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Westminster, November 12.

**H**IS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in his Royal Robes seated on the Throne, with the usual Solemnity, Sir William Sanderfon, Gentleman-Usher of the Black-Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to make the following most gracious Speech to both Houses.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

**I** Am perswaded you share with Me in the Satisfaction I feel at the prosperous Situation of Affairs. Peace with all Powers Abroad; at Home perfect Tranquillity, Plenty, and an uninterrupted Enjoyment of all Civil and Religious Rights, are most distinguishing Marks of the Favour and Protection of the Divine Providence. And these, with all their happy Consequences, will, I doubt not, by the Blessing of God upon Our joint Endeavours, be long continued to My People.

The same Provision by Sea and Land, for the Defence and Safety of the Nation, will continue to make Us respected Abroad, and consequently secure at Home. The same Attention to the Improvement of the publick Revenues, and to the Ease and Encouragement of Trade and Navigation, will establish Credit upon the strongest Basis, and raise I ch a Spirit of Industry, as will not only enable Us gradually to discharge the National Debt; but will likewise greatly increase the Wealth, Power, and Influence of this Kingdom.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I have ordered the proper Officers to prepare and lay before you Estimates of the Expences for the Service of the ensuing Year: And, as they do not exceed what has been found by Experience to be absolutely Necessary for the Security of the Kingdom, I make no Question but I shall have your ready Concurrence in raising the Supplies, in such Manner as shall be most easy to My People.

There is one Thing that I cannot but mention to you, as deserving your particular Consideration. It is too manifest, that the Funds, established for the finishing the Works at Greenwich Hospital, and providing for a competent Number of Seamen there, cannot in Time of Peace be sufficient to answer the Expences of this great and necessary Work. It is therefore very much to be wished, that some Method could be found out to make a further Provision for a comfortable Support to our Seamen, worn out in the Service of their Country, and labouring under Old Age and Infirmities.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

You must all be sensible how much Our present Happiness is owing to your Union and steady Conduct. It is therefore wholly unnecessary to recommend to you Unanimity and Dispatch in all your Deliberations. The Zeal and Abilities you have on all Occasions shewn in Supporting the Interest of your Country, even under the greatest Difficulties,

leave Me no Room to doubt of My having your entire and effectual Concurrence in every thing that can tend to the Service of the Publick, and to the Good of My People.

Madrid, Nov. 6, N. S. On the 31st past his Catholick Majesty was pleased to appoint Sig. Orendayn Secretary for the publick Revenues, which is one of the Places Sig. Montenegro held; and also confirmed the said Sig. Orendayn in the Employment of Secretary of State, to serve his Majesty in case of Illness or Absence of the Marquels de Grimaldo. The other Place of Sig. Montenegro, as Superintendant of the publick Revenues, was conferred on the 2d Instant upon the Marquels de Campo-Florido, who was also named President of the Council of Finances, in the Room of Don Juan Blasco Orosco, to whom his Majesty has given in lieu of the said Presidency, the Place of Counsellour in the Council of Castille. On the 2d Instant his Catholick Majesty dismissed the Marquels de Miraval, President of the Council of Castille, from that Employment, granting him however a Pension of 10000 Crowns a Year, with the Honour of the Title of Counsellour of State. And in his Room his Majesty has appointed, for the said Presidency, Don Juan de Herrera the present Bishop of Siguenza, who was High Chancellour of Milan, before that Country was separated from the Spanish Monarchy, and was afterwards for some Years Auditor of the Rota on the Part of Spain at Rome, from whence he came about two Years ago, and took Possession of the said Bishoprick. On the 3d Instant arrived here Sig. Canale, a Venetian Nobleman, who is to reside at this Court as Ambassadour from the Republick of Venice, in the Room of Sig. Bragadini, who designs to set out in a few Days on his Return to Venice.

Vitrualling-Office, Nov. 13, 1724.

The Commissioners for Vitrualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Friday the 4th of December next, in the Forenoon, they will be ready to receive Proposals and treat with such Persons as are inclineable to furnish Iron Hoops for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Notice is hereby given, That a Bank Note for Fifty Pounds, sent to a Director of the United East-India Company by a Person unknown, has been delivered to the Court of Directors, and by them paid into the Company's Cash.

