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Sunday and Tuesday's Posts.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

Admiralty-Office, Jan. 7.

Immortalité, at anchor on the edge of the Bank de Bass, Boulogne, S. E. half S. four or five miles, Wednesday, January 4, 1804.

MY LORD—Having last night reinforced the crew of the Archer with some men from this ship, and pushed her in close a-shore, she was so fortunate as to fall in with and capture the French lugger gun-vessel, No. 432, mounting an eighteen and a twelve pounder, commanded by an Ensign de Vaisseau, with five seamen, a lieutenant, and twenty-six granadiers of the thirty-sixth regiment of the line, some of whom, with two seamen, escaped in her boat during the running fight, which she continued for a quarter of an hour with her stern gun and musketry. The Archer had part of her rigging cut, but no one materially hurt on either side.

The Archer and Griffin afterwards captured a dogger, a schuyt, and two Blankenburg fishing boats, which the prisoners report to be part of a convoy, which, with a prame of sixteen guns, and five or six gun-vessels, escaped under the land in the dark; some, I understand, laden with provisions and stores. The schuyt has gin, and the fishing boats timbers and knees for boats; each vessel had three or four soldiers on board.

Lieutenant Sheriff, of the Archer, has done every thing I could possibly wish or expect from his zeal; and Lieutenant Payne, of this ship, who commanded the boat and party assisting the Archer, executed that service with his usual alacrity; and the commander of the Griffin has my thanks for the share he bore in bringing off the latter vessels, which was effected under a very heavy fire from the shore, to which they were as close as possible.

I have the honor to be, &c.

(Signed) E. W. C. R. OWEN.

The Right Hon. Lord Keith, K. B. &c. &c.

On Sunday afternoon four of the Hamburgh mails that were due came to hand.

An article from the banks of the Maine states, that the Emperor Alexander has made application to the French Government for the evacuation of Hanover, and at the same time required that an indemnification should be made to the King of Sardinia, which if not complete, should at least amount to one-third part of the value of the states he had lost; and that this indemnification should be assigned him on the continent of Italy. The Court of Vienna, at the invitation of that of St. Petersburgh, supported both these propositions. Bonaparte, however, expressly declared that he could not consent to the evacuation of the territory of Hanover, before the restoration of peace; and that the indemnification of the King of Sardinia, should it be agreed to, could not be carried into effect till peace was concluded with England. In these negociations, it is added, the other great powers have taken no part. With respect to Spain and Portugal, their neutrality appears to be fully confirmed; a notification to this effect having lately been made by the Ministers of both those Powers at the Court of Vienna.

The whole of the Turkish Empire continues in a very unsettled state. A letter from Vienna mentions that some fresh disturbances have taken place at Constantinople, while in Syria, Abdollah, the late Pacha of Damascus, has put himself at the head of 15,000 rebels, and is laying waste the country with fire and sword, in revenge for having been deprived of his government, by Dgezzar Pacha. There are also disturbances in European Turkey, a body of rebels having advanced against Adrianople, and laid siege to that city. In addition to these facts, a letter from Constantinople of the 14th of November, contains the following intelligence:—

"The City of Alexandria, in Egypt, is closely besieged by the Beys. According to some accounts, Ali Pacha, the Turkish Commandant, has abandoned his town to the Mamelukes, and confined himself to the defence of the citadel.

"The Capitan Pacha has received orders from the Grand Seignior to return to this city. He has already arrived at the Dardanelles, with three ships of the line. The rest of the fleet continues off the Morea, under the command of the Turkish Vice-Admiral."

A letter from Constantinople, of the 9th November, states, that Mr. Drummond, our Ambassador at the Ottoman Porte, has been recalled on account of his perilous state of health, and is succeeded by Mr. Stratton, formerly Secretary to the Embassy, under the title of Minister Plenipotentiary.

