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A LIST of the Names of those who AUDACIOUSLY continue to counteract the UNITED SENTIMENTS of the BODY of Merchants thro' out NORTH-AMERICA; by importing British Goods contrary to the Agreement.

- John Bernard, (In King-Street, almost opposite Vernon's Head.
James McMasters, (On Treat's Wharf.
Patrick McMasters, (Opposite the Sign of the Lamb.
John Mein, (Opposite the White-Horse, and in King-Street.
Ame & Elizabeth Cummings, (Opposite the Old Brick Meeting House, all of Boston.
And, Henry Barnes, (Trader in the Town of Marlboro'.

HAVE, and do still continue to import Goods from London, contrary to the Agreement of the Merchants.—They have been requested to Store their Goods upon the same Terms as the rest of the Importers have done, but absolutely refuse, by conducting in this Manner. IT must evidently appear that they have preferred their own little private Advantage to the Welfare of America: It is therefore highly proper that the Public should know who they are, that have at this critical Time, fordidly detached themselves from the public Interest; and as they will be deemed Enemies to their Country, by all who are well-wishers to it; so those who afford them their Countenance or give them their Custom, must expect to be considered in the same disagreeable Light.

TO BE SOLD BY Harbottle Dorr,

At his Shop, almost opposite the Cornfield in Union-Street, BOSTON, Viz JOBERTS, 2d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 8d, (choise rod, manufactured in this Town, warranted tough,) 20d, 24d and Deck Nails.—ALSO, Bell Heart and Club German Steel, English Steel by the half Faggot, Bar or Pound, &c. &c. English Gise. A Smith's Anvil, &c. &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD, A Farm, containing 533 Acres, of choise Upland and Salt Meadow, being the Estate usually called HOG ISLAND, very commodiously situated in the Harbour of Boston, between Chelsea & Noddle's Island. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may be further informed by applying to John Tudor, William Phillips, and Jonathan Williams, Esq's.

TABLE FISH.

warranted the very best, To be Sold at the Store the Corner of Kilby-Street. Likewise the best BOHEA TEA, imported before the Agreement of the Merchants for Non-Importation—Well-India Rum, Sugar, Cotton Wool, Chocolate, Coffee, Kippen's Snuff by the Dozen, Spices, 18 Inch Pipes by the Box or less Quantity, Indigo, &c. &c. Also a Scale Beam, by JOS: TURELL.

Remains to be Sold, a Quarter below the Sterling-Coff, at the House of the late Mr. JOHN SMITH in Hanover-Street, A Variety of Jewellery, and other Goods.

ALL Persons indebted, are desired to make immediate Payment, to prevent the Necessity of their being sued.

RAN-away from me the subscriber, on the 7th instant, an indebted servant, named Johah Clark, and carried off with him, a new coat and waistcoat of a claret colour, and a light blue coat trimmed with brass buttons, and two striped all-wool shirts, one linen ditto, one pair of blue stockings, a pair of grey ditto, and a pair of new purple deakin breeches trimmed with flower'd pewter buttons, and a pair of sheepskin ditto somewhat dirty by working at the shoemakers trade, two pair of pamps, one pair has been tap'd, and a felt hat. He is in his 19th year, wears his own hair which is black, of a pale complexion, thin favoured, light eyes, thin nose, goes stooping, and has a good stock of natural wit, but wants prudence to improve it. If any person will take up the above-said Run-away, and return him to me, he shall receive TWO DOLLARS reward, and reasonable charges. And I do hereby caution all Persons against harbouring, or concealing him, as they would avoid the penalty of the law. AARON WARREN.

Upton, January 8, 1770.

On Thursday the 25th Inst.

At Ten o'Clock in the Morning; Will be sold by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Store of the late Mr. John Spooner, deceased, next Door East of the Heart and Crown in Cornhill, Boston.

ALL his Hard Ware GOODS, the particulars of which hath already been advertiz'd, and was to have been sold the 3d Inst. had not Sickness prevented. J. Russell, Auctioneer.

John Griffith,

HAS removed his School to a more commodious Place, a new Brick Building in Hanover-Street, a little below the Orange-Tree, where he teaches Spelling, Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, at his usual Hours: He also teaches Writing and Arithmetic in the Evening.

TO BE DISPOSED OF, SIX Years of the Time of a very likely, active Boy, about 14 Years of Age—exceeding inart and docile, very suitable for any one whose Business will admit of keeping him at Home—or for a Master of a Vessel. Enquire of Edes and Gill.

TO BE LET, The Front End of a convenient Brick Tenement, two Rooms on a Floor, situated in Long-Lane; enquire of SAMUEL BASS, living in the back End of said House.

All Persons that have any Demands on the Estate of Mr. Alexander Young, late of Boston, Gasler, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts to Mrs. Mehitable Young, Administratrix: And all those who are indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment to said Administratrix.

All Persons that are indebted to, or that have any Demands on, the Estate of Samuel Cary, late of Chelsea, Esq; deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts to Richard Cary, Esq; of Charlestown, or Nathaniel Cary, Executors to the last Will of the deceased, in Order for Settlement. Choice English and Salt Hay, &c. to be Sold at the Farm at Chelsea, whereon the deceased dwelt.

