

tion in Hesse. In the mean while, the Country where the French Army is at present, suffers greatly by the Exactions it is exposed to; since the Enemy, not contented with raising heavy Contributions, carries off every Thing which can be removed, leaving nothing for the Subsistence of the Inhabitants. Upon the above Motion made by Prince Ferdinand, General Luckner had paid the Weser at Hamelen, and General Freytag had taken Post at Halle.

Rotterdam, Sept. 25. Tuesday last being the Day of their Majesties Coronation, was celebrated by the British Factory, and Clergy here, with a sumptuous Entertainment, and Ball, and all other Demonstrations of publick Joy.

Schomburg House, September 20.

This Day the Baron Dewitz had a private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland: To which he was introduced by Stephen Cottrell, Esq: Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

Erratum. In last Saturday's Gazette, read, The Harwich Address was presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Charles Townshend, and John Roberts, Esq: their Representatives in Parliament.

St. James's, September 26, 1761.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that, in the Night of the 24th of July last, a Horse, the Property of Mr. Edward Upfold, of Haslemere, in the County of Surry, was Ham-strung, in the Stable adjoining to the said Edward Upfold's House, in Haslemere aforesaid; and that a great Number of young Fir-Trees, planted in the Garden of the said Edward Upfold, and in other Plantations adjoining, were cut down and destroyed by Persons unknown: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons who committed the said Crimes, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Person principally concerned therein) who shall discover his, or her Accomplices, or Accomplices, in the said Facts, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And, as a further Encouragement, the said Edward Upfold does hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to the Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by him upon the Conviction of one or more of the said Criminals.

Edward Upfold.

Admiralty-Office, September 18, 1761.

Notice is hereby given, that in Pursuance of the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the 32d Year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and the more speedy and effectual Manning His Majesty's Navy; and for the prevention of Piracies and Robberies by Crews of private Ships of War, a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal-Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Friday the 30th of October next, at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.

Navy Office, Sept. 10, 1761.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Tuesday the 29th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, Commissioner Rogers will be ready at his Office in His Majesty's Yard at Plymouth, to treat with such Persons as are willing to furnish that Yard with Seamens Beds and Poldroy Canvas, on standing Contracts, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

Victualling Office, Sept. 23, 1761.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 7th of October next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for Oxen and Hogs for Sea Store, for the Ports of London, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Dover; and that none of the Oxen for the Port of London are to weigh less than Seven Hundred Weight each, nor the Hogs for the said Port than One Hundred Weight each.

Mercers Hall, London, Sept. 25, 1761.

The Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 17th of November next, they will pay the Half Year's Annuities that will become due to the said Companies Annuitants upon the 10th of October next; and also the Half Year's Interest that will become due on the said 10th of October, upon so much as remains due on the Notes or Certificates given by the said Company for the Arrears due to their Annuitants at Michaelmas 1750; and that they will, on the said 17th of November, pay 50 l. per Cent. upon the principal Money now remaining due on the said Notes or Certificates, and that all Interest on the said 50 l. per Cent. is to cease from the said 10th of October. And that Attendance will for that Purpose be given at the Clerk's Office at Mercers Hall, London, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the 17th, 18th, and 19th Days of the said Month of November, from Nine in the Morning till One; and upon every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afterwards, at the same Hours, Holidays excepted.

W. Cawne, Clerk.

Mercers Hall, London, Sept. 25, 1761.

The Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London, in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament passed in the 21st Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, do hereby desire their several Annuitants, or any Persons duly authorized by any Writing under their Hands, to meet at Mercers Hall in London, on Wednesday the 4th Day of November next, (being the first Wednesday in that Month) at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to nominate and appoint Nine or more Persons to audit and examine the Accounts of the Receipts and Payments by the said Act directed to be audited and examined.

W. Cawne, Clerk.

Ramsgate Harbour, Thursday Sept. 24, 1761.

The Trustees for Enlarging and Maintaining the said Harbour do hereby give Notice, that their next Meeting will be at the Office of the Corporation for the Merchants Seamen over the Royal Exchange, on Thursday the 8th of October, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

N. B. At this Meeting it is purposed to take into Consideration the applying to Parliament for Leave to raise a further Sum of Money for the carrying on and completing the Harbour at Ramsgate, wherefore it is hoped all Trustees for the said Harbour will please to give their Attendance.

John Scott, Secretary.

A General Meeting of Trustees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suffex, will be held at the Three Tuns Tavern St. Margaret's Hill Southwark, on Thursday the 8th of October next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to choose Trustees in the room of others deceased, removed, or refusing to act; and upon other Affairs relating to the Trust.

Roger Peck, Clerk.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Maidstone, who were actually on Board the said Ship at the taking the Advice, on the 20th of July 1760, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Prize, on Board the said Ship, on Monday the 5th Day of October 1761, at Sheerneys: The Recalls for the said Prize will be the first Monday in every Month for three Years, at Mr. Christopher Harris's in Plymouth.

Christopher Harris, of Plymouth, Agent.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Robert Foster, of the Lordship of Myton in the County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull, William Adams and John Holmes, of Southwarke in the County of Surry, Tanners, Bankers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, intend to meet on the 28th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Thomas Lennard the King's Head in Kingston upon Hull, in order to make a Dividend as well of the joint Estate and Effects of the said Robert Foster, William Adams and John Holmes, as of the private Estate and Effects of the said Robert Foster; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.