Although the Paris news contained in the German papers is of no later date than the 16th ult. yet we find several curious articles with which the Dutch Journals had not acquainted us. Among others, it is stated, that Nunneries are to be re-established at Paris, but whether upon the old plan of absolute celibacy, or with certain modifications of the rigour which was formerly practised in those religious communities, is not specified. It is also said, that the First Consul, in a late Council of State, professed sentiments very favourable to the liberty of the press; but they were accompanied with exceptions that involve newspapers and pamphlets: These are still to be subject to censorial examination;—so that, if this piece of intelligence should be true, Bonaparte, in direct contradiction to his professions, continues to lay his oppressive hand on the two great organs of the press—and, with these in his power, and under the controul of his caprice and resentment, the rest is *vox et preterea nihil*.

We have been assured that official intelligence has been received by Government, stating, that Bonaparte has issued the most positive orders for the immediate sailing of the Brest fleet, as soon as the weather and the temporary absence of the British fleet will admit.

The Gazette of Saturday, in a letter which we have extracted, states the result of the firing which was heard at Deal and Dover on Tuesday and Wednesday.—From the accounts which reached town on Thursday and Friday, it was expected some great atchievement had been accomplished by our cruizers, and the London papers of those days amused their readers with a tale about the capture of 20 or 30 sail of the enemy's vessels! The action it is seen was of no further import, than as it proves our security from the famed French flotilla, whilst the smallest British vessels can make such havoc amongst it.

We are concerned to state the loss of the Grappler gun-vessel, by part of the flotilla from Granville. The Grappler, in getting under weigh from Chosse, struck upon one of the numerous rocks with which the sea in the neighbourhood of those islands is studded; and while in this situation was attacked and destroyed by the enemy's boats from the opposite coast. The crew were carried prisoners to Granville, excepting the master and six men, who had previously left her in a boat, and are arrived at Guernsey.

The King's not going to Covent-Garden theatre last Thursday, was to avoid the public confusion that the annunciation to him there of the French attempting to land, which was then hourly expected, must unavoidably have occasioned. His Majesty's tent equipage is all ready, packed at Buckingham-House, and is to be removed to Chelmsford, on the first appearance of the enemy on the eastern coast.

A Dublin mail of the 3d instant arrived on Sunday.—Mr. Wickham, Secretary for Ireland, it appears, has been obliged to retire from public business on account of ill health.

A court martial is at present sitting, at Chelsea college, on General Burton, for sending a challenge to an inferior officer. The Court is composed of officers of the first distinction, and the General is a man of high honour, and an excellent soldier.—The arrest was notified by his Majesty, through Secretary Yorke, to Parliament, a few days previous to the recess.

At an entertainment given by Mr. J. W. Hull, of Great Baddow, Essex, last week, there were, among other delicacies, *green peas* and *strawberries*.

