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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 Ca-

pital, 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.

By the Lords Justices General and General
Governors of Ireland,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

George Armagh. Newport, C.

WHereas the Lords Justices of Great Britain have signified unto us their Pleasure, That the Parliament of this Kingdom, which now stands Prorogued to Tuesday the Eleventh Day of August Instant, be further Prorogued to the Fifth Day of April next; We do therefore publish and declare, That the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is hereby further Prorogued to the Fifth Day of April next: Whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament, are to take Notice accordingly.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin,
the Third Day of August, 1752.

By their Excellencies Command,
Tho. Waite.

G O D save the K I N G.

Naples, July 25. On Saturday last Prince Esterhasi, Ambassador from their Imperial Majesties, went to Court, in great State, and was admitted to his first publick Audience of the King, Queen, and the rest of the Royal Family, being introduced by the Marquess d'Aquaviva, Introducator of Ambassadors.

Rome, July 29. Count Riviera, Minister from the King of Sardinia to this Court, having received last Night a Courier from Turin, with Advice of the Dutchess of Savoy's being happily delivered of a Princess, communicated the same this Morning to the Pope in a private Audience he had for that Purpose. M. Buffy is returned here from Ferrara, whither he went some Time since, by Order of the Pope, to visit the Fortifications and Magazines. The Cardinal Secretary of State is again indisposed. We are informed by Letters from Tivoli, that on the 21st Instant at Night, they felt a most violent Shock of an Earthquake, which greatly alarmed the Inhabitants, but that happily it went off without causing any considerable Damage.

Petersbourg, July 29. Colonel Pofs, the new Swedish Minister to this Court, arrived here a few Days ago, and To-morrow he is to have his first Audience of the Empress at Peterhoff.

Turin, Aug. 2. The Dutchess of Savoy is so well recovered of her late Lying-in, as to be able to see Company in her own Apartment. The King has at length agreed to accede to the Treaty of Madrid, but we have not as yet been able to learn on what Conditions. By Letters from Modena we are informed, that the Duke has given Orders for raising a new Regiment, the Officers for which, 'tis said, are already appointed.

Munich, Aug. 7. The Elector of Bavaria, with the Electress his Spouse, attended by Count Sinheim, set out this Morning to hunt for some Days in the Mountains near the Tyrol, from whence their Electoral Highnesses will return to Nimphenberg on Friday or Saturday next.

Besancon, Aug. 8. A great Number of Gold, Silver and Copper Medals were found by some Workmen, a few Days ago, as they were digging for the Foundation of a House in the Neighbourhood of this City, amongst which there are some of Vespasian, Titus, Marcus Aurelius, Julian the Apostate, and several others of the ancient Roman Emperors.

Vienna, Aug. 9. Baron Newhaufs, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Elector of Bavaria to

this Court, had last Week his Audience of Leave of their Imperial Majesties, and is since set out on his Return to Munich. The Repairing and Augmenting the Fortifications of this City go on very fast, a great Number of Men being actually employed in that Work. We learn from Bohemia, that the Troops appointed to form the Camp at Colin are already arrived. They talk of three several Camps being soon to be formed in Hungary, the first near Katschau, which is to be commanded by Lieutenant General Count O'Donel, the second in the Neighbourhood of Pest, and the third near Eperies.

Copenhagen, Aug. 12. The Court goes on Monday next to Jagersprus, and will spend a Fortnight there in the Diversion of Hunting; so that in all Probability no more Councils will be held at Friedensburg till the 1st of September. Last Week the new Queen came privately to view the Palace in this City, where she dined, and returned afterwards to Friedensburg, her Majesty intending always to appear here in private till after her publick Entry.

Hambourg, Aug. 12. The Magistrates of this City have given publick Notice to the Merchants, that the Treaty concluded last Year with the Algerines is now void; and that they are therefore to regulate their Affairs accordingly. We learn from Gothenbourg, that a great Number of Foreigners are already arrived there, to attend the Sale of the Merchandize lately brought from the East Indies, which begins on the 17th Instant.

