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THE following humble Address of the High-Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Surrey, has been presented to His Majesty by the High Sheriff, and several other Gentlemen of that County, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Onslow Lord Lieutenant of the said County. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously, and conferred the Honour of Knighthood on Thomas Stevens, Esq; the High-Sheriff.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High-Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Surrey, met at Guildford, at the Assizes there holden for the said County.

WHEN we your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects reflect upon the many Blessings we enjoy under your glorious and wise Administration, we cannot sufficiently express our unfeigned Thanks for the same.

Neither can we, without Indignation, see one Prince (from whom better Returns might have been expected) invading the most valuable Branches of the Trade of this Nation, and another endeavouring to wrest out of your Majesty's Hand the strong Fortresses of Gibraltar and Port Mahon, confirmed by solemn Treaties, when gained by the victorious Arms of Great Britain, the only Part of the Conquest reserved to themselves, after a long, bloody, and successful War.

We also beg Leave to express our utmost Detestation of the Pretender, his Adherents and Abettors, and well hope, no Infatuation can ever so far befall this People and Nation, as to exchange for Tyranny, Popery, and Slavery, those most valuable Blessings the true Reform'd Religion and English Liberties, which we now enjoy.

Next to the Providence of God, we rely on your Majesty for Safety and Protection, and doubt not but by the Force of your Arms and the Wisdom of your Council, those Disturbers of the Peace, and Liberties of Europe, will soon be brought to Reason, which shall always be the hearty Prayers and Wishes of,

Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following humble Address of the Lord-Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Bedford, has been presented to His Majesty by Theophilus Dillingham, Esq; High-Sheriff, and Sir Rowland Alston, Bart. one of their Representatives in Parliament, and others, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Kent, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bedford. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

The humble Address of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Bedford.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WHILST your Majesty's Subjects are contending with each other who shall best express their Gratitude for your paternal Care of your People, permit us, Great Sir, to joyn with them in our unfeigned Acknowledgments of that Duty which we owe to your Majesty for your gracious Protection of us from our Enemies. The daily Instances your Majesty gives of the tender Regard for the Welfare and Prosperity of these Dominions, afford no small Advantage to those who are late in addressing your Majesty, by continually supplying them with fresh Arguments of Praise and Affection for your sacred Person: Your Majesty's Sagacity in discovering, and Vigour in preventing the treacherous Designs of your Enemies, must excite in us the highest Notions of your Wisdom and Prudence, especially when we consider that the Storm that threatened

threatned us arose from a Quarter from which it was least to be expected; for who could have imagined that a Prince, who owes his Crown and Dominions to the Arms and Assistance of Britain, should turn that Power which they bestowed upon him, against his Benefactors, and on a sudden combine with his most inveterate Enemy, and secretly enter into Measures with him to destroy the Trade of your Subjects Abroad, their great Support? But what raises the utmost Indignation in us, is, their Design of dethroning your Majesty, and placing in your room an abjured and abhorred Pretender, to the utter Subversion of these your Protestant Kingdoms; a fruitless Attempt, and a signal Mark of their Ignorance of the Blessings we enjoy under the happy Influence of your Majesty's Government. No, a long Experience of your Majesty's Care and Tenderness of your People, has established such an Union between you and them, that no Stratagem of those combining Powers, or artful Misrepresentations of your Majesty's Conduct, can dissolve. And we humbly beg Leave faithfully to assure your Majesty of your sincere Zeal and hearty Concurrence with your other Subjects, to vindicate your Honour; and that, as it is our Duty as well as Interest, we are determined to second your Majesty's noble Designs of securing and confirming to us and our Posterity, our Liberties at Home and Privileges Abroad, against the Encroachments of our Enemies, attempted by the Violation of the most solemn Treaties.

That God may bless these Kingdoms with a long Continuance of your Majesty's Reign over us, and deliver down to Posterity the same Blessings by the Succession of your Royal Progeny, are the constant Prayers of your most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and Gentlemen of the County of Cumberland, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Morpeth, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Bart. Gilfred Lawson, Esq; Knight of the Shire, and James Lowther, Esq; introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and Gentlemen of the County of Cumberland, assembled at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held at the City of Carlisle for the said County, the 12th Day of April 1727.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE do with the greatest Satisfaction and Readiness embrace this first Opportunity of our publick meeting together, to assure your Majesty of the utmost Efforts we

