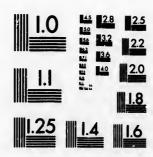
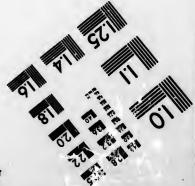
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MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

SIR,

THE Calculations which I most humbly presume to dedicate to your Majesty, were at first intended to calm the Minds of the People of Great-Britain, by undeceiving them in regard to their Payments for Taxes, which the Rage of Party had fwelled in Opinion to double the true Amount; infomuch, that during the greatest Part of the long and prosperous Reign of Your Royal Grandfather, too many of His faithful Subjects were unhappily led to believe. a 2

believe, that the Support of His mild and just Government did, one Way or other, take up Two-Thirds of their yearly Rents or Incomes.

An Opinion fo wanting of real Foundation, so evidently discouraging to Industry, and so strongly tending to disturb the Repose of this Kingdom, should have been early attended to by those who were then most honoured with the Royal Confidence, and most cherished by Royal Bounty; but the Statesmen of that Time feem to have confidered Things only as they contributed to strengthen Opposition, or give Strength to those in Power; wherein their clashing Interests so far agreed, that the stronger Opposition was made by imaginary Payments for Taxes, the more Power did the Minister acquire to support himself.

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This unhappily feems to be the mild Way best Reason that can truly be given for fuffering the thorny Cares of ls of Majesty to be so multiplied, and the Tranquility of this Nation to be so real disturbed, by an ill-grounded Opinion aging that might have been crushed in its ing to Infancy, by a Series of corresponding dom, and uncontrovertible Facts; but ended this not being done, the Bleffings of most lence, good Government were depreciated in Imagination, as the Charge of unty; fupporting it was magnified by Time Fiction; and no fooner was the hings Present Just and Necessary War igthen entered into, than there appeared those feveral Writers to put the People in ashing Mind how much of their Incomes t the were paid in or for Taxes. de by

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and dangerous an Opinion, I thought my Time could not be better employed than in finding out some proper Means to prevent it from ever doing any farther Mischief in this Kingdom; more especially, as the then evident Necessity of laying new Taxes, made it highly expedient to previously shew the People how able they were to pay them; and thereby prevent their fancied Inability from causing Despondency in War, as it had for too many Years before caused Discontent in Time of happy Peace.

And after confidering that the Malady had not only spread among all Orders and Degrees of Men, but was become inveterate by Length of Time, there seemed to me to be no other Means of radical Cure, than by making and publishing Calculations

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Calculations of the Taxes yearly paid by a Family of each Rank, Degree, or Class; for general Relief could not be expected from any Calculations of Taxes which were not, in some Measure, so accommodated to the various Rates of Family-Income and Expence, that each Person, whether rich, fubstantial, or poor, might easily find a Calculation nearly fuited to his Circumstances and Way of living.

Having finished my Calculations, I expected that some of the many Persons who for a Number of Years had been industrious in spreading the Contagion, would foon have made it necessary to defend what I had fo done; but fuch is the Force of Truth, even when inaccurately represented, that none of those

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Persons, to my Knowledge, have as yet thought proper, either to support their own Calculations, or to attack mine; I therefore hope that my exposing a Calculation lately made upon their Principle, will much contribute towards convincing the good People of Great Britain, that they really possess and enjoy above Two-Thirds of their Rents or Incomes.

True it is, that none of those Rents or Incomes will be thereby actually increased; but since an imaginary Diminution of them hath proved a real Canker to the Happiness of this Nation, and been highly derogatory from the Justice of its Government, Endeavours should be used to dry up the Source of those formidable Evils; and there is Reason

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to hope, that this will in a short Time be effected, by Family-Calculations of Taxes; which, in their Nature, constitute an essential Part of political Arithmetic, and may properly enough be considered as an Index to the Strength of Your Majesty's faithful Subjects, the People of Great Britain.

Nor is that the only Use of such Calculations; for they serve as well to display the Wisdom of British Parliaments, as to measure the Strength of the British Nation; and these being nearly allied, even as Parent and Offspring, a parental Care and Tenderness have heretofore been uniformly manifested, in laying and assessing the Taxes of this Kingdom; for the Rule of Equality, in Proportion to Ability, hath been wisely

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wifely deviated from, not only to encourage Incustry, but to promote domestic Oeconomy; and such just Regard hath been shewn to the Liberty of the Subject, that, where it could be done, every Man is left to assess his own Taxes.

