

St. James's, July 15, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That, in the Night of the 12th Instant, or very early on the 13th, some evil-minded Person or Persons broke into the Felon-Ground of Mess. Hewitt and Smith's Nursery at Brompton, and stole 14 or 15 good Plants of the Laurel-leaved Magnolia; a Parcel of Chionanthus, or Fringe-Trees, 1 Foot or 15 Inches high; Two or three fine Bead Trees; cut up, broke down, and destroyed, a great Number of other valuable Plants; and, also, pulled up 41 Holes of fine Melon Plants under Frames and Bell-Glasses, and entirely destroyed them, with a Number of five-Cantalupe Fruit not ripen'd: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said abominable Crimes, is hereby pleas'd to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person principally concerned) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Mess. Hewitt and Smith do hereby promise a Reward of Ten Guineas 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, by the Hands of Samuel Hewitt.

General Post Office, June 25, 1768.

His Majesty's Postmaster General, for the further Improvement of Correspondence, intending to establish a Post Six Times a Week, instead of Three as at present, between England and Ireland, both by the Way of Holyhead and Port Patrick, the several Regulations for that Purpose will commence on Wednesday the 6th of July next.

From that Time also the Letters between several Parts of England and Ireland, which have hitherto been sent through London, will be circulated directly through the Bye and Cross Roads; by which Means the Correspondence between many Commercial Parts in both Kingdoms will be greatly accelerated.

Notwithstanding the frequent Regulations and Improvements made by the Postmaster General for the Benefit of Correspondence in divers Parts of Great-Britain and Ireland, it still appears, that vast Numbers of Letters are privately collected and delivered contrary to Law, to the great Prejudice of the Revenue: Public Notice is therefore hereby given, That all Carriers, Coachmen, Watermen, Dispersers of Country News-Papers, Higlers, and all others whatsoever, hereafter detected in the illegal collecting, conveying, or delivering of Letters or Packets, will be prosecuted with the utmost Severity.

The Penalty is Five Pounds for every several Offence, and One Hundred Pounds every Week such Practice is continued: One Moiety to the King, and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons who shall inform against the Offender or Offenders.

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

Navy-Office, April 19, 1768.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Tuesday the 11th of October next, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as shall be willing to sell and import American White Pine Masts, to be delivered at His Majesty's Yards in England.

Victualling-Office, July 13, 1768.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 24th of August next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to contract for furnishing Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at the Isle of Man, and be in Want thereof: Also Fresh Beef on a separate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector or Chief Officer of His Majesty's Customs at the Isle of Man.

All Persons, who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasion, are desired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 24th of August next.

Grenada, April 30, 1768.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Honourable Court of Chancery of this Island, dated the 28th Instant, this is to give Notice, that on the 15th Day of December next, will be sold at my Office in the Town of St. George in the said Island of Grenada, between the Hours of Three o'Clock in the Afternoon and Sun-setting of the same Day, All the Plantation of the late Edward Horne, Esq; deceased, and the Buildings thereon erected, situate in the Parish of St. Andrew in the said Island, with the Slaves, Coppers, Cattle, Mules, and other Plantation-Utensils thereunto belonging.

The said Plantation contains 135 French Quarres or thereabouts, equal to 432 English Statute Acres: The Inventory of which said Plantation, with the Slaves, Buildings, Cattle, Mules, and Utensils, is lodged with me, and may be perused by any Person or Persons.—The Terms of Sale are as follow: The best Bidder for the said Plantation, Slaves, and Premises must, upon the said 15th Day of December, deposit in my Hands the Sum of 1500 l. Current Money of Grenada; and, on or before the 15th Day of February then next following, must also pay into my Hands the further Sum of 22500 l. like Current Money; and the Residue of the said Purchase-Money, with Interest from the said Day of Sale, after the Rate of 6 per Cent. to each respective Day of Payment, is to be paid into my Hands, by Four Annual Installments, on the 15th Day of February in every Year successively, until the whole Purchase-Money is paid: If the best Bidder neglects or refuses to make good his Payments to become due the 15th Day of February next ensuing the said Day of Sale, he is to forfeit the said Deposit Sum of 1500 l. Current Money, and the Plantation and Premises are again to be put up to Sale.

N. B. The said Plantation and Premises are sold subject to an Annuity of 150 l. Sterling Money of Great Britain, payable to Mrs. Horne, the Widow of the said Edward Horne.
P A T. MAXWELL, Master in Chancery.

TO be sold by Auction, before the major Part of the Commissioners named and authorized in and by a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Browne, now or late of the Parish of St. Sepulchre, London, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, at the Guildhall of the City of London, on the 2d Day of August next, between the Hours of Four and Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, The Bankrupt's Life-Estate, who is about Thirty Years of Age (after the Decease of a Person upwards of Sixty Years old) to One undivided Fourth Part of the following Freehold Estates, viz. Four Freehold Messuages or Tenements, situate in Hart-Street, Crutched Fryars; one Messuage or Tenement, situate in Cow-Lane, West Smithfield; one Messuage or Tenement, situate in Hozier-Lane near West Smithfield; one Freehold Messuage or Tenement, situate in Bishop's Court in the Old Bailey; and Eleven Acres of Pasture Land, situate in Upper Holloway in the County of Middlesex; the whole Premises bringing in about 100 l. per Annum. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Richard Brewer, in Cow-Lane, West Smithfield, London.

THE Creditors of Mr. Matthew Pinnell, late of the Strand, Haberdasher, are desired to send in an Account of their respective Demands to Mess. Atkins and Bridges, No 66. Bread-Street, Cheap-side, on or before the 5th Day of August next; when and where they may receive a Dividend.

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