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AT the Court at St. James's the 23d Day of December 1731.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to appoint the following Sheriffs, viz.

Cumberland, Edward Stanley of Pousonby, Esq;
Devon, Sir Thomas Carew, Bart.
Derby, John Fletcher, Esq;
Essex, Samuel Feake, Esq;
Gloucester, Robert Marten of Pebworth, Esq;
Hertford, Thomas Wootton, Esq;
Lincoln, Thomas Dallison, Esq;
Oxon, Henry Smith of Caversham, Esq;
Somerset, John Prockter of Riston, Esq;
Worcester, John Soley of Sambourne, Esq;

S O U T H - W A L E S.

Brecon, Penry Williams, Esq;
Carmarthen, Morgan Lloyd of Lanfevin, Esq;
Pembroke, John Allen of Jestreston, Esq;

N O R T H - W A L E S.

Montgomery, Richard Jones of Trelludan, Esq;

Hague, Jan. 1, N. S. The East India Goods brought from Hambourg in two Boats called Bilanders, and seized at Amsterdam, have been confiscated. Yesterday Count Sinzendorff had a Conference with the States Deputies, upon the Contents of Dispatches which he has received by an Exprez from Vienna; and upon the Report made by those Deputies of that Conference, the States of the Province of Holland are summoned to meet on the 9th Instant.

St. James's, December 23.

This Day Hadgee Mahomet Said, and Hadgee Ali, sent to His Majesty from the Dey of Algiers, had their first private Audience of His Majesty; to which they were introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Harrington one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

They were afterwards introduced to a private Audience of the Queen, in Her Majesty's Apartment, by the Right Honourable the Earl of Grantham Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, December 24.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto Samuel Green, Master of Arts, the Place and Dignity of a Prebendary of the Cathedral Church of Worcester, void by the Resignation of George Lavington, Bachelor of Laws.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto James Bruce, Esq; the Office of Master and Worker of His Majesty's Mint at Edinburgh, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, in the Room of John Montgomery, Esq; deceased.

Whitehall, Dec. 23. 1731.

Whereas an anonymous Letter directed to my Lord Warden at Mr. Patche's, was on the 4th Day of December Instant dropt at the Bar of the Rose and Crown at Saffron Walden in Essex, demanding Money, and that his Lordship, and his Father (the Earl of Suffolk) should turn away some Persons employ'd by them, and threaten, that in case it were not complied with, their Lordships Estate should be burnt to Ashes: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so heinous an Offence, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardou to any one of them, that shall discover his Accomplices or Accomplices who wrote the said Letter, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HARRINGTON.

And as a further Encouragement, the Right Hon. the Earl of Suffolk does hereby promise a Reward of Forty Pounds to any one of them, or to any other Person or Persons, who shall make such Discovery as aforesaid, (over and above any Reward to which they may be any other Way entitled) to be paid upon Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Suffolk.

Royal Society House in Crane-Court, Fleet-Street, December 23. 1731.

Whereas many Paragraphs have been of late inserted in the Daily Post, pretending to give an Account from Time to Time of the Proceedings of the Royal Society, at their usual Meetings in Crane-Court, which are contrived by the Author without any View or Regard to Truth, and merely for the sake of spreading Defamation and Slander. And whereas it is insinuated in the Daily Post of December 11, 1731, that the Intelligence concerning these Matters is received from a Member of the Royal Society. And inasmuch as S. Nevill, the pretended Printer of the said Daily Post, is a Person, who upon Enquiry is not to be met with, (that he may be brought to answer to such Things as may be laid to his Charge. In order therefore to prevent the Continuance of these Abuses and Impositions on the Publick, so far as it lies within the Power of the Royal Society to prevent the same; these are to give Notice, That whoever shall discover any Member or Members of the Royal Society of London for Improving Natural Knowledge to be the Author or Authors of the pretended Accounts of the Proceedings of the Royal Society printed in the Daily Post of December 11, 1731, or of those in the Daily Posts of the 6th and of the 20th of March last, or of any other such false, scandalous and defamatory Account of the Royal Society's Proceedings published in the said Paper; such Person upon making full Proof thereof before the Council of the Royal Society, at any of their Meetings, at their House in Crane-Court, shall receive the Reward of Forty Pounds from the Treasurer of the Royal Society: And whoever shall discover the real Printer of any of the said Papers, and make full Proof thereof as aforesaid, shall receive the Reward of Twenty Pounds, to be paid likewise by the Treasurer of the said Society.