A Policy so deeply founded in Wisdom, and so truly adapted to the Genius and Constitution of a free People, could not fail of producing a Train of the happiest Consequences; and their annually paying with Chearfulness, above Three Times the Taxes which in the last Century were paid with Reluctance; may well be reckoned among the greatest of those Consequences; since it doth not only shew, what mighty Efforts this Nation is capable of making, but suggests something that may be useful

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useful to British Ministers of State; who have usually had especial Regard to the Liberty of the Subject, and to Commerce, whenever public Exigences have made new Taxes unavoidable.

But with Grief of Heart I see, a profitable Branch of British Manufactury and Trade, already loaded with heavy taxed Licences, to authorife following the same; although it feems to have been heretofore understood, that every Briton had an undoubted Right to exercise any lawful Trade, whereunto he had ferved a regular Apprenticeship; and also, that the true Intent and Meaning of Licences, was only to prevent a hurtful Increase in the Number of Ale-houses, Taverns, and other Places of public Entertainment; b 2 which, which, without such necessary Restraint from Law, might have so multiplied, as to bring Ruin and Destruction upon many Thousands of honest and industrious People.

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This is indeed the only Branch of British Manufactury, and Class of lawful Traders, as yet so loaded and restrained; but much is to be feared from an intended Tax, which, though of a fimilar Nature to other Taxes now fubfifting, may, if it takes Place, be productive of most prejudicial Consequences; since a farther and heavy Tax, upon fo great a Necessary of Life, as Beer is in this Country, cannot in the End fail of proving to be a Tax upon every Commodity and Manufacture produced or wrought in Great-Britain; and would give fuch a Wound Wound to the British Woollen Manufactury, which is the Stay and Strength of this Nation, as may not hereafter be in the Power of Peace to heal.

The Taxes which, before this War, were laid upon Malt and upon Strong Beer brewed for Sale, do amount, by the Barrel, to near the Money that a Barrel of fuch Beer might have been fold for, if those Taxes had not subsisted; and it is much to be lamented, that a native Commodity and common Necessary, which Britons deem to be a Part of their Birth-right, should, under such Circumstances, be thought a proper Object for new Taxes, approaching in Amount, to all the former Taxes laid thereon; more especially, as the present Taxes upon Sugar, which neither

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neither is a native Commodity of this Kingdom nor a common Necessary of Life, do not much exceed One-Tenth Part of those Prices for which the same is exorbitantly fold; and though more Money might be raised for public Service, upon the unjust Part of those Prices, than there is Reason to expect from both the new Malt-Tax and the intended Tax upon Beer and Ale.

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May all who have the Honour to ferve Your Majesty in a ministerial Capacity, take these important Affairs in a their most serious Consideration; and may Your Majesty's pious Declaration, for supporting Religion and Virtue, ever be duly enforced by the Laws long since made for the same wise and

and good Purposes; altho' unhappily for a Time, those Laws were rendered void and of none effect, by opening the Foundling-Hospital to receive and maintain, at the Charge of the British Nation, all Children whose Parents could be thereby induced to wickedly and unnaturally give up and forfake them; and this without due Proof of fuch Children being intitled to parochial or to national Maintenance, or of their Parents not being defervedly punishable by the known Laws of this Land, the fafe and honourable Rule of British Government.

With earnest Wishes for Your Majesty's Felicity, so inseparable from the Prosperity of these Kingdoms, and with humble Readiness to suggest what may in any Degree

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INTRODUCTION.

ALCULATIONS of the Taxes C paid by a private Family of each Rank, Degree, or Class, seem to be of no other Use than to amuse a few curious Men; since any Person, who is desirous of knowing how much Money he pays for Taxes, may satisfy himself without much Trouble, or Difficulty.

But notwithstanding the Facility of making such Calculations, it is difficult for any Person to find out how much Money he pays in consequence of Taxes; and this Difficulty seems to have been increased by the Manner in which the Subject hath been treated, by several Persons who have written upon the Taxes of this Kingdom.

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THESE Persons say, that the Money paid for Taxes, or in the increased Prices of Commodities, and of Labour, caused thereby, amounts to Twelve or Fourteen Shillings in the Pound, on the Incomes, or Expences, of the People of England: but how those Persons could find out the several Things which are necessary to ascertain what Number of Shillings in the Pound are paid for, or in consequence of Taxes, by all the People in this Nation, is to me a Mystery.

For in order to determine this Matter, it is requisite to know, what Number of People there are in the Nation; how much Money their Incomes, or Expences, amount to; how much the Prices of Commodities, and of Labour, have been increased by Means of Taxes; and how much Money is annually paid for Taxes by the whole Kingdom:—of which four Things, I cannot find that more than one of them is yet certainly known, and that is, the Amount of the Money annually paid for Taxes by the whole Kingdom.

