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By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS Charles Earl of Hopton was duly elected and returned to be one of the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, to sit in the House of Peers of the present Parliament of Great Britain, and is since deceased; in order to the electing another Peer of Scotland to sit in his Room, we do, by the Advice of our Privy Council, issue forth this Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holy Rood House in Edinburgh, on Friday the Thirtieth Day of April next, between the Hours of Twelve and Two in the Afternoon, to nominate and choose another Peer of Scotland to sit and vote in the House of Peers of this present Parliament of Great Britain, in the Room of the said Charles Earl of Hopton deceased, by open Election and Plurality of Voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the Proxies of such as shall be absent, such Proxies being Peers, and producing a Mandate in Writing duly signed before Witnesses, and both Constituent and Proxy being qualified according to Law. And the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his Name, are hereby respectively required to attend such Meeting, and to administer the Oaths required by Law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their Votes, and immediately after such Election made, and duly examined, to certify the Name of the Peer so elected, and sign and attest the same in the Presence of the said Peers, and return such Certificate into our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain. And we strictly charge and command that this Proclamation be duly published at the Market Cross at Edinburgh, and in all the County Towns of Scotland Twenty five Days at least before the Time hereby appointed for the Meeting of the said Peers to proceed to such Election.

Given at our Court at St. James's the Tenth Day of March, 1741, in the Fifteenth Year of our Reign.

GOD save the King.

[Price Two-pence.]

The following is the Translation of a Declaration published by the King of Sardinia, in relation to the Eventual Convention lately concluded between that Prince and the Queen of Hungary.

THE Court of Spain had already sufficiently made known to the World, by her whole Conduct since the Death of the late Emperor, as well in the Declarations made by her to other Powers, as in the Negotiation she has been carrying on with the King; that she had formed the Design of making vast Conquests in Italy, without any Regard either to the known Rights of his Majesty to the State of Milan, or to those of other Princes who have Possessions there.

It was for this Reason, that immediately upon the Landing of a Body of Spanish Troops in Italy, which was a Proof that the Execution of so dangerous a Design was near at hand, his Majesty caused a Declaration to be made to the Ministers of his Catholick Majesty, importing, that in Case the said Troops made any Motion towards entering into Lombardy, before their Majesties should have agreed in Form upon such a Treaty, as, in Pursuance of the Explanations that had been given in the Course of the Negotiation, might contain the Conditions suitable to the Satisfaction of his Majesty's Rights, to his Security, and to that of the other Princes of Italy, his Majesty would think himself obliged, and was actually determined, to oppose them with his whole Force, and by all the Means that should be possible.

But whereas notwithstanding these repeated Declarations, the abovementioned Body of Spanish Troops did actually begin its March through the Territories of the Holy See, directing its Route towards Lombardy, and is moreover followed by another Body of Neapolitan Troops, and by a second Convoy lately landed at the Port of Spezia, his Majesty found that the exact Time was then come for putting in Execution the abovesaid Declarations.

In Consequence whereof, without prejudicing in the least Degree, either on the Part of the King, or on that of the Queen of Hungary, their respective Pretensions to the State of Milan; on the contrary, in order to support them against a Foreign Occupation, his Majesty has taken, with the said Queen, provisional Measures for making



making in Concert the greatest Opposition possible to the Enterprizes of the Spanish Troops.

These Measures are of such a Nature, that they leave his Majesty on one Hand in full Liberty of hearkening to, and accepting the Proposals that may be made to him, when they shall be satisfactory in regard to his Rights, and Security, which he does not separate from that of the other Princes of Italy; and on the other, her Majesty the Queen of Hungary finds in them a present Advantage, in the Defence of her Possessions, for the Time that this provisional Union shall continue, and such Precautions as may be rely'd on, against all Surprise, and all Damage, in the Case of its ceasing to be in Force.

