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*St. James's, January 9.*

**T**HIS Day the following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the Borough of Richmond in the County of York, was presented to the King by the Right Hon. Sir Conyers Darcy, Knight, and John York, Esq; their Representatives in Parliament, who were introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl Waldegrave, one of the Lords of his Majesty's Bed-chamber in waiting: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of your Majesty's ancient Borough of Richmond, in the County of York.

*Most gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of your Majesty's ancient Borough of Richmond, in the County of York, with a Sincerity equal to the most affectionate of any of your dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to approach your Majesty, and offer our Congratulations for your Majesty's safe and happy Return from the Hazards of a glorious Campaign, in Consequence of a War, undertaken for the Defence and Security of the Liberties and a Balance of Power in Europe; and which has hitherto been attended with such Success as so just a Cause deserved; and which, we hope, under the farther auspicious Conduct of your Majesty's Arms, and the Influence of your Councils, will, in due Time, be brought to a happy Conclusion.

We beg Leave also, with the same Sincerity, to congratulate your Majesty upon the Marriage of her Royal Highness the Princess Louisa with the Prince Royal of Denmark; and the Birth of another Prince of your Majesty's Family; Events which fill our Hearts with the greatest Joy, and with the most lively Hopes and Assurances of the Continuance of a Free and Protestant Government over us, in your Majesty's Family, to latest Generations.

Price Two-pence. )

It is the less regretted by us, that so many of our Fellow Subjects have been before us in their Congratulations to your Majesty upon these happy Events, as this Season gives us so apt an Occasion to wish, that the Glories and Felicities of this Year may be multiplied upon your sacred Head in the next, and still more, in every succeeding one, till the Liberties of Europe are settled upon a firm and lasting Foundation; and we preface this to your Majesty, with the more Confidence, from the Wisdom of your Councils, the Justice of your Cause, and the long Experience of your Majesty's Care and Tenderness for your People; and we think ourselves under the strongest Obligations of Gratitude as well as Duty, to offer our Prayers to Almighty God, for your Majesty's long and happy Reign over us, and for a prosperous and successful Event to all your Undertakings.

Given under our Common Seal at the Borough aforesaid, the 30th Day of December, in the Seventeenth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

*St. James's, January 9.*

This Day the following Address of the Magistrates and Common Council of the Burgh of Dundee in Council assembled, was presented to the King by the Hon. Thomas Leslie, their Representative in Parliament, who was introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl Waldegrave, one of the Lords of his Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting; which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Common Council of the Burgh of Dundee in Council assembled.

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of Dundee, with the profoundest Respect, and most unfeigned Sincerity, beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty upon the Success of your Arms in Germany; the Marriage of her Royal Highness the Princess Louisa to the Prince Royal of Denmark; the Addition made to your Family by the Birth of another Prince; and



and your Majesty's safe Return to your British Dominions, which occasioned to us the greater Joy, as it was after you had hazarded your valuable Life for maintaining the Liberties of Europe, and acted a Part that did so much Honour to yourself, and to the British Nation.

It gives us the highest Pleasure to think that they of this Community have upon all Occasions shewn the greatest Willingness to distinguish themselves by their Zeal for your August Family, and it is our firm Resolution to imitate our Predecessors in the Example they have thus set us, as we look upon it to be an Evidence of their Wisdom, and of their good Dispositions towards the Interest of their Country.

We earnestly pray that your Life may be long, that your Reign may be prosperous, and that, under God, you may be farther instrumental in giving an effectual Check to Oppressors, and in preserving our excellent Constitution.

*Stockholm, Dec. 20, O. S.* On Sunday last the 18th Instant, being the Czarina of Muscovy's Birth-Day, General Keith gave a grand Entertainment on that Occasion: There were two Tables, each of twenty five Covers: At the first, of which General Keith did the Honours, were the King and Prince Royal of Sweden, who were pleased to grace this Entertainment with their Presence; the Senators and High Officers of the Kingdom, and the foreign Ministers: At the second Table, of which Lieutenant General Soltikoff did the Honours, were the Officers of his Swedish Majesty's and the Prince Royal's Household, and several Generals, Colonels, and other Swedish Officers. In the Evening all General Keith's House was illuminated, and Emblems and Motto's placed here and there alluding to the Day.

*Naples, Dec. 17.* The Accounts of the Sickness in Calabria are this Week no worse than the last, and by the great Precautions that are taken, and the present favourable Season, we are in great hopes that it will be soon quite at an End.