are able to make by our Persons or Fortunes in this surprizing Conjunction, when not only our Trade and Commerce, but what is highly more dear and valuable to us, your Majesty's Government itself is struck at, by the projected Schemes of some united Powers abroad, to place a Pretender upon your Throne, contrary to their solemn Treaties and Engagements, and contrary (with respect to one of them) to all Gratitude for the highest of Obligations: But we entirely depend on a happy Event of all Dangers we are threatned with, from the timely and unanimous Assistance of a good Parliament, a wise and able Council, a faithful and indefatigable Ministry, your Majesty's own penetrating Judgment, and a Blessing of the Divine Providence upon them all, which has hitherto, in so many signal Instances, crown'd with Success your Majesty's Affairs.

That your Majesty's Royal Issue and Posterity may always succeed to fill your Throne, and that your Majesty may late change the Crown you now wear here with so much Glory, for one eternal in Heaven, is the most ardent Prayer of,

May it please your Majesty,
Your Majesty's truly loyal
and most dutiful Subjects.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, Clergy, and other Gentlemen of the County of Stafford, has been presented to His Majesty by Richard Chanaler, Esq; introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Townshend one of His Majesty's principal Secretaries of State. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, Clergy, and other Gentlemen of the County of Stafford, assembled at the Assizes held at Stafford for the said County, the 28th Day of March, 1727, in the 13th Year of your Majesty's Reign.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

AS the Security and Preservation of our Religion, Laws, Liberty and Trade, next under the Almighty God, depend upon your Majesty's wise and legal Administration, we cannot but esteem every Attempt made against your sacred Majesty, your Crown and Honour, any other than the highest Affront to the British Nation, which ought to be, and we hope is resented by your whole People, especially if they consider, that under your Majesty's Protection they enjoy the invaluable Blessings of the Protestant Religion, the being governed by just Laws which we all consent to, the glorious Liberty and Freedom which no other Nation now enjoys, and the justly valued Benefit of Trade and Commerce.

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If your Sacred Majesty, in pursuit of these great and glorious Views, has cross'd the Designs of other Princes, who envy our Happiness and fear our Greatness, we, as in Duty and Gratitude obliged, beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that nothing shall be wanting on our Part to defend and support your sacred Majesty, your Heirs and Successors, upon whom the Crown is legally and rightfully settled by Act of Parliament, (under whom alone this Protestant Nation can be happy) against all the secret and open Attempts of your Majesty's and the Nation's Enemies.

It is with the greatest Indignation and Resentment that we see one Prince, who owes the very Crown he wears, (next under God) to the Conduct of our late invincible General, and the Courage of our Armies, endeavouring to injure us in our Trade, and pursuing Measures to do us Mischief, to whom alone he is indebted for now having the Power to act any considerable Part in the Affairs of Europe: And it is with equal Concern that we find another Prince attempting to take from the Crown of Great Britain the Town of Gibraltar, the Security of our Trade into the Mediterranean, won by our Arms, and yielded to us by the most solemn Treaties.

That your Majesty's Reign may be very long, because it must be happy to us and the whole Nation, is the Prayer of,

Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff and Justices of the Peace of the County of Denbigh, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Cholmondeley Lord-Lieutenant of North-Wales. Which Address His Majesty was pleas'd to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff and Justices of the Peace of the County of Denbigh, at the General Quarter Sessions held at Wrexham, this Eleventh Day of April, 1727.

WE the High Sheriff and Justices of the Peace of the County of Denbigh, do humbly crave your Royal Permission to address your Majesty with an Assurance of our firm and steady Loyalty to your Majesty, your Heirs and Successors in the Protestant Line; and being all Members of the established Church of England, of which your Majesty is the great Defender, we are bound by Principle as well as Inclination and Gratitude; always to support your Majesty to the utmost of our Power against all your Enemies, whom we cannot look upon in any other View than Enemies to ourselves and Country.

It is with Concern that we behold your Majesty's pacifick Measures disturbed at present by foreign Attempts and Insults; but when we consider your Majesty's consummate Wisdom, the Strength of your Alliances, the uncommon Numbers and Force of your Fleets and Armies, and above all, the loyal Hearts of your Subjects, we cannot doubt of seeing your Majesty soon triumph in Peace and Prosperity; to the compassing of which happy End, we shall neither cease our Prayers, nor grudge our Fortunes, being fully convinced, that your Majesty's Honour and Happiness, and our Religion and Civil Rights, are so united, that no Hostilities can be offered to your Majesty by any Power whatsoever, but must be sensibly felt by every true Briton.