Florence, Feb. 27. The Spanish Forces of the second Convoy began to put themselves in Motion this Day: The first Column are to halt this Night at Pietra Santa, a Territory belonging to the Great Duke; To-morrow at Via Reggio, which Place is dependant on the Republick of Lucca; the 1st of March at Pisa, the 2d at Pontadera, the 3d at Empoli, the 4th at Pontesigna, the 5th at Prato, the 6th at Scarperia, and the 7th at Fierenzuola, from whence, the next Day, the 8th, they are to halt in the Bolognese. The first Column is to be followed by four others, which will march successively, leaving only an Interval of one Day's March between each Column; they are to pay ready Money for every thing, and not to stop any where.

Vienna, March 7, N. S. Upon the Approach of Count St. Ignan with four Regiments of Cavalry and four of Huslars detached from Bohemia, the Prussians are retired out of Austria, and the direct Communication between this Place and Budeweis is free again, by the present Lodging of that Body at Waithoven, Hoom, and Retz. The King of Prussia is said to be gone to Wislaw, which lies between Brinn and Olmutz, to meet his Minister Count Podewels.

Hambourg, March 13. Her Serene Highness the Dutchess of Brunswick, was, the 27th of last Month, delivered of Prince at Wolfembutel. The Birth-day of the young Duke of Holstein was celebrated on the 21st, N. S. with great Magnificence at Petersbourg. The late Regent and her Family are still detained in the Citadel of Riga. Some Part of the Danish Cavalry have repass'd the Elbe this Morning, as the Infantry did the 10th Instant from Stade to Gluckstadt.

Brussels, March 17. The Prince and Bishop of Liege died suddenly on the 15th Instant, in the 82d Year of his Age.

Whitehall, March 13.

The King has been pleas'd to appoint his Grace John Duke of Mountagu to be Master-General of the Ordnance.

His Majesty has been pleas'd to constitute and appoint Thomas Mathews, Esq; to be Vice-Admiral of the Red Squadron of his Majesty's Fleet; Edward Vernon, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the White; Nicholas Haddock, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the Blue; Sir Chaloner Ogle, Kt. Rear-

Admiral of the Red; and Richard Lestock; Esq; Rear-Admiral of the White; and his Majesty has also been pleas'd to order Vice-Admiral Mathews to hoist his Flag forthwith on board the Namur.

The King has been pleas'd to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Algernoon Lord Percy, commonly call'd Earl of Hertford, to be Colonel of his Majesty's Royal Regiment of Horse Guard; whereof his Grace John Duke of Argyll and Greenwich, Field Marshal of his Majesty's Forces, was late Colonel. And also to grant unto his Lordship the Office of Governor of the Island of Guernsey and Castle of Cornet, and other the Islands and Forts thereunto belonging, in the Room and Place of Francis Marquis de Montandre, deceased.

The King has been pleas'd to appoint his Grace, Peregrine Duke of Ancaster and Kesteven, Great Chamberlain of England, to be his Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Lincoln, and City of Lincoln and County of the same.

And the Right Honourable Edward Earl of Derby to be his Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Lancaster.

And to constitute and appoint John Byng, Esq; Commander of his Majesty's Ship the Sutherland, to be Governor and Commander in Chief in and over his Majesty's Island of Newfoundland in America, the Fort and Garrison at Placentia, and all other Forts and Garrisons erected and to be erected in that Island.

His Majesty has been pleas'd to grant unto William Ashburnham, Master of Arts, the Place and Dignity of Dean of the Cathedral Church of Chichester, void by the Death of Dr. James Hargraves.

The King has been pleas'd to present William Gardner, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of St. Olaves, in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry, and Diocese of Winchester, void by the Death of Dr. Philip Ayscough. And

Also to present John Browne, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of St. John's of Horslydown, in the said Borough of Southwark, in the County of Surry, and Diocese of Winchester, void by the Death of the said Dr. Philip Ayscough.

Navy Office, March 4, 1741.

By the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy.

