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*Kensington, September 11.*

**T**HIS Day the Merchants of the City of London waited on his Majesty with the following Address.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Merchants of the City of London:

**W**E your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, the Merchants of your City of London, most humbly beg Leave to approach your Royal Person, and to assure your Majesty, That we heartily join in the general Joy which has been expressed on your Majesty's safe Arrival in your British Dominions.

We reflect with the highest Sentiments of Gratitude, upon your Majesty's unwearied Endeavours to support the Liberties of Europe, as well as the true Interests of all your Subjects; and we cannot omit this Occasion of congratulating your Majesty upon the great Advantages that do, and will accrue to your Majesty's Subjects, from the Distresses which the Colonies and Commerce of our Enemies have suffered, and especially by the taking of Cape Breton.

And as your Majesty's Kingdoms are again disturbed in Favour of a Popish Pretender to your Crown, we think it a Duty incumbent upon us, to renew the Assurances of our unfeigned Loyalty and Zeal to your Majesty, and that we will continue to exert our utmost Endeavours for the Support of the publick Credit of this Kingdom, and at all Times be ready to hazard our Lives and Fortunes in Defence of your Majesty's Person, your Royal Family and Government.

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To which his Majesty was pleased to return this most gracious Answer.

*I Thank you very kindly for this dutiful and loyal Address. This fresh Declaration of the Zeal and Affection of so very considerable a Body of my Trading Subjects, cannot but have the best Effect, in supporting the publick Credit, and must greatly discourage the dangerous Views and Designs of the Enemies to my Government.*

*Kensington, September 11.*

The following Address of the Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council of the City of Edinburgh, having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Argyll, has by him been presented to his Majesty: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**WE** your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Provost, Magistrates

and Council of the City of Edinburgh, want Words to express the Satisfaction we felt, upon receiving the News of your Majesty's happy Arrival to these your Dominions, so long and ardently wish'd for by all your Majesty's faithful and dutiful Subjects, at a Time when the Enemies to your Person and Government were daring enough to take up Arms, with a wicked Intention to deprive us of our Religion, Liberty and Laws; Blessings we have so long possess'd, derived down to us from the Revolution, and happily enjoyed under your Majesty's and Royal Father's auspicious Reigns.

This City has always distinguished herself by a firm and steady Attachment to Revolution and Whig Principles, and a hearty Abhorrence of all Popish and Arbitrary Governments. And in the Year 1715, when a most unnatural Rebellion was kindled up against your Royal Father, our Zeal for his Person and Government was equall'd by few, surpass'd by none. Since that Time we have opposed, as far as was in our Power, every Measure that might flatter the Pretender's Hopes.

We beg Leave at this Time to assure your Majesty, That we will stand by You, and Your Royal Family, with our Lives and Fortunes; employ every Power we are possess'd of, and all the Means you shall put in our Hands, to disappoint the Views of France, and baffle the vain Hopes of this rash Adventurer, who has been audacious enough to attempt to darken and disturb the Tranquillity of your Majesty's happy Government.

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most dutiful, most obedient and loyal Subjects and Servants,

The Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council of the City of Edinburgh, in Council assembled.

*Edinburgh, Sept. 7, 1745.*

Sign'd by their Order,

*Arch. Stewart, Provost.*

*Kensington, September 12.*

This Day the following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen and Assistants of the City of Rochester, in Common Council assembled, was presented to his Majesty by David Polhill, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of St. Albans, 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,

*Most gracious Sovereign,*

**WE** your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Assistants of the City of Rochester, in Common Council assembled, beg Leave, in the most respectful Manner, to present your Majesty with all

all possible Professions of our Joy, upon your happy Return to your Dominions in Great Britain.

At the same Time we Congratulate your Majesty upon the Success of your Arms in North America, and the Reduction of Cape Breton, which is an Acquisition of the utmost Importance to the Prosperity of Trade, and a Wound in the most sensible Part to the insolent and inveterate Enemies of this Nation.

The many Prince-like and Endearing Qualities which we daily experience in your Majesty, and the inestimable Benefits of our Religious and Civil Rights, are too precious to be exchanged for despotick Power, and the dreadful Effects of Papal Tyranny: With these we are threaten'd by the Invader of your Kingdom, whose Pretensions to your Majesty's Crown, and his Endeavours to support them, are equally the Subjects of our Scorn and Indignation.

The Protestant Succession is our great Palladium; if this is lost, we are no more a Nation, at least not a Nation of free People. This happy Country, now the Prize and Desire of the Earth, must then become a Sanctuary for Slaves, and such as can with Patience endure to be fettered both in their Souls and Bodies. This ignominious Condition we disdain, and are ready to demonstrate, that our Lives and Fortunes are nothing in our Esteem, whenever your Majesty's Service, and the publick Welfare, require this Sacrifice from us.

