

Whitehall, January 29, 1763.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that Mr. George Bryant has received, by the Penny-Post, the following anonymous threatening Letter, directed, and written as follows, viz.

“ To Mr. Bryant in Deptford
“ Distiller, Living Near the
“ Bridg.

“ January 26th 1763.

“ Sir to aquant you that I am in great Needesety
“ for a little Mony or otherwise I will be oblidgd to
“ Shut oup Shop or Leave off Busnel So I make
“ a Demand upon you to make up the Sume of
“ one hundred Pounds Str. and you are to Leave
“ or Lay it Down Clofe By the Back Part of the
“ foure Mile Ston that is the Ston Betwin Depdford
“ and the Crose you will not faile to have the Mony
“ above mentioned at the said Ston on thursday
“ night at the Hour of Egiht a clock you may Dep-
“ pend that if you Do not according to this Order
“ that Every thing Cone Be found Belonging to you
“ and the Lose of your house and your self, if uper-
“ tonety Seves you are to Cover the mony tucthing
“ the Ston you are not to have any Body there that
“ night after the Mony is there or not to advertise
“ this in Publick or you may Depend that your
“ house will be Burnt and all that Cane Be found
“ Belonging to you Destroyed if so Be that you Lay
“ Down the Mony that you Will Be payd the Same
“ and no harm shall Come upon you By us or our
“ folours Be so good as to Leave a letter oppesitt
“ to the Sign of the five Bels in the inside of the
“ Hedge

“ Sir yours

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice, the Persons concerned in Writing and Sending the said threatening Letter, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the same) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a further Encouragement, the said George Bryant does hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as above excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Geo. Bryant.

Navy Office, January 28, 1763.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Tuesday the 22d of next Month, at Eleven of the Clock in the Morning, Commissioner Hughes will expose to Sale, at the Pay Office in His Majesty's Yard at Portsmouth, the Hulls of His Majesty's Ships Glory, Experiment, and Jason, with sundry Stores on board them. Printed Inventories whereof will be delivered at the Clerk of the Admiralty Office in this Office, and on board the said Ships.

And as a Deposit at the Rate of 25 l. per Cent. is to be made by the Purchasers, all Persons that attend the Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpose. And unless the said Ships and Stores are fully paid for, and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Deposit will be forfeited, and the Ships and Stores put up to Sale again.

Navy Office, February 1, 1763.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Tuesday the 15th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning, they will expose to sale at this Office, the Hulls of His Majesty's Ship Portland, lying at Sheerness; Saltash Sloop, Proserpine, and Aetna Fire Ships, lying at Deptford, with sundry Stores on board them: Printed Inventories whereof will be delivered at the Clerk of the Admiralty Office in this Office, and on board the said Ships.

At the same Time will be sold several Lots of old Stores, lying in His Majesty's Yard at Sheerness: Printed Inventories whereof will be delivered at this Office, and in Sheerness Yard.

And as a Deposit at the Rate of 25 l. per Cent. is to be made by the Purchasers, all Persons that attend the Sale are to take Notice, and come prepared for that Purpose; and unless the Ships, Sloop and Stores, are paid for and taken away at the Time appointed, the Deposit will be forfeited, and the Ships, Sloop and Stores put up to Sale again.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Dragon, Cambridge, Sutherland, Dover, Cygnet, and Porcupine Sloops, that were actually on board the said Ships at the Reduction of the Havanna on the 12th of August 1762, and have not received their respective Shares of the Money taken there, that they will be paid the same at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch-street; the Dragon on Tuesday the 1st Day of March 1763, the Cambridge on the 2d, the Sutherland on the 3d, the Dover on the 4th, and the Cygnet and Porcupine on the 5th of the said Month. And the Shares not then paid, will be recalled the first Thursday in every Month for three Years to come.

John Michie,
George Rogers,
John Kinnion,
James Dickson, of Gould } Agents.
Square, Crutched Fryers,

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Namure, Burford, St. Florentine, and Arnold Armed Ship, who were actually on board the said Ships on the 11th of March 1762, (in Company with His Majesty's Ships Valiant, Bell Isle, and Hampton Court) at the Taking Le St. Preist a French Ship from the East Indies, That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Ship and Cargo at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch-street; the Namure on Thursday the 24th of February 1763, the Burford on the 25th, and the St. Florentine and Arnold Armed Ship the 26th of the said Month. And the Shares, then remaining unpaid, will be recalled at the same Place the first Thursday in every Month for three Years to come.

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Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Ships Company and Marines that were on board His Majesty's Ship Boreas, Samuel Uvedale, Esq; Commander, at the Time of her taking the Ships Inrepid and Dragon Privateers, that an advance Payment will be made them, on Wednesday the 16th Day of February 1763, at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch Street, between the Hours of Nine and Two.