and 31st of January next, at Two in the Afternoon on each Day, at the Palace Inn, Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, 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, 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. Philip Hurd, No. 7, King's-Bench-Walks, Temple, London, or to Mr. John Law, Solicitor, in Manchester aforesaid.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Boddy, of Scarborough, in the County of York, Common-Brewer, 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 17th, 18th, and 31st of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the House of William Marshall, the George Inn, in Scarborough aforesaid, 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. R. H. Lister, Solicitor, of Scarborough aforesaid, or Mr. John Williams, Red-Lion-Square, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Topp, of Chadderton, in the Parish of Prestwich, in the County of Lancaster, Manufacturer, 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 23d of December instant, and on the 5th and 31st of January next, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the Dog Tavern, in Manchester, 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. Messrs. Johnson and Bailey, Solicitors, in Manchester aforesaid, or Mr. Ellis, Curfitor-Street, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Hargreaves, of Manchester, in the County of Lancater, Brick Maker, 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 30th of December instant, and on the 3th and 31st Days of January next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the Commercial Inn, in Manchester aforesaid, 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. Thomas Hewitt, Solicitor, Manchester, or Mr. Ralph Ellis, Curfitor-Street, Chancery-Lane, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Swire, of Halifax, in the County of York, Merchant, 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 2d, 3d, and 31st Days of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Talbot Inn, in Halifax, 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 who have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Messrs. Cardle and Spear, Gray's-Inn, London, or to Mr. Edwards, Attorney at Law, in Halifax.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Hall, of Queen-Street, in the City of London, Silk-Manufacturer, intend to meet on the 28th Day of January next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) in order to receive the Proof of Debts under the said Commission.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Ibbetson, of Ludgate-Hill, in the City of London, Silk-Mercer, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Sarah Bowltreed, of Kingland-Road, in the County of Middlesex, Widow, Corn and Seed Merchant, intend to meet on the 21st Day of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where she is required to surrender herself and make a full Disclosure and Discovery of her Estate and Effects, and finish her Examination, and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to

come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of her Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Robert Bateman Herbert, of Clare-Court, Drury-Lane, in the County of Middlesex, and also of Grafton-Street, Westminster, in the said County, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th of December instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th of December inst.) to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Barber, of Sparrow-Corner, near the Minories, in the City of London, Corn-Chandler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th of December instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Further Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Corrie, late of Weston-Street, Southwark, Common-Brewer, but now of High-Street, Lambeth, in the County of Surrey, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st Day of December instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Day of December instant,) to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Henry Hall, of Gutter-Lane, in the City of London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 3d Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Walfh and Thomas Nisbett, of Angel-Court, Throgmorton-Street, in the City of London, Brokers, Copartners, Dealers and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st of December instant, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Day of December instant,) in order to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupts; when and where they are required to surrender themselves, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects, and finish their Examinations; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificates.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Bryan, of Grosvenor-Mews, in the County of Middlesex, Chandler,

Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th of December instant, at One in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 17th Instant,) to take the Last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners named and authorized in and by a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 20th of April 1793, awarded and issued against John Lane, Thomas Frazer, and Thomas Boylston, late of Nicholas-Lane, London, Merchants and Partners, carrying on Trade under the Firm of Lane, Son, and Frazer, will meet at Guildhall, on Saturday the 21st Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon; when and where any Creditors of the said Thomas Frazer, who have not already proved their Debts, are required to attend, and prove the same. And all Claims standing on the Proceedings against the said Estate, which are not then substantiated, will be expunged and struck out.

