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ABSTRACT of several Acts of Parliament, now in Force, which were made for preventing His Majesty's Subjects from Trading to the East-Indies, under Foreign Commissions; and from being interested or concerned in any Foreign East-India Company to be erected.

BY the following Acts of Parliament now in Force, and which were made, for preventing His Majesty's Subjects from Trading to the East-Indies, under Foreign Commissions; and from being interested, or concerned, in any Foreign East-India Company, to be erected; it is Enacted as follows, *viz.*

5th Geo. I. Cap. 21.] By an Act passed in the 5th Year of His late Majesty, King George the First, all His Majesty's Subjects, except those Licensed by the East-India Company, are prohibited from going to the East-Indies. — And to the End such Offenders may be brought to Justice, the East-India Company are empowered to arrest, and seize, such Offenders in the East-Indies, and to send them to England, there to answer for the said Offence; And every British Subject, who shall procure, solicit for, obtain, or act under, any Commission, Authority, or Pass, from any Foreign Prince, or State, to sail, or go, or trade, in, or to the East-Indies, incurs, and forfeits, for every such Offence, 500 *l.*

7th Geo. I. Cap. 21.] By another Act passed in the 7th Year of His late Majesty King George the First, every Subject of His Majesty, who shall go to, or shall Trade, or Adventure into, or from, the East-Indies, (contrary to the Laws in being,) and shall be convicted thereof, in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record, at Westminster, is to pay, and suffer such Fine, and Imprisonment, as the Court shall think fit.

And all the Goods, and Merchandize, that shall be bartered or traffick'd for, in the East-Indies, or purchased there, by any such Offenders, or that shall be found in his Custody, or in the Custody of any other Person, by his Order, or Procurement, are declared to be forfeited, with Double the Value thereof.

9th Geo. I. Cap. 26.] By an Act passed in the 9th Year of His late Majesty King George the First, all His Majesty's Subjects are prohibited from subscribing, contributing to, encouraging, or promoting, the raising, establishing, or carrying on, any Foreign Company, from, and after, the 24th Day of June 1723, to be raised, formed, or erected, for Trading to the East-Indies, and from being interested in, or intitled to, any Share in the Stock, or Capital, of such Foreign Company, under Forfeiture of all his, her, or their Interest, in the Capital, Principal, Stock, or Actions, of any such Foreign Company, together with Treble the Value thereof.

And the Attorney General is empowered to exhibit Bills of Complaint in the Court of Chancery, or Court of Exchequer, against such Offenders, for the Discovery of such Offence; which Discovery such Offenders are obliged to make on the Attorney General's waving in such Bill, the said Forfeiture of the Treble Value, and insisting only on the Single Value thereof; And in such Case, the Single Value is to be decreed to be paid by such Offender.

And that every Subject of His Majesty accepting of any Trust, or knowing of any Interest, Share, Part, Proportion, or Concern, which any other of His Majesty's Subjects shall have, or be intitled to, in any such Foreign Company; and who shall not, within Six Months, next after the Accepting such Trust, or coming to the Knowledge of such Interest, Share, Proportion, or Concern, as aforesaid, truly discover the same in Writing to the East-India Company, or their Court of Directors, shall forfeit Treble the Value of the Interest so accepted in Trust, or so known and not discovered, as aforesaid; and any Person making such Discovery, is intitled to a Moiety of the Forfeiture.

And all His Majesty's Subjects, (other than such as are lawfully authorized thereunto,) going to, or found in the East-Indies, are declared guilty of a High Crime, and Misdemeanor, and are made liable to Corporal Punishment, Imprisonment, or Fine, for the same, at the Discretion of such of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster, where the Prosecution for such Offence shall be commenced.

And every Person so offending may be seized, and brought to England, and committed to Goal there, by any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, until sufficient Security be given by Natural-born Subjects or Denizens, to appear in the Court, where such Prosecution shall be commenced, to answer the same, and not depart without Leave of the Court.

3d Geo. II. Cap. 14.] By an Act passed in the 3d Year of His present Majesty, it is Enacted, That if any of His Majesty's Subjects (other than the East-India Company, and those licensed by them,) shall, directly, or indirectly, go to, trade, or adventure into, or from, the East-Indies, every such Offender shall incur the Forfeiture, and Loss, of all the Ships, and Vessels, employed in such Voyage, Trade, or Adventure; and also all the Goods laden thereupon, or that were sent to, acquired, traded or adventured, within the East-Indies, and all the Proceed, and Effects, of the same, and Double the Value thereof.

Milan, December 26. Count Palavicini, Governor of this City, having been informed that a numerous Gang of Thieves had committed many surprizing Robberies and Outrages in the Neighbourhood of Anhiera, sent thither a strong Detachment from the Troops of this Garrison, in order to apprehend them; and the Officer who commanded that Detachment, took such prudent Precautions, that he soon discovered the Place of their Retreat, and seized Seventeen of them, in whose Custody was found a large Sum of Money, besides some Plate, Jewels, and rich Furniture of which they had forcibly plundered the Country Seat belonging to the Marquis de Averio in the Day-Time. They were all brought here Prisoners last Week, and committed to Goal, where 'tis thought they will not remain long before they are brought to their Tryals.