Singular Accident.—The neighbourhood of Hammersmith has of late been kept in a constant state of alarm, in consequence of the nocturnal appearance of what credulity termed a *Ghost*. For many weeks past the church bell no sooner struck one, than a spectre seemed to flit along the fields, adjacent to Black Lion-lane.—The old and young watched it's coming, but preserved an awful distance. It appeared as if covered with a white shroud. The repeated visits of this disturber of the repose of night called forth more than ordinary attention of the inhabitants, several of whom were anxious to discover the impostor, and, as the most likely means, offered a reward of 10*l.* for the *apprehension* of the *Ghost*. A person named Smith, a Custom-house officer, with a few others, lured by the hope of the reward, determined to watch the phantom, and for that purpose provided themselves with arms, and took post in Black Lion-lane. They were stationed there on Tuesday night last, between the hours of ten and twelve, when a man of the name of Milwood, by trade a bricklayer, who had sent his wife out on some business, and imagined she staid longer than was necessary, determined to go in search of her, in order to protect her home at that dreary time of night.—The ill-fated man was dressed as usual in his white flannel jacket; and having parted with his sister at his own door, proceeded along Black Lion-lane, where the ghost-hunters were lying in wait. Smith no sooner beheld something white approaching, than he imagined it was the real object of his expectations, and instantly springing forward, advanced close to the unfortunate Milwood, levelled his piece, and shot him through the head.—The poor man expired on the spot, the ball having entered his mouth, and gone out at the back part of his skull. He was conveyed to the Black Lion public-house, and there recognized. His murderer, agitated at the effect of his rashness, surrendered himself to an officer of justice. An inquisition was on Thursday taken on the body by Mr. Hodgson, one of the coroners for Middlesex. The first witness called was Mr. Lock, a wine-merchant at Hammersmith, who related, that as he was going home late on Tuesday night, he was accosted by Francis Smith, who told him he had killed a man, whom he believed to have been the Ghost. He said Smith did not appear to think he had done any harm, till the witness suggested to him, that even if he had killed the person who had disturbed the village by his idle conduct, he had acted very unjustifiably, and it was very possible he had murdered an innocent man: He then appeared much agitated, and more so when it was discovered who the murdered man was. The sister of the deceased said that her brother was about 22 years of age, and was a bricklayer by profession. On the evening of Tuesday last he left the house between ten and eleven o'clock, and the witness was almost immediately struck with a presentiment that some accident would befall him; she accordingly went to the door, and stood on some bricks, in order to look out for him. He had not gone above fifty yards before she heard a voice exclaim, "Damn you! who are you? and what are you? Speak, or I'll shoot." The words had scarcely passed the lips of the person who uttered them, when she heard the report of a gun, and saw the flash. She called to her brother, who returned no answer. Dreadfully agitated, she ran to awake her father and mother, telling them she was afraid her poor brother was shot. They would not attend to her, but said it was impossible. She repaired to the room of a young man who slept in the house, but he also refused to rise. She then resolved to go by herself, and see what was become of her brother; when she reached Cross-lane, she saw him lying on his back, his arms and legs stretched strait. She called out, "Brother!" but he was silent. She then stooped down to look at him, and perceived his face was bloody and entirely black. She shrieked, and her cries brought her father and mother, who, when they saw their son dead, were frantic with grief. The body was taken away to the Black Lion. She said her brother industriously maintained himself and his wife. He was in his usual dress, a white jacket and trowsers, when he went out. She was positive, speaking upon her oath, that he never had personated the Ghost. He had told her he had once been taken for it. Girdler, a watchman, related his having agreed with Smith to apprehend the person who had alarmed the inhabitants of Hammersmith for months past; and that he had on the Thursday preceding seen this figure, which was tall, unlike the deceased, and on his speaking the figure lifted up his hands, and he saw under the sheet the appearance of a dark coat with metal buttons. It was inconceivable what alarm and dread this fellow had excited in the neighbourhood.—The coroner having summed up the evidence, and stated that no idea of a Ghost could justify a man to arm himself with a deadly weapon, to take away the life even of the person who so misbehaved, the jury returned a verdict of Wilful Murder, on which Smith was committed to take his trial at the Old Bailey.