By Order of the President, Council, and Fellows of the Royal Society of London, for Improving Natural Knowledge.

J. Machin, Secr. R. S.

Dec. 24, 1731.

These are, by Order of the Rt. Hon. my Lords and others Commissioners for the Affairs of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, to give Notice, That all Out-Pensioners (as well Lettermen as others) belonging to the said Hospital, residing in London, or within 20 Miles thereof, are required to appear personally at the Secretary's Office in the said Hospital, Regimentally, on the respective Days appointed for them as are hereafter mentioned, when Attendance will be given on those Days, from Eight of the Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon.

order to register their Appearance, viz. On Tuesday the 4th of January next, the Pensioners from the 1st, 2d, 3d, and 4th Troop of Guards, the Royal Regiment, and 1st Troop of Grenadiers. On Wednesday the 5th, the Pensioners from the 2d Troop of Grenadiers, Cobham's late Lumley's, Argyll's late Pitt's, Wade's late Windsor's Horse, Thursday the 6th, the Pensioners from the following Regiments, Warring's, Napier's late Kellum's, Sibourg's, Devonport's, Carroll's, Gore's late Strafford's, Carpenter's, Evans's Dragoons, Campbell's late Portmore's, Rojs's, Stair's late Echlyn's Pepper's, Lepell's, Stanhope's, Kerr's, Lebouchetier's, Pearce's, Foisack's, Withers's. On Friday the 7th, the Pensioners from the 1st Regiment of Foot Guards. On Tuesday the 11th, the Pensioners from the 2d Regiment of Foot Guards. On Wednesday the 12th, the Pensioners from the 3d Regiment of Foot Guards. On Thursday the 13th, the Pensioners from Orkney's, Kirk's, Tatton's late Will's late Forfar's, Cadogan's late Seymour's, Tyrwaley's, Webb's, Stewart's, Brigadier Groves's late North and Gray's. On Friday the 14th, the Pensioners from Montagu's late Hill's, Phillips's, Barrymore's, Clayton's late Tidcomb's, Borr's, Harrison's late Hertford's, Goring's, Delorain's late Irwin's, Wightman's, Sir James Wood's formerly Orvery's, the Scotch Fusiliers. On Tuesday the 18th, the Pensioners from Cosby's late Stearn's, Murray's late Meredish's, Coll Grove's late Sutton's, Hamdalsyde's, Sabin's, Howard's late Primrose's, Middleton's late Shannon's, Wheelman's, Anstruther's late Preston's, Harrison's late Southwell's. On Wednesday the 19th, the Pensioners from Pearce's Foot, Montjoy's, Disney's, Cha. Orway's late Gorge's, Windsor's Foot, Newton's late Sankey's, Ker's late Farrington's, Mordaunt's Windress's, Wade's Foot, Corbet's, Hay's late Chudleigh's, Dormer's, Egerton's late Newton's, Grant's. Thursday the 20th, the Pensioners from Deigh's, Bowles's, Pocock's, Molefworth's, Elyott's, Evan's Foot, Rooke's, Franks's, William Stanhope's, Edward Stanhope's, Montandre's, Creighton's, Kane's, Wynn's, Butler's, Alexander's, Rich's, Hotham's, Kerr's late Regiment, Stanwix's, Gore's Foot, Munden's, Clayton's late Honeywood's. Friday the 21st, the Pensioners from Tyrrell's, Dubourgay's, Price's, Feilding's, Jones's, Lucas's, Argyll's Foot, Buchanan's, Blosset's, Lomolmier's, Barrell's, Gallaway's, Churchill's Regiment, Col's, Tchoorn's, Nassau's, Stratdnaver's, Bolton's, Belcastle's, Honeywood's, Calmot's, Denbigh's, Lord Mark Kerr's late Cotton's, Fatt's, Collumbne's, Montagu's, Sir James Wood's, Maccartney's, Rantzau's, several Independent Companies, dismissed but readmitted, Cunningham's, Lano's, Douglass's, Bisset's, Reduced Out-Pensioners, Reduced at Chester, Irish Establishment, House, Bettesworth's Company, Bruce's Company, Bristol's Company, Carwarden's Company, Churchill's Company, Doyle's Company, Green's Company, Gunn's Company, Lambert's Company, Mowatt's Company, Plucknet's Company, Webb's Company, Winstley's Company. Tuesday the 25th, the Lettermen and Men at Nine Pence per Day. And that all Out Pensioners as are at a greater Distance, are required to apply themselves forthwith to one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the Neighbourhood where they reside, and make Oath that they are Out-Pensioners belonging to the said Hospital, mentioning in the Certificate the Regiment to which they did belong formerly, how long they served in the Army, their Age, in what Manner wounded and disabled, their present Place of Abode, and that they are no otherwise provided for by the Government, to the Intent that the Commissioners for the Affairs of the said Hospital may be satisfied that they are the same Persons that have passed their Examination. 'Tis also required, that the said Certificates be sent by the General Post only, directed to the Right Honourable Henry Pelham, Esq; Paymaster-General of His Majesty's Forces, at the Horse Guards, London. And it is hereby further notified, that no one will be entered on the Pay Book of the said Hospital, or be thought entitled to the said Pension, that shall neglect making their Appearance, or sending Certificates as before directed. Kingmill Eyre, Secr.

