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Whitehall, August 13.

**T**HE King has been pleased to approve, allow and confirm the Election of Nathaniel Clayton, Esq; to be Town-Clerk of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne, in the room of William Gibson, Esq; who has resigned.

Hague, August 8.

The Prince of Orange arrived Saturday last from his Tour to Brabant and Dutch Flanders. The Princes returned the preceding Week.

Yesterday being the Anniversary of Her Royal Highness's Birth-day, the Court received the Compliments and Congratulations usual on the Occasion.

Whitehall, August 11, 1785.

**W**HEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Sunday Night last a large Field-Officer's Marquee was stolen from the Grounds of William Saviny Neligan, Esq; at Teddington in the County of Middlesex, by some Person or Persons unknown: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in stealing the said Marquee, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any Person who will discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SYDNEY.

And as a further Encouragement, I do hereby offer a Reward of TEN POUNDS, to be paid by me to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, on the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Will. S. Neligan.

Bank of England, August 13, 1785.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That the Transfer Books for Bank Stock will be shut from Thursday the 1st of September next, 'till Thursday the 20th of October following.

Francis Martin, Assist. Sec.

Custom-House, London, July 22, 1785.

**W**HEREAS sundry Articles of Prize Goods taken during the late Hostilities are now remaining in Warehouses at several Ports in England, under the joint Locks of the King and the Proprietors of such Goods.

In pursuance of an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby give Notice, That if such Goods shall not be exported, or the full Duties paid for the same, on or before the 25th Day of December next, they will cause all such Goods as may remain in such Warehouses after that Period to be publicly sold by Auction, conformably to the Directions of the said Act.

By Order of the Commissioners,

W. Stiles, Secretary.

General Post-Office, August 6, 1785.

**M**R. PALMER having engaged to accomplish his Plan for the Conveyance of His Majesty's Mails to all Parts of the Kingdom as soon as possible, the Letters for every Part of Great Britain and Ireland, must, on and after Monday the 15th Instant, be put into the Receiving Houses before FIVE o'Clock in the Evening, and into this Office before SEVEN, in order to prevent the Inconveniencies which have arisen to the Public from two Deliveries in London on the same Day, and the sending out the Mails at different Hours on the same Evening.

From that Time likewise the Letters are intended to be sent out regularly from hence between the Hours of Nine and Ten in the Morning, so as to reach the most distant Parts of the Town by Twelve at Noon.

Notice will be given in a few Days when the Mail Conveyance upon Mr. Palmer's Plan will be established to Hampshire, Dorsetshire, Somersetshire, Devonshire, and Cornwall, as likewise to Birmingham, Shrewsbury, Gloucester, and Ludlow, and also to Dover.

By Command of the Post-Master General,  
Anthony Todd, Sec.

The following are the Mail Coaches already established.

To Bath and Bristol from the Swan with Two Necks, Lad-lane, and the Gloucester Coffee-house, Piccadilly.

To Norwich and Yarmouth, through Newmarket and Thetford from the White Horse, Fetter-lane.

To Norwich, through Colchester and Ipswich from the same Place.

To Nottingham and Leeds from the Bull and Mouth, in Bull and Mouth-street.

To Manchester, through Derby.

And to Liverpool, through Coventry and Litchfield, from the Swan with Two Necks, Lad-lane.

Office of Ordnance, August 6, 1785.

**T**HE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they will sell, by Public Auction, at the Tower, on Wednesday and Thursday the 24th and 25th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, sundry Lots of old Musquets, Brasses and Iron Musquetoons, Pistols, Halberets, Halbert Spears, Spontoons, Scabbards for Swords and Bayonets, Artillery Accoutrements, Foil Blades, Land and Sea Service Swords, Hangers of Sorts, Musquet, Musquetoon, Carbine and Pistol Barrels, Steel Rammers, Musquet Locks, old Brass Work, Bayonets, Brasses and Iron Heel Plates, Handles, Side Pieces, &c. Tanned Leather, Accoutrements, Musquet Stocks, Cartouch Boxes, Flints, and other unserviceable Stores, which may be viewed at the Tower till the Day of Sale. Printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such Persons as apply at the Tower for the same.

By Order of the Board,  
Aug. Rogers, Sec.