To the satisfaction of most of the inhabitants of the town and neighbourhood of Hammersmith, the *real* Ghost has at last been discovered in the person and conduct of a Son of Crispin!—The much-lamented sacrifice of poor Milwood, the bricklayer, had such a powerful effect, that last Thursday evening an information was lodged before Mr. Hill, the magistrate, against a housekeeper in the town of Hammersmith, a boot and shoe-maker, who has a wife and three children, for going out at night wrapped up in a blanket, with a design to represent a Ghost!—He was consequently taken into custody, and examined before the said magistrate, who, doubtful how to act without advice in such a case, has taken bail for his appearance. The people of Hammersmith expected that the Ghost was on Sunday to have stood publicly in the church, wrapped up in a white sheet, by way of penance, and vast numbers were consequently collected to behold such a spectacle!—Crispin, when questioned by the magistrate as to the cause of his assuming such a disguise, said, that he had done it in order to be revenged on the impertinence of his apprentices, who had terrified his children by telling them stories of Ghosts. He expected to check them of this disagreeable bent of their mind to the prejudice of his children by presenting them, as they passed homewards, a figure of a Ghost, which, it seems, he managed very successfully. Had this weak, perhaps wicked, frolic ended here, it is likely that no serious consequences would have ensued. It would engross too much of the reader's attention to state minutely the disagreeable result of his different experiments. Women and children have nearly lost their senses. One poor woman, in particular, who was far advanced in her pregnancy of a second child, was so much shocked at this supposed Ghost, that she took to her bed, where she still lies in great danger.—The Ghost had so much alarmed a sturdy waggoner belonging to Mr. Russell, driving a team of eight horses, and which had sixteen passengers at the time, that the driver took to his heels, and left waggon and horses, so precipitately, that the whole were greatly endangered.—In short nobody was proof against the dreadful panic excited by the appearance of the supposed supernatural figure.

TAX on PROPERTY.

To THE PRINTER OF THE STAMFORD MERCURY.

SIR,

I have a notion that most people understand that every sum from £60 and upwards pays one shilling in the pound to the Property Tax, which may prevent some of them from giving a full and fair account of their property. It would, I think, be kind in you to explain to the public that all sums from £60 to £70 pay only 3*d.* in the pound; from £70 to £80, 4*d.* in the pound; and so on to £150, which is the first sum that pays one shilling in the pound. A. B.

BALL, &c. at HOLBEACH.

THERE will be a BALL and CARD ASSEMBLY at the TALBOT INN in HOLBEACH, on MONDAY evening the 16th inst.

, Ladies' tickets 3s. 6d.—Gentlemen's tickets 5s.

J. RODGERSON, W. SLATOR, J. KEY, } Stewards

WANTED immediately, an APPRENTICE to a MILLINER. ☞ Enquire of S. MASON, Jun. Market-place, Spalding.

WANTED, a YOUTH properly educated as an APPRENTICE to a SURGEON and APOTHECARY in exsensive practice.—Letters of enquiry addressed to Mr. VISE, Spalding.

WANTED immediately, Two JOURNEYMEN BLACKSMITHS.—Good hands may meet with constant employ by applying to MARY DAFFARN, Long Sutton, Lincolnshire.

CITY of LINCOLN.

MISS and MISS F. MIRFIN respectfully inform the public that their SCHOOL will re-commence on MONDAY the 23d of JANUARY next.

LINCOLN, Dec. 26, 1803.

Boarding School, Above-Hill, Lincoln.

MRS. and MISS PACKHARNIS, having by mutual consent DISSOLVED their PARTNERSHIP, the SCHOOL will for the future be carried on by Mrs. PACKHARNIS, with proper Assistants, and will re-commence after the Christmas Recess, on MONDAY the 16th of JANUARY.

In addition to the very able Masters that already attend to teach French, Music, Dancing, Writing, and Arithmetic, a Drawing Master of the first rate abilities in his profession is engaged to instruct the Pupils in that polite accomplishment.

Mrs. and Miss Packharnis, impressed with gratitude for the very liberal support they have for so many years experienced, beg leave to return their sincere thanks to their kind friends, and to solicit a continuance of their patronage to Mrs. Packharnis on her own account, the precarious state of her Sister's health rendering it necessary for her to retire from so arduous an employment.

Ladies' Boarding School, Stamford.

MRS. STANGAR (late Miss LOWE) tenders her acknowledgments to the friends of those young ladies who have kindly encouraged her School, and respectfully informs them she has resigned the same to the conduct of her sisters, whom she begs to recommend to a continuance of their patronage.

January 4, 1804.

MISS MARY LOWE having undertaken, with proper assistance, the superintendance of the School lately conducted by her sister, respectfully entreats the support of her friends, assuring them the greatest attention shall be paid to the improvement and health of those young ladies who may be entrusted to her care.