Brussels, Aug. 14. The States of Brabant have agreed to the Project for making a new Road from Little Willebroek to Boom. M. Cordeys, one of her Imperial Majesty's Commissaries to the Conferences in this City, is appointed President of the Chamber of Accounts, in the Room of the late M. de Wit. We learn from Namur, that the Ceremony of the Marriage of Mademoiselle de Gavre, Daughter of the Governor of that City, with the Prince of Hernes, was celebrated there on Thursday last; and that the Entertainments given on that Occasion were very magnificent.

Dusseldorp, Aug. 15. Count Cavalchini, Governor of Manheim, having obtained Leave to resign that Post, the same has been conferred on Major General Breyfing, Lieutenant Governor of this City. They write from Spa, that the Cardinal Prince and Bishop of Liege had left that Place on his Return home, having found great Benefit from drinking the Waters.

Paris, Aug. 17. The Dauphin is perfectly recovered of the Small Pox, and is to be removed from Versailles, as soon as it is resolved to which of the Royal Houses it will be the most proper he should go for the Change of Air.

Hague, Aug. 20. Count Dehn, the Danish Envoy Extraordinary at this Court, has been in Conference with the President of the Assembly of the States General, to whom he delivered a Letter from the King his Master, acquainting their High Mightinesses with his late Marriage with the Princess of Brunswick Wolfembuttel. On Wednesday Night last Baron Waffenaer, Ambassador from this Republick to the Court of Spain, returned here from Dieren, where he went to take Leave of her Serene Highness the Princess Governante, being to set out on Tuesday next for Madrid, by the Way of Brussels and Paris. We learn from Rotterdam, that M. Senserf, Member of the Council, and ancient Burgomaster of that City, died there on Monday last.

East-India-House, Aug. 12, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 27th Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

East-India-House, Aug 12, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies give Notice, That they will, on Monday the 2d of October next, begin to pay the Interest on all such of their Bonds as carry Interest to the 30th of September 1752: But whereas by the late Act of Parliament for correcting the Callender, the Month of September, in this present Year, is to contain only Nineteen Days, the said Court do think it necessary to give this further Notice, That instead of Six Months Interest as usual, there will be due on the said Bonds from the 31st of March 1752, to the 30th of September next only Five Months and Nineteen Days Interest, which will be, in to be paid on Monday the 2d of October next accordingly.

East-India-House, Aug. 12, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's $3\frac{1}{2}$ per Cent. Annuities will be shut on Friday the 15th Day of September next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Friday the 20th Day of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants for the said $3\frac{1}{2}$ per Cent. Annuities, due on the 10th of October next, will be delivered on Monday, Wednesday and Friday in every Week, (Holydays excepted) between the Hours of Nine and Twelve in the Forenoon, and Three and Five in the Afternoon, to begin on Friday the 3d Day of November next.

That the Transfer Books for the said Company's 3 per Cent. Annuities will be shut on Saturday the 16th Day of September next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Saturday the 21st Day of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants for the said 3 per Cent. Annuities, due on the 10th of October next, will be delivered on Monday, Wednesday and Friday in every Week, (Holydays excepted) between the Hours of Nine and Twelve in the Forenoon, and Three and Five in the Afternoon, to begin on Friday the 3d Day of November next.

N. B. The Possessors of the Company's Mark'd Bonds and Certificates for East-India Annuities, are desired to bring them in to be made Stock before the Shutting of the Books, as otherwise Warrants for the next Dividends due thereon cannot be made out

No Certificates or Permits will be taken in to be made Stock during the Time the Books are shut.

August 15, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That the Transfer Books for Bank Stock will be shut from Thursday the 14th of September next, until Thursday the 19th of October following.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

Trinity-House, London, Aug. 6, 1752.

Notice is hereby given, That two Lighthouses are erected on the Lizard, bearing from each other by a common Compass West 5° Northerly and East 5° Southerly, Distance 72 Yards, that the Fires will be lighted the Night between the 22d and 23d Instant, and kept constantly burning in the Night Season.

A General Meeting of the Trustees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suffex, is appointed to be held at the Fox and Hounds Inn in Croydon, on Saturday the 29th Day of August, 1752, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon; to chuse Trustees in the Place of such as are dead, removed, or refuse to act: And to appoint Toll Collectors; and other Affairs relating to the Trust.