The following humble Address of the Custos Rotulorum, the Representatives in Parliament, Justices of the Peace, the Gentry, and other Inhabitants of the City of Peterborough in the County of Northampton, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl Fitzwilliam and the Honourable Sidney Wortley, Esq; their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Lincoln. Which Address His Majesty was pleas'd to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Custos Rotulorum, the Representatives in Parliament, Justices of the Peace, the Gentry, and other Inhabitants of the City of Peterborough, in the County of Northampton.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to express our glad and grateful Sense of the Peace and Happiness we have abundantly enjoy'd under your Majesty's auspicious Government, and the wise and legal Administration of it; and though the Continuance of that Peace and Tranquility (if consistent with the publick Honour and Safety of your Kingdoms) would have been a valuable Blessing to us and our well affected Fellow-Subjects, yet we are entirely satisfied in your Royal Wisdom of discerning and vigorously defending your own Honour, the common Interest of your People, the Preservation and Improvement of our Trade and Commerce, the Support of a Balance of Power in Europe, and above all, the Security of our Civil Rights and Liberties, and Protestant Religion in our Church, as by Law established: All which Enjoyments, peculiar to this Nation, might have been hazarded, if not betrayed and lost, if any foreign Power should be fatally permitted to succeed in any pernicious Schemes and Attempts to interrupt the Prosperity of your Reign, and to raise the vain Hopes of obtruding a Popish Pretender upon your rightful Throne. We abhor

abhor and despise such impotent Malice, and resolve, with our utmost Endeavours, to assist your Majesty in asserting and promoting the Glory of your Reign, and the Settlement of the Protestant Succession in your own Royal Family.

And therefore whatever Measures your Majesty, with the Advice of your Great Council in Parliament, shall think fit and proper to be taken at this Juncture to suppress the Violence of haughty and imperious Powers Abroad, we shall heartily endeavour to keep Peace and Contentment at Home, and shall pray for the Divine Blessing on the Arms of your Majesty and your Allies, to reduce all exorbitant Power, and soon to restore the Repose of Europe.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, and other Gentlemen of the County of Carnarvon, has been presented to His Majesty by John Griffith and Thomas Wynn, Esqrs, Members of Parliament for the County of Carnarvon, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Cholmondeley Lord-Lieutenant of North-Wales. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, and other Gentlemen of the County of Carnarvon, at the great Sessions held at Conway, April 4, 1727.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, being truly affected with the Sense of the many Blessings which we do enjoy under your Majesty's most just and happy Government, beg Leave upon this Occasion to return our sincere Thanks to your most gracious Majesty for the great Care and vigilant Concern for the Peace and Liberties of Europe, and more especially for defending the Rights and Interest of your British People.

We are truly sensible of the Necessity and Justice of those wise Measures your Majesty has taken to prevent (if possible) a War, or to make it successful, and, under God, we doubt not of the utter Disappointment of those Powers, who in Breach of solemn Treaties have invaded our Rights, and disturbed the Tranquility of Europe.

As we know too well, that a Popish King must be the greatest Punishment to these your Kingdoms, so we esteem the Protestant Succession in your Royal Family to be the most valuable Blessing we can enjoy and secure to our Posterity.

May your Majesty's wise Counsels be still employed for the Safety of all your People,

and may your Royal Majesty live long to be the Guardian and Protector of all our Rights, Liberties and Properties, are the hearty Prayers of, &c.

The following humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and other principal Inhabitants of His Majesty's Ancient Corporation and Town and County of Haverford-West, has been presented to His Majesty by Erasmus Philipps, Esq; their Representative in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Townshend one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and other Principal Inhabitants of your Majesty's Ancient Corporation and Town and County of Haverford-West.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WHEN we reflect on your Majesty's princely Care and Vigilance in discovering to your People the Methods your Enemies take, by entering into Measures to disturb your Royal Quiet; and when we consider the many Blessings we have long enjoyed, and hope long to enjoy, under your Majesty's most just and gracious Government, we cannot but beg Leave to give your Majesty fresh Assurances of our Loyalty on all Occasions, and that we shall, as far as lies in our Power, contribute towards supporting your Majesty and your Royal Family against all Persons whatsoever, as well in your rightful and just Possession of the Crown, as in the Preservation of those Places, which, we hope, may prove standing Monuments of the Success of the Arms of Great Britain.