Florence, Dec. 31. We are assured by our last Letters from Modena and Lavenza, that the Duke of Modena has entirely desisted from his Design of making a Port at Lavenza; and accordingly his Highness has dismissed M. Simon, the French Ingeneer and Director thereof, as well as all other Persons who were employed in that Work. And by the last Letters from Bologn and Milan we are informed, that Highway Robberies are become so common in the Neighbourhood of those two Places, that neither Couriers or Gentlemen can travel the Roads without running the Risk of being either robbed or murdered.

Vienna, Jan. 3. Last Wednesday, being New Year's Day, the Court was very numerous and brilliant to compliment their Imperial Majesties and the young Family on that Occasion. They talk of several Schemes being soon to be brought on the Carpet for encouraging the Industry of the Inhabitants of the Hereditary Countries, amongst whom no loose or disorderly Persons are to be admitted to inhabit that come from other Countries, to which Purpose Orders are sent to the Governors of the Frontiers, not to admit any Vagabonds, or Persons who can-

not give a good Account of themselves, to pass into any of those Countries.

Ratisbon, January 3. The Protestants of Cronenbourg have presented a new Memorial to the Diet, complaining that the Elector of Mayence's sending Commissaries to examine into their Religious Grievances, had not had the desired Effect; and therefore employ the Assistance of the Diet, that they may enjoy the free Exercise of their Religion, agreeably to the Treaty of Westphalia.

Hambourg, Jan. 11. The States of Sweden are come to a Resolution of adopting the Gregorian Calendar.

Hague, Jan. 13. Our Lords the States of this Province, who opened their Assembly Yesterday, continued To-Day their Deliberations. All the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers residing at this Court, have been invited to the Funeral of his late Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, which 'tis thought will be some Time this Month. We are informed by several private Letters from the Province of Utrecht, by To-Day's Post, that the Waters of the Lecq, which had continued rising for some Days past, and greatly alarmed the Inhabitants bordering on that River, had fallen considerably last Night; so that their Fears of the Banks of that River's being either overflowed, or broke down, are now happily dissipated.

Paris, Jan. 15. The Duke of Orleans, who has been very much indisposed for some Time past, is now so ill, that he is thought to be past Recovery.

Whitehall, January 11.

The King has been pleased to order Writs and Letters Patent to be issued and passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Henry Maule, Bishop of Meath, to the Archbishoprick of Tuam, with the United Bishoprick of Enaghdoen; and to grant unto him the Bishoprick of Ardagh, in Commendam, in the said Kingdom, vacant by the Death of the most Reverend Father in God Dr. Josiah Hart, late Archbishop of Tuam.

The King has also been pleased to order Writs and Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. John Ryder, Bishop of Down and Connor, to the Bishoprick of Meath in the said Kingdom, void by the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. Henry Maule, late Bishop thereof, to the Archbishoprick of Tuam.

The King has also been pleased to order Writs and Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. John Whetcombe, Bishop of Clonsfert, Kilmackduagh and Kilfenora, alias Tenabore, to the United Bishopricks of Down and Connor in the said Kingdom, void by the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. John Ryder, late Bishop thereof, to the Bishoprick of Meath.

The King has also been pleased to order Writs and Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Promotion of Dr. Arthur Smyth, Dean of the Cathedral Church of Derry, to the United Bishopricks of Clonsfert and Kilmackduagh in the said Kingdom, void by the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. John Whetcombe, late

late Bishop thereof, to the United Bishopricks of Down and Connor.

The King has also been pleased to order Writs and Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for granting to the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. Nicholas Synge, Bishop of Killaloe, the Bishoprick of Kilfenora, alias Tenabore, in Commendam, in the said Kingdom, void by the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Dr. John Whetcombe, late Bishop thereof, to the United Bishopricks of Down and Connor.

The King has also been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for granting to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Viscount Strangford, Clerk, the Place and Dignity of Dean of the Cathedral Church of Derry in the said Kingdom, vacant by the Promotion of Dr. Arthur Smyth, late Dean thereof, to the United Bishopricks of Clonfert and Kilmackduagh.

Whitehall, January 10.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Robert Herbert, Esq; the Office of Surveyor-General of all his Majesty's Honours, Castles, Lordships, Manors, Forests, Chaces, Parks, Messuages, Lands, Tenements, Woods, Rens, Services, Revenues, Possessions, and Hereditaments whatsoever, in England and Wales, as well within Liberties as without, in the room of John Lord Viscount Gallway, deceased.

Whitehall, December 27, 1751.

THE Duke of Newcastle having received a Letter, by the General Post, dated, Bury, December 22, 1751; If the Person, who wrote it, will attend Him, at His House, in Lincoln's Inn Fields, or at His Office at Whitehall, and there make, and prove, the Discovery, mentioned in the Letter; He may be assured of all fitting Encouragement, and a very handsome Reward.