The good Providence of God will, we hope, be ever watchful over you; make your Majesty the happiest as well as the most amiable Monarch in the World; and continue a long Series of Princes in your Royal Family, who may transmit the Blessings we enjoy to all future Generations.

Dated in the Guildhall of the said City, the 9th Day of September 1745.

*Kenfington, September 13.*

This Day the following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeses of the Borough of Portsmouth, in the County of Southampton, was presented to his Majesty by Colonel Martin Bladen, one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of St. Albans, 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, Aldermen, and Burgeses of the Borough of Portsmouth, in the County of Southampton.

PERmit, most gracious Sovereign, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the

Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgeses of Portsmouth, to congratulate your Majesty upon your safe and happy Arrival in your British Dominions, and on the Success of your Majesty's Arms at Cape Breton; an Acquisition of so great Importance to the Trade and Commerce of these Kingdoms.

And we hope your Majesty's unwearied Labours to procure a Head to the Empire, as it will absolutely frustrate the destructive Measures of France, will be crowned with the most desirable Success, and fix upon a firm and lasting Foundation the Liberties of Europe.

We beg Leave, at the same Time, in the strongest Terms, to declare our utmost Abhorrence and Detestation of the daring and insolent Attempts that are now carrying on in Favour of the Pretender and his Family, to corrupt and enslave a Free and Protestant People, and to make them the Tools of a restless and ambitious Prince, in his most favourite and darling Point, universal Monarchy.

And we do, with the most fervent Zeal, assure your Majesty, that we shall be always ready to sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes, and all that is dear to us, in the Defence of your Majesty's Royal Person and Family, and in Opposition to all Pretenders, and every other Enemy to your Majesty's Person and Government.

*Kenfington, September 14.*

The following Address of the Merchant Company of the City of Edinburgh, having been transmitted to the most Honourable the Marquis of Tweeddale, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to his Majesty: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Merchant Company of the City of Edinburgh.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WITH Hearts full of Gratitude to Almighty God, we received the joyful News of your Majesty's safe Arrival in these your British Dominions, after the Pains your Majesty has been taking Abroad to secure Europe from the boundless and wicked Ambition of France.

We cannot sufficiently express the Abhorrence we have of the daring Attempt made upon us by a Tool of Popish and Tyrannical Powers, the natural and most inveterate Enemies of our happy Constitution: And it fills us deeply with Sorrow, that any, enjoying sacred and civil Liberty, in its fullest Extent, under your Majesty's auspicious Reign and Government, should be so far sunk below the generous Principles of Free Britons, as to court their Chains by abetting the Son of a Popish Pretender.

We are sensible that the Continuance of the inestimable Blessings, which we have enjoyed since the happy Revolution, can only, under God, be secured to us and our Posterity, by the present happy Settlement of the Crown in your Majesty's Royal House; which therefore we are firmly resolved to maintain, with our Lives and Fortunes, against all your Majesty's Enemies, as well as your unnatural and ungrateful Rebels.

Signed and sealed in the Presence and by Appointment of the Company.

*Archibald Angus, Master.*

*Edinburgh, Sept. 10, 1745.*

*Petersbourg, August 20.* The Empress left the Summer Palace Yesterday, and came with the Great Duke and Dutchess to the Winter Palace for the rest of the Season. The Marriage which was to have been solemnized as Yesterday is put off till To-morrow, and some say till Sunday next.

*Stockholm, August, 30, O. S.* Orders are given for bringing the Pyrate Dagenaet from Stralsund hither, where he is to be try'd by a Court of Admiralty, and to be dealt with according to the Laws of this Country. The Prince Successor is gone to Lindkoping, where he intends to review some Regiments which are quartered in that Neighbourhood, and the Princess his Consort is at Droningholm, about two Swedish Miles off, where she advances happily in her Pregnancy. His Swedish Majesty is supposed to be on his Return to this Capital, and Prince William his Brother on his Journey to Cassel by the Way of Denmark.

*Dresden, Sept. 12, N. S.* The Prussians are gone from Louban to Silesia, leaving Receipts for what they took in Lusatia. The King of Prussia is said to have detached General du Moulin with another considerable Corps towards Lusatia, though this Intelligence is not certain. The first Saxon Detachment from the Army in Bohemia, went from hence by Water Yesterday to Torgaw, and is to be the 14th at Eulenberg, and there remain within a March of Count Rutowski, till future Operations require other Dispositions. General Renard arrived here Yesterday, as will his Detachment To-day.

*Berlin, Sept. 14, N. S.* The Corps of Prussian Troops in the Neighbourhood of Halle still remain in a State of Inaction; and as it has been published in the Leipzig Gazette, that all the Merchants may go in Safety to the Fair which is approaching, provided they be furnished with Passports, it is hoped that all Thoughts of an Invasion of Saxony are laid aside. We are assured here, that General Gesler, with his Corps of 10,000 Men, is arrived in the Neighbourhood of Crossen, in order to reinforce that under the reigning Prince of Dessau; and it is talked as if

that whole Army would take the Road towards Erfurt.