And as the Welfare of this Nation consists very much in the Extent of its Commerce and Trade, so we do not in the least doubt but your Majesty will take such Measures as may protect it in all its Branches, that those Persons who are emulous of its Glory, may never have it in their Power to disturb the same.

We have a just Abhorrence of the personal Affront offered lately to your most sacred Majesty in a Memorial, presented in a very uncommon Manner, filled with Invectives only to create Jealousies in the Minds of your Majesty's Subjects. But that all such Attempts may prove Abortive, and that your Majesty may long live to possess the Hearts of all your People, is the sincere Desire of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most dutiful, most obedient, and most faithful Subjects

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The following humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, and Justices in Sessions assembled, together with the Aldermen, Capital Burgesses, and Inhabitants of the Ancient Borough of Stafford, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Cherwynd, one of their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Townshend one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and Justices in Sessions assembled, together with the Aldermen, Capital Burgesses, and Inhabitants of your Ancient Borough of Stafford, humbly crave Leave to assure your Majesty, that we have a very just Abhorrence of the Treatment your Majesty's prudent Measures for the Tranquility of Europe have met with from the Powers Abroad, engaged by their own ambitious Views to disturb that Tranquility: The late Memorial presented to your Majesty by M. Palm, is what no true Briton can look upon but with the utmost Disdain, as an Imperial Libel; but the Decretal presented at the Dyet of Ratisbon, since that Memorial, can meet with nothing but the utmost Detestation; to accuse your Majesty as guilty of Arts to delude your People, in order to ambitious Purposes, must be abhorred by all Mankind, who can have had any the least Knowledge of your Majesty's Person or Government. And we a Part of those under the immediate Care of your Majesty in this Kingdom, cannot but take the most publick Way we are capable of, to assure your Majesty of our Readiness and Zeal to sacrifice all that is dear to us in Support of your Majesty's just Right to reign over us, and till your Majesty shall have received ample Satisfaction for the vilest of Slanders and Calumnies with which your Majesty and your Government have been most maliciously and scandalously aspersed. We therefore must beg Leave to joyn with the rest of your Majesty's loyal Subjects, in assuring your Majesty, that we shall always be ready to support and assist your Majesty and your Royal Issue against all your Enemies both at Home and Abroad. Dated at Stafford the 10th Day of April, Anno Dom. 1727.

The following humble Address of the Mayor, and Burgesses of the Ancient Corporation of Lymington, has been presented to His Majesty by Sir Gilbert Heathcote, Kt. Paul Burrard, Esq; Representatives of the said Borough in Parliament, the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet, and others (Members of the same) introduced by his Grace the Duke of Bolton, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton. Which Ad-

dress His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, and Burgesses of your Ancient Corporation of Lymington.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

PERmit us to make this Tender of our Duties; it is impossible for us to pass over in Silence the Indignity of a late Memorial, so justly and so generally resented: But when a Prince can so easily dispense with publick Faith and personal Obligations, as to sacrifice both to Prejudice or Interest, 'tis no wonder he hath changed his Style with his Sentiments: On the other Hand, 'tis your Majesty's Glory to see your Treaties maintain'd, the Rights of Trade and the Peace of Europe preserved, by shewing your Resentment where either shall be invaded; and when your Enemies object it as a Crime to send out your Fleets, they forget that the Offence is in themselves who gave the Occasion. But whilst you are thus defending the just Cause of Liberty and Honour, to be threatened with the Pretender, the Insult's insufferable; yet rather from the Indignity than the Danger, since he that wishes well to his Country, must know that the Safety of it depends upon the Support of your undoubted Title to the Crown of these Realms, which, after your long and happy Enjoyment, may God preserve to your latest Posterity.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Justices of the Peace, and Gentlemen Freeholders of the County of Kilkenny, has been presented to His Majesty by his Excellency the Lord Carteret Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Justices of the Peace, and Gentlemen Freeholders of the County of Kilkenny, at an Assizes held for the said County the 18th Day of March 1726.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

IT is with the greatest Concern we now see the Peace of Europe disturbed, that we so long, under your Majesty's Reign, enjoyed in the greatest Tranquility; but since we plainly see your Majesty has upon all Occasions endeavoured (and with the greatest Success) to bless us with the Continuance of it hitherto, and that your Majesty is now likely to be forced by the Infidelity and Ingratitude of foreign Powers into a War, which we make no Doubt, under your wise Counsels at Home and experienced Generals Abroad



will prove both Honourable and Successful. We therefore beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we will be always ready to hazard our Lives and Fortunes in Defence of your Royal Person, Family and Government, against the Pretender and all your Majesty's Enemies at Home and Abroad.

