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At the Court at St. James's the 27th Day of March, 1755.

P R E S E N T;

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was graciously pleased, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Eleventh Day of this Instant March, to promise and declare, (amongst other Things) that the Bounties of three Pounds for every Able Seaman, of Forty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, and of Twenty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, should be paid to every such Seaman and Landman respectively, who should, on or before the Thirty-first Day of this Instant, voluntarily Enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Two Pounds should be also paid to any Person who should, on or before the said Thirty-first Day of this Instant, discover any Seaman, or Seamen, who should conceal themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's said Service—And whereas the Time thereby limited for paying the said Bounties and Rewards is now near expiring; and it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service; that the same should be continued for some longer Time: His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore Order; and it is hereby accordingly ordered, That the Time limited by the said Proclamation for Payment of the said Bounties and Rewards, be prolonged and extended from the said Thirty-first Day of this Instant March, to the Thirtieth Day of April next, inclusive—Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

Petersbourg, Feb. 28. On Friday last, being the Great Prince's Birth-Day, who then entered

into the 27th Year of his Age, the same was celebrated at Court with great Magnificence, the principal Nobility of both Sexes, and the Foreign Ministers, appearing at Court, in their richest Habits, to compliment his Imperial Highness on that Occasion. The Count de Sapiaha, a Polish Nobleman, who has been here for some Time past, and treated with great Marks of Distinction, is preparing to set out for his own Country.

Warsaw, March 8. Baron Scharffenstein, who has been here for forty four Years in Quality of Resident from their Imperial Majesties; died on Monday last, in the 73d Year of his Age; and Yesterday his Corps, after lying three Days in State, was interred, with great Funeral Pomp, in the Church of the Convent of the Capuchins. The Ambassador, who is coming from Constantinople, to notify to the King and Republick of Poland, the Accession of Osman III. to the Ottoman Throne, arrived at Dubno on the 25th of last Month; and is daily expected here.

Vienna, March 15. Last Thursday, being the Archduke Joseph's Birth Day, their Imperial Majesties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers on that Occasion, as did his Imperial Highness and the two eldest Archdutchesses. Count Ogilvie, Count of the Holy Roman Empire; and one of their Imperial Majesties Chamberlains, died here Yesterday in the 34th Year of his Age.

Dresden, March 16. Baron Fehcenbach; Minister from the Prince Bishop of Wurtzbourg, had on Sunday last his Audiences of their Majesties and the Royal Family, and is set out on his Return to Wurtzbourg. The Navigation of the Elbe, which was interrupted for ten Weeks by the Ice, became free on the 8th Instant.

Paris, March 21. The King, who went last Friday to Bellevue, returned the next Day to Versailles. The Baron de Grevenbroeck, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Courts of Manheim and Munich, having received his Letters of Revocation from the Elector of Bavaria; presented

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presented the same to his Majesty on Tuesday last in a private Audience, to which he was conducted by the Marquess de Verneuil, Introducer of Ambassadors. The Dukes of Rochefort, Fitz-James, Harcourt, Antin and Valentinois, took their Seats last Monday in Parliament, in Quality of Peers of France.

Hague, March 25. Her Royal Highness the Princess Governante is perfectly recovered from her late Illness. This Morning the States of this Province reassumed their Deliberations; and the Deputies of the several Colleges of the Admiralty meet regularly to consider of the Affairs of their Department. The Council of State has named M. van Wullen, to replace the late Baron Villattes in the Employment of Receiver of the publick Revenues in the District of Kempeiland, which is Part of the Mayoralty of Bois-le-duc. We have received an Account of the Death of M. Lely, Lieutenant General of Foot in the Service of this Republick; as also of M. Quintus, Chief of the Provincial Chamber of Justice at Groninguen.

Admiralty Office, March 24, 1755.

Whereas about Eight o'Clock at Night of the 20th Instant, divers Persons, to the Number of Twenty Seven and upwards, armed and disguised, some having their Faces blacked, some with Caps, and others with Hatches over their Heads, did unlawfully, riotously, and tumultuously assemble in the Town of Deal in the County of Kent, and then attacked a certain House in the said Town, where a Press Gang, employed to press Seamen for His Majesty's Service, then kept their Rendezvous, and not only broke the Windows of the said House, but also wilfully, maliciously, and cruelly beat and wounded several of the said Press Gang in a very dangerous Manner, and did also afterwards, the same Night, attack another House in the said Town of Deal, being the Dwelling House of Lieut. James Cunningham, the Commanding Officer of the said Press Gang, and broke the Windows, Window Shutters, and Iron Bars of that House, and were proceeding to commit further Outrages there, had they not been prevented by the Assistance of the Civil Magistrates: And my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, judging it highly necessary that the Persons guilty of the above-mentioned Offences should be immediately detected and brought to Justice; I do therefore, in Obedience to their Lordships Commands, hereby offer a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds for the discovering, apprehending and prosecuting of all, or any three or more of the Persons who were principally guilty of the several Offences aforesaid; which Reward shall, upon the Conviction of such Three, or more of the said principal Offenders, be paid and distributed by Samuel Seddon, Esq; Solicitor of the Admiralty, unto and amongst the several Persons who shall be concerned in discovering, apprehending and prosecuting the said Offenders, in such Proportions as he the said Solicitor shall judge to be reasonable.