All Persons that have any Demands on the Estate of James Ronelson, late of Boston, Mariner, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts to Margaret Ronelson, Administratrix; and those that are indebted, are desired to make speedy Payment.

NORTH-CAROLINA, Newbern, Octo. 23. 1769. ON Thursday last the House of Assembly came to the following Resolutions.

Resolved nem. con. That the sole right of imposing taxes on the inhabitants of this his Majesty's colony of North-Carolina, is now, and ever hath been, legally and constitutionally, vested in the house of assembly, lawfully convened, according to the ancient and established practice, with the consent of the council and his Majesty, the King of Great-Britain, or his governour for the time being.

Resolved nem. con. That it is the undoubted privilege of the inhabitants of this colony, to petition their Sovereign for redress of grievances; and that it is lawful and expedient to procure the concurrence of his Majesty's other colonies, in dutiful addresses, praying the royal interposition in favour of the violated rights of America.

Resolved nem. con. That all trials for treasons, misprison of treason, or for any felony or crime whatsoever, committed and done in this his Majesty's said colony, by any person or persons residing therein, ought of right to be had and conducted in and before his Majesty's courts holden within the said colony, according to the fixt and known course of proceeding; and that the seizing any person or persons residing in this colony, suspected of any crime whatsoever committed therein, and sending such person or persons to places beyond the sea to be tried, is highly derogatory to the rights of British subjects; as thereby the inestimable privilege of being tried by a jury from the vicinage, as well as the liberty of summoning and producing witnesses on such trial, will be taken away from the party accused.

Resolved nem. con. That an humble, dutiful and loyal address be presented to his Majesty, to assure

him of our inviolable attachment to his sacred person and government, and to beseech his Royal interposition, as the father of all his people, however remote from the seat of his empire, to quiet the minds of his loyal subjects, of this colony, and to avert from them those dangers and miseries which will ensue from the seizing and carrying beyond sea, any person residing in America suspected of any crime whatsoever, to be tried in any other manner than by the ancient and long established course of proceedings.

The following Address was then agreed upon, and ordered to be transmitted to their agent in England, to be laid before his Majesty.

“ To the KING's most Excellent MAJESTY, The humble ADDRESS of his dutiful and loyal Subjects the House of Assembly of his Majesty's Colony of North-Carolina, met in General Assembly.

May it please your Majesty, WE your Majesty's most loyal, dutiful, and affectionate subjects, the house of Assembly, of this your Majesty's colony of North-Carolina, now met in general assembly, beg leave, in the most humble manner, to assure your Majesty, that your faithful subjects of this colony, ever distinguished by their loyalty and firm attachment to your Majesty and your royal ancestors, are far from countenancing traitors, treasons, or misprison of treason, and ready at any time to sacrifice our lives and fortunes in defence of your Majesty's sacred person and government.

It is with the deepest concern, and most heartfelt grief, that your Majesty's most dutiful subjects of this colony find, that their loyalty has been traduced, and that those measures which a just regard for the British constitution, (dearer to them than life) made necessary duties, have been misrepresented as rebellious attacks upon your Majesty's government.

When we consider that by the established laws and constitution of this colony, the most ample provision is made for apprehending and punishing all those who shall dare to engage in any treasonable practices against your Majesty, or disturb the tranquillity of government; we cannot, without horror, think of the new, unusual, and permit us, with all humility, to add, unconstitutional and illegal mode, recommended to your Majesty, of seizing and carrying beyond sea, the inhabitants of America, suspected of any crime, and of trying such persons, in any other manner than by the ancient and long established course of proceeding; nor, how truly deplorable must be the case of a wretched American, who, having incurred the displeasure of any one in power, is dragged from his native home, and his dearest domestic connections, thrown into a prison, not to await his trial before a court, jury or judges, from a knowledge of whom he is encouraged to hope for a speedy justice, but to exchange his imprisonment in his own country for fetters among strangers; conveyed to a distant land, where no friend, no relation, will alleviate his distresses, or minister to his necessities, and where no witness can be found to testify his innocence, shunned by the reputable and honest, and confined to the society and converse of the wretched and abandoned, he can only pray that he may soon end his misery with his life.

Truly alarmed at the fatal tendency of these pernicious councils, and with hearts filled with anguish, by such dangerous invasions of our dearest privileges, we presume to prostrate ourselves at the foot of your royal throne, beseeching your Majesty, as our king & father, to avert from your faithful and loyal subjects in America, those miseries which must necessarily be the consequence of such measures.

After expressing our firm confidence in your royal wisdom and goodness, permit us to assure your Majesty, that the most fervent prayers of your people of this colony, are daily addressed to the Almighty, that your Majesty's reign may be long and prosperous over Great-Britain, and all your dominions; and that after death, your Majesty may take the fullest fruition of eternal bliss, and that a descendant of your illustrious house may reign over the British empire until time shall be no more.”

On Saturday last his Excellency the Governour sent a message to the house, desiring their attendance on him in the council-chamber: The house ac-

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