S. Gourney, Clerk.

Victualling-Office, August 10, 1752.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy hereby give Notice, That on Wednesday the 2d of September next, exactly at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Proposals from such Persons as may be willing to serve his Majesty's Navy with British Butter, Suffolk, Cheshire, Warwickshire, or Gloucestershire Cheese, for one Year, commencing from the 30th of September next.

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THE Joint Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against Ralph Harwood and James Harwood, late of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch, Brewers and Partners, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded and issued, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate, on Friday the 28th Day of August Instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Arms Tavern in Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees agreeing, compounding, or submitting to Arbitration certain Matters relating to the said Bankrupts Estate, and on other special Affairs relating to the said Bankrupts Estate.

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Solomon Da Costa, *Broker*.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors by Bond, of Pawlet late Earl of Bolingbrook, deceased, are to come before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and claim their Proportions of a Sum of 174l. 4s. 5d. the Ballance of Cash remaining in the Bank of England for Payment thereof. Dated this 12th Day of August 1752.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against Timothy Child, of Twickenham in the County of Middlesex, Distiller, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Monday the 24th Day of this Instant August, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Nag's Head Inn at Twickenham aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees putting up to Sale the said Bankrupt's Estate and Interest in several Houses, situate in Twickenham aforesaid, and other special Affairs relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate.

THE Creditors of Abraham Lestourgeon, of London, Merchant and Broker, who have proved their Debts under the said Commission, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Virginia Coffee-house in Freeman's Court, Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and for the compounding, agreeing, or leaving to Reference any Debt or Demand relating thereto, and upon other special Affairs.

TO be sold, on Tuesday the 19th Day of September next, by Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the White-Hart Inn in Launceston in the County of Cornwall, before the major Part of the Commissioners named in a Commission of Bankrupt issued against Thomas Saltren, of Launceston aforesaid, Mercer and Chapman, in Pursuance of an Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, all the said Thomas Saltren's Right and Interest in his Wife's Real and Chattel Estates in Launceston aforesaid, that is to say, the Residue of a Term or Terms of 800 Years and upwards in Reversion, of the Life of Mrs. Honour Kingdon of Launceston aforesaid, in the Messuage or Dwelling House, with the Appurtenances, wherein the said

Mrs. Kingdon now dwells.— And also for the absolute Life of the said Thomas Saltren,— The Field called Bush-Park, now rented by Mr. George Clives; and also another Field called Wadland's Meadow, and the Garden and Orchard thereto adjoining, now leased out upon one Life about 90 Years of Age, with the Benefit of the Rent reserved on that Lease: And also a Conventiary yearly Rent of 10s. issuable out of the Garden in Possession of Mr. George Mann; and two other Garden Plots thereunto adjoining.— And likewise the Reversion for the Life also of the said Thomas Saltren, of Walton's Orchard and Garden in Launceston aforesaid, which are held by the said Mrs. Kingdon for her Life. In the mean Time Application may be made to the said Mr. Mann, at his House in Launceston.

THE Creditors of Abraham Lestourgeon and Joseph Coygarne, late of London, Merchants, Chapmen and Partners, who have proved their Debts under the said Commission, are desired to meet the Assignees of their Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Virginia Coffee-house in Freeman's Court, Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, and for the compounding, agreeing, or leaving to Reference any Debt or Demand relating thereto, and upon other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Dod Bonell and John Duprie, late of London, Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th and 28th of August instant, and on the 7th of October next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Pembroke, Attorney, in Abb-Church-Lane, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Dod Bonell, late of London, 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 19th of August Instant, the 1st of September next, and on the 7th of October following, at Ten in the Forenoon 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. Pembroke, Attorney, in Abb-Church-Lane, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Methuen, late of Bridgwater in the County of Somerset, Gentleman and Scrivener, 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 25th and 26th of September next, and on the 7th of October following, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Rachel Webb, known by the Sign of the King's Head in Bridgwater in the County of Somerset aforesaid, 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. Richard Codrington, Attorney, at Bridgwater aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Jonathan Collyer the Younger, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 15th Day of November next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 under the said Commission, 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 Edward Argles, of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborne, in the County of Middlesex, Mercer, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Edward Argles 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 16th of September next.