As to the Number of People, the Amount of their Incomes, or Expences, and

and the Increase caused by Taxes, in the Prices of Commodities, and of Labour, they continue Subjects of Dispute; for though many ingenious Men have at different Times treated of them, yet they differ in their Calculations, or Sentiments, and who is right, or who is wrong, still remains doubtful and uncertain.

THE Number of People in England and Wales, hath been calculated by Captain John Graunt, Sir William Petty, and Mr. King, (see Dr. Davenant on The Ballance of Trade) and the Calculations made by those three ingenious Men, differ from each other, near a Million.

CAPTAIN Graunt calculated the Number of People to be fix Millions four hundred and forty Thousand, in the Year 1661.

SIR William Petty calculated the Number of People to be Seven Millions three hundred and fixty nine Thousand, in the Year 1682.

AND Mr. King calculated the Number of People to be Five Millions five hundred Thousand five Hundred and twenty, in the Year 1688.

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THE medium Rate of Expences of the People of England, hath likewise been calculated by Sir William Petty, and the before mentioned Mr. King.

SIR William Petty calculated the Expences of each Person to be Seven Pounds a Year upon an Average.

MR. King calculated the faid Expences to be Seven Pounds Nine Shillings and three Pence a Year for each Person.

AND the Increase caused by Taxes, in the Prices of taxed Commodities, is rated by Dr. Davenant at double the Amount of the Taxes laid on them; for he says,

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"That where the Law puts One Penny"Duty, the Trader or Retaler, in his "Price, adds another for himself." See Discourse on the Revenues, Part I. Page 153.

Now if any Person can tell which of the foregoing Calculations are right, or make other Calculations, whereby the Number of People, the Amount of their Incomes, or Expences, and the Increase caused by Taxes, in the Prices of Commodities, and of Labour, may be ascertained; such Person will be able to determine how of the been d the

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mine how how many Shillings in the Pound, the Money paid for, or in confequence of, Taxes, takes out of the Incomes, or Expences, of the People of this Nation; but to do it without previously knowing the before mentioned Things, is impossible.

IF a Gentleman should ask how many Shillings in the Pound he pays for Taxes, out of his Income, or Expences, and any Person should pretend to tell him, without knowing the real Amount of the two latter, and his Manner of Living, &c. fuch Gentleman certainly would not be fatiffied with what that Person said; because his own Reason would inform him, that the Amount of his Income and Expences, and his Manner of living, are necessary to be known, in order to determine how many Shillings in the Pound he pays for Taxes: and if fuch an Answer would be unsatisfactory in regard to a private Family, it certainly must be so when applied to a Kingdom.

CAPTAIN Graunt, Sir William Petty, Dr. Davenant, and Mr. King, are univerfally allowed to have been very ingenious Men, and their Calculations and Writings

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have been of great Use in many Respects: but I apprehend that such sort of Calculations are too slender a Foundation to build upon, so far as to affert, "that Three-" Fifths of every Man's Income, who "lives up to his Estate, is actually paid "in Taxes, to the Support of Government: including the Consequences of such Taxes, in the advanced Price of Labour, and of Goods universally:"—or, that Manusacturers, and Labourers, pay Fourteen Shillings for Taxes, out of every Twenty Shillings they gain by their Industry, or Labour.

What Weight such Assertions may have had with the Generality of People, I cannot pretend to say, but by what I have heard concerning them, they seem to be generally believed; and it was this that first put me upon thinking, whether some Way or other might not be sound out, to know how much Money really is paid for, or in consequence of Taxes: and whether it might not be done in such a plain manner as to make every Man of common good Understanding, a competent Judge of the Matter, so far as relates

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to him or his Family; fince it was easy to foresee, that if only a few Persons could tell whether such Calculations were right or wrong, most People would still continue in doubt, or suspect it was only an Attempt to impose upon them.

THE Recollection of some general Facts concerning the Prices of Living, and of Labour, fully satisfied me that the Payments for, or in consequence of, Taxes, could not possibly amount to Fourteen, or Twelve Shillings in the Pound, upon the Incomes, or Expences, of the People of this Nation; and it required but very little thinking to find out the ill Consequences which either have attended, or may attend, a general Belief that the Payments for, or in consequence of, Taxes, take a much greater Part of each Person's Income, than he really pays.

Asserting that the Payments for, or in consequence of, Taxes, take Twelve, or Fourteen Shillings in the Pound, out of the Incomes, or Expences, of the People of England; is afferting in other Words, that they have no more than Eight, or Six Shillings in the Pound,

out of their Incomes, for their own proper Use and Benefit.

And though afferting one or other of these Things doth not prove them to be true, yet will such Assertions have the same Weight as Proof, with all Persons who believe them; and the Effects thereby wrought, in the Minds of such Persons, will be the same in Quality and Degree, as if they were produced by Fast instead of Fistion.