The School will open again after the present recess, on MONDAY the 23d instant.

EDUCATION.—DONCASTER.

TERMS of Mr. FALCONAR's Classical, Commercial, and Mathematical School for YOUNG GENTLEMEN:—Board, English, Writing, Arithmetic, Merchants' Accompts, History, Geography, the Use of the Globes, Geometry, Mensuration, Algebra, Fluxions, Navigation, Astronomy, Mechanics, and all the various branches of the Mathematics and Natural Philosophy, Sixteen Guineas per annum. Those above Eleven years of age pay Two Guineas, and above Fourteen, Four Guineas per annum extra.

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No Sheets, Towels, &c. required.—Vacations, Midsummer and Christmas.

Music, French, Italian, Drawing, Dancing, &c. taught by eminent Masters, on the usual Terms.

Music by Dr. Miller—French and Italian, Mons. Deronssiere—Drawing, Mr. Haugh.

Mr. F. returns his acknowledgments to his friends for their very liberal patronage, and unqualified approbation of his Plan of Instruction, and begs leave to assure them, that he will by the most unremitting attention to the important Duties of his Station, endeavour to merit the continuance of their esteem; and to those who may commit the care of their Children to him, he pledges himself, that they shall be treated in every respect as if a part of the Family.

Day Boarders Eight Guineas per annum.

N. B. The School will be open again the 29th instant.

DIVISION of OUNDLE and it's VICINITY.

CORPS OF VOLUNTEER INFANTRY

UNDER THE COMMAND OF

The Right Hon. JOHN EARL of WESTMORLAND.

AMOUNT of Subscriptions before advertised — — — —	£1828 0 0
Mr. Bettles, late servant to the Earl of Westmorland — — — — — —	0 10 6
9th Jan. 1804.	£.1828 10 6

, Further Subscriptions will be received by WILL. LAW, Esq. of King's Cliffe; Mr. BERKELEY, of Biggen; and Mr. MILES BERKELEY, of Oundle.

MANORS of INGOLDMELLS & ADDLETHORP,

IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

SUCH persons as pay FEE FARM RENTS to the EARL of DARTMOUTH, from Estates in the said manors, may enfranchise the same by applying to Messrs. KENT, PEARCE, and KENT, No. 5, Craig's-court, Westminster.

DUTY ON PROFITS,

Arising from Dividends and Annuities in the Public Funds.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT an OFFICE is opened at the Old Stock Exchange, for receiving Returns and Certificates from Persons entitled to Dividends and Annuities in the Public Funds.

All Persons entitled to such Dividends may pay the amount of the Duty thereon, being One Shilling for every Twenty Shillings, into the Bank of England; and, by delivering the Certificate of the payment at the Office above-mentioned, with an Indorsement or Description of the Account or Accounts which the Certificate is intended to discharge, the Assessment to be made upon them, on account of the said Dividend, will be discharged without any further trouble to the parties. By order of the Board of Taxes,

Office for Taxes, LONDON, Dec. 23, 1803. MATTHEW WINTER, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT all persons who have laid, or may hereafter lay, any Timber, Boards, Trays, Stone, Dung, Straw, Ashes, or Rammel, or leave any nuisance, near or upon any part of the TURNPIKE ROAD leading from the borough of STAMFORD to the town of BOURN, in the county of Lincoln, shall be immediately prosecuted for the same: And that if the timber, boards, trays, stone, dung, or other nuisance, now lying upon any part of the said turnpike road, shall not be immediately removed, the owners thereof shall be prosecuted for such offence, and the Trustees of the said road have ordered their Surveyor to commence and carry on with effect such prosecution.

STAMFORD, Jan. 4, 1804. By order of the Trustees, THOs. BOTT, Clerk.

