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Admiralty-Office, February 18, 1774.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Friday the 22d of April next, at Justice-Hall in the Old-Bailey, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.

Navy-Office, April 15, 1774.

THE Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half-Pay to Sea Officers, from the 1st Day of July to the 31st of December, 1773, according to His Majesty's Establishment in that Behalf; These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Office of the Treasurer of the Navy in Broad-Street, on Monday and Tuesday the 25th and 26th of this Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, viz. To Captains and their Attorneys, and other Officers appearing themselves, on the Monday; and to Attorneys of Lieutenants, Masters and Surgeons; on the Tuesday, (after which the List will be recalled once a Month) that all Persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable unto them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any Publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid their Half-Pay; but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oath required by Act of Parliament to His present Majesty; and in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

General Post-Office, January 11, 1774.

WILLIAM Harvey, of Amersham in the County of Bucks, Innholder, and Deputy-Postmaster of that Place, stands charged upon Oath, on a violent Suspicion of having feloniously stolen out of the Post-Office there, several Bank Notes and Bills contained in Letters sent by the Post.

The said William Harvey absconded from his Dwelling-House at Amersham aforesaid, on Sunday last the 9th Instant. He is about forty Years of Age, five Feet six Inches high, very fat, short Neck, and carries his Head very upright; is remarkably full chested, rather a black Complexion, short thick Nose, very full Eyes,

wears a black curled Wig with a Tyburn Top, and is supposed to have had on a brown Coat and red Waist-coat when he absconded.

Whosoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the said William Harvey, will be intitled to a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Anth. Todd, Secretary.

General Post-Office, March 14, 1774.

LAST Saturday Night the Mail, containing the Bags of Letters from Derby, Ashbourne and Burton upon Trent, which should have arrived here this Morning, was stolen from the Post-Office at Loughborough whilst the Boy was putting his Horse in the Stable;

Whoever shall apprehend the Person or Persons, who stole the said Mail, will be intitled to a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid on Conviction agreeably to an Advertisement from this Office the 27th of January, 1770, for encouraging the immediate Pursuit of Mail-Robbers. Or if any Person, whether an Accomplice in the said Theft, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby the Person, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Person who committed this Theft, be intitled to the said Reward of Fifty Pounds, and will also receive His Majesty's most Gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Anth. Todd, Secretary.

East-India House, April 8, 1774.

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 Leadenhall-Street, on Thursday the 28th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to take into Consideration the Business of the Company's Shipping; and on special Affairs.

Westminster Fire-Office, April 14, 1774.

THE General Meeting appointed by the Deed of Settlement to be yearly in April, for choosing Auditors for the Year ensuing, and on other Affairs, will be held at this Office on Thursday next the 21st Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely.

G. Browne, Secretary.

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Mortgages and Annuities.

ALL Persons to whom the Right Hon. William Lord
Byron and the Hon. William Byron, his Son, or either
of them, are indebted by Mortgage, or have granted any An-
nuity prior to the 17th Day of February last, are desired to send
an Account of what is due to them on such Mortgages and for
such Annuities, to Mr. John Heaton, at No. 6, in Lincoln's-Inn,
before the 30th Day of April instant, in order that the same
may be paid, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of
the Fund provided for that Purpose.

Gloucester, April 14, 1774.

THE several Creditors of Charles Cooke, late of the City
of Gloucester, Hosier, deceased, are desired to deliver in
an Account of their respective Demands unto Martha Cooke,
his Sister and Executrix, or unto Mr. Richard Wood, of Glou-
cester aforesaid, Mercer, on or before the 1st Day of June next;
when the Effects of the said Deceased will be equally divided
amongst his Creditors.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the
Children of the Sisters of Thomas Dudley the Father,
late of Leeatwood in the County of Salop, Gentleman, de-
ceased, are forthwith to come in and make their Claims to a
Legacy of One Thousand Pounds, given by the Will of Tho-
mas Dudley the Son, also deceased, and also to the Residue of
his (the said Thomas Dudley the Son's) Personal Estate, before
John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court,
at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London,
or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the
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TO be preemptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subse-
quent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Sa-
muel Pechell, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at
his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, on
Friday the 13th of May next, between the Hours of Five and
Six in the Afternoon, Several Freehold Messuages, Lands, and
Tenements, situate in the several Parishes of Lanederne and
Lisvane in the County of Glamorgan, and the several Parishes
of Romney and St. Mellons in the County of Monmouth, to-
gether of the yearly Value of 2671. 9s. or thereabouts, exclu-
sive of a free Piscary in the River Romney, the Estates of Wil-
liam Morgan, late of Coedygoras in the said County of Gla-
morgan, Esq. Particulars whereof may be had at the said
Master's Chambers.