By such Assertions, the Value of many Estates in this Kingdom may be depreciated in the Opinions of the Gentlemen who own them.

By such Assertions, People of the middle or inferior Classes, may be prevented from pursuing with Assiduity the Means to make future Provision for their Families.

By such Affertions, Industry may be slackened, and Labour discouraged, among Manusacturers and working People.

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AND by fuch Affertions, the Ability of the Nation to maintain War, is diminished in the Opinion of the People.

SUCH are the ill Consequences which may result from publicly afferting, that People pay much more Money for, or in consequence of, Taxes, than they really do pay; and the Possibility of any such Things happening, seemed to me a sufficient Reason for contributing my Mite to prevent them, by making and publishing Calculations of the Taxes yearly paid by a Family of each Rank, Degree or Class.

IF I could have met with any Calculations of the same Kind, it is extremely probable there would have been sewer Errors in mine; but whatever Errors there may be, they will be easily found out, as every one of the following Calculations is independent of the other: so that any Person, who shall be desirous

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of examining into the Calculation made for that Rank, Degree or Class, which he is of, need not regard any of the other Calculations; and the most considerable Taxes are either separately expressed, or so classed, that I apprehend it will not be difficult to go through such an Examination.

IT is not to be expected that these Calculations, or any others of the same Kind, will shew the exact Sum each Family pays for Taxes; because Families of the same Rank, Degree or Class, do not all live at the same Rate of Expence, and consequently do not all pay alike for Taxes.

But if the Taxes on confumable Commodities can be calculated for Families of each Rank, Degree or Class, so as to come within Two Pence or Three Pence in the Pound of the Money which those Families really pay out of their Incomes, for such Taxes, I apprehend it will be sufficient; and though the same cannot be done in regard to the Land-Tax, yet this will signify little, since every Gentleman, or other Person, who hath

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an Estate in Land, knows how much the Tax upon it amounts to, and consequently he cannot be missed by the Land-Tax being put at the nominal Rate.

As to the Payments in consequence of Taxes, I cannot see any Reason for thinking that they make more than one Part in five of the Payments for Taxes, and the Payments in consequence of Taxes, when added together: by which I mean, that for every Four Pounds, or Shillings paid for Taxes on consumable Commodities, One Pound, or Shilling, must be added, for Payments in consequence or Taxes; but this Addition is not to be made on the Land-Tax, for that is out of the Question.

According to my Calculation (No.1) a Nobleman, or Gentleman, who hath an Estate of Twenty Thousand Pounds a Year in Land, pays £6,378: 18:0 for Taxes, when the Land-Tax is Four Shillings in the Pound, if his Land be affested to the full yearly Value thereof: and of this Money there is paid for Taxes on consumable Commodities, &c.

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Now in my Way of estimating, the Money paid by such a Nobleman, or Gentleman, in consequence of Taxes, amounts to no more than Five Hundred and ninety four Pounds sourteen Shillings and Six-pence a Year.

THESE Calculations probably will be feen by some of those ingenious Persons who have calculated, that the Payments for, or in consequence of, Taxes, take Twelve, or Fourteen Shillings in the Pound out of the Incomes, or Expences, of the People of this Nation; and I wish that some of those Persons would be so good as to apply their Calculations to one Family of any Rank, Degree or Class, and to publish them in as plain a Manner as I have stated mine.

IF this should be done, I shall then have something farther to say upon the Increase caused by Taxes, in the Price of Commodities, and of Labour: but if, instead of publishing their own Calculations, in a Way that may be easily understood, such Persons should criticise upon mine, I shall take it for a Confession that they are mistaken.

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Malt Hope Page and Codes	£ 36		5		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	•		8	:	0
Salt, — — —	2	:	6	:	8
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — —	4	:	4	:	O
Leather, — — —	I	:	17	:	4
Sope and Candles — —			8		
Coals, in London, -			8		
Houses and Windows, -			4		
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-	- 3	•	4	•	U
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per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coaches and Chairs,					
<i>&c.</i> − − −	250	•	a	٠.	ď
Land-Tax four Shillings in	J	-		•	•
the Pound, — — 2	000		_		
the round, — 2	,000	•	0	:	0
2	,322		16	<u>. </u>	_
Foreign 'Vines, Arrack,	344	•	10	•	O
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,	,				
Tea and Chocolate, —.	750		0	:	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	125		0	:	ø
Total of Taxes 3,	197	:	ı6 :	:	0

The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and five Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

