

Petersbourg, in order to make the proper Compliments of Condolence, on the Part of his Prussian Majesty, upon the Demise of the Empress, as well as of Felicitation upon the Grand Duke's Accession to the Throne of Russia.

Cologn, Feb. 17. This Day the Director General of the Hospitals at Frankfort, was brought hither in Irons, under a Guard, and lodged in the Prison of St. Gereon, being accused of having robbed the French King of a great Sum.

Liege, Feb. 20. The great Quantity of Flour, that has been laid up in the Magazines here, for the Use of the French Army on the Lower Rhine, is soon to be transported from hence to Urmund by Water; and from Urmund to Juliers by Land. The French allow only Thirty Sols a Sack for transporting the Flour to Juliers, whereas it costs the States Seventy Sols a Sack; so the States are obliged to lose Forty Sols by every Sack the French please to send to their Army, which will finish the Ruin of the State, as we have already suffered above Eight Millions of Florins, by the Forage we have been obliged to furnish; by the Passage of their Troops, &c.

Hague, Feb. 26. We hear from Paris, that Marshal Broglie, and his Brother the Count, have been banished to their Estates in the Country; and that the former is deprived, at the same Time, of his Command in Alsace; and the latter of the Government of Cassel. It was not yet certain, to whom the Command of the French Forces in Germany would be given.

Whitehall, March 2, 1762.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that the following anonymous threatening Letter, has been received by the Post, under a Cover, directed, "To Mr. James Booth, Croisby Square Bishopsgate Street, London, Theirs with Care," and the Post Marks thereon, are Portsmouth, R. Feb. 26.

"You Scoundrell Villian the particulars of this is that if you Doe not Leave the Small Sum of 30 l. vnder the Gateway In a white rage that it may be obsefryed As Soon as I aproch the place appointed Beshure you Leave the Money your self At the place apointed and if you Let Any body know of this Letter or set any Body to watch you may be shure your Life Is to be the Sacrifice for it Pray you Villian Doe not Neglect it or the first Time That I or any of my Gang meets you beshure you shall Get. your Desert You Villian the Reason I write you This Letter is for want of a little Money Which if you Doe not supley me with it You and your Famisly shall be burnt in your beds very soon the time is for to put the Money in the place is the 6th of next Month."

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

EGREMONT.

And as a farther Encouragement, the said James Booth, does hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid by him upon the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.

James Booth.

Albemarle Street, February 26, 1762.

The Gold Medals intended for the Peers and Peeresses, who in their Robes attended at the Coronation of their Majesties, (according to a List obtained from the proper Offices) will be delivered at the Earl of Powis's House in Albemarle Street, on Wednesday and Thursday next, from Ten to Twelve o'Clock each Day.

It is therefore desired that the Peers and Peeresses as above mentioned, will send for those Medals; And that the Persons who shall be sent for them shall bring Cards, signed by such Peers or Peeresses, as the Medals shall be required for, and sealed with their Arms.

Admiralty-Office, February 17, 1762.

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 Tryal of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Tuesday the 30th of March next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

J. Cleveland.

General Post Office, London, February 5, 1762.

Publick Notice is hereby given to all Persons corresponding with His Majesty's Island of Bellise, that Letters, for the Future, will be regularly forwarded, from Plymouth, to and from that Island, by two Vessels lately hired and appointed for that Purpose.

By Command of the Post-master General,

Hen. Potts, Secretary.

Navy Office, February 16, 1762.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that all Bills registered on the Course of the Navy in the Months of January and February 1761, are ordered to be paid, near One Third thereof in Money, and the Remainder in Exchequer Bills: And such Persons as are possessed of Bills, are desired to bring them to this Office to be assigned on the Treasurer of the Navy for Payment accordingly.

Custom House, London, February 25, 1762.

For S A L E,

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-house, on Thursday the 4th of March next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

Sugars, Ginger, Aloes Epatica, and Cotton in Time. The Goods to be viewed at the New Warehouses at the Custom-house on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next to the Time of Sale.

East India House, February 17, 1762.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the East India Annuities will be shut on Friday the 5th Day of March next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Friday the 16th Day of April following.

And that the Dividend Warrants for the said Annuities, due on the 5th Day of April next, will be delivered on Tuesday the 4th Day of May next.

N. B. No Certificates or Permits will be taken in to be made Stock during the Time the Books are shut.

The Governors of the Charity for the Relief of Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Governors will be held at the Corporation Office, N^o 13, in the Paper Buildings in the Inner Temple, London, on Thursday the 18th Day of March Instant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, for the Election of a Vice-President, in the Room of the Right Honourable Sir John Willes, Knt. deceased.

Tho. Wall, Register.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company late of His Majesty's Ship Vengeance, Gamaliel Nightingale, Esq; late Commander, who were actually on Board her at the Taking of the Entrepreneur French Merchant-man, that their respective Shares of the said Prize will be paid on Board His Majesty's Ship Flora, Gamaliel Nightingale, Esq; Commander, on Monday the 8th of March Instant, at Sheerness or the Nore: Such Shares not then demanded will be recalled the first Monday in every Month for Three Years to come, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars.

Henry Boyd, and Richard Thomas, Agents.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Sailors and Marines that were actually on Board the Dispatch Sloop, John Hodges, Esq; Commander, in Company with the Grace Cutter at the taking the Privateer Dieppeis, and