*Hague, Sep. 21, N. S.* Prince George of Hesse Cassel arrived here last Sunday, and proposes to stay some Days. The three Battalions of Hirzel, and Regiment of La Rocque, which make the first Division of the Dutch Corps destined for Great Britain, have been embarked since Saturday last, and wait a fair Wind. The rest of the Dutch Troops are in March, and will be shipped as fast as they arrive. Count Maurice of Nassau has not yet fixt the Day of his Departure; but Lieutenant General Swartsenberg goes over with the next Mail. The first Division of the Hessians is supposed to be now near Antwerp; the Second, consisting of Horse, entered Zutphen last Sunday, and the Third is expected at Arnheim about the Beginning of next Month.

*Whitehall, September 14.*

By Accounts from Edinburgh of the 7th and 8th of this Month, a Detachment of the Rebels took Possession of Perth on Wednesday the 4th. That Evening the Pretender was proclaimed there; but the Provost and Magistrates had left the Place before the Ceremony of the Proclamation began, and others were appointed in their Room. The Marquis of Tullibardine was expected at Perth the Day following with the Athol Men; and it was said the Duke of Perth, as he is commonly called, had joined them with 400 Men well armed. The common Report was, that the Number of the Rebels amounted to 4 or 5000 Men; but by the best Intelligence they did not exceed 3000, and these but indifferently armed, and many of them forced into their Service. It is also said, that some Gentlemen of Distinction from the Low Countries have joined them. Sir John Cope was on the 3d at Inverness, and proposed to march as next Day towards the South. On the 2d he was joined by 200 Men of the Clan of Monro, under the Command of Sir Robert Monro's Son and Brother. By Letters of the 10th, the Rebels still remain'd at Perth; many of the Men raised in Athol have deserted, and their Numbers in general rather diminish than increase. Some Nights ago 200 of the Highlanders attacked the Garrison of Ruthven in Badenoch, which consisted only of 12 Men commanded by Serjeant Molloy, who made a bold Defence, repulsed them, killed three, and wounded six.

*Whitehall, September 6, 1745.*

*Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, that an anonymous Letter came by the Post on Thursday the 8th of August last, and by the Mark and Charge thereupon, seems to have been put into the General Post-Office in London, directed To Mr. George Cartwright,*

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Esq;

Esq; at Ossington, near Carlton upon Trent, Nottinghamshire, threatening, that if the Waggon were not suffered to pass and repass quietly, without Weighing, and the Scales, which had been set up for Weighing of Waggon on that Road, pulled down, both his House, and the Houses of several other Gentlemen, acting as Trustees for the Turnpikes, on the North Side of Foston Bridge to Little Drayton, in Nottinghamshire, should be consumed to Ashes, with several most horrid Expressions of Destruction to the said Gentlemen.

His Majesty for the better discovering, and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing, and sending the said Letter, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice, or Accomplices, so as he, they, or any of them, may be apprehended, and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement, the Commissioners for the said Turnpikes do hereby promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by Mr. Edmund Kirke, of East Markham, in the County of Nottingham, Attorney at Law, or by Mr. Lechmere Kirke, Attorney at Law, at Mr. Wrench's, Stationer in Woodstreet, London.

Lechmere Kirke.

War-Office, September 6, 1745.

His Majesty, having thought fit to augment the Four Battalions of Foot Guards doing Duty at home, is pleased to order that the Sum of Six Pounds, Bounty Money, should be paid to each Man five Feet seven Inches high, or upwards, without Shoes, and under 30 Years of Age, who shall enlist with any Officer, belonging to the said Regiments of Guards, or with any Officer of Horse, Dragoons, Foot or Marines in Order to serve in the Guards, and shall be approved by them as able-bodied Men, on or before the 24th of this instant September; the said Bounty Money with Subsistence from the Time of their enlisting respectively to be paid on their Arrival on the Parade, in St. James's Park, London; And that the Sum of Four Pounds Bounty-Money shall be paid to each Man who shall enlist to serve in the Regiments of Guards, answering the above Description after the said 24th Instant, and before the 1st of October next. This publick Notice is hereby given of these his Majesty's Commands, that the proper Officers, and all Persons concerned, may govern themselves accordingly.

By his Majesty's Command,

Will. Yonge.

General Post-Office, August 24, 1745.