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For a Nobleman, or Gentle	eman,	W	ho	h	ath
an Estate of Eight Tho	usand	P	our	ıd	s a
Year in Land.					
	£		5		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	_	:	18	:	0
Salt, — — —		:	18	:	4
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — —		:	9	:	0
Leather, — — —	•		10		8
Sope and Candles, — —	_	:	18	:	0
Coals, in London, — —	9		12		0
Houses and Windows, —		:	4	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coaches and Chairs,					
<i>&c.</i> − − −		:	0	:	0
Land-Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, — — —	1,600	:	0	:	0
T7' YTY! 4 1	1,860	:	10	:	0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —		:	0	;	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, \mathcal{C}_c .	100	:	0	:	0
Total of Taxes	2,560	:	10	:	0
The Taxes amount to fix	Shillin	gs	and	l fi	ive
pence in the Pound upon th	e annu	al	Inc	on	1e.
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For a Nobleman,	or Gentle	man, wl	ho hath
an Estate of Six	Thousand	Pounds	a Year
in Land.			

in Land.					
	£		5		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	23	:	8	:	0
Salt, — — — —	1	:	10	:	0
Sugar, Raifins, Currants					
and Spices,		:	14	:	Q
Leather, — — —			4		0
Sope and Candles,			8		0
Coals, in London, — —	-		16		0
Houses and Windows, —	-		4		0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-	-	•	4	•	V
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per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coaches and Chairs,					
<i>달c.</i> — — —	150	:	0	:	0
Land-Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, — —	1,200	,	O	:	0
•					
	1,398	:	4	:	0
ForeignWines, Arrack, Rum,	-				
Brandy, Coffee, Tea and					
Chocolate, — —	450		0		0
Foreign manufactured Silks	450	•	J	•	U
•			_		_
Linnens, Cottons, &c.—	75	:	0	:	0
Total of Taxes	1,923	:	4	:	0
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The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and five Pencein the Pound upon the annual Income.

N° 5.

For a Nobleman, or Gentleman, who hath an Estate of Four Thousand Pounds a Year in Land.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	16	:	ı 8	:	0
Salt, — — —	I	:	I	:	8
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — — —	I	:	19	:	0
Leather, — — —			17		4
Sope and Candles, — —			18		0
Coals, in London, — —	_		0		0
Houses and Windows, —			4		o
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-	,		7		
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coaches and Chairs					
&c. — — —					
- '	100	:	0	:	0
Land Tax four Shillings in	•				
the Pound, — —	800	:	0	:	0
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Foreign Wines, Arrack,	935	٠	10	•	o
•					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —	300	:	0	:	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	50	:	0	:	0
Total of Town				-	
Total of Tarres	- 0	_	0		

Total of Taxes 1,285 : 18 : 0

The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and five Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

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Thousand	Pounds a	Year in	Land,

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,		:	13	0)
Salt, — — —	0	:	47	; 6	,
Sugar, Raisins, Currants			•		
and Spices,	I	:	11	: 6	,
Leather, — — —	0	:	14:	0	,
Sope and Candles, — —	3	:	3	0	,
Coals, in London, — —	3	:	4 :	0)
Houses and Windows, -	5	:	19	: 0)
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coaches and Chairs,					
<i>⊌c.</i> — — —	. 50	:	0	: 0)
Land-Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, — —	400	:	0	: 0)
	479	:	2	: ()
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, -	150	:	0	: 0)
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, \mathcal{C}_c .	25	:	0	: ()
Total of Taxes	654	:	2	: (0

The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and fix Pencein the Pound upon the annual Income.

Nº 7.

For a Gentleman, who hath an Estate of One Thousand Pounds a Year in Land.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	o : I : II
Salt, — — —	0:14:2
Sugar, Raisins, Currants	•
and Spices, —	1:5:6
Leather, — — —	0:11:4
Sope and Candles, — —	2:11:0
Coals, in London, -	2:16:0
Houses and Windows, —	5: 4: 0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-	
per, Parchment, Stamp	
Duties, Postage of Let-	25: 0: 0
ters Coach, &c. ——	25: 0: 0
Land-Tax four Shillings in	200: 0: 0
the Pound,	200 . • . •
	249: 3: 0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,	
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,	
Tea and Chocolate, —	75 : 0 : 0
Foreign manufactured Siks,	
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	12:10:0
Total of Taxes	336:13:0
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The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and nine Pencein the Pound upon the annual Income. C 2 For a Gentleman who hath an Estate of Eight Hundred Pounds a Year in Land. For

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	£		s		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,		:	15	:	0
Salt, — — — —	_		12		6
Sugar, Raifins, Currants					
and Spices,	1	:	2	:	6
Leather, — — —	0	:	10	:	0
Sope and Candles, —	2	:	5	:	0
Coals, in London,			8		0
House and Windows, -	3	:	2	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coach, &c	20	:	0	:	0
Land-Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, — —	160	:	0	:	0
	199	:	15	:	0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —	60	:	0	:	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	10	:	O	:	0
Total of Tayer	260	_			_
Total of Taxes.	209	:	15	:	0