The following humble Address of the Bishop, Deans and Chapters, and the rest of the Clergy of the Dioceses of Ferns and Leighlin, in the Kingdom of Ireland, has been presented to His Majesty by his Excellency the Lord Carteret Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bishop, Deans and Chapters, and the rest of the Clergy of the Dioceses of Ferns and Leighlin, in the Kingdom of Ireland, assembled at their ordinary Visitations.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, being truly sensible of the many Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's happy Reign, humbly beg Leave at this Time to declare our firm and unalterable Fidelity to your sacred Person and Government, and our sincere Attachment to your illustrious House.

After the surest Experience of your Majesty's affectionate Concern for the Welfare of your People, and of the Protection and Countenance you have given to the Protestant Interest, and to the Church as by Law established in this Kingdom, it is impossible for us not to be alarmed at every Appearance that may threaten to deprive us of these invaluable Blessings.

We behold with the highest Satisfaction that Noble and truly British Spirit, that has so seasonably revived in all Parts of your Dominions, upon the Discovery made, thro' the Vigilance of your Majesty and your Ministers, of a Secret Alliance formed abroad for invading your Kingdoms, and placing a Popish Pretender on your Majesty's Throne. And we have a particular Pleasure in observing that this Spirit has been raised by those very Artifices, which, through the ill Judgment of your Majesty's Enemies, were calculated to produce a contrary Effect on the Minds of your People.

The wife and virtuous Part of Mankind must ever detest those dishonourable and ungrateful Attempts made by Powers once in Alliance with your Majesty, and who owe the quiet Possession of their Crowns to the Assistance of the Crown of Great Britain.

As we could not sit still, and forbear to

express the warmest Sentiments of Affection and Duty to your Majesty, at a Juncture like this, so we do assure your Majesty, that we will with Zeal and Assiduity insil the same into the Hearts of the People respectively committed to our Charge.

And as we are not less by Inclination than Duty bound, we will not fail to offer up our fervent Prayers to Heaven for the Preservation of your Majesty's Person, the Felicity of your Government, and the Victory of your Arms.

Lisbon, April 21, N. S. The 15th Instant arrived here the Marquês de los Balbâses, Ambassadour Extraordinary from his Catholick Majesty to this Court. He was received at the Water-side and conducted to his House by the Conde d'Ovidos, who was, by the King of Portugal deputed for that Purpose. The 17th the said Ambassadour visited the Secretary of State, and the Day after had a private Audience of their Portuguese Majesties. The 17th Instant sailed from hence Nossa Senhora de Livramento, a Portuguese Man of War bound for Goa. M. Cuides, his Portuguese Majesty's Envoy at the Court of Madrid, being recalled; is expected here the End of next Week. On the 12th and 13th Instant arrived here the Ship Fisher Thomas Gates Master, and the Betty Galley commanded by James Norcom, each in three Days from Gibraltar. The Masters report, that on the 7th Instant the Torbay Man of War arrived there, with all the Transports and Store-Ships under her Convoy; that the Soldiers were all landed, and they were using the utmost Expedition in getting ashore the Artillery and Stores: That Sir Charles Wager was there, with his Squadron, except only two Sixty Gun Ships which were left to cruize off Cadiz; that all the Third Rates were taking in their Water in Hastè, the Admiral intending to hoist his Flag on board the Torbay, and return to Sea on the 11th Instant; leaving four Fifty Gun Ships in the Bay, and two Sixth Rates on the Back of the Mountain, for the Assistance of the Garrison, and for preventing all Communication with the Spanish Army by Water. When these Masters came away, they had lost but 14 Men in the Place.

Whereas on the 10th Day of April Instant, a Robbery and barbarous Murder was committed on the Body of Widdrington Darby, Son of Richard Darby, Esq; Secondary to Sir George Cooke, Chief Prothonotary of His Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at his the said Sir George Cooke's Office in Hare-Court in the Inner-Temple: This is to give Notice, that whoever shall discover the Person or Persons who committed the same, or were concerned therein, so as he she or they be convicted thereof, shall upon such Conviction receive a Reward of

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One Hundred Pounds from the Society of the Inner-Temple aforesaid, to be paid by the Under Treasurer of the said Society, over and besides the Reward of One Hundred Pounds promised by the said Sir George Cooke, and the said Mr. Darby, published in the London Gazette on the 15th Day of this Instant April, wherein is also published His Majesty's most gracious Pardon, as is therein expressed.