J. Cleveland.

March 31, 1755.

A sufficient Number of the Trustees for repairing the Roads from Stevenage in the County of Hertford, to Big-

gleswade in the County of Bedford, not appearing at the last General Meeting, appointed to have been held at the Sun Inn at Bigleswade, on Tuesday the 25th Day of March Instant, the said Trustees are desired to meet at the same House, on Tuesday the 22d Day of April, 1755.
Isa. Wilkinson, Clerk to the Trustees.

East India House, February 19, 1755.

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

That the Transfer Book of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 6th Day of March next, at Two of the Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenball Street, on Wednesday the 19th Day of March next, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their said House, on Wednesday the 26th Day of said March.

That a General Court will be held at their said House, on Wednesday the 9th Day of April next, for the Election of twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, after which no Lists will be taken in.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened on Thursday the 10th Day of said April.

Advertisements.

By the KING'S PATENT.

HIS MAJESTY having been graciously pleased to grant his Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Westminster the 17th Day of October 1751, in the 25th Year of his Reign, unto Richard Rock, of the Parish of St. Bridget, otherwise Bride's, London, Licentiate in Medicine, for his New Compound Medicine, or Anti-Veneral Cathartick Electuary, for the true Cure of fresh Veneral Injuries, and all the lurking Relicks or Remains of old ones, which he has brought to a surprizing Degree of Perfection in the Cure of the several Stages of the Veneral Distemper, from the slightest Infection to the most inveterate Degree thereof, without breaking or impairing the Constitution, enervating the human System, or leaving any Foulness or Weakness behind; This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, for whose Use and Benefit the said Letters Patent were principally obtained, that the said most admirable Electuary is sold by him at the Golden Head and Key, Bell Savage Inn Gateway, Ludgate-Hill, London, at only 6s. and a Book of plain Instructions (by the Help of which every one may be his own Physician) given with each Pot: Where Advice is to be had, and all Debilities, Obstructions of the urinary Passages, and Glects, are absolutely cured.

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THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Neville, of the Parish of Saint James in the Liberty of Westminster, Goldsmith, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on Thursday the 10th Day of April Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Goldsmiths Coffee house, near Goldsmiths Hall, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, touching the said Bankrupt's Estate, or to their agreeing, compounding or submitting to Arbitration any Matters in Dispute relating thereto, and on other Affairs.

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IF William Surton, late of Durrington in the County of Wilts, Yeoman, be living, and will call on or send to George Harris of Niton Farm, near Amesbury in the said County of Wilts, he may be informed of something to his Advantage; or any Person who can give Information whether he be living or dead, shall be gratefully rewarded for their Trouble by the said George Harris.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Mills, of Old Brentford, in the County of Middlesex, Distiller, 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 8th and 15th of this Instant April, and on the 13th of May following, 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. Hammond, in New-Inn.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Hawksworth, late of High Town, in the Parish Bursfall, otherwise Birstall, in the County of York, Woollen Draper, Mercer 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 14th and 28th Days of April Instant, and on the 13th Day of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Hayes, known by the Sign of the Globe and Cross Keys in the Great Flesh Shambles, in the City of York, 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. Ralph Yoward, Attorney, at York.

THE Meeting of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Percival, of Sewberrans, in the Parish of Newton, in the County of Cumberland, Chapman, and Dealer in Cattle, which was advertized in the London Gazette of Saturday the 8th of February last, for a Dividend to be made on the 10th Day of April Instant, at the House of William Redhead, in Penrith, in the said County, known by the Sign of the Red Lyon, is postponed till the 23d Day of April Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the House of the said William Redhead, in Penrith aforesaid; at which Time and Place the Commissioners will meet, 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 John Carrack, of Newgate Street, London, Hosier and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th Day of this Instant April, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Barker, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Grocer, intend to meet on Monday the 28th Day of this Instant April, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Edward Rathbone, being the Sign of the Golden Talbot in Water-street in Liverpool aforesaid, 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Ralph Middleton, late of the Burrough of Southwarke in the County of Surry, and Alexander Middleton, late of the same Place, but then of the Parish of Christ Church, in the said County of Surry, Brewers and Partners in Trade, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Alexander Middleton 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 22d of April Instant.

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