These are to give Notice, that on Wednesday the 31st Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to serve his Majesty's Yard at Deptford with English Canvas, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

Victualling Office, March 8, 1741.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy, give Notice, That on Wednesday the 31st Instant, at Ten o'Clock precisely in the Forenoon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish White and Bay Salt, as also Hambourg Pipe and Hoophead Staves, and Iron Hoops, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court to consider of a Dividend, will be held at the Bank, on Thursday next, the 18th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon; And also, That another General Court will be held at the Bank on Tuesday the 6th of April next, from Nine in the Forenoon to Six in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor and Deputy Governor for the Year ensuing; which Election will be declared that Evening. And the said Court will be continued by Adjournment, and held at the same Place, and during the same Hours, on Wednesday the 7th of April, for the Election of Twenty Four Directors (which will be also one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter), and the Election of the Twenty Four Directors will be declared as soon as the Scrutiny is over. Printed Lists of the Proprietors having Votes will be ready to be delivered at the Bank, on Monday the 29th Instant.

South Sea House, London, March 12, 1741.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the Old South Sea Annuities will be shut on Monday the 22d Instant, at Two o' Clock, and opened again on Monday the 26th of April next: And that the Warrants for the Half Year's Interest due at Lady-day next, will be ready to be delivered and paid to the Proprietors on Thursday and Friday, the 29th and 30th of the said Month of April; on which last mentioned Days the said Transfer Books will be shut.

South Sea House, London, March 12, 1741.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company, give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Threadneedle Street on Thursday the 25th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the half yearly Courts appointed by the Charter.

English Copper-House, March 10, 1741.

The Court of Assistants of the Governor and Company of Copper Miners in England hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Bulb Lane, London, on Wednesday the 7th of April next, from Ten in the Forenoon till One in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy Governor, and Ten Assistants for the Year ensuing, and to consider of a Dividend. Also that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut from Monday the 22d Instant, till Monday the 19th of April next. They further give Notice, that printed Lists of the Proprietors of reduced Shares will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Saturday the 27th Instant.

Lead Office, March 9, 1741.

The Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pitcoal and Sea Coal, do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Corporation will be held at their House in Ingram Court, Fenchurch Street, on Thursday the 25th of this Instant March, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Rd. Francis, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given by the Agents, to the Captors of the Princessa, a Spanish Man of War, taken the 8th of April, 1740, that they may receive their respective Shares of the Produce of the Hull and Part of the Stores of the said Ship, at the Times and Places undermentioned. That the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship Kent may receive their several Shares at Mr. Edward Jasper's Office on Tower Hill, on Monday the 29th Instant; and those for the Orford at the same Place on Tuesday the 30th; that the Lenox Company may receive their Shares of the same, at the Red Lyon at Gosport on Monday the 31st; and such Shares as are not then demanded, may be received on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, for three Years after, at the said Places.

London, March 11, 1741.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of Elections 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 beh'nd the Royal Exchange; on Thursday the 8th of April next, from Ten of the Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, in order to chuse a Governor, Deputy-Governor and Court of Directors for the Year ensuing.

Advertisements.

Dr. ANDERSON'S, or, The Famous SCOTS PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella English underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Reuben Muston late of Watton in the County of Norfolk, Gent. deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their respective Debts before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Barnes, late of Penreth in the County of Cumberland, Gent. deceased, are to come before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Chancery-Lane, London, and make Proof of their respective Debt, on or before the last Day of Easter Term next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Rees, late of the Parish of Kingston in the Island Jamaica, Mariner, deceased, are to come before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their respective Debts, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, to the best Bidder, together or in Parcels; pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, Several Freehold and Leasehold Messuages or Tenements, Stables and Parcels of Land, situate at and near Penreth in the County of Cumberland, late the Estate of John Barnes of Penreth aforesaid, Gent. deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's House in Chancery-Lane, London.