Whereas at the Meeting which was appointed to be held at the Sign of the Bull in Putney on the 24th of April Instant, by the Trustees for building a Bridge across the River of Thames, there did not appear a sufficient Number to adjourn: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament, that the said Trustees are desired and appointed to meet at the Horn Tavern in the New Palace-Yard, Westminster, on Monday the 15th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

John Eden.

The Society of London for the Irish Plantation do hereby give Notice, That they intend to meet at the Irish Chamber, Guildhall, London, on Thursday the 27th of July next, at Four in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals in Writing, sealed up, for Letting by Lease from Lady-Day 1728, the four Quarterlands of Moleman, Ballyowgry, Termabacco, and Ballynegowan, within the Liberties of the City of Londonderry in Ireland, and the Mill, &c. on Termabacco; whereof further Particulars and Information may be had of James Brace, their Secretary, at the Irish Chamber aforesaid, or in St. Lawrence-Lane, London.

The Committee for Letting the Bridgehouse Lands give Notice, That they intend to Let by Lease one Messuage fronting London-Wall, and eleven other Messuages or Tenements behind the same, in the Parish of Alhallowes the Wall, London, called Maidenhead-Court, in the Possessions of John Archer, John Avis, Thomas Benning, John Unick, Widow Robison, John Pattison, Widow Passmore, Nathaniel Woodland, Edward Lightfoot, Jane Wisse, ——— Price, and John Prischer: And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 3d Day of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same severally; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Bridgehouse, Southwark.

Advertisements.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before James Lightboun, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, the Mannor of Mutchelny, in the County of Somerset, with its Rights, Members and Appurtenances, consisting of 68 Tenements, and near 1300 Acres of good Meadow Arable and Pasture as in the said County, within eight Miles of Bridgewater, from Taunton and Sherborne about ten Miles, three Miles from Sommerton, and about 20 from Bath. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, in a Cause wherein Robert Watson and others, Creditors of Francis Pitt, late of Wakefield, in the County of York, Cloth-Dresser, deceased, are Plaintiffs, and Anna Pitt and others are Defendants, the Creditors of the said Francis Pitt are to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-lane, on or before the 20th of June next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be summarily sold, pursuant to a Decree in the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on the 5th Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, at the said Master's Chambers, the several Estates of Sir James Lumley, Bart. in the County of Essex, as follows, viz. The great Tythes of Great Bardfield, and several Farms in Great Bardfield, Saleing, Finchingfield, Shalford and Hempsted, of the yearly Value of 894 l. 11 s. 6 d. and the Mannor of Westhouse, and the

Farms in Great and Little Berstead, Tythe free, lett at the yearly Rent of 175 l. and the Reversion after the Decease of Dame Elizabeth Lumley, of the great Tythes and Glebe in Shalford, and several Farms in the Parish of Shalford and Saleing, in the said County of Essex, amounting to the yearly Value of 305 l. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symond's-Inn. NB. The Farms are in good Repair, and the Rents improveable.

TO be sold by Decree of the High Court of Chancery before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, the Mannors of Gawfworth, Bosely, Siddington, Aldford and Churton, in the County Palatine of Chester, the Advowsons of Gawfworth and Aldford, and the Mannor-Houfe and Park of Gawfworth, the Estate of the late Lady Mohun, Part whereof Lett out upon Lives, whereon are reserved the present yearly Rent of 2047 l. clear of all Taxes and Deductions, besides the Reversion on the Death of the Lives. The other Part lett at 200 l. per Annum, in which the Landlord allows the King's Tax. Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symond's-Inn.

