

Victualling Office, February 8, 1764.

The Honourable the House of Commons having come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That all Persons interested in or intitled unto such of the Bills payable in Course of the Navy or Victualling Offices, or for Transports, made out on or before the 31st of December 1762, as have not been converted into Annuities after the Rate of Four per Centum per Annum, in pursuance of an Act of the last Session of Parliament, who shall, on or before the 1st Day of March next, carry the same (after having had the Interest due thereupon to the 25th of March 1763, inclusive, computed and marked upon the said Bills at the Navy or Victualling-office respectively) to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, to be marked or certified, by him or his Pay-master, to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, shall be entitled unto and have an Annuity transferable at the Bank of England, for the Principal and Interest due on the said Bills, after the Rate of Four per Centum per Annum, commencing from the said 25th of March 1763, in Lieu of all other Interest until redeemed by Parliament; the said Annuities to be charged upon the Sinking Fund, and the Sums which shall be issued out of the Sinking Fund for Payment of the said Annuities, to be, from Time to Time, replaced out of the next Aids to be granted in Parliament."

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice thereof, that all Persons, possessed of Victualling Bills made out as aforesaid, may bring the same to this Office to be marked, in order to their being carried to the Treasurer's Office in Broad-street accordingly.

Navy Office, February 8, 1764.

The Honourable House of Commons having come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That all Persons interested in or intitled unto such of the Bills payable in Course of the Navy or Victualling Offices, or for Transports, made out on or before the 31st of December 1762, as have not been converted into Annuities after the Rate of Four Pounds per Cent. per Ann. in pursuance of an Act of the last Session of Parliament, who shall, on or before the 1st Day of March next, carry the same, (after having had the Interest due thereupon to the 25th Day of March 1763, inclusive, computed and marked upon the said Bills at the Navy or Victualling-office respectively) to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, to be marked and certified, by him or his Pay-master, to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, shall be entitled unto and have an Annuity transferrable at the Bank of England, for the Principal and Interest due on the said Bills, after the Rate of Four Pounds per Cent. per Ann. commencing from the said 25th Day of March 1763, in Lieu of all other Interest, until redeemed by Parliament; the said Annuities to be charged upon the Sinking Fund, and the Sums, which shall be issued out of the Sinking Fund, for Payment of the said Annuities, to be, from Time to Time, replaced out of the next Aids to be granted in Parliament."

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice thereof; and that all Persons possessed of Navy or Transport Bills, made out as aforesaid, bringing the same to this Office, the Interest due thereon will be computed and marked in order to their being carried to the Treasurer's Office in Broad-street accordingly.

Victualling Office, February 10, 1764.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 24th instant, exactly exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for Oxen, for Fresh Meat for His Majesty's Ships at Portsmouth, for Three Months, commencing the 1st Day of March next, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

18 February, 1764.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, that the Transfer Books for Bank Stock will be shut from Thursday the 8th of March next, to Thursday the 19th of April following.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

London Assurance House, Feb. 15, 1764.

The Court of Directors of the London Assurance Corporation hereby give Notice, that their Transfer-books will be shut on Thursday the 8th of March next; and that a General Court of the said Corporation will be held at their House in Birch Lane, on Wednesday the 28th of the said Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to consider of a Dividend; and that the Transfer-Books will be opened again on Thursday the 5th of April following.

General Post office, January 7, 1764.

His Majesty's Post-master General having been pleased to establish Three Packet-Boats, at Falmouth, of 140 Tons and 18 Hands each, for the Conveyance of Mails, Expresses and Passengers, to Barbadoes, Grenada, St. Christopher's, Jamaica, Pensacola, St. Augustine, Savanna, Charles-Town, and back to Falmouth.

The first Mail will be dispatched from this Office on the 23d of February next; the second on the 12th of April; the third on the 15th of June; and upon the Return of every Packet, Notice will be given, when the next Mail is to be dispatched from hence, which is calculated for once in two Months, or thereabout.

The Postage of all Letters and Packets sent from London, must be paid upon their Delivery into this Office; the Inland Postage to London, from all Places in Great Britain or Ireland, must also be paid, over and above the said Rates.

The Postage from London to His Majesty's Islands in the West-Indies, is at the Rate of 1 s. 6 d. for a single Letter; to the whole Continent of America, including Florida, at 1 s. per Letter, the double, treble and Ounce Letters and Packets in Proportion; the like Rates will be charged in Return, at this Office, upon the Letters and Packets coming from those Places respectively.

All Letters for any of His Majesty's Islands in the West Indies, not herein mentioned, may be directed by the Way of Barbadoes, Grenada, or St. Christopher's; and if not so directed, they will be left at St. Christopher's, to be forwarded from thence as Occasion may offer.

By Command of the Postmaster General,  
Anth. Todd, Secretary.

Assurance Office Serjeants Inn, Fleet Street,

February 18, 1764.

The Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office do hereby give Notice, that at Old Christmas-Day last, there were in Arrear Five Quarterly Payments due to the said Society on each of the several Policies numbered as follows, viz.

N<sup>o</sup> 98, 100, 101, 221, 222, 240, 246, 277, 386, 389, 391, 392, 427, 489, 502, 505, 512, 525, 629, 650, 651, 652, 668, 672, 673, 675, 701, 702, 709, 778, 794, 1371, 1852, 1857, and 1867.

On each of which said Policies there is due to the said Society for the said Five Quarterly Payments, the Sum of Six Pounds Seventeen Shillings; and that unless the several Persons entitled to the said Policies numbered as above, do pay off their Arrears within three Calendar Months from the Date hereof, such Defaulters, their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators and Assigns, will, by Virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, stand absolutely excluded.

John Pye, Register.

General Post-Office, February 7, 1764.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Mail from York to Malton, was on Sunday Morning last the 5th instant, about One o'Clock, attacked and robbed upon Stockton Common, betwixt York and Malton, about half a Mile before he came to the Lobster House, by a single Highwayman on Horseback, who carried away the Horse on which the Post-boy rode, together with the said Mail and all the Bags and Letters it contained, viz. The Bags and Letters sent from this Office on Thursday Night the 2d Instant for the Towns of Malton, Whitby, Scarborough, Bridlington, and all Places within their respective Deliveries, and also all the Bye-Letters of that Post from different Parts of the Kingdom, for the Towns above-mentioned, and Places in their Neighbourhood.

The Person who committed this Robbery is described to be about five Feet three Inches high, broad-set; had on a light-coloured Surtout Coat, and rode upon a strong little black Horse of the Cart Kind, with a bob Tail.