STOLEN, on Thursday Night, or early on Friday Morning last, out of a Stable belonging to Mrs. DOLBY, of SOUTHWICK, in Northamptonshire,

An aged BROWN MARE, of the Nag Kind, infoaled. She is about fourteen hands and a half high; has two wall eyes, a bald face, and four white heels, and has been pinched with the saddle.

, Whoever will discover the offender or offenders, so that he or they may be brought to justice, shall, on his or their conviction, be entitled to a reward of FIVE GUINEAS from the Oundle Association, and to TWO GUINEAS more from the said Mrs. DOLBY, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parliament. January 2, 1804.

January 2d, 1804.

THE COLLECTORS of the LAND TAX in the divisions of KESTEVEN and HOLLAND, in the county of Lincoln, are required to attend and pay the Taxes due from their respective parishes at the under-mentioned times and places, between the hours of Ten o'clock in the forenoon and Three in the afternoon, to his Majesty's Receiver General for the said parts and county.

At the Crown Inn at Stamford, on Friday the 13th day of January.

At the Angel Inn at Grantham, on Saturday the 14th day of January.

At the George Inn at Leadenham, on Monday the 16th day of January.

At the Rein Deer Inn at Navenby, on Monday the 16th day of January.

At the George Inn at Sleaford, on Tuesday the 17th day of January.

At the Greyhound Inn at Falkingham, on Thursday the 19th day of January.

At the White Hart Inn at Spalding, on Tuesday the 24th day of January.

At the Peacock Inn at Boston, on Wednesday the 25th day of January.

SOUTH HOLLAND DRAINAGE,

In the county of Lincoln.

THE Commissioners for the said Drainage having, under the provisions of a clause in pages 12 and 13 of the Act of Parliament, made four several Calls upon the Proprietors of Lands comprized within the original boundary of the said Act, at the times undermentioned, viz.—21st June, 1794; 9th May, 1796; July 24th, 1800; and 23d March, 1803 (which last Call was made by circular printed letters, comprehending all arrears in respect of former calls); *do hereby give notice*, That they will proceed to the recovery of all arrears of the monies so called for, unless the same are paid pursuant to such circular letters, previous to their next MEETING; which will be held at the WHITE HART, at SPALDING, on TUESDAY the 31st day of JANUARY next. Given under our hands the 14th day of December, 1803.

GEO. MAXWELL,
EDWD. HARE,
WM. GOLDING.

WAKEFIELD, January 3d, 1804.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT WILLIAM BATTY, SAMUEL NICHOLS, JOSEPH COLLINS, and the Executors of the late JOSEPH FARRAR, of Wakefield, in the county of York, being owners of the five Sloops or Vessels called the TWO SISTERS, TWO BROTHERS, SUCCESS, MARY, and MARY ANN, trading from Wakefield, &c. on the Humber and Coastwise, will not be accountable for the loss of, or damage done to Goods of any kind whatever, put on board the said Vessels.

Witness our hands this 3d day of January, 1804.

W. BATTY, and Co.

HUE AND CRY.

WHEREAS some evil-disposed Person or Persons did, on the Twenty-third of November last, about six o'clock in the evening, set on Fire a Hay Stack, the property of JOHN GAMBLE, of TETNEY, near Louth, in the county of Lincoln, tenant under Colonel Sibthorp: Whoever will give information of the offender or offenders, so that he or they may be brought to justice, shall, on conviction, receive a Reward of TEN POUNDS, to be paid by Col. SIBTHORP.

CANWICK, Dec. 30, 1803.

NOTICE to CREDITORS.

