An Act more effectually to prevent profane

Curfing and Swearing.

An Act to continue Two Acts of Parliament, one for encouraging the Growth of Coffee in his Majesty's Plantations in America, and the other for the better securing and encouraging the Tarade, of his Majesty's Sugar Colonies in America.

An Act for the better Encouragement of the Trade of his Majesty's Sugar Colonies in Ame-

rica.

An Act for the better regulating of Elections of Members to serve in Parliament for such Cities and Towns in that Part of Great Britain called England as are Counties of themselves.

An Act for the better Preservation of Havens, Roads, Channels, and navigable Rivers, within that Part of Great Britain called England.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act passed in the 12th Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the First for repairing and enlarging the Road from Liverpools to Prescot, and other Roads therein mentioned, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, and for amending the Road leading from Prescot to the Chapel of St. Helen, in the said County.

An Act to impower Lora Pitt, Widow, to erect a Bridge or Bridges over the River Froome, and to make a Causeway to the East End of the Town of Dorchester, over Forthington Moor,

in the County of Dorset.

And to Eleven private Bills.

AT the Court at Kensington, the 28th Day of May, 1746.

· P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas there was this Day read at the Board, the humble Memorial of Dr. Henry Plumptre, President of the College or Commonalty of the Faculty of Physick in London, setting forth, that the said President and College have, with great Care, Pains and Industry, revised, corrected and reformed a Book by them formerly published, intituled, Pharmacopæia Collegii Regalis Medicorum Londinensis, prescribing and directing the Manner of preparing all Sorts of Medicines therein contained, together with the true Weights and Measures by which they ought to be made: Which Book is now perfected, and ready to be published, and is made more extensive and beneficial to the Publick than the former, and, it is conceived, will contribute to the Good of his Majesty's Subjects, by preventing all Deceits, Differences and Incertainties in the making or compounding of Medicines, if, for the Future, the Manner and Forms prescribed therein, should be practifed by Apothecaries and others in their Compositions of Medicines, &c. The Memorialist therefore most humbly prays, that his Majesty will be graciously pleased to inforce the Observance thereof in such Man-

ner as to his Majesty shall seem meet: - His Majesty this Day took the said Memorial into his Royal Confideration, and being defirous to provide in all Cases for the common Good of his People, and being persuaded that the Establishing the general Use of the said Book may tend to the Prevention of such Deceits in the making and compounding Medicines, wherein the Lives and Health of his Majesty's Subjects are so highly concerned, hath therefore thought fit, by and with the Advice of his Privy-Council, hereby to notify to all Apothecaries and others concerned, to the Intent they may not pretend Ignorance thereof, that the said Book called Pharmacopæia Collegii Regalis Medicorum Londinensis, is perfected and ready to be published! And his Majesty doth therefore strictly require, charge and command all and fingular Apothecaries and others, whose Business it is to compound Medicines, or distil Oyls or Waters, or make other Extracts within any Part of his Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain called England, Dominion of Wales, or Town of Berwick upon Tweed, that they, and every of them, immediately after the faid Pharmacopœia Gollegii Regalis Medicorum Londinensis shall be printed and published, do not compound or make any Medicine or Medicinable Receipt. or Prescription, or distil any Oyl or Waters, or make other Extracts that are or shall be in the taid Pharmacopæia Collegii Regalis Medicorum Londinensis mentioned or named, in any other Manner or Form than is or shall be directed, prescribed, and set down by the said Book, and according to the Weights and Measures that are or shall be therein limited, except it shall be by the special Direction or Prescription of some learned Physician in that Behalf. And his Majesty doth hereby declare, that the Offenders to the contrary shall not only incur his Majesty's just Displeasure, but be proceeded against for fuch their Contempt and Offences, according to the utmost Severity of Law.

William Sharpe.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Bridgwater, in the County of Somerset, having been transmitted by the Right Honourable the Earl Powlett to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, 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 Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Bridgwater, in the County of Somerset.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses,