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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 14th Day of *April*, 1759,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty  
in Council.

**W**HEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council of the 20th of February last, to direct, that the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, and of Thirty Shillings for every Able Bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, should be continued to be paid, immediately after the first Muster, to such Seamen and Landmen respectively, who should, on or before the 21st Day of this Instant April, enter themselves in the Royal Navy; and that the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, should likewise be continued to be paid to such Person or Persons, who should, on or before the Day above-mentioned, discover any concealed Seamen, so that such Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's Service; Which Time being now near expiring, His Majesty doth hereby order, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, that the said Bounties and Rewards be continued to be paid from the said 21st of this Instant April, until the 2d Day of June next. And whereas since the Issuing the aforementioned Order of the 20th of February, His Majesty had been given to understand, that there were dispersed in various Parts of the Kingdom, great Numbers of Seamen and Seafaring Men, some of whom were endeavouring to conceal themselves in order to avoid His Majesty's Service, and that others of them might be inclined to enter as Volunteers into the Service, and reap the Benefit of His Majesty's aforementioned Bounties, provided that the Justices of the Peace, or other Magistrates (near to whom the said Seamen reside) were authorized and directed to receive them, and to cause them to be conducted to any of the Ships of War—His Majesty was thereupon pleased, by His Orders in Council of the 9th of March last, to Require and Command all the Justices of the Peace, and Mayors of Cities and Towns throughout the Kingdom of England and Wales, and likewise the Provosts of Edinburgh, Glasgow, and Aberdeen, in Scotland, to cause strict Search to be made, within their respective Jurisdictions, for all straggling Seamen and Seafaring Men, fit for His Majesty's

Service, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, and to take them up, and send them by careful Conductors to a Sea Officer employed in raising Men on Shore, or to the nearest Sea Port Town, in order to their being put on Board His Majesty's Ships of War: Which Conductors were to be paid by the said Sea Officer on Shore, or the Captains of such Ships to whom such Seamen should be delivered, Twenty Shillings for each Seaman, and six-pence a Mile for each Man, for every Mile they might respectively Travel:—And the said Justices, and other Magistrates, were thereby likewise required and commanded, to receive all such Seamen and Seafaring Men, who should appear before them, and offer to enter as Volunteers, in Case they were of Health and Ability fit for His Majesty's Service, and not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, and to grant to each Seaman a Certificate of such his voluntary Offer, and to cause them to be conducted, in like Manner, and with the same Allowances, as above directed with respect to Straggling Seamen:—And the Sea Officer on Shore, or the Captains of such Ships, to whom such Volunter Seamen should be delivered, were directed to pay to every such Seaman, after his being so put on Board (upon producing the Certificate aforementioned) the Bounties of Three Pounds to every able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings to every ordinary Seaman;—And His Majesty judging it necessary for His Service, that all the afore-recited Directions, contained in His Majesty's said Orders in Council, of the 9th of March last, should be continued until the 2d Day of June next, doth hereby Order, with the Advice of His Privy Council, that the same be continued, and remain in full Force, until the said 2d Day of June next accordingly.—Whereof all the aforesaid Justices of the Peace, and other Magistrates, as likewise all other Persons, whom it may concern, are to take Notice, and yield due Obedience hereunto.

*Hen. Fane.*

AT the Court at *St. James's* the 14th Day of *April*, 1759.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty  
in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 15th of September last, for prohibiting the exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of

of this Instant April—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the said Prohibition should be continued for some longer Time, —His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, Prohibit and Command, that no Person or Persons whatsoever (except the Master General, Lieutenant General, or principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the said 29th Day of this Instant April, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ship, or lade, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf, first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the Twenty Ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Salt Petre, and to enforce the Law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and Ammunition; and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Salt Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition."—And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Lieutenant General and principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

*Hen. Fane.*

*Constantinople, March 17.* On Wednesday last the Birth of a Royal Princess was made known to the People; and the following Evening publick Rejoycings began on Account of this happy Event. The Illuminations, which exceed all that were ever remembered in this City, are to continue for a Week, and are to be followed by Fireworks, which are to be played off three Nights together on the Canal before the Seraglio. All possible Care is taken to prevent Accidents or Disorders during these Rejoycings; and, for this Purpose, all the Taverns, which are very numerous, are to remain shut upon Pain of Death.

*Rome, March 31.* The Pope has received an Account of the Death of Cardinal de Tavannes, by which Twenty-one Hats are vacant in the College of Cardinals.

*Florence, April 7.* A few Days ago anchored at Leghorn, His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Portland, Captain Arburthnot: She came from Gibraltar as Convoy to a Fleet of Merchantmen from England; and is to take up all the Homeward bound Ships. On the 4th Instant anchored likewise at Leghorn, from a Cruize, His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Lyme.

*Landshut, in the Mountains of Silesia, 15th of April.*

On the 12th Instant, His Prussian Majesty march'd from Bolkenkayn, and fixed the Head

Quarters at Landshut; the Troops that were behind had Orders likewise to advance, and are cantoned in the Villages in the Mountains along this Frontier.

This Morning an Out-guard of Hussars was attack'd by about 300 Austrian Cavalry. The Officer that commanded the Prussian Party retired to Libau, with the Loss only of one Man made Prisoner. It is said, that the Right of the Austrian Army is at Braunau, and the Left extends to Gabel.

*Prince Henry of Prussia's Head Quarters at Linay in Bohemia, April 17.*

The greatest Part of the Austrian Troops, which were upon the Borders of Saxony, having marched towards the Frontiers of Silesia and the Empire, his Royal Highness Prince Henry formed a Design of driving such of them as still remained in Bohemia beyond the Eger, and seizing the Magazines which the Enemy had upon the Elbe, and in their late Quarters; and accordingly the Prussians entered Bohemia the 15th Instant: One Column marched towards Peterwalde, and another, under the Command of General Hulsen, towards Pafsberg and Commottau. The Van Guard of that which marched to Peterwalde found the Eminence behind the Village fortified by a Redoubt, before which a considerable Number of felled Trees were laid, defended by 600 Croats, and some Hungarian Infantry: This Pass was forced, and, upon that Occasion, a Major and about 30 Men were made Prisoners, and 15 of the Enemy were left dead upon the Spot. The Time necessary for clearing a Way for the Passage of the Troops, facilitated the Enemy's Retreat, and gave the Alarm to their Quarters. The Van-guard divided into two Bodies, one of which marched to Auffig, and the other to Toplitz, but the Enemy retired, on all Sides, with the utmost Precipitation. The Magazine at Auffig was destroyed, and all the Boats on the Elbe were burnt. The Van-guard joined again on the 16th at Wellmina. All the Meal and Forage which the Enemy abandoned at Loboschutz and Leitmeritz was seized, and all the Boats and the Bridge, which the Austrians had lately built there, were burnt. The Vanguard is to be this Day at Budin, where the Enemy has another Magazine of Provision.—General Hulsen, on his Part, found the Pass of Pafsberg defended by a Body of Croats, and by the Regiments of Konigseck and Andlau. The Cavalry, which pass'd thro' Presnitz, attacked the Enemy in the Rear, at the same Time that they were attack'd by the Infantry, who drove the Austrians out of all their Intrenchments. General Renard, with 51 Officers and 2000 Men, were made Prisoners. Three Pair of Colours, Two Standards, and Three Pieces of Cannon, were taken. The Prussians lost only 70 Men killed and wounded in the Attack of Pafsberg.

*Admiralty Office, March 13, 1759.*

MY Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received many repeated Complaints of divers outrageous Acts of Piracy committed on Board great Numbers of Ships, as well English as Neutral, sailing in the English Channel, by the Crews of Ships or Vessels being or pretending to be English Privateers:

Their Lordships therefore, in order to detect and bring to Justice the Persons guilty of such Piracies and Robberies, (in Violation of the Laws of Nations in general, and of this Kingdom in particular,

and

and to the great Dishonour thereof) are pleased to promise a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongst such Person or Persons as shall, within Three Months from this Time, discover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any such Acts of Piracy as aforesaid, so as such Offender or Offenders shall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof.

And in regard the Committing of such Offences as aforesaid are greatly encouraged by divers Persons as Accessaries thereto, who knowingly assist, maintain, counsel, or advise the Committing of such Acts of Piracy, and also by Persons who receive Goods so piratically taken, and entertain and conceal Offenders, knowing them to have committed such Robberies :

Their Lordships therefore, in order to detect or bring to Justice the Persons guilty of such last mentioned Offences, are pleased to promise a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongst such Person or Persons as shall, within Three Months from this Time, discover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any such Offences last mentioned, so as such Offender or Offenders shall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof. Which said respective Rewards before mentioned, shall be paid, clear of all Deductions whatsoever, by Samuel Seddon, Esq; Solicitor of the Admiralty, immediately after the Conviction of such Offenders.

And as a further Encouragement, any of the said Offenders, (other than and except the respective Commander or Commanders of any such Piratical Ships or Vessels) who shall discover any one or more of the said Offenders, shall, on the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders so discovered, be intitled to His Majesty's most Gracious Pardon.

And their Lordships do also promise to grant, upon Request, to every Person, being a Seaman, (who by making any such Discovery or Discoveries, as aforesaid, shall be intitled to either to the Whole, or to any Part or Parts of any of the above-mentioned Rewards) an absolute Protection, to prevent his being impressed into His Majesty's Sea Service, during this present War with France.

J. Cleveland.

Navy Office, April 17, 1759.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 9th of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply Iron Ballast for His Majesty's Service, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children.

The Annual General Meeting of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital, appointed by His Majesty's Royal Charter, will be held on Wednesday the 9th of May 1759, at the said Hospital in Lamb's Conduit Fields, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, being the Annual General Meeting of this Corporation, for electing, by Ballot, a President, Six Vice Presidents, a Treasurer, a General Committee and a Secretary for the Year ensuing. And the said Governors, in order to promote this Charity, having agreed to dine together once a Year, at their own expence, have appointed the same Day, at Two o'Clock, for their dining together this Year, in the said Hospital: And the said Governors, or any Gentlemen inclined to dine with them, may have Tickets of the Steward of the said Hospital.

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

Note, On this Occasion the General Committee meet on Tuesday the 6th of May, at Ten in the Morning,

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Juno, who were actually on board her at taking the Marchant, a French Privateer,

that they will be paid their respective Shares for the Hull of the said Privateer, on her Arrival at Plymouth. And the Shares not then demanded, will be recalled by John Lloyd, Esq; at His Majesty's Yard in Plymouth; for three Years to come.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Seamen of His Majesty's Ship the Experiment, who were on Board at taking the Telemaque, a French Privateer, that they will be paid the Bounty-Money for the said Privateer, on Board His Majesty's Ship Sapphire, as soon as she comes into Port. And such Shares as are not then demanded, will be paid any Time, for three Years after; at Mess. Toulmin and Mobergk's in Old Broad-street, London.

British Linen Office, Edinburgh, Ap. 19, 1759.

The Court of Directors of the British Linen Company give Notice, that a Quarterly General Court is to be held at their Office here the first Monday of June next.

Bedford House, April 27, 1759.

Whereas at a Meeting held at Bedford on the 24th of March last, in Pursuance of a former Advertisement, to receive the Names of such Gentlemen as were willing to accept Commissions as Officers of the Militia of the County of Bedford, a sufficient Number did not then offer themselves, nor have since that Time offer'd themselves to accept of Commissions in the said Militia, as would be requisite for the Battalion intended to be raised in the said County; Notice is hereby given by His Majesty's Lieutenant, that all further Proceedings for raising the Militia for the said County, are hereby suspended until March 1760.

BEDFORD.

Burghley, April 27, 1759.

Whereas by an Advertisement dated the 14th Day of February last, in the London Gazette, all Persons, qualified to serve as Officers in the Militia Forces of the County of Rutland, and willing to accept Commissions, were desired to meet at the Falcon Inn at Uppingham, on Wednesday the 21st Day of March last, in order to deliver in their Names (specifying the Rank in which they were willing to serve) to His Majesty's Lieutenant of the said County, or such Person as he should appoint to receive the same; And whereas no Persons qualified delivered in their Names at such Meeting; and His Majesty's Lieutenant of the said County has not been able to find within One Month after the said Meeting any Persons qualified and willing to accept the Commissions of Field Officers and Captains; These are therefore, according to the Directions of the Act of Parliament, to give Notice, that all further Proceedings in the Execution of the Provisions of the said Act, are suspended until next Year.

EXETER.

I P S W I C H R A C E S, 1759.

ONE Hundred Guineas given by His Majesty will be run for on Ipswich New Race Ground in the County of Suffolk; on Tuesday the 17th Day of July next, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not exceeding four Years old this Grass, the best of three Heats, two Miles and a Quarter over the said Course, as shall be set out by Samuel Kent, Esq; or whom he shall appoint, to a Heat; to carry nine Stone Weight: To run according to His Majesty's Articles, and to be shewn and enter'd, and Certificates of their Ages, under the Hands of the Breeders, to be produced before such Persons as shall be appointed for that Purpose, at the White Horse Tavern in Ipswich, between the Hours of Eleven and One, the Day before Running. All Disputes and Differences, either as to Entry or Running for the above Plate, are to be settled and determined by such Persons as shall be appointed, according to the Orders issued by His Majesty's Master of the Horse for that Purpose.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or separately, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Friday the 11th Day of May next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, Ten Shares, or One Thousand Pounds Nominal Stock in the Company for working of Mines, Minerals and Metals, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, commonly called Scotch Mine Stock: And also Thirty-five Shares in the Stock or Fund of the Amicable Society of London Insurers, commonly called the Sun Fire Office. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

To

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitors-street Chancery-Lane, London, A Freehold Estate situate at Little Bramshall in the Parish of Uttoxeter in the County of Stafford, consisting of a Messuage and Outhouses, and divers Parcels of Land; late the Estate of Thomas Challiner, of Little Bramshall aforesaid, Gent. deceased, of the yearly Value of 56 l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Challiner, late of Little Bramshall in the Parish of Uttoxeter in the County of Stafford, Gentleman, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitors-street Chancery-Lane, London, in order to receive a Satisfaction for the same, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Ilfordcombe, April 23, 1759.

**O**n the 20th Day of this Instant, about Eleven o'Clock in the Night was cut out of the Harbour of Ilfordcombe, and carried away, as supposed (by some French Prisoners from South Molton, who were there on Parole or from Bideford) A fine new Pilot Boat, of the Burthen of 20 Tons, or thereabout, Fish Mast in, the Partners, with four Iron Hoops on the same, an exceeding good Sailer, all Sails tanned of a good Colour. If the same shall happen to be retaken and brought into any Port of England, the Captors are desired to acquaint Mr. John Fosse, Collector of His Majesty's Customs of the said-Port of Ilfordcombe, who will give all Satisfaction reasonably demanded for the same. N. B. If the same Boat be fitted out as a Privateer from France, she may do great Damage to the Coasting Trade in these Channels.

**P**ursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, the major Part of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Christopher Noble, of London, Merchant, intend to meet at Guildhall, London, on the 11th of May next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon; when and where the joint Creditors of the said Christopher Noble and William Pawson, late of Aporto in the Kingdom of Portugal, Merchant, his late Partner, are to come prepared to prove their joint Debts under the said separate Commission against the said Christopher Noble; and for other Purposes in the said Order mentioned.

**T**HE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against George Stratton, late of the Parish of St. Ann Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter, Dealer, and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees on Monday the 30th Day of April instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Cross Keys Tavern in Holborn, to consent to or assent from the Assignees commencing one or more Action or Actions in Law or in Equity, for the Recovery of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, or to compound or submit to Arbitration any Matter in Difference relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and on other special Affairs.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Hunt, of Basingstoke in the County of Southampton, Grocer, 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 3d and 16th Days of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 9th Day of June following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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. William Cracraft, Attorney, in London-Street, London.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Stephen Roberts, of Stoke near Guildford in the County of Surry, Bargeman, Timber Merchant, Victualler, 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 9th and 17th of May next, and on the 9th of June following, 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. Callaghan in Sweetings Alley near the Royal Exchange.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Tomlinson, of the Parish of Saint John Wapping in the County of Middlesex; Dealer in Hard Wood 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 15th

and 22d of May next, at Four in the Afternoon, and on the 9th of June following, at Eleven in the Forenoon, 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 assent to the Assignment already made, or chuse an Assignee or 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. Phillips, in Token House Yard, London.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Edward Webster, of Sheffield in the County of York, Druggist, 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 11th and 16th Days of May next, and on the 9th Day of June following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, 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. Cobb, Attorney, at Sadlers Hall in Cheapside, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Baldrey, of Fressingfield in the County of Suffolk, Grocer and Draper, intend to meet on the 24th of May next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Allday, known by the King's Head in the Market Place in the City of Norwich, in order to make a final 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Drury Bailey, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Broker and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d of May next, at Four 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, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Debonaire, late of the Parish of St. Dunstan at Stepney, otherwise Stebonheath, in the County of Middlesex, Jeweller, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May next, at Four of the 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**W**hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Oakley, of the Parish of Saint Mary Matfelon, otherwise White Chapple, in the County of Middlesex, Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said William Oakley 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 19th of May next.

**W**hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Marsh, of the City of York, Coal Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Marsh 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 19th of May next.

**W**hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Reed, of the Town of Kingston upon Hull in the County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, Shipwright, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said John Reed 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 19th of May next.

In last Saturday's Gazette, in Page 4. Col. 2. Line 48. from the Bottom, for Gloucester read Worcester.