Admiralty Office, Dec. 23, 1751.

Notice is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Tuesday the 18th Day of February next, at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

J. Cleveland.

Admiralty Office, January 10, 1752.

Whereas his Majesty has been pleased, by his Royal Proclamation of the 29th of March 1750, and by his Order in Council of the 19th of last Month, to direct that Passes of a new Form shall be issued to all his Subjects Trading in the Way of the cruising Ships of the States of Barbary; My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give Notice, that in Pursuance of the aforesaid Proclamation and Order in Council, Passes of a new Form will be ready to be issued at this Office from the 1st of February next, to such Persons as shall apply for them; and at his Majesty's Foreign Colonies and Plantations as soon as conveniently may be; but that such Passes of the old Form as have been issued will nevertheless continue in Force till the 30th of October next.

Ja. Cleveland.

South Sea House, London, Jan. 8, 1752.

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 23d Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend on their Capital Stock for the Half Year ended at Christmas last.

April 19, 1751.

General Post Office.

Whereas the Post-Boy bringing the Cirencester Mail to this Office, was Yesterday Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, on Gerrard's Cross Common, between Wickham and Uxbridge, attacked and robbed by a single Highwayman, mounted on a Bay Mare, who carried off the said Mail; which contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Bristol,	Worcester,
Exeter,	Birmingham,
Tiverton,	Wolverhampton,
Taunton,	Woodstock,
Wellington,	Bath,
Bridgewater,	Cirencester,
Wells,	Gloucester,
Oxford,	Thame,
Burford,	Wickham,
Witney,	Beconsfield,
Chipping-norton,	Gerrard's Cross,
Campden,	Abingdon, and
Evesham,	Farringdon.

The Person who committed this Robbery, was a tall lusty black Man, about Six Feet high, between Forty and Fifty Years of Age, marked with the Small Pox, and had on a blue Surtout or Horseman's Coat, and under it a dark coloured one, with white Metal Buttons, and wore a black or dark coloured Wig, and rode upon a large Brown Bay Horse or Mare, Fifteen Hands high, with a bald Face, and a dark black Mane, the Tail lately docked and nicked, the Wounds not healed.

This therefore is to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby the Person, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

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George Shelvocke, Secretary.

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TO be sold pre-emptorily, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, to the best Purchaser, on Friday the 31st Day of January Instant, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, The Reversion of an Estate at Church Down in the County of Gloucester, being Part of the Real Estate of Henry Wyndowe, Esq; deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

WHEREAS Abraham John Martin, about 18 Years of Age, Son of Richard Martin, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Mariner, by Margaret his Wife, Daughter of Abraham Lyon, late of Lees Hall in the Parish of Oldham near Manchester in the said County, Gent. some Time ago went Abroad in a Vessel bound from Liverpool to the West Indies, and has not been lately heard of; and by the Death of Nicholas John Lyon, late of Lees Hall aforesaid, Esq; the said Abraham John Martin is become intitled to a Moiety of a considerable Estate: This is to give Notice, that if the said Abraham John Martin will apply by Letter, or otherwise, to Mr. Simon Dearden, of Rochdale in the County aforesaid, or to Mr. Hudson of Staple's Inn, London, he may hear of something greatly to his Advantage: Or if the said Abraham John Martin be dead, this is to give Notice to all Masters of Ships and Mariners, who may chance to know of his Death; that if they will send to the said Mr. Dearden an authentick Account thereof, they shall receive any reasonable Gratuity for their Trouble; or an Account from any one who may have seen him lately Abroad, directed as above, would be gratefully received.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Walford, late Wolverton in the County of Warwick, Money Scrivener 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 16th and 22d of January Instant, and on the 22d of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Thomas Wilmot, being the Sign of the Three Tuns in the Borough of Warwick in the said County of Warwick, 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. Joshua Harborne, Attorney, in Kenelworth in the said County of Warwick.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Collingwood, of Pescott Street Goodman's Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, 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 21st of January instant, and on the 4th of February next, at Four in the Afternoon, and on the 22d of the said February at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make 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. Beardmore, Attorney, in Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Griffiths, late of the Parish of St. Catherine Cree, London, Vintner, Victualler 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 25th Days of January Instant, and on the 22d Day of February next, at Four 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. Hawkins, Attorney, in Clements-Lane, Lombard-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Lime Platt, of Coleman Street, London, Ironmonger, 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 27th of January instant, and on the 22d 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. Callaghan, Attorney, at Lambeth, Surry.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Coombs, late of Froome Sellwood in the County of Somerset, Clothier, intend to meet on the 31st of January instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of George Whatley, being the Black Bear Inn at Devizes in the County of Wilts, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove 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 William Nourse, now or late of Nailsworth, in the Parish of Avening in the County of Gloucester, Clothier, and the Assignees of the Estate chosen under the said Commission, intend to meet on the 3d of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Holliday, Innkeeper, known by the Sign of the Crown in Minchinghampton in the said County of Gloucester, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Harrison, of the City of Canterbury, Upholsterer, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Phillip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Harrison 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 1st of February next.