TO be sold, the Mannor and Estate of Eggleston, in Teafdale, in the County of Durham, without four Miles of Barnard-Castle, of the clear yearly Value of 316 l. to which belongs very large Commons, wherein are Mines of Lead and Coal. Also a very good and well situate Scar-Houfe on the Estate. Enquire of Mr. George Wilson, at Symond's-Inn, London, or Mr. John Airey, Attorney at Law, in Newcastle upon Tyne, who have Power to sell the same.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of John Knight, late of Somerton, in the County of Somerset, Mercer, deceased, that they are to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Elde, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, in Chancery-lane, London, before the End of Trinity Term next, or that otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Whereas William Tate, of Thames-street, London, Brewer, and John Brown, of Queenhith, London, Meal Factor, are appointed Assignees of the Estate and Effects of John Whitehead, late of Trinity-Lane, near Queenhith, London, Victualler and Carman, a Bankrupt; These are to give Notice to all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said Bankrupt, or have any Effects of his in their Hands, that they forthwith pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or they will be sued. And all Persons who shall discover any of the Estate, Debts or Effects of the said Bankrupt now concealed, shall receive from the said Assignees after the Rate of Ten Pounds per Cent for all Monies that shall be recovered and received by virtue of such Discovery.

Whereas the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt issued against Thomas Evans, late of Tower-street, London, Merchant, have made an Assignment of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to Robert Cary, of Watling-street, London, Merchant, and Francis Willis, of Coleman-street, London, also Merchant: This is to give Notice to all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the abovesaid Assignees, or they will be sued by Mr. Humphry Ambler, Attorney, in Breems-Buildings in Chancery-lane.

Whereas the Estate and Effects of Richard Farmer, of Widgegate street, near Bishopsgate-street Without, Threadman, having been assigned to Messieurs Joshua Taylor, and John Van Rixtell, for the Payment of his Debts, the Creditors of the said Richard Farmer are desired to meet on the 15th of May next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Salutation Tavern in Budge-row, in order to receive a Dividend of the said Farmer's Estate, in Proportion to their Debts, due Proof whereof by Affidavit they are required to bring with them.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Andrew Endeup, of St. John Wapping, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, deceased: This is to give Notice to all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate, or that have any of his Goods or Effects in their Hands, forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Harnan Poblman, of Marine-Square, near Ratcliff Highway, Middlesex, Merchant, who is chosen Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, in the Stead of Thomas Evans, late of Tower-street, London, Merchant, the former Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate, or they will be sued by Mr. Humphry Ambler, Attorney, in Breems-Buildings, Chancery-lane.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Crosby, of the Parish of St. George Southwark, in the County of Surrey, Saltcr, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 5th, 12th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitzings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their

their Debts, pay Contribution Money, and chuse Assignees. 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. Nathaniel Cole, Attorney, in East-Abbey-street London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Hembly, of the City of Norwich, Woollen-Weaver, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 8th, 18th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of Edward Mayes, called the Goat and Kid Tavern in Norwich aforesaid; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Moore, of the Parish of St. John Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Pawnbroker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 4th, 11th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings 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 desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Henry Mathews, Attorney, in Gutter-lane, near Cheap-side, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Hopkins, of Thames-street, London, Orange-Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 5th, 12th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Effects of his in their Hands, are to give Notice thereof to Mr. Henry Stanyford, Attorney at Law, in Fenchurch-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Maddy, late of Crown Court, in Cheap-side, London, Broker, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 4th, 11th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings 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 desired to give Notice thereof to Mess. Brackstone and Morse, Attorneys, in Watling-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Barnard White, of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 3d, 9th and 29th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings 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 desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Richard Boulton, Attorney, in the Poultry, London.

WHEREAS John Beaumont, late of St. Alban's, in the County of Hertford, Brewer, but now of St. George the Martyr, in the County of Middlesex, Distiller, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 15th of May next, 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 object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate, in order for his Discharge.

WHEREAS George Laytham, of Bell-yard, in Gracechurch-street, London, Victualler, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 18th of May next, 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 assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Denton, late of Basinghall-street, Lon-

don, Blackwell-Hall-Fletcher, intend to meet on the 24th of May 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 Henry Crowther, late of Tetbury, in the County of Gloucester, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th Day of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 2d 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.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against James Smallwood, of Long-lane, London, Hefier, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, met at Guildhall, London, the 22d of March last, but no Creditors then appeared: This is to give Notice, that the said Commissioners intend to meet at Guildhall aforesaid, on the 23d of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, in order to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where such Creditors that have not proved their Debts, and paid Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit thereof.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Heyes, of Stratford, in the County of Essex, Brewer, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Heyes 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Glover, Jun. of Canomile-street, London, Coach-maker, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the Henry Glover, Jun. 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Smeaton, of the City of York, Baker, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Smeaton hath in all Things conformed themselves according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Whitton, of Al-lens-street, in the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Butcher, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Robert Whitton 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Spencer, of the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Millwright, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Robert Spencer 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of May next.