

## C O U N T Y G A O L, N O R W I C H C A S T L E.

G A O L E R, *George Gynne.*Salary, none: he pays the Under Sheriff £31 : 10 : 0  
*per annum.*

Fees, Debtors, £0 : 7 : 8,

Felon,     0 : 13 : 4.

Transports, £5 : 15 : 6 each.

Licence, for Beer and Wine.

## P R I S O N E R S,

Allowance, Debtors,	} a two-penny loaf each <i>per day</i> ( <i>weight</i> <i>in Dec. 1774, 20 ounces</i> ), and every week in common a stone of cheese; in winter twelve bushels of coals, in summer six bushels.
Felons,	

Garnish, Debtors, £0 : 5 : 0.

Felon,     0 : 1 : 0.

Number of - - - Debtors. Felons &amp;c.

1774, Feb. 1, 30 - - 14,

---- Dec. 10, 16 - - 15,

1776, Feb. 5, 29 - - 16,

---- Nov. 17, 18 - - 32.

C H A P L A I N, *Rev. Mr. Willins.*

Duty --- Friday.

Salary, £30.

S U R G E O N, *Mr. Palgrave.*

Salary, none: he makes a Bill.

N O R W I C H

## NORWICH CASTLE

IS SITUATED on the summit of a hill. That part which is called the *Upper Gaol* has ten rooms for Master's-side Debtors; and Leads for them to walk on.—The *Low Gaol* has several rooms for Debtors, Felons &c.—A small area in the middle of the Gaol, in which are lately made some improvements; such as a pump, a convenient bath, and some rooms over it. There is a dungeon down a ladder of eight steps, for Men-felons; in which is often an inch or two of water: and a small room for Women-felons; which keeps them always separate from the men, except when delicacy would most of all require it. There are two airy rooms for the sick: so distinct from the rest of the Prison, that there is no danger of spreading any infection from thence. The Gaoler is humane, and respected by his Prisoners. These, Felons as well as Debtors, sell at the grates of their separate day-rooms, laces, purses, nets &c. of their own making.

REMARKS.

A NURSE or Matron to attend the sick; and provide for them, when the Surgeon orders it, broth, gruel, milk-pottage and extra-firing.—She orders the straw, which is not farmed, but paid for *per load* by the County.—It is also her business to see that the Prisoners be duly served with their allowance of bread, which is remarkably good. At Lent Assize Prisoners are moved from hence to *Thetford*; and put into a dungeon which is described in that place.

MRS. FRANCES KEMPE formerly bequeathed certain Charities to the Poor of *Norwich* and *Heyden*; and a Stipend for preaching three Sermons a year. For Payment, she bound an estate in *Heyden* left her by her father *John Mingay*, Esq.—Among the Charities were some to Prisoners in this Castle, and in the City Gaol. These have for many  
years

years past received nothing; although the Legacies are paid to the other Objects.

## T A B L E O F F E E S.

*Norfolk.* **A** TABLE of the Rates Fees and Allowances to be--- taken by every Gaoler or Keeper of any *Gaol or Prison within* the said County---settled---at the General Quarter Session---holden by Adjournment at the Castle of *Norwich*---31 July ---3d of George II---1729---in pursuance---of a late Act---for Relief of Debtors &c.

That is to say

	£.	s.	d.
For the commitment or coming into Gaol of any Prisoner for Debt — — —	}	0	5
For chamber rent where the Gaoler finds bedding and lin- nen, and a Prisoner hath a bed to him or herself, <i>per week</i> — — —	}	0	2
Where there are two in a bed not exceeding <i>per week</i> —		0	1
Where there are three in a bed not exceeding <i>per week</i> each Prisoner — — —	}	0	0
For the Discharge of those in <i>Execution</i> — —		0	5
For the Discharge of those upon <i>Outlawry</i> — —		0	5
For the Discharge of those upon <i>Common Procefs</i> —		0	2

WE his Majesty's Justices of the Peace---have hereunto set our hands---the day and year above written

31 July 1729

Confirmed by us

JAMES REYNOLDS

W<sup>m</sup> BRANTHWAYTE

R. BACON

MILES BRANTHWAYTE

W<sup>i</sup> BACON

EDM<sup>d</sup> BACON

TOM. TURNER

MILES BRANTHWAYTE

NORWICH