The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and nine Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income-

For a Gentleman who hath an Estate of Six Hundred Pounds a Year in Land.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	8	:	9	:	0
Salt, — — — —	0	:	10	:	10
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — —	0	:	19	:	6
Leather, — — —	0	:	8	:	8
Sope and Candles, —	1	:	19	:	0
Coals, in London, — —			o		0
House and Windows, —	. 2	:	12	:	O
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ers, Coach or Chair, &c.	15	:	0	:	0
Land-Tax four Shillings in	•				
the Pound, — —	120	•	0		٥
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·	151	:	19	:	0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —	4 -		_		_
	45	•	0	٠	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	7	:	10	:	0
Total of Taxes	204	:		:	0
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The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and ten Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income. For a Gentleman who hath an Estate of Four Hundred Pounds a Year in Land.

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	£		s		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	7	:	3	:	0
Salt, — — — —	- 0	:	9	:	2
Sugar, Raifins, Currants					
and Spices — — —	0	:	16	:	6
Leather, — — —	0	:	7	:	4
Sope and Candles	I	:	13	:	0
Coals, in London,			12		0
House and Windows -	2	:	2	:	O
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, Coach or Chair, &c.	10	:	0	:	0
Land-Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, —	80	:	0	:	0
•					
	194	:	3	:	0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —	30	:	0	:	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,	•				
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	5	:	O	:	O
Total of Taxes	139	:	3	:	0

The Taxes amount to feven Shillings in the Pound upon the annual Income.

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For a Gentleman who hath an Estate of Three Hundred Pounds a Year in Land.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	5	:	17:	О
Salt, — — — —	0	:	7:	6
Sugar, Raisins, Currants				
and Spices,	0	:	13:	6
Leather, — — —	0	:	6:	Ο
Sope and Candles, — -	1	:	7:	O
Coals, in London, — —	1	:	4:	O
House and Windows, —	I	:	12:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glafs, Pa-				
per, Parchment, Stamp				
Duties, Postage of Let-				
ters, Coach or Chair, &c.	7	:	10:	O
Land-Tax four Shillings in	,			
the Pound, — —	60	:	o:	0
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	78	:	17:	0
Foreign Wines, Arrack,				
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,				
Tea and Chocolate, —	22	:	10:	0
Foreign manufacturedSilks,		·		Ū
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	2	•	15:	0
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Total of Taxes	105	:	2 :	0

The Taxes amount to feven Shillings in the Pound upon the annual Income.

Nº. 12.

For a Gentleman who hath an Estate of Two Hundred Pounds a Year in Land. Fo

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cy-	£		\$		d
der, — — —	5	:	4	:	0
Salt, — — —			6		
Sugat, Raifins, Currants				·	
and Spices,	0	:	12	:	0
Leather, — —	0	:	5	:	4
Sope and Candles, — -			4		0
Coals, in London,			16		0
House and Windows, —	I	:	7	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-			•		_
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c. — —	=	•	0		0
Land-Tax four Shillings in	5	•	•	•	. •
the Pound, — —	40		0		^
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Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,			,		
Tea and Chocolate, —	15	:	٥	:	0
Foreign manufacturedSilks,	Ĭ				
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	2	:	10	:	Q
Total of Taxes	72	:	5	:	0

The Taxes amount to Seven Shillings and three Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

. Nº 13.

For a Freeholder who hath an Estate of One Hundred Pounds a Year in Land.

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	£		s		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	3	:	10	:	0
Salt, — — — —	ŏ	:	6	:	8
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — — —	0	:	7	:	0
Leather, — — —	0	:	4	:	8
Sope and Candles, — —	0	:	13	:	8
House and Windows, —	0	:	14	:	O
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of I et-					
ters, &c. —	1	:	2	:	3
Land Tax four Shillings in					
the Pound, — —	20	:	0	:	o
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	26	;	18	:	3
Foreign Wines, Rum,					
Brandy, Tea, &c. —	3	:	6	:	8
Foreign manufactured Silks,					
Linnens, &c	า	:	11	:	I
Total of Taxes	30	;	16	:	0

The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and two Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

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For a Freeholder who hath an Est ate Fifty Pounds a Year in Land.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	3	:	0	:	0
Salt, — — —	O	:	5	:	10
Sugar, Raifins, Currants					
and Spices,	0	:	4	:	0
Leather, — — —	0	:	4	:	0
Sope and Candles, — —	0	:	5	:	2
House and Windows, -		:	_		0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c. — — —	0	:	5	;	7
Land-Tax four Shillings in	1				
the Pound, — —	, 10	:	0	:	0
	14	:	12	:	7
Rum, Brandy, &c	0	:	16	:	8
Foreign Linnens, &c	. 0	:	2	:	9
Total of Taxo	es 15	:	12	:	0
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The Taxes amount to fix Shillings and three Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

Nº 15.