*Naples, Dec. 24.* Repeated Orders from the King have been directed to several Princes in Calabria to repair immediately to this Capital, and pay their Attendance at Court. Extraordinary Councils of State are frequently held at Court on the present Situation of Affairs. They continue to raise Recruits here, as well as all over the Kingdom, for forming a considerable Body of Militia, which is designed, 'tis said, to be posted towards Aquila. By an Express from Pescara, the Court has receiv'd Notice, that some English Ships of War were lately seen making sail towards the Adriatick. Great Discontentment is observed amongst the People on the extraordinary Supplies of Money, which the Court has demanded, besides the Sums that have already been raised towards defraying the Expences of the Sickness in Calabria.

*Rome, Dec. 21.* On the 15th M. Simonetti arrived here from Naples to take upon him the Government of this City, which Cardinal Ricci has resigned; and on the 18th he took Possession of it accordingly, with the usual Formali-

ties. On the 16th the Pope named Cardinal Crescenzi Legat of Ferrara, and on the 17th conferr'd the Archbishoprick of Capua on the Bishop of Lecce, Nephew of Cardinal Ruffo. On the 17th an Edict was published in this City, imposing a Tax, for twelve Months only, of Five per Cent, on the Possessors of Houses, Villas, &c. Seven and a Half per Cent on Estates lett out; Twelve and a Half per Cent on Pensions, and Ecclesiastical Benefices; and Twelve and a Half per Cent on the Revenues of Barons, in order to ease the Ecclesiastical Chamber of the great Charges occasion'd by the present Situation of Affairs in Italy.

*Florence, Dec. 24.* We have no News this Week from the Armies in the Romagna, both which remain in their former Situation, where it seems as if they designed to take Winter Quarters. Agreeably to the Directions from the Great Duke, Orders have been given to raise a third Regiment of Foot out of the Militia, of which M. O'Kely, Governor of Grosseto, has been appointed Colonel. The Colonels of the two other Regiments of Foot, as well as that of Horse, have received Orders to compleat their respective Regiments immediately. On the 22d a Battalion of the Tuscan Regiment of Foot Guards marched through this City to Leghorn. A Detachment of 300 Men out of M. Capponi's Regiment of Militia, are also ordered to reinforce that Garrison, and Part of this Regiment is to be sent to Porto Ferrato to relieve the regular Troops that are there.

*Florence, Dec. 31.* Prince Lobcowitz has assembled most of his Troops in the Neighbourhood of Rimini, and had received some large Artillery from Mantua. The Recruits from Germany daily join his Army, and the two Regiments, which are in March from thence, were expected by the Middle of January. The Spaniards continue in their Intrenchments at Pesaro and Fano, and have transported their Hospital from Recanati to Sinigaglia. By the last Courier from Spain, M. de Gages has received Notice of a Promotion of Officers made by the King of Spain in his Army, which they pretend is to be considerably reinforced, and that a Party of 500 Spaniards from Orbitello are expected at Gubbia to join the said Army. Commissaries from the King of Sardinia are arrived at Placentia, to regulate with those of the Queen of Hungary the Confines of the Territories yielded to him by her Hungarian Majesty.

*Vienna, January 1.* Upon the 30th of last Month Prince Charles was betrothed to the Archduchess Marianne, when there was a sumptuous Ball at Court. It is said that the Marriage will be solemnized on the 7th, if the Writings can be got ready by that Time; and that 13 or 14 Knights of the Order of the Golden Fleece are to be created upon that Occasion. Prince Lobcowitz continues at Rimini; new Succours are daily sent to him, and he will soon be in a Condition to act with 30,000 Men. Recruits are raised here with great Success, and early in the Spring we shall have an Army of 160,000 Men at least. The Augmentation is of 25,000.

*Hague,*

Hague, Jan. 14, N. S. This Day the States of Holland consented unanimously to the Petition for the Extraordinaries of the Auxiliary Corps till May next; and at the same Time was taken into Consideration the forming of Magazines of Provisions and Ammunition at Mons, and the adjacent Towns where the Dutch Troops are now quartered.

General Post-Office, London, Nov. 1, 1743.  
POST-CHAISES between London and Salisbury.

*This is to acquaint the Publick, that the several Post masters on the Road between London and Salisbury, are ready to furnish Gentlemen, or others, with Post-Chaises, safe, easy, and well secured from the Weather, upon as short Warming as for Post-Horses, at any Hour, either of the Day or Night. Gentlemen who have Occasion to go Post on the above Roads, are desired to apply to Mr. William Miller, Post Master, at the White Bear in Piccadilly*

*A Post-Chaise may be had at any of the Stages on the Salisbury Road, to go Part, or all the Way, for one or more Stages, for those who do not chuse to travel in the Night.*

*N. B. All Gentlemen that travel in Post-Chaises of their own upon the Roads where Post-Chaises are already set up, by the Authority of this Office, may be supplied with Horses, at the several Stages on those Roads, at the Rate of Nine Pence per Mile.*

By Command of the Postmaster General,  
Geo. Shelvocke, Secr.

General Post-Office, London, Oct. 24, 1743.