TO be preemptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High
Court of Chancery, on Monday the 30th of May next,
between the Hours of Five and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon,
before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court,
at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London,
One fourth Part of sundry Freehold Lands, containing in
the whole 888 Acres, or thereabouts, situate at Pepper-Hills,
Great-Joyft, Glazen-Windows, and Browns-Hills, in Deep-
ing Fens in the County of Lincoln, which fourth Part was
late the Estate of John Hodgson, late of the Middle Temple,
London, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at
the said Master's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Com-
mission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against
Samuel Dixon, late of South Town, otherwise Little Yarmouth,
in the County of Suffolk, Victualler and Innholder, Dealer
and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said
Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 27th Day of
April instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of Ab-
salom Dark, the Sign of the Angel, in Great Yarmouth in the
County of Norfolk, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees
commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law
or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects;
or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or other-
wise agreeing, any Matter in Dispute relating thereto; and on
other special Affairs.

N O T I C E,

By George Mackenzie, Writer in Dumfries, Factor appointed
by the Court of Session upon the sequestrated Personal Estate
of Francis Halliday, Dyer, at Kirtlebridge in the County of
Dumfries.

THESE are intimate to all Concerned, that upon the Ap-
plication of the said Francis Halliday, the Lord Ordinary
officiating on the Bills for the Time did, on the 5th of April,
1774, sequestrate the whole Personal Estate of the said Fran-
cis Halliday, situate within the Jurisdiction of the said Court,
and appointed said George Mackenzie to be Factor thereon, in
Terms of a late Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for
rendering the Payment of the Creditors of Insolvent Debtors,
in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, more equal and
expeditious, &c."

The said George Mackenzie, therefore, in Terms of the said
Statute, and of said Order of Court, hereby requires the whole
Creditors of the said Francis Halliday, by themselves, or their
Attorneys or Agents properly authorized to act for

meet within the House of John Bushby, Keeper of the George Inn at Dumfries, on the 18th Day of May next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to continue the said George Mackenzie as Factor on the said sequestrated Estate, or chuse another Factor thereon, or a Trustee or Trustees in his Place, all in Terms of the foresaid Statute.

Geo. Mackenzie.

Notice to the Creditors of James Macpherfon, Mason,
at Dean, near Edinburgh,

THAT, upon the 12th of April current, the Personal Estate of the said James Macpherfon was, upon his own Application, sequestrated by Authority of the Lord Kennet, Ordinary on the Bills, in Terms of the late Act of the 12th of George the Third;—William Moncrief, Writer in Edinburgh, appointed Factor;—and the Creditors to meet at John's Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, on Friday the 13th of May next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to their continuing the said Factor, or chusing another Factor, or a Trustee or Trustees in his Place:—Of which Sequestration and Meeting this Intimation is given to all concerned.

William Moncrief.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Snoxell, of Cheapside, London, Haberdasher, 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 23d Day of April instant, and on the 3d Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 31st Day of the same May at Eleven in the Forenoon, 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. Thomas Lacey, Attorney, No. 10, Clement's-Inn.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Hyman Hendriks, late of Ayliffe-Street, Goodman's-Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, 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 26th Day of April instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 2d Day of May next at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 31st Day of the same Month at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, 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. Le Bretton, Martin's-Lane, Cannon-Street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Peter Pritchard, late of Bucklersbury, near the Poultry, in the City of London, Linen-Draper, 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 23d Day of April instant, and on the 3d Day of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 31st Day of the same

Month of May at Ten in the Forenoon, 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. Jenkins, New-Inn, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Moses Dias Fernandes, of Fenchurch-Street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 4th Day of May next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, to be added to the present Assignees, in the Room of Robert Wilks, deceased; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come and prove the same, and, with the Creditors who have proved their Debts, vote in such Choice accordingly.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Holyland and Joseph Broughton, of West-Smithfield, London, Linen-Drapers, Dealers, Chaermen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 4th Day of May next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the respective separate Creditors of the said William Holyland and Joseph Broughton, who have not already proved their Debts, may come and prove the same, pursuant to an Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain; for that Purpose.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Brooke, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 27th Day of April instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Richard Houlditch, of Bow in the County of Middlesex, Malt-Distiller, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th Day of May next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (and not on the 22d Instant, as before advertised) in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; 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 Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Browne, of Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Upholsterer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Browne hath in all Things conformed according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, by that virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Regn, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 10th of May next.

Erratum: To the Advertisement for Proof of Debts under the Commission against Richard Townsend, inserted in last Saturday's Gazette, add, "pursuant to an Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain."