For a Farmer who expends One Hundred and Fifty Pounds a Year.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	4	:	0	:	0
Salt, — — — —	0	:	7	:	6
Sugar, Raisins, Currants			•		
and Spices, — —	0	:	8	:	0
Leather, — — —	0	:	5	:	4
Sope and Candles, — —	0	:	15	:	0
House and Windows, —	0	:	14	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp		•			
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c. — — —	1	:	13	:	4
	8	:	3	:	2
Foreign Wines, Rum,			•		
Brandy, Coffee, Tea, &c.	<i>c</i>	•	0		^
Foreign Linnens, &c. —			16		
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Total of Taxes	13	:	19	:	10

The Taxes amount to one Shilling and ten Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

For a Farmer who expends One Hundred Pounds a Year.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	3	:	10	:	0
Salt, — — —	0	:	6	:	8
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — —	0	:	7	:	0
Leather, — — —	0	:	4	:	8
Sope and Candles, —	o	:	13	:	8
House and Windows, -			9		0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-			, ,		
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c. —	0	:	11	:	1
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	6	:	2	:	1
Foreign Wines, Rum,					
Brandy, Tea, &c. —	ī	•	13	٠	4
Foreign Linnens, &c. —					
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Total of Taxes	•	0			
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The Taxes amount to one Shilling, and feven Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

For a Farmer who expends Seventy Pounds a Year.

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	£		5		d
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	2	:	14	:	0
Salt, — — —	0	:	5	:	io
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices, — —	0	:	4	:	0
Leather, — —	0	:	4	:	0
Sope and Candles, —	0	:	5	:	2
House and Windows, —	O	:	8	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Paper, Parchment, Stamp Duties, Postage of Leters, &c	0	:	7	:	9
	4	:	8	:	9
Foreign Wines, Rum,					
Brandy, Tea, &c	I	:	3	:	4
Foreign Linnens, &c			3		
Total of Taxes	5	:	16	:	0

The Taxes amount to one Shilling and eight Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

N°. 18.

For a Farmer who expends Forty Pounds a Year.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	2	:	5	:	0
Salt, — — —	0	;	5	:	0
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices — —	0	:	3	:	4
Leather, — — —	0	:	3	:	4
Sope and Candles, — -	0	:	4	:	7
House and Windows, —	0	:	7	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Paper, Parchment, Stamp Duties, Postage of Letters, &c. — —	0	:	5	:	ø
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Total of Taxes	3	:	13	:	3

The Taxes amount to one Shilling and ten Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

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For a Tradesman in London, who expends three Hundred Pounds a Year.

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Beer and Cyder, — —	4	:	II	:	0
Salt, — — — —	0	:	5	:	0
Sugar, Raisins, Currants			•		
and Spices, — —	0	:	10	:	б
Leather, — — —	0	:	4	:	8
Sope and Candles, — -	- I	:	4	:	8
Coals, — — —			4		0
House and Windows, -	-		2		0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c	5	:	0	:	o
, 2		_		_	
	17	:	I	:	10
Foreign Wines, Arrack,					
Rum, Brandy, Coffee,					
Tea and Chocolate, —	15	:	0	:	0
Foreign manufactured Silks,	• •				
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	2	:	10	:	0
		_		_	
Total of Taxes	34	:	ΙI	:	10
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings and four Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

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For a Tradefman in London, who expends
Two Hundred Pounds a Year.

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The Taxes amount to two Shillings and fix Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

For a Tradesman in London, who expends One Hundred Pounds a Year.

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Beer and Cyder, — —			5	:	0
Salt, — — —			3		4
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
and Spices,	O	:	7	:	6
Leather, — — —	0	:	3	:	4
Sope and Candles, — —	0	:	15	:	4
Coals, — — —	2	:	0	:	0
House and Windows -	Ī	:	2	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					
Duties, Postage of Let-					
ters, &c. — — —	1	:	2	:	3
	8	•	18	•	<u> </u>
Foreign Wines, Rum,	_	•		•	9
Brandy, Coffee, Tea,			_		
&c. — — —	7	ı	6		Q
Foreign manufactured Silks,	3	·		•	Ü
Linnens, Cottons, &c.	0				¥
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Total of Taxes	12	:	16	:	6

The Taxes amount to two Shillings and Six-pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

N° 22.

For a Tradesman in the Country, who expends One Hundred Pounds a Year.

