

1698.
April 7.

Treasury warrant to Edward Hildyard Esq., steward of his Majesty's manor of Richmond in Surrey, to take an account from all the tenants of said manor of all leasehold and customary rents and all quit rents, fines and amerciements that are to be accounted for and to inspect their several leases and take an account which of them are expired and to make a perfect rental and account of the same: all by reason that since the death of Henry, late Lord Capel who was his Majesty's chief steward of the said manor, no such account or rental has been made or taken. *Warrants not Relating to Money XVI, p. 27.*

Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a constat of lead mines in North Wales *ut supra* p. 246 in order to a lease thereof to Robert Rouse *et al* for 31 years at 6s. 8d. per an. rent and a full eighth part of all the profits, to be payable to the Receiver General of Crown Revenues of North Wales at Michaelmas yearly.

Prefacing: said Surveyor's report on said Rouse's petition for same. What petitioners desire is a mine or mines in or near the mountains of Cavencew and Moneth Poken in the parish of Komested near Dolgelly Co. Merioneth, being in Crown waste land in right of the lordship or manor of Penlyn. They must be at charge in sinking pits and working same. They may therefore deserve a lease on terms as above. *Ibid, pp. 27-28.*

April 8. Money warrant for 50l. to Richard Gregory gent. for one year to 1698 Lady day in reward for his service in keeping the several Registers of loans in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt. (Money order dated April 8 hereon). *Money Book XIV, p. 43. Order Book IV, p. 441.*

William Lowndes to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 300l. to me [Lowndes] on the unsatisfied order in my name for secret service: to be issued out of loans remaining in the Exchequer for the Civil List. *Disposition Book XIV, p. 208.*

Same to the Earl of Ranelagh to apply 8813l. 19s. 8½d. as follows out of the moneys of the General loan issued to you at the Exchequer and now remaining in your hands: viz.

for a week's subsistence to the 16th inst, for the Troops remaining in England, after deducting 658l. for one of the three weeks' subsistence ordered for the Forces attending the King at Newmarket	£	s.	d.
	8127	15	11
for same to Sir John Jacob's Regiment ordered to embark at Whitehaven	157	15	7
for same to Col. Ross's Dragoons from March 31 last, to clear their quarters	244	18	10
for arrears of subsistence in Flanders to seven discharged men of Major General Husen's Regiment of Horse	83	9	4½
for the Marquis de Puisar out of the arrears due to the reduced men of his Regiment ..	200		
	<u>£8813</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8½</u>

Ibid, p. 209.

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Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of loans on the Exchequer in General for the uses of the Civil List: viz.

to Thomas Lloyd, Paymaster of the Works in part of 1974l. estimated for the works at Whitehall ..	£	274
to Lady Keightley	55	
to Mrs. Leslie	100	
to Col. Phillips	100	
to the Earl of Oxford	200	
to the Duchess of Buckingham	100	
	<u>£829</u>	

Ibid, p. 210.

Treasury reference to the Excise Commissioners of the petition of Rivers Dickinson shewing that by great losses he is reduced so low that he cannot satisfy his debt for Duties on malt; therefore praying restoration of his goods which have been seized. *Reference Book VII, p. 261.*

Same to same of the petition of John Hardy of Ripon shewing that Mr. Fletcher, the General Surveyor of Excise, made petitioner's house his constant inn and having received a certain sum of money brought it to petitioner's wife who locked it up but same was stolen and neither the felons nor the money could ever be heard of; and that the repayment of the said money would prove his ruin: therefore praying relief. *Ibid, p. 262.*

Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of the Earl of Romney for a grant of a market to be held in the town of Greenwich Co. Kent on Wednesdays and Saturdays. *Ibid.*

Same to the Receipt to cancel the bill and vocate the entries for the purchase dated 1696 June 23 by Thomas Bearcliffe, of London merchant, of the reversion of an annuity of 14l. per an. after the decease of Sarah Stonehewer, which annuity the said Bearcliffe is incapable of enjoying by reason the said life [reversion] was before purchased by John Hooke, James Wittewronge and Constantine Vernattí of London merchants: and in place thereof to throw down a new bill of the same date and to strike a tally for the reversion of any other unpurchased life to the like value which said Bearcliffe shall nominate. *Warrants not Relating to Money XVI, p. 28.*

Entry of a Treasury caveat in behalf of Capt. Richard Fitzpatrick and Mr. Galway that no order of reference or grant of the lands of Cudaghmore in the Barony of Upper Ossory and Queens County formerly the property of Thomas Wise and by him mortgaged to Col. John Fitzpatrick, or of any other of the lands of the said Thomas Wise, or of John Porter, Richard FitzGerald or Edward Brown (being persons comprehended in the Articles of Waterford ratified under the great seal of England) be granted to the Earl of Meath or to any other until the said FitzPatrick and Galway be heard. Notice to be given to the said Capt. Fitzpatrick at his house in Germyn Street over against the Church or to John Galway at the Golden Ball in Weld Passage near Drury Lane. *Caveat Book, p. 49.*