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*St. James's, September 13.*

**L**AST Sunday Night an Account was received at the Secretary of State's Office, that his Excellency Lord Cathcart, His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary to the Court of Russia, with his Family, Attendants, and Servants, arrived safe in Cronstadt Harbour, on Board His Majesty's Ship the Tweed, Capt. Collingwood, on the 14th of August, after having narrowly escaped being lost on the preceding Morning: At a Quarter after One, the Tweed had the Misfortune to strike on a Rock to the Southward of the uninhabited Islands called the Pentlingskars, off the Coast of Nyland, where she remained till Half an Hour after Nine the same Morning; but the Weather being at that Time remarkably calm, and the Sea very smooth, after throwing Ten of her Guns, and several Casks, over-board, to lighten her, she was, with the greatest Difficulty, by the Help of Anchors, which were carried out a-stern, happily got off without Damage.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 7th Day of September, 1768,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in His Privy Council.

**W**HEREAS Michael Shaw, Thomas Shaw, Christopher Smith, John Quare, and John Goffett, were, upon the Twenty-second Day of August last, charged by Informations of credible Persons upon Oath, by them subscribed, before John Levy, Richard Capel, and Thomas Marson, Esquires, Three of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Surry, with having been guilty, upon Saturday and Sunday the Twentieth and Twenty-first Days of the said Month of August last, of wilfully and maliciously Shooting at divers Persons, with Fire Arms, within the Marshalsea Prison, in the Borough of Southwark and County of Surry aforesaid, and thereby Wounding several of the said Persons;—Which Informations were afterwards certified by the said Richard Capel and Thomas Marson, under their Hands

and Seals, to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, who has laid the same before His Majesty in His Privy Council, pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the First, in that Case made and provided—His Majesty doth, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, by this His Order in His Privy Council, require and command, that the said Michael Shaw, Thomas Shaw, Christopher Smith, John Quare, and John Goffett, and each and every of them, do and shall respectively surrender himself and themselves within the Space of Forty Days, to one of His Majesty's Justices of the Court of King's Bench, or one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, to the End that they, and every of them, may be forthcoming to answer the Offences, wherewith they stand charged by the said Informations, according to due Course of Law.—And His Majesty is pleased further to order, as it is hereby ordered, that this Order shall be Printed and Published in the next London Gazette, and shall be forthwith transmitted to the Sheriff of the said County of Surry, and that the said Sheriff shall, within Six Days after the Receipt thereof, by himself or his Officers, proclaim the same Order between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon, in the Market Places, upon the respective Market Days, of two Market Towns in the said County of Surry, near to the Place where the said Offence was committed, and shall cause a true Copy of this Order to be affixed upon some Publick Place in each of such Market Towns, according to the true Intent and Meaning of the said Act of Parliament in that Case made and provided.

*Steph. Cottrell.*

Merchants Seamen's Office, Royal Exchange, September 13, 1768.

*A Quarterly General Court of the President and Governors for the Relief and Support of Sick, Maimed, and Disabled Seamen, and of the Widows and Children of such as shall be killed, slain, or drowned, in the Merchants Service, will be held at this Office on Tuesday the 4th of October next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.*

By Order of the President and Committee,  
Dan. Campbell, Secretary.

[ Price Three-Pence. ]



General Post-Office, September 6, 1768.

His Majesty's Postmaster General having been pleased to establish a sufficient Number of Packet-Boats to sail between Falmouth and New York, Charles Town, and the West-India Islands, to support a regular Monthly Correspondence to and from these Kingdoms and all Parts of His Majesty's extensive Dominions in America.

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given, that the several Mails for America, upon this New Arrangement, are to be made up at this Office on Wednesday the 5th of October next, and will continue to be dispatched from hence in the same Manner upon the first Wednesday in every Month.

The Mail for New York will contain the Letters for all the Provinces on the Continent of America, from Virginia Northwards. That for Charles Town will include the Letters for North and South Carolina, Georgia, and East and West Florida, except for Pensacola, the Letters for which Place will be forwarded from Jamaica by every Opportunity. And the Mail for the West Indies will contain the Letters for Barbadoes, all the Leeward Islands, and Jamaica, from whence the Packet-Boats are, instead of proceeding to Pensacola, to return immediately to Falmouth.

Upon the Arrival of these several Mails from hence at Falmouth, the Packet-Boats are to proceed with them to Sea immediately, Wind and Weather permitting; but if they should be unavoidably detained one or more Days, such Letters as come hither, or may be put into this Office, will be sent every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday to Falmouth, for the Chance of the Packets under Sailing Orders, and if sailed, they will be forwarded by the next Boat in Turn.

