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From Saturday December 3, to Tuesday December 6, 1768.

Copenhagen, November 26.
ON Tuesday last was launched at the Holm, a very fine 80 Gun Ship, called the Queen of Denmark, in Honor of her Danish Majesty, who, with the Queen Dowager, and Prince Frederick, was present upon this Occasion.

Admiralty-Office, December 3, 1768.
Pursuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-Sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, That on the 9th of October, the Ship *Vroure Catharina*; of the Burthen of about 100 Tons, whereof Christian Michaelson was Master, bound from Figuera in Portugal to Copenhagen, laden with Salt, struck on a Bank near Newtown in the Isle of Wight, from whence, after taking out Part of her Cargoe and Stores, she was the next Day with proper Assistance got off, and brought into Cowes Harbour.

Ph. Stephens.

St. James's, December 6, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That last Night, or early this Morning, the Front-Door and Pilasters of the House of Richard Capel, Esq; in Bermondsey-Street, Southwark, were maliciously defaced, in all Appearance by Carpenters Tools, and N^o 45, in large Figures, marked in several Places on the Front of the said House: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Facts, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, 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 Richard Capel does hereby promise a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid by him on the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Richard Capel.

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 Florida. The Letters for Pensacola and all Parts of West Florida will be forwarded from Jamaica by every Opportunity. 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 hitther, 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 Maion.

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 Post 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.

[Price Three-Pence.]