*Whereas the Troops of Great Britain are marching, or march'd, into their Winter Quarters in the Austrian Netherlands; This is to inform the Publick, that all Letters directed for the Officers, Soldiers, and others belonging to, or attending on the said Army, will be sent from this Office free of the Foreign Postage, and that only the Inland Postage will be demanded for such Letters, so address'd or directed to the Army aforesaid as comes from out of the several Parts of the Country without which Inland Postage the said Letters will not be forwarded. By Command of the Postmaster-General.*

Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

### Avertisements.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Worthy Balme, late of the Town of Derby in the County of Derby, Grocer, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Thirty Days, to be computed from the 20th of December last; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 19th Day of January instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Disclosure and Discovery of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination: And the Creditors of the said Worthy Balme are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Bankrupt's Certificate.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Exchequer, the Creditors of John Groom, late of Guy's Hospital in Southwark in the County of Surrey, Gentleman, deceased, are forthwith to come before Charles Taylor, Esq; Deputy-Remembrancer of the said Court, at his Office in the Inner Temple, London, and prove their several Demands.

TO be sold peremptorily, 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, on Wednesday the 15th of February next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, All the Estates of Edward Toye, late of Kidderminster in the County of Worcester, Esq; deceased, that are subject to the Payment of his

Debts, consisting of several Freehold and Copyhold Messuages, Lands and Tenements, and of certain Tythes situate, lying and being in Kidderminster aforesaid, and in the Parish of Arley in the County of Stafford. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Resta Patching the Elder, late of Dorking in the County of Surrey, Miller, Mealman and Chapman, did meet pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, on the 7th Instant, at Guildhall, London, being the Day appointed for Choice of Assignees; but at the Request of the Creditors then present, the said Choice is put off till the 18th Day of January Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt issued against William Young, late of Bishopsgate-street, Ironmonger, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Thursday the 19th of January instant, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Feathers Tavern in Ch.apside, to assent or dissent from the Referring to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing of several Matters in Dispute in Relation to the said Bankrupt's Estate; and other special Affairs.

IN Pursuance of a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the Great Sessions for the Counties of Glamorgan, Brecon and Radnor, to be sold, upon the 2d Day of the next Great Sessions to be held at Brecon, The Estate of John Bevan in Lamberder Parish in Brecknockshire, Twelve Pounds per Annum, before Mr. Toovey, Register of the said Court, at his Chamber in Brecon, between Five and Eight o'Clock in the Evening; before whom the said Bevan's Creditors are to prove their Debts. Particulars of the Estate may be had of Mr. Thomas James at Brecon.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Best, late of St. John-street, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre in the County of Middlesex, Dealer 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 17th and 23d of January Instant, and on the 21st of February 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. Talmash, Attorney, in Red Lyon-street, Clerkenwell.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joshua Lewis, of Newbury in the County of Berks, Brazier 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 17th and 24th of January Instant, and on the 21st of February 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. Fenwick, Attorney, near St. Martin's-Lane in Thames-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Gooday Carter, of Great Coggeshall in the County of Essex, Woolfactor, Innholder 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 26th of January Instant, and on the 21st of February next, at Ten of the Clock on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. Richard Cooke, the Sign of the Chappel Inn in Great Coggeshall in the said County of Essex, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Wynn Blackman, late of the City of Chichester in the County of Suffex, Brafter, Coal Merchant, and Chapman, intend to meet on the 2d Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Yarrall Johnson, being the Swan in Chichester aforesaid, 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.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Smith, of the Parish of St. Alban Woodstreet, London, Grocer, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Smith 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 by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st of January instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Hammond, late of the Parish of St. Catherine's, in the County of Middlesex, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Hammond 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 by virtue of an Act passed in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st of January instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Peter Darley, late of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn in the County of Middlesex, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Peter Darley 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 by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st of January instant.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Sharpe, of Whitecross-street in the Parish of St. Luke in the County of Middlesex, Dyer, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said George Sharpe 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 by Virtue of an Act passed in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st of January instant.

**T**HE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Edward Bracy, late of Moorfields, in the Parish of St. Leonard Shore-ditch, Victualler.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First Day of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Marshalsea Prison in Southwark, in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Richard Austin, late of Well-street near Well-close Square, in the County of Middlesex, Mariner.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Goal of Newgate, the Goal for the County of Middlesex, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Hicks-hall, in and for the said County, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Joseph Antill, late of the Parish of St. Clement Dane, in the County of Middlesex, Victualler.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, that shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Christopher Meader, late of Winborn in the County of Dorset, Millwright. Francis Reynell, late of Thurelston, in the County of Devon, Gentleman. Corard Gerchen, late of Church-street, in the Parish of St. Ann, in the County of Middlesex, Barber and Periwig-maker.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.