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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 16th Day of December, 1742.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Sheriffs appointed by His Majesty in Council for the Year ensuing, viz.

- Berks*, John Blandy, of Kingston Bagpuze, *Esq;*
- Bedford*, Postponed.
- Bucks*, Edward Lascells, of Datchett, *Esq;*
- Cumberland*, Humphry Senhouse, of Netherhall, *Esq;*
- Cheshire*, Philip Egeron, of Oulton, *Esq;*
- Camb' & Hunt'*. Sir Thomas Peyton, of Great Raveley, *Bart.*
- Devon*, John Pollexfen, of Mothecombe, *Esq;*
- Dorset*, James Forster, of Blandford St. Mary, *Esq;*
- Derby*, William Brown, of Stretton, *Esq;*
- Essex*, Edward Stephenson, of Barnfeild, *Esq;*
- Gloucester*, William Tayloe, *Esq;*
- Hertford*, Thomas Ansell, of Ickleford, *Esq;*
- Hereford*, James Clark, *Esq;*
- Kent*, Thomas Whitaker, of Trotcliffe, *Esq;*
- Leicester*, James Willson, *Esq;*
- Lincoln*, John Chumley, *Esq;*
- Monmouth*, Edward Perkins, of Pilstone, *Esq;*
- Northumb'*, Charles Lorain, of Stanton, *Esq;*
- Northampton*, Postponed.
- Norfolk*, Edward Atkins, of Ketteringham, *Esq;*
- Nottingham*, Lancellott Rolleston, *Esq;*
- Oxford*, Joseph Taylor, of Sandford, *Esq;*
- Rutland*, John Cook, *Esq;*
- Shropshire*, Postponed.
- Somerset*, James Smyth, of St. Audries, *Esq;*
- Stafford*, Charles Chadwick, *Esq;*
- Suffolk*, Sir John Barker, of Sproughton, *Bart.*
- Southampton*, Edward Hooker, of Worthy, *Esq;*
- Surry*, Isaac Eeles, of Lambeth, *Esq;*
- Suffex*, John Dermett, of Bolney, *Esq;*
- Warwick*, Bourne Eabourne, *Esq;*
- Worcester*, James Newnham, *Esq;*
- Wills*, John Hippeley, of Stanton, *Esq;*
- York*, Ralph Bell, of Thirsk, *Esq;*

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

- Brecon*, Peter Saunders, of Brecon, *Esq;*
- Carmarthen*, John Phillipps, of Alltycadno, *Esq;*
- Cardigan*, David Lloyd, of Alltyrodin, *Esq;*
- Glamorgan*, Mathew Deere, of Afhall, *Esq;*
- Pembroke*, George Mear, of Pennar, *Esq;*
- Radnor*, Peter Rickards, *Esq;*

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

- Anglesea*, Postponed.
- Carnarvon*, Postponed.
- Denbigh*, Aquila Wyke, of Marchwyell, *Esq;*
- Flint*, Hugh Hughes, of Coed y Braine, *Esq;*
- Merioneth*, Postponed.
- Montgomery*, Rees Lloyd, of Clochfaen, *Esq;*

*Florence, Dec. 1, N. S.* The Pope having caused fresh Remonstrances to be made to the General Gages about evacuating the Ecclesiastical State according to his Promise; He answer'd, That the Austrians having intercepted the Courier that was bringing him the Orders of his Court touching the Winter Quarters, he was under a Necessity of waiting for the Return of the Express that he had sent to Madrid for fresh Instructions; that the Situation in which he found himself, since the Entry into Tuscany had been barred against him, would in all Probability oblige him to separate his Army, and that the Cavalry might take up their Winter Quarters among the Ferrarois, and the Infantry in Romania, for the Convenience of Forage and Provision. The Pope has held many Congregations of Cardinals in his Presence touching this Answer of the Spanish General: He has shewn to their Eminencies the Copies of the Letters wrote by him to the King of Spain, with the Original Answers of the aforesaid Monarch; wherein he assures the Pope that he had order'd his Troops to evacuate the Ecclesiastical State without Delay: But they are come to no Resolution, and M. de Gages will act as he pleases. His Army has been considerably diminished by frequent Desertions, and Sickness. But according to Letters from Boulogne, it always keeps up its Number, because he is continually receiving small Reinforcements, which it is believed are secretly sent him from the Abruzzo; though it is difficult to know this certainly, because at Foligno, where his Hospitals are, and throughout all the Ecclesiastical State, he takes Care to enlist as many Men as he can find;