Great Inconveniences having arisen to the Public by returning Letters for the Postage; Their Lordships, for the Accommodation of Correspondence, leave it now to the Option of the Writer to pay or not beforehand to any Part of His Majesty's Dominions either in Europe or America, except to Gibraltar or Port Mahon.

All Persons however are particularly to take Notice, that Letters and Packets from any Part of Great Britain, Ireland, or America, for all Places beyond the Seas not in His Majesty's Dominions, are to pay at the Office where they are put in, the full Port to London, besides the Foreign Rates they may be chargeable with, to prevent the Necessity of their being opened and returned for the Postage.

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

A Table of the Rates of Postage, and a List of the Places to which there is an Every-Day Post, will be given to any Person who may apply for them to the Chamber-Keeper here.

East India House, September 2, 1768.

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 Wednesday the 14th Day of this Instant September, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Wednesday the 12th of October following.

That the Dividend Warrants, due the 10th of October next, will be ready to be delivered on Thursday the 3d of November following.

Buckinghamshire Militia.

September 8, 1768.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Lord Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Bucks, will be held at the White Hart Inn in Aylesbury, on Monday the 10th Day of October next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of carrying into Execution the Powers granted by the Laws now in Force relative to the Militia.

By Order of the Lord Lieutenant,

Ben. Ashwell, Clerk of the General Meetings.

N. B. As there are several Vacancies for Officers in the Regiment, such Gentlemen as are willing to serve are desired to send their Names in Writing to the Lord Lieutenant, specifying the Rank in which they are inclined to serve.

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, September 7, 1768.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 19th of October next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up), and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Fresh Beef to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at North Carolina, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office.

And 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 19th of October.

South Sea House, September 12, 1768.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That the Transfer Books of Old South Sea Annuities will be shut on Wednesday the 28th Instant, at Two o'Clock, and opened on Monday the 31st of October next.

And that the Warrants for the Half-Year's Interest, due thereon the 10th of October next, will be paid on Thursday the 10th and Friday the 11th of November following; on which Days of Payment the said Transfer Books will be shut.

From the Commissioners for Paving the Streets of Westminster, &c. August 31, 1768.

Whereas Application has been made to the said Commissioners by several of the Owners and Occupiers of Houses in Dartmouth-Street in the Parish of St. Margaret in the City of Westminster, requesting the said Commissioners to new-pave the said Street, and take the same under their Direction; The said Commissioners, pursuant to the Act of the Fifth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, hereby give Notice, that the Owners, Leaseholders, and Occupiers of Houses in the said Street are required to meet on Wednesday the 19th Day of October next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Westminster Bridge Office, Old Palace Yard, Westminster,

minister, to signify their Assent to or Dissent from Now-  
paying the said Street.

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

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JOHAN Schultz, formerly Merchant and Native of the  
City of Konigsberg in Prussia, who went and resided for  
some Time at Hamburg, afterwards went to London, and from  
thence, as is supposed, to Philadelphia, having been absent  
from Konigsberg upwards of Thirty Years, and thought to be  
dead, his next of Kin have applied to the Burgher-masters  
and Senators of the said City of Konigsberg, to have his Estate  
divided among them: Therefore Notice is hereby given to the  
said Johan Schultz if living, or to his Descendants, if he has  
left any, and to any Person or Persons that may be intitled  
to his Estate and Effects, or any Part thereof, by Virtue of  
any Will which he may have left, or upon any other Account,  
that they immediately, or at the latest on the 10th of Novem-  
ber 1768, being the peremptory and preclusive Time appointed,  
do apply to the Magistrates of the said City of Konigsberg,  
and make out their Claims to the Estate and Effects of the  
said Johan Schultz, otherwise they are to expect that Johan  
Schultz will be declared to be dead, and he, together with his  
Descendants, and all Claimants on his Estate and Effects,  
will be precluded from his Property at Konigsberg, and that  
it will be adjudged to his Relations and Heirs there, who  
have made Application for the same.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Com-  
mission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William  
Taylor, late of the City of Worcester, Innholder, are desired  
to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects,  
on Tuesday the 20th Day of September instant, at Ten o'Clock  
in the Forenoon, at the House of William Baker, known by  
the Sign of the Bell Inn in Broad-Street in the said City, in  
order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commen-  
cing or defending Suits at Law and in Equity for the Recov-  
ery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and on other  
special Affairs relative to the said Bankrupt's Estate.