**T**HE Commissioners named and authorized in and by a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 20th of April 1793, awarded and issued against John Lane, Thomas Frazer, and Thomas Boylston, late of Nicholas-Lane, London, Merchants and Partners, carrying on Trade under the Firm of Lane, Son, and Frazer, will meet at Guildhall, on Saturday the 21st Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon; when and where any Creditors of the said Thomas Boylston, who have not already proved their Debts, are required to attend and prove the same. And all Claims standing on the Proceedings against the said Estate, which are not then substantiated, will be expunged and struck out.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 26th Day of May 1807, awarded and issued against Joseph Wicken, late of Sandhurst, in the County of Kent, Grocer, Linen-Draper, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the George Inn, in Cranbrook, in the said County, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 31st of December 1793, awarded and issued forth against Hutchinson Mure, Robert Mure, and William Mure, of Fenchurch-Street, London, Merchants, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 10th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 13th Instant,) in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Further Renewed Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 23d of August 1804, awarded and issued forth against William Stead, heretofore of Little Tower-Hill, in the County of Middlesex, but late of Mortimer-Street, in the said County of Middlesex, Merchant and Dealer, intend to meet on the 21st Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 23d Day of May 1806, awarded and issued forth against George Richards, of Gough-Square, in the City of London, Furrier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21st of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, 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. All Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 27th of August 1808, awarded and issued forth against James Corbin Hayward, of Chambers-Street, Goodman's-Fields, in the County of Middlesex, now or late Purser of the Ship United Kingdom, in the Service of the Honourable East India Company, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 12th of May 1803, awarded and issued forth against John Neale and Peter Tanner, of Cock-Hill, Ratcliff, in the County of Middlesex, Dealers in Coals, intend to meet on the 19th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 23d of January 1803, awarded and issued against Thomas Muffon, of Hulme, in the County of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Dog Tavern, in Manchester, in the said County of Lancaster, to make a First and 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 13th of December 1806, awarded and issued forth against George Augustus Child, of the City of Bristol, Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 26th of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Bush Tavern, in Corn-Street, in the said City of Bristol, to make a First and 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 5th Day of December 1805, awarded and issued forth against Edward Coats, Thomas Massey, and Joseph Hall, late of Horninglow, in the Parish of Burton-upon-Trent, in the County of Stafford, Brewers and Partners, intend to meet on the 18th of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the White Hart Inn, in Burton-upon-Trent aforesaid, (and not on the 10th of January, as before advertised,) to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 14th of May 1808, awarded and issued forth against Angel Raphael Louis Delauney, of Blakeley, in the County of Lancaster, Dyer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Spread Eagle Inn, in Manchester, in the said County, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Renewed Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 28th of November 1808, awarded and issued forth against John Whitaker the Elder, and William Whitaker, of Stockport, in the County of Chester, and John Whitaker the Younger, of Edgeley, in the Parish of Cheadle, in the said County, Cotton-Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, intend to meet on the 16th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Red Lion Inn, in Heaton Norris, near Stockport aforesaid, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Joint and Separate Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 19th of September 1807, awarded and issued forth against William Partridge, of the City and County of Exeter, Serge-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Star Inn, in the City of Exeter, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 22d Day of March 1808, awarded and issued forth against Richard Jefferson and William Dickinson, of the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Woollen-Drapers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 13th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the George Inn, in the said Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 26th Day of May 1807, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Mitchell, of the Town and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Linen-Draper, intend to meet on the 17th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Turk's Head Inn, in the Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 14th Day of April 1808, awarded and issued against Samuel Denham, now or late of Bermondsey-Street, Southwark, in the County of Surrey, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21st Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 28th of May 1808, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Winterbourn, of Aldersgate-Street, in the City of London, Cabinet-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st of January next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 4th Day of August 1808, awarded and issued against Elijah Johnson, of Bleeding-Hart-Yard, Charles-Street, Hatton-Garden, in the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, Cabinet-Maker, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 9th of April 1808, awarded and issued forth against Henry Hart, of Great Coram-Street, Brunswick-Square, in the County of Middlesex, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21st of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 22d Day of July 1808, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Gardner, of Shoreditch, in the County of Middlesex, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 19th of May 1807, awarded and issued forth against Andrew Johnstone and John Nainby, of Finch-Lane, in the City of London, Perfumers, Dealers, and Chapmen; and Copartners, intend to meet on the 28th of January next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 12th of February 1807, awarded and issued forth against George Blant and John Moutat, of Little Carter-Lane, Doctors-Commons, in the City of London, Wholesale-Grocers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 21st Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Further Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 9th of January 1808, awarded and issued forth against Charles Stokes Dudley, of Gracechurch-Street, in the City of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 21st Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 19th of October 1807, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Waybran and James Gerrard, of Swan-Street, Minories, in the City of London, Cornfactors,

Partners, intend to meet on the 28th of January next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; 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 certain Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date the 11th of December 1805, and in a Renewed Commission, bearing Date the 27th of April 1808, awarded and issued forth against William Clark, late of the Town and Port of Hythe, in the County of Kent, Taylor and Draper, intend to meet on the 11th of January next, at Twelve at Noon, at the Fountain Inn, in the City of Canterbury, 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 a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Bell, of Trowbridge, in the County of Wilts, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman, (carrying on Trade under the Firm of John Bell and Co.) have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Bell 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 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 10th Day of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Stretch, late of Grafton-Street, in the Parish of Saint Pancras, in the County of Middlesex, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Stretch 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 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 10th Day of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Henriques, late of Aldgate High-Street, London, but now of New-Square, London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Henriques 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 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 10th of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Green Caslake, late of White Horse-Street, Stepney, in the County of Middlesex, (but now a Prisoner in the King's Bench Prison,) Tallow-Chandler and Melter, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable John Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Green Caslake 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 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 10th Day of January next.

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