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Total of Taxe	s 13	:	16	:	10
Foreign Linnens, &c. —	0	:	16	:	8
Brandy, Coffee, and Tea,	_		, 0		
Foreign Wines, Rum,					
	8	:	0	:	2
ters, &c. — — —	1	:	13	:	4
Duties, Postage of Let-					
per, Parchment, Stamp					-
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-					•
House and Windows, -	1	:	2	:	0
Sope and Candles, — —	o	:	14	:	8
Leather, — — —	0	:	4	:	8
and Spices, — —	0	:	10	:	6
Sugar, Raisins, Currants					
Salt, — — —	.0	:	5	:	0
Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyder,	3	:	10	:	0
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings and Nine Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

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For a Tradefman in the Country, who expends Seventy Pounds a Year.

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Malt, Hops, Beer and Cyc	ler,	~2	:	14	:	0
Salt, — — —		0	:	4	:	2
Sugar, Raisins, Curra	ants					
and Spices,		0	:	9	:	0
Leather, —	—	0	:	4	:	O
Sope and Candles, -	-	0	:	13	:	4
House and Windows,	 .	٥	:	9	:	0
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass,	Pa-					
per, Parchment, Sta	mp					
Duties, Postage of I	_et-					
ters, &c. — —		0	:	15	:	7
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ForeignWines, Rum, Bran	ıdy					
Coffee, and Tea		2	:	6	₹*	8
Foreign Linnens &c.	•	0	:	7	:	9
Total of Ta	axes	8	:	3	:	6
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings and four Pence in the Pound upon the annual Expences.

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For a Tradesman in the Country, who expends Forty Pounds a Year.

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Sugar, Raisins, Currants			
and Spices, — —	. 0:	5:	Q
Leather, — — —	o·:	3 :	4
Sope and Candles, — —	0:	11:	Q
House and Windows, —	o :	7:	Q
Drugs, Tobacco, Glass, Pa-			
per, Parchment, Stamp			
Duties, Postage of Let-			
ters, &c. — — —	0:	7:	.6
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings in the Pound upon the annual Expences,

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For a Manufacturer of Wood, Iron, &c., in London, whose Wages may be Twelve Shillings a Week, which amount to Thirty-one Pounds Four Shillings a Year.

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The Taxes amount to two Shillings in the Pound upon the annual Income.

For a Manufacturer of Silk, &c. in London, whose Wages may be Ten Shillings and Six Pence a Week, which amount to Twenty-seven Pounds Six Shillings a Year.

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Leath	er, -		····		· · O	1,	2	;	0
Sope	and Ca	indles,		·	Q	:	5	:	0
Coals	,:	<u>ت</u> " ، منت	<u> </u>		J @ .	•	12	2	0
Drug	s, Toba	cco, Spin	ituo	us	-				
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings in the Pound upon the annual Income.

For a Labourer in London, whose Wages may be Nine Shillings a Week, which amount to Twenty-three Pounds Eight Shillings a Year.

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Beer, -	-		-	I	:	5	:	9
Salt, —		-		0	:	2	:	6
Sugar, &c.	-	-	processing	0	:	2	:	0
Leather,		-	-	0	:	2	:	3
Sope and Ca	andles	-		O	:	2	:	6
Coals, -	,		-	0	:	8	:	0
Drugs, Toba	acco,S	Spiritu	ious					
Liquors,	છેત.	-	-	0	:	10	:	0
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The Taxes amount to two Shillings and four Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

For a Manufacturer of Wood, Iron, &c. in the Country, whose Wages may be Nine Shillings a Week, which amount to Twenty-three Pounds Eight Shillings a Year.

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Sope and Candles, — —	6	:	3	:	10
Drugs, Tobacco, &c	0	:	5	:	0
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The Taxes amount to one Shilling and four Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

For a Manufacturer of Woollen Cloth, Stuffs, &c. in the Country, whose Wages may be Seven Shillings and Six-pence a Week, which amount to Nineteen Pounds Ten Shillings a Year.

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Sope and Cand	lles,	<u></u>	ó:	3:	10
Drugs, Tobacc	ં, છેંદ.		o:	<i>5</i> :	O
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The Taxes amount to one Shilling and three Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

For a Husbandman, or Labourer, in the Country, whose Wages may be Five Shillings a Week, which amount to Thirteen Pounds a Year.

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Sugar, &c. — — —	0	:	2	:	0
Leather, — —	0	;	2	•	2
Sope and Candles, -	0	:	I.	:	3
Drugs, Tobacco, &c	0	;	2	•	6
Total of Taxes	ò	:	15	:	10

The Taxes amount to one Shilling and three Pence in the Pound upon the annual Income.

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