Advertisements.

To be peremptorily sold, before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, on Tuesday the 25th Day of January next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon of

the same Day, Two Freehold Estates of Richard Chamberlaine, Esq; one situate in Loits, in the County of Essex, of the yearly Value of 500 l.; and the other in Elmdon, in the said County, of the yearly Value of 320 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House in Chancery-lane.

Ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Sir Peter and Sir Thomas Tyrrell, deceased, whose Debts affect their Estates, are peremptorily to prove the same before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Botwell Court near Lincoln's-Inn, on or before the 24th Day of January next.

To be sold to the best Bidder, before Charles Taylor, Esq; Deputy Remembrancer of his Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Westminster, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, a Freehold Estate of John Harding, Esq; deceased, consisting of a Messuage, and about four Acres of Land, late in the Occupation of the said John Harding, situate and being at Langley, in the County of Bucks; and of a Capital Messuage, or Chief Mansion-House, called Newton-Hall, and several Messuages, Cottages, Farms, and Closes of Land Meadow and Pasture, and Commons of Pasture, situate, lying and being in Newton Melborn, and Linton, or elsewhere, in the Counties of Derby and Stafford; the said Estate in the Counties of Derby and Stafford being of the Value of about 475 l. per Annum, and the greatest Part thereof Subject to the Jointure of Mrs Alice Harding, the Widow of the said John Harding. Particulars of all which Estates may be had of the said Charles Taylor, Esq; at the Exchequer Office in the Inner Temple, London.

Ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, all the Judgment Creditors of William Lockey, Esq; late of Albro' Hatch, in the County of Essex, are to come in and prove their Debts before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Chancery Lane, before the last Day of next Hilary Term.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Charles Duke, of Lad-lane, London, Tobaccoist, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 30th Instant, and 6th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution-Money, and at the first Sitting the Commissioners will appoint Assignees. 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. Franham, Attorney, in Aldermanbury, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Mathew Cooper, of the Parish of St. John Zachary, Foster-lane, London, Goldsmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, and on the 15th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution-Money, and at the first Sitting the Commissioners will appoint Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Estate, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Stratton, Attorney at Law, in Biewitt's Buildings in Fetter-lane, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Luke Franklin, of Baker Ham, in the County of Norfolk, Mercer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 29th Instant, and on the 5th and 19th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay Contribution-Money.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Stephen Goldsmith, of the City of Bristol, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 18th and 21st of January next, at the African Coffee-house in Cornstreet, Bristol, and make a full Discovery of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay Contribution-Money, and at the first Sitting the Commissioners will appoint Assignees.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Goech, of the City of Norwich, Woolcomber, intend to meet on the 15th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of James Royall, being the Three Tim Tavern in Norwich, in order to make a Dividend of the whole 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 renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Bickham, late of the Bridge-Yard in the Burrough of Southwark, in the County of Surry, Hop Merchant, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a second 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.