

ating the *Ta e* to be laid on the said North Level, and for the more effectual draining and preserving the said North Level, and divers Lands adjoining thereto in the Manor of Crowland.

An Act for improving and preserving the Navigation from Salter's Load Sluice, in the County of Norfolk, to Standground Sluice, in the County of Huntingdon, and from Floods Ferry, in the Isle of Ely, in the County of Cambridge, to Ramsey High Load, in the said County of Huntingdon; and also the Navigation from Old Bedford Sluice, in the said County of Norfolk, to the River Nene, in the Parish of Ramsey, in the said County of Huntingdon.

An Act for the better Relief and Employment of the Poor in the Parish of Saint Nicholas, Deptford, in the County of Kent, and in the Parish of Saint Paul, Deptford, in the Counties of Kent and Surry, and for repairing the Highways, and paving and cleansing the Streets, in the said Parishes.

An Act for laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, or one Sixth Part of a Penny Sterling, upon every Scots Pint of Ale and Beer brewed for Sale, vended, or sold, within the Town and Barony of Alloa, in the County of Clackmannan; and also a Duty of Anchorage for Ships and Vessels anchoring in the Harbour of the said Town, for repairing the Pier of the said Harbour.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act, made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, for repairing and widening the Road from the Town of Rochdale, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, leading over a certain craggy Mountain called Blackstone Edge, in the same County, and from thence to the Towns of Hallifax and Ealand, in the County of York.

An Act for repairing and widening the Roads from the Borough of Stratford upon Avon, in the County of Warwick, through Alcester, in the said County, and Feckingham, to a Place called Bradley Brook, in the County of Worcester, and from Alcester through Great Coughton and Crabbs Cross, in the said County of Warwick, and through Hewell Lane and Burcott, to the Cross of Hands on a Common called the Leekhay, and out of Hewell Lane, through Church Lane, and Tutnell, to Bromsgrove, in the said County of Worcester.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from the North End of Bridgesford Lane, in the County of Nottingham, to and through several Towns and Places in the Counties of Nottingham, Leicester, Rutland, and through Rockingham, to the Bowling Green at Kettering, in the County of Northampton.

An Act for opening, making, widening, and keeping in Repair, a Road from Ratcliff Highway through Cannon Street, in the County of Middlesex, into the Road leading into the County of Essex, and also from the West End of Brook Street into Cable Street, and from Upper Shadwell

Street into the Back-Lane, in the said County of Middlesex.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from Leicester to Narborough, and from Leicester to Coventry, and from thence through Kenilworth to Warwick, and from thence to Halford Bridge, and from Warwick to Stratford upon Avon, and from Coventry to Martyn's Gutter, leading towards Stoneleigh Town, and for supplying an Omission in an Act, passed in the last Session of Parliament, for repairing the Road from Leicester to Ashby de la Zouch, in the County of Leicester.

An Act for amending and widening several Roads leading from the Borough of Truro, in the County of Cornwall.

And to Twenty-three Private Bills.

After which His Majesty was pleased to make the following most gracious Speech.

*My Lords and Gentlemen,*

Nothing could have given me greater Satisfaction, at this Time, than the Unanimity, and Dispatch, with which you have gone through the Business of this Session. Though no particular Point of extraordinary Moment hath offered itself to your Consideration, yet you have shewn the most attentive Regard to every Branch of the Publick Service. As to Foreign Affairs, I shall say nothing at present, except, That it is my fixed Resolution to do every Thing, in my Power, to maintain the general Tranquility, and to adhere to such Measures, for that Purpose, as I have hitherto pursued, in Conjunction with the Powers in Alliance with me.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons,*

I return you my hearty Thanks for the Supplies, which you have so chearfully granted; and which are the more acceptable to me; as they have brought no new Burthen upon my good Subjects.

*My Lords and Gentlemen,*

The Time draws near, when the present Parliament must determine by Law; and it is my Intention, very speedily, to call a new one. But it would be unjust to This, not to give It a Publick Testimony of my Approbation. The many eminent Proofs, which you have given, of your Duty and Affection to my Person and Government; of your Zeal for this excellent Constitution; and for the Security of the present Establishment; can never be forgotten by me. By your vigorous Assistance, under the Protection of the Divine Providence, I was enabled to put an End to an expensive though necessary War, by an honourable Peace, which