WHEREAS JOSEPH HODGSON, of Wellingore, in the county of Lincoln, Draper and Grocer, hath assigned and made over to Mr. THOMAS MASON, of the city of Lincoln, Grocer; and Mr. THOMAS NORTON, of the same place, Draper; all his Estate, Property, and Effects, for the equal benefit of his Creditors: *Notice is therefore hereby given*, That the Deed of Assignment is left at the office of Mr. BALDWIN, Solicitor, in Lincoln, for the Signature of the Creditors of the said Joseph Hodgson; and that such of them as shall not execute the same, on or before the 1st day of March next, will be excluded the benefit thereof. LINCOLN, Dec. 27th, 1803.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

ALL persons who are indebted to the Estate of JOHN PERKINS, of the town of Huntingdon, Banker, are desired to pay the amount of their several debts to WILLIAM LOVEDAY, of the town of Huntingdon, Esquire, one of the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said John Perkins, on or before the 20th of this instant January; and for that purpose Mr. Loveday will attend at Mr. Perkins' Compting-house, in Huntingdon, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The several persons whose debts are unpaid after that time will be proceeded against for the recovery thereof.

HUNTINGDON, 2d Jan. 1804. By order of the Assignees, HENRY SWEETING, Solicitor.

NOTICE to CREDITORS and DEBTORS.

WHEREAS GEORGE DAY, of Sutton Saint Mary, in the county of Lincoln, Butcher, hath assigned and made over to Mr. CHRISTOPHER CAMMACK, of Sutton Saint Mary aforesaid, Draper, all his Estate, Property, and Effects, for the equal benefit of his Creditors. All persons therefore to whom the said George Day stands any way indebted, are requested to deliver immediately an account thereof to the said Christopher Cammack: And *notice is also hereby given*, to all persons who stand indebted to the said George Day, that they are required to pay their respective Debts immediately to the said Christopher Cammack without further delay, otherwise they will be proceeded against according to law.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1804.

Debtors and Creditors of Mr. Geo. Booth, deceased.

ALL Persons who have any Claim or Demand on the Estate and Effects of Mr. GEO. BOOTH, late of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, butcher, are desired to send an account thereof to Mr. THOS. MARSHALL, of Postland, in the said county, one of the Executors in Trust to his will, or to Mr. WM. KNIGHT, of Spalding aforesaid, who is authorized to receive the same: And all persons who stood indebted to the said Geo. Booth, at the time of his decease, are requested to pay their respective debts immediately to the said Thos. Marshall, or Wm. Knight, in order that his affairs may be settled as speedily as possible.

SPALDING, Dec. 27th, 1803.

Debtors and Creditors of Mr. HENRY BENNETT, Deceased.

ALL person who have any claim or demands upon the Estate and Effects of Mr. HENRY BENNETT, late of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, Carpenter, deceased, are requested to send an account thereof, with the nature of their Securities (if any), to Mr. SAMUEL DINHAM, Attorney, at Spalding aforesaid.—And all persons who stood indebted to the said Henry Bennett at the time of his deceased, are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mrs. ELIZABETH BENNETT, Widow and Administratrix of the said Henry Bennett; or to the said SAMUEL DINHAM, who is duly authorized to receive the same. SPALDING, 11th Jan. 1804.

WHEREAS a COMMISSION of BANKRUPT is awarded and issued against HENRY LOFTUS HODSON, of the town of Huntingdon, in the county of Huntingdon, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth days of JANUARY, and the Eighteenth day of FEBRUARY next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon on each day, at the FOUNTAIN INN in HUNTINGDON, 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 choose 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, and give notice to Mr. SWEETING, Solicitor, Huntingdon, or Messrs. COOPER and LOWE, Solicitors, Southampton Buildings, Chancery-lane, London.

WM. HUNT
SL. HARDY
WM. MARGETTS.

MUMBY WITH CHAPEL AND HOGSTHORPE INTENDED INCLOSURES.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT an ADJOURNED MEETING of the Proprietors of Estates in the above parishes will be holden at the WIND-MILL INN in ALFORD, in the said county, on FRIDAY the Twenty-seventh day of January next, at Twelve o'clock, finally to settle the terms for Tithes and Manerial Rights, sign the Petition to Parliament, and proceed further upon the business of the said intended Inclosure. By order,

WM. CARNLEY, JOSH. BRACKENBURY } Solicitors.