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 No-  
tice, 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 After-  
noon 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 there-  
abouts, 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 fol-  
low: The best Bidder for the said Plantation, Slaves, and  
Premises must, upon the said 15th Day of December, de-  
posit in my Hands the Sum of 1500 l. Current Money of Gre-  
nada; and, on or before the 15th Day of February then next  
following, must also pay into my Hands the further Sum of  
12500 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 Pay-  
ment, is to be paid into my Hands, by Four Annual Install-  
ments, on the 1st 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, pay-  
able to Mrs. Horne, the Widow of the said Edward Horne.

P. A. T. MAXWELL, Master in Chancery.

Bath, July 8, 1768.

WHEREAS the Partnership between Neill Stewart and Jo-  
seph Wilson, of the City of Bath in the County of  
Somerset, Wine, Rum, and Brandy Merchants, was this Day  
mutually dissolved: All Persons that have any Demands on  
Account of Wines, bought by the said Neill Stewart and Jo-  
seph Wilson on their joint Account, are required to apply to  
the said Neill Stewart for Payment thereof; and all Persons  
that have any Demands on Account of Rum and Brandy,  
bought by the said Neill Stewart and Joseph Wilson on their  
joint Account, are required to apply to the said Joseph Wilson  
for Payment thereof.

Neill Stewart.  
Joseph Wilson.

Dublin, June 15, 1768.

WHEREAS an Act has passed this last Session of Parlia-  
ment for the Relief of the Creditors of Theophilus  
Desbrisay, of the City of Dublin, Esq; whereby all his Real,  
Freehold, and Personal Estates are vested in certain Trustees,  
for the Payment of his Debts: And whereas Notice is required  
to be given by the said Act to all and every the Creditor and  
Creditors of the said Theophilus Desbrisay, that they do, on  
or before the 29th Day of September next, exhibit his, her,  
or their Claim or Claims before the said Trustees, or any  
three or more of them. Now we, the under-mentioned  
Trustees, Francis Hopkins, Carleton Whitlocke, William  
Montgomery, and Stephen Wybrants, Esqrs. do hereby give  
the said Creditors Notice to lodge their Claims with Mr. Mark  
Thommas, at Capt. Theophilus Desbrisay's, at Mr. Black's,  
at the Sign of the Spinning Wheel in Cople-Street, our Reg-  
ister, on or before the said 29th Day of September next, that  
we may proceed to hear and determine the same, otherwise  
the said Creditor and Creditors will be bar'd of all Remedy  
for Recovery of his, her, or their Demand or Demands, either  
at Law or in Equity.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Com-  
mission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against George  
Choat, of the Parish of St. Luke Old-Street in the County  
of Middlesex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet  
the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on  
Friday the 16th Day of September instant, precisely at Ore-  
o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Feathers Tavern in Cheap-  
side,

side, in order to empower the said Assignees to commence and prosecute one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Matters relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Osborn, of the City of Norwich, Dealer in Coals and Corn, are desired to meet the Assignees on Wednesday the 28th Day of September instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at the Maid's Head Inn in the City of Norwich, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate; and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**P**ursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Jacob Levy, of Poor Jewry Lane near Aldgate, London, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Twelve Days, to be computed from the 10th Day of September instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 22d Day of September instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Norman, John Jones, and Samuel Hassell, all of West Cowes, in the Parish of Northwood in the Isle of Wight in the County of Southampton, Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners in Trade, they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d and 4th Days of October next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon of each of the said Days; and on the 25th Day of the same Month of October, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Christian Sheath, known by the Name or Sign of the Sun Inn in Newport in the Isle of Wight aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Clarke, in Newport in the Isle of Wight aforesaid.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Jonathan Smith, of Mold in the County of Flint, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 20th Day of September instant, and on the 1st Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 25th Day of the same Month at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at

the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Walton, at Girdlers Hall, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Warriner and Richard Warriner, of Fifth-Street Hill, London, Glovers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 8th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the above-named John Warriner's separate Estate and Effects, pursuant to an Order obtained from the Lord High Chancellor for that Purpose; when and where the separate Creditors of the said John Warriner, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Risdon, of Crediton in the County of Devon, Merchant, Cornfactor, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 4th Day of October next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Peter Berlon, known by the Name of the New Coffee-house and Tavern in the City of Exeter, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Robert Brailsford, of Friday-Street, London, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of November next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; 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. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Goodchild, of Charing Cross in the County of Middlesex, Linnen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th Day of November next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Terrett, now or late of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Terrett hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 4th of October next.

In last Saturday's Gazette, in the 10th Line of the Commission of Bankrupt against Benjamin Collet, after the Word Forenoon, add, on each of the said two last mentioned Days.