A Meeting of Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament to amend the Road leading from the Stones-End at Southwark, to the Town of Sutton, in the County of Surrey, is appointed to be held on Saturday the 28th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Greyhound Inn in Sutton, in the said County of Surrey, for electing Trustees in the Room of those deceased, and some that have resigned their Trust, and for Dispatch of other Business.

The following ~~Eight~~ Persons are chosen Directors of the Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office for the Year ensuing; Mr. John Blencow, Mr. John Johnson, Mr. Edmund Ivenb, Mr. John Wyatt, Mr. Thomas Cradock, William Huck, Esq; Thomas Fett, Esq; Mr. Thomas Rycar. The Sixteen following are continued, Mr. John Applebee, Mr. Thomas Corbett, Col. Thomas Swales, Mr. Thomas Laddon, Capt. Thomas Jones, Mr. Thomas Jordan, Mr. William Mount, Mr. John Wells, Mr. Thomas Cuthbert, Col. John Ellis, Mr. William Ellwood, Mr. John Finkell, Mr. John Green, Mr. John Greenbill, Mr. John Meard, Mr. John

The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice, That they intend to Let by Lease the Place or Office of one of the fifteen Sea-Coal Meters of this City, vacant by the Death of Hugh Sweetapple, Esq; And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 25th Day of November Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's-Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.

*Advertisements.*

To be sold, four Mills at Bramley, in the County of Middlesex, late the Estate of John Cox and Edward Cleeve, late of London, Bankers and Partners, Bankrupts, Let by Lease at 400 l. per Annum, are to be sold by Case or Auction, to the highest Bidder, before the Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against the said Cox and Cleeve, on Wednesday the 16th Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London: Particulars thereof may be had at Mr. Bowler's, an Attorney in New Palace-Court in Cornhill.

To be Let, a large well built accustomed Pot-House, with all necessary Utensils fitted thereto, with a commodious Dwelling-House, known by the Name of the Hermitage Pot-House, being the late Mr. John Knight's, deceased, near the Hermitage Dock, very convenient for Water-Carriage.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Vendon, late of Queen-Street, London, Fruiterer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 19th and 26th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Richard Chafe, Attorney, in Brownlow-Street, Drury-Lane.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Richard Thorahill, of Gracechurch-Street, London, Broker and Stockjobber, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 20th and 27th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And 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 to give Notice to Mr. George Stone, Attorney, in Peachurch-Street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Joseph Riddle, of Denmark-Street, in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Apothecary, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 19th and 26th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And 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 to give Notice to Mr. Richard Chafe, Attorney, in Brownlow-Street, Drury-Lane.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edward Harries, late of Ludlow, in the County of Salop, Mercer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 21st and 28th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Crown Inn in Ludlow aforesaid; at the second of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edmund Bedell, of High-Holbourn, in the County of Middlesex, Coach and Coach Harness-maker, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 19th and

26th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Goods or Effects, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. John Metcalle, Attorney, in Wood-Street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edward Mortimer, of St. James Westminster, Brazer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 18th and 25th Instant, and on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Edward Benton, Attorney, in Shear-Lane, within Temple-Bar, London.

Pursuant to an Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt issued against Nathaniel Naylor, of London, Ho-lier, intend to meet on the 11th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; at which Time and Place the Assignees are to attend; and the Creditors of the said Naylor are also desired to be present; and they that have not proved their Debts are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Helsby, of Ormesbury, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Chapman, intend to meet on the 8th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Meryman, of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, in the County of Surrey, Wool-stapler, intend to meet on the 20th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jonathan Willoughby, of London, Hairdresser, intend to meet on the 30th of November Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Symes, late of Petticoat-Lane, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, intend to meet on the 14th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Nathaniel Carpenter, of London, Merchant, intend to meet at Guildhall, London, on the 27th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon; at which Time and Place the Creditors who have not proved their Debts may prove their Debts; and all the said Bankrupt's Creditors are desired and required then and there to attend to chuse new Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, one of the former Assignees being dead, and the others having petitioned the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain to be discharged, and obtained his Lordship's Order for that purpose.

Whereas Christopher Bray, of Holme, in the County of Huntington, Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, at Two in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Higbee, commonly called the Bell, in Stilton, in the County of Huntington aforesaid, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Thomas Doughty, of Swan-yard, in the Strand, in the County of Middlesex, Chapman, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice that he will attend the Commissioners on the 30th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