27th Dec. 1803.

LINCOLN INCLOSURE.

WE, the Commissioners named and appointed by an Act for inclosing Lands in the parishes of Saint Nicholas and Saint John in Newport, Saint Peter in Eastgate, Saint Mary le Wigford, Saint Martin, and Saint Swithin, in the City of Lincoln, and in that part of the parish of Saint Margaret which lies within the said City, and for setting out and appropriating certain Lands within the said City as a Common Pasture for the purposes therein mentioned, do hereby direct and appoint, That all Leases, Agreements, and Tenancies at Rack Rent, now subsisting, of any part or parts of the Lands or Grounds directed by the said Act to be divided, allotted, and inclosed, or which shall be exchanged in pursuance of the said Act, and of all Messuages, Cottages, Lands, and Tenements situate in the several parishes aforesaid, held therewith, shall cease and be void at and upon such days and times respectively as the current year of the respective Lessees and Tenants of and in such Messuages and Lands shall expire.—Witness our hands this Fifteenth day of December, 1803.

SAML. TURNER
JNo. BURCHAM
WM. WHITELOCK.

HORNCASTLE INCLOSURE.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT such of the Proprietors as claim an Exemption from Tithe to the Vicarage of Horncastle, do produce evidence thereof before the Commissioners for the said Inclosure on the 20th day of FEBRUARY next, at the BULL INN in Horncastle: And that the several Proprietors entitled to receive, or liable to pay, any Quit Rents, Fee Farm Rents, or other annual payments for Lands in Horncastle, who wish Land to be allotted in lieu thereof, are desired to send a request in writing to Mr. FRANCIS MILLNS, of Horncastle, Clerk to the said Commissioners, on or before the said 20th day of February; and that each and every Proprietor do signify to the said Francis Millns by writing, under his or her hand, on or before the said 20th day of February, whether he or she doth wish to pay his or her proportion of the expences of obtaining and passing the Act, and carrying the same into execution, by purchasing his or her share of the Lands directed by the Act to be sold for that purpose by the said Commissioners, at the price to be fixed thereon by them: And that all persons wishing to exchange Lands under and by virtue of the Act, are requested immediately to give notice thereof in writing to the said Commissioners, or to the said Francis Millns. By order,

Horncastle, 26th Dec. 1803. FRA. MILLNS.

RUTLAND.

To be SOLD by AUCTION,

Either together or in Lots,

By ROBERT GLENHAM,

At the Falcon Inn at Uppingham, on Wednesday the 1st day of February, 1804, between the hours of 4 and 6 in the afternoon, under such conditions of sale as will be then produced;

A CLOSE of PASTURE LAND, containing 6A. 1R. 14P. situate in the lordship of UPPINGHAM, on the South side of the road leading from Uppingham to Stockerstone.—Also a CLOSE of PASTURE and ARABLE LAND, containing 6A. 0R. 35P. situate on the North side of the said road, and opposite to the first Close.

The above estate is Freehold, in the occupation of JOHN HARRISON, at the clear yearly rent of £25, who is under a notice to quit at Lady-day next.—One half of the purchase-money may remain on mortgage of the estate, if agreeable to the purchaser.

, Further particulars may be had on application to Messrs. WARREN & CHURCHILL, Attornies at Law, Uppingham.

CAISTOR ASSOCIATION.

For prosecuting all kinds of Felons within the town of Caistor aforesaid, and it's Vicinity.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the ANNUAL MEETING of the Subscribers to this Association will be held at the TALBOT INN, in CAISTOR aforesaid, on MONDAY the Twenty-third day of January instant, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon; when and where the subscribers are earnestly requested to attend, to settle the Treasurer's accounts, and transact such other business as may then be thought necessary.

SUBSCRIBERS.

The Right Honorable Lord Yarborough.

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, Dinner on table at Two o'clock.

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