TO be sold; pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, together or in Parcels, The Estates of John Hungerford, Esq; deceased; consisting of the Manor of Hungerford Ingleford in the County of Wilts, with divers Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments thereunto belonging; of the Rectory of Uphaven in the same County, together with the Tythes of Uphaven, and a Farm lett therewith, called Bacon's Farm; and of the said John Hungerford's late Dwelling-house at Thorpe, in the County of Surry, with Coach-house, Stables, Garden, Orchard and Outhouses, together with several Parcels of Meadow or Pasture Land near adjoining, all Freehold; and of several Leasehold Estates in Chancery-Lane aforesaid, White's Alley and Fox-Court in Gray's-Inn-Lane. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Kelland Heath, late of Mark-lane, London; Dealer in Sugars and Chapman, or that have any of his Effects in their Hands, are required forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Mr. John Scot of New Broad-street Buildings, London, Merchant, or to Mr. John Harwood in the Poultry, London, Attorney for the said Assignees, or in Default thereof, they will be sued without further Notice for the same.

ALL Persons who have any Securities which do affect the Estate late belonging to Ralph Jenison, of Woolfington, in the County of Northumberland, Esq; deceased, or who claim to be any way interested therein, or intitled thereto, are desired forthwith to send an Account of their respective Claims or Demands to Mr. Ralph Stobbs, Attorney at Darlington, in the County of Durham,

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ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Gilbert Hunt, late of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Haberdasher of Hats and Linnendraper, or that have any of his Effects in their Hands, are required forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Mr. Christopher Smith, of Tooty-street, Southwark, Skinner, and Samuel West of Pater-noster Row, London, Skinner, or either of them, or to Mr. John Harwood in the Poultry, London, Attorney for the said Assignees; or in Default thereof, they will be sued without further Notice for the same.

THE Creditors of Thomas Renison, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, at the House of Francis Cox, known by the Sign of the Angel and Hen and Chickens at Birmingham aforesaid, on Tuesday the 23d Day of March instant, to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing by defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, and also to consent to the said Assignees compounding or agreeing some Matters in Difference relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate, and on other special Affairs.

DRAGHT on Thursday the 4th Instant, between the Custom-house and the Royal Exchange, a Draught for 488 l. 6 s. 9 d. dated on or about the same Day; drawn by Mr. Roger Hog on Mess. Atkins, Honeywood and Fuller, payable to Mr. Samuel Torin. Whoever will bring it to the above Bankers in Lombard-street, or to the Barr at Grigsby's Coffee-house near the Royal Exchange, shall have Five Guineas Reward, and no Questions asked. Note, The above Draught has been before advertised in the Daily Advertiser, but by Mistake the Sum was inserted 488 l. 19 s. 9 d. Note also, no greater Reward will be offered, Payment being stopt every where.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Long, late of Thames-street, London, Dyer, 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 18th and 23d of March Instant, and on the 24th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Charles Browne, Attorney, in Bucklers-bury, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Edmund Chishull, of Gould Square, London, Cornfactor 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 20th and 26th of March Instant, and on the 24th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons in-

debted 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. Highmoor, Attorney, in Threadneedle-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Francis Etty, of Sutton, in the County of Berks, Bargemaster, Lighterman 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 20th and 27th of March Instant, and on the 24th of April next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination; and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Cornelius Norton, Attorney, in Wardrobe Court in Great Carter-lane, near Doctors Commons, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against George Browne, of Froome Sellwood, in the County of Somerset, Clothier 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 19th, and 20th of March Instant, and on the 24th of April next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the Ship Inn in Warmister, in the County of Wilts, 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. Richard Horler in Froome, or Mr. Hughes in Warmister aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Thorogood, late of Bedford-street, Covent-garden, in the County of Middlesex, Laceman, now deceased, intend to meet on Wednesday the 14th of April 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, 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 and issued forth against Samuel Procter, of Newcastle, in the County of Stafford, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th of April next, at Three o'Clock 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, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.