Whereas the Communication with Flanders, by the Way of Ostend, is interrupted, and for the present at an End; Publick Notice is hereby given to all Merchants and others whom it may concern, That as their Letters for the several Parts and Provinces of the Austrian Netherlands are now, of Necessity, to be forwarded by the Way of Holland, it will be most proper for them to inclose their Letters and Packets, or recommend them to such as may be their Friends or Correspondents in Holland, from thence to be forwarded to the Places they are designed for in the Netherlands aforesaid; as also that it will be most safe and convenient for them, that the Answers, in Return to their said Letters, should be sent under Cover to Holland, to be forwarded from thence to this Office.

But in regard to the Correspondence with the Army;

all Persons are hereby to take Notice, That their Letters, directed for any Person or Persons in the same, will be received at this Office, and from hence forwarded to the Army, in the Manner hitherto observed, a proper Method of conveying the Army Letters directly from hence, having been settled by the Way of Holland, in Conformity to the Usages in regard thereto, during the Wars of King William and Queen Anne.

By Command of the Post-master General,  
George Shelvocke, Sec.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ships the Centurion and Tryal's Prize, that were on board at the Taking and Destroying the Town of Payta, that they may receive their respective Shares of the Remainder of the Plunder of the said Town, at Mr. Jasper's Office on Tower-hill, on Monday and Tuesday the 14th and 15th of October next; and that such of the said Officers and Companies, as have not hitherto been paid their Shares of the first Dividend of the said Plunder, may receive the same at the said Times and Place.

And that on the Wednesday and Thursday following, the 16th and 17th of October, there will be paid to the Foremastmen of his Majesty's Ship Centurion, and them only, the Remainder of the Produce of the Prize Nuestra Señora del Cabadonga, at Mr. Jasper's Office aforesaid.

Lead-Office, Sept. 12, 1745.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, will be held at the Company's House in St. Martin's Lane, Cannon-Street, on Wednesday the 2d of October next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, it being one of the Half Yearly Courts.

Rob. Mackintosh, Secretary.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 19th Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, to consider of a Dividend; which will be also one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

September 10, 1745.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Trustees for the River L E E, will be holden by Adjournment on Monday the 30th Day of this Instant September, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning, at the Old Crown at Ware, in the County of Hertford.

B. Toller, Clerk to the Trustees.

South-Sea House, London, Sept. 12, 1745.

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 26th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half Yearly General Courts appointed by the Charter, and to chuse a Committee of Seven to inspect the By-Laws.

*Advertisements.*

**T**O be peremptorily sold, together or a-part, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitor's-street, on Friday the 8th Day of November next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, The Manor or Lordship of Shotley, in the County of Suffolk, with the Appurtenances, together with a Farm called Shotley Farm, in the Possession of John Ruffels, at the yearly Rent of 130 l. And other small Tenements in Suffolk and Essex. Two Leasehold Houses in Rose-street, Soho; and an Exchequer Order for Payment of 126 l. per Annum, late the Estate of Abraham Meure, Esq; deceased, subject to the Incumbrances in the Particular mentioned. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

**T**O be sold to the best Bidder, by the Assignees of Mr. John Isatt, a Bankrupt, on Thursday the 19th Instant, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, at the Red Lyon in Brownlow-street, Drury-lane, One fourth Part of an undivided Freehold Brick Messuage, in Great Queen-street, Lincoln's Inn Fields, late in the Possession of the said Bankrupt.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Pratt, late of the Town of Northampton, Wine Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Tuesday the 17th Instant, at Hamlin's Coffee-house near the Royal Exchange, London, at Twelve in the Forenoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and to empower the said Assignees or the major Part of them, to compound or otherwise compromise or arbitrate any Matters in Dispute relating to the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, and to consult on other special Affairs relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate.

**P**ursuant to an Order made by the Rt. Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time (for John Anthony Rocher, Peter Lapierre, and Samuel Rocher, of Spital-square, in the Liberty of Norton Falgate, in the County of Middlesex, Merchants and Partners, Bankrupts, to make a full Discovery of their Estate and Effects) for 49 Days, to be computed from the 3d Day of September Instant: This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 22d of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupts are required to surrender themselves, and make a full Discovery of their Estate and Effects, and finish their Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Tillsley the Elder, of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch, in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter, 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 24th of September instant, and on the 2d and 26th of October 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. Stagg, Attorney, in Red-cross-street, near Cripplegate, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Mitchinson, of the Parish of St. Luke, in the County of Middlesex, Grocer, Blue-

maker and Chapman, intend to meet on the 16th of October 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, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**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 Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, 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 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 the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the said City, or at the Adjournment thereof, that shall happen next after 30 Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Gould, late of Tower Street, London, Broker and Chapman.

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 gives 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. William Rondeau, late of Hampstead in the County of Middlesex, Jeweller. Peter Davis, late of Tooley street, in the Parish of St. Olave Southwark, Waterman.

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 King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament, made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Henry Skinner, late of Colchester in the County of Essex, Weaver.

**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.

