

" To

" Mr Poole

" Mr Poole more than a Month ago you was
wounded from London, this is once more to warn
you you have left your Churchwardens day,
blue for ever leave the Damned Condition or your
hearts will be in flames before Millhammer, blue
for ever damn you and the Presbyterians too,
blue, blue, blue."

*His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing
to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said
anonymous threatening incendiary Letters, and in Sending the first
of them by the Post, to the said Mayor of Taunton, and
in giving the other at the Door of his Dwelling
House in Taunton, as aforesaid, is hereby pleased to
grant: His most gracious Pleasure to any one of them,
(except the Person who actually wrote the said Letters)
who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices
in the said Facts, so that he, she, or they may be ap-
prehended and convicted thereof.*

H. S. CONWAY.

*And, as a further Encouragement, the said James
Poole, Mayor of Taunton, does hereby promise a Re-
ward of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons making
such Discovery as aforesaid (except as above excepted)
to be paid by him upon the Conviction of any one or
more of the Offenders.*

James Poole, Mayor.

St. James's, April 27, 1767.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King,
That an anonymous threatening incendiary Letter,
dated the 2d of March 1767, and another threatening
Letter, signed John Sturdey, were, at different Times,
found by the Servants of John Taylor, Mayor of Wal-
foll, in the County of Stafford; the first of them on
the 3d of March last, at Eleven o'Clock at Night, in
the Middle of the Passage leading to the Back-Door
of the said John Taylor in Walfoll aforesaid; and the
other on Thursday Morning the 2d of this Instant April,
under the Door of the said House; which Letters were
directed as hereunder, and respectively contained the
Words, Letters, and Figures following, viz.

" for Mr

" Taylor Mayor

" to Walfoll.

" March 3^d 2. 1767.

" You young taylor now miere of Walfoll, you
must lay the Sum of 5 Pounds 5 Shillings under
" A loos brick on the Corner of the Wall that
" parts Carbets first and Second Medern an Wen-
" day next and not fail it is aft wen-day whe
" do mene and if you do not dam your blood you
" shall doy the death of a dog or the worst whe
" can find for you and that is not all but if you do
" not you shall soon find your goods in a flame
" both at home and els where and your Self to
" host but, if you lay the Money there you will
" not be mistaked and it will be ten times as much
" in your Way and if you Set aney badey to Watch
" you any as well not lay the Money there for it
" may not be taken away of Som time after whe
" that Come for it shall not be taken by aney
" he for S^till you set aney Store by your life lay
" the Money there and say nothing.

" H. S. C.

" John Taylor

" Mayor of Walfoll.

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" You was ordered to lay 5 Pound 5 Shillings
in A Certain place but you had 5 Counters in

" Steal So now Damn you if you do not Lay 10
" pounds 10 Shillings good money in the Same
" place you shall Rew the day you see me I is
" not the Watch you Set that shall live you see
" Soiders neither for whe ere 3000 to telli our
" duffin or doy, but whe have waited to See whe
" you would do to find out the who Came for it
" but all you can do is to no purpose so you had
" better lay the Money in the Place on the 4 of
" this Month or it will be to late to if you do not
" whe shall be Revenged on you if it is the larg
" for whe shall take opportunity for it but if you
" lay the Money in good quine it will tie you from
" all danger and you may go About your Buiss
" without aney dread at home or els were but if
" you do not you may watch as long as you will
" and whe you had laid the Money had it been
" ten times as much when it is to lat.

" So on the 4 of April lay it and take no no-
" tice and it will live you in bodey and pars
" all from your frend

" John Sturdey

" 1767."

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ing to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said
anonymous threatening incendiary Letter, and the other
threatening Letter, and in laying or putting them in
the Places aforesaid, is hereby pleased to promise
His most gracious Pleasure to any one of them, (except
the Person who actually wrote the said Letters) who
shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in
the said Facts, so that he, she, or they may be ap-
prehended and convicted thereof.*

H. S. CONWAY.

*And, as further Encouragements, the said John
Taylor, Mayor of Walfoll, does, on his Part, hereby
promise a Reward of Twenty Guineas, and the Cor-
poration of the Town of Walfoll do, on their Part,
herely promise a Reward of Thirty Guineas, to any
Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid,
(except as above excepted) to be paid by them re-
spectively upon the Conviction of any one or more of
the Offenders.*

Jⁿ. Corlier, for Mr. Lane, Attorney,
King-Street, Covent-Garden.

East-India House, May 2, 1767.

*The Court of Directors of the United Company of
Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do
hereby give Notice,*

*That a General Court of the said Company will be
held at their House in L adenball-Street, or Walfoll,
the 6th of this Instant May, at Eleven o'Clock in the
Evening, on special Affairs.*

From the Commissioners for Paving the Streets
of Westminster, &c. April 29, 1767.

*Notice is hereby given, That the said Commissioners
intend on Wednesday the 20th Day of May next, to fill
up Vacancies of Commissioners.*

By Order of the Commissioners,
Geo. Box, Clerk.

*A General Quarterly Meeting of the Trustees for
Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the
Counties of Surrey and Suffex, will be held at the Fox
and Howards Inn at Croydon, on Saturday the 16th
Day of May 1767, at Eleven o'Clock in the Evening,
to elect Trustees in the Room of those who are dead,
removed, or refuse to act; and upon other Affairs re-
lating to the Trust.*

Roger Peck, Clerk.

*Notice is hereby
given, That the
County of
Middlesex
shall be divided
into three
Parishes, to be
called the
Parishes of
St. Martin
in the
City of
London, St.
Martin
in the
County of
Middlesex,
and St.
Martin
in the
County of
Kent.*

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