

Whitehall, May 13, 1794.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, that in the Evening of the 23d Day of December last a large Smuggling Cutter being observed cruizing off the Coast nearly opposite to the Town of Shoreham in the County of Sussex, the Galley belonging to the Swallow Cutter, in the Service of the Customs, was immediately manned by several of the Crew of the said Ship, and rowed out of the Harbour of New Shoreham, in Pursuit of her: That, as soon as they came along side of the Smuggling Cutter, which was about a Mile distant from the Shore, some Persons on Board the said Cutter called out, "Keep off," and immediately a Carriage Gun, loaded with Shot, was fired from her Stern, and another was directly afterwards fired from her Bow, and several Musquets and Blunderbusses were fired from the Midships of the said Cutter, by Means whereof Richard Blair, one of the Seamen on Board the Galley belonging to the Swallow Cutter, received a mortal Wound in his Left Side, of which said Wound the said Richard Blair, after languishing for a few Days, on the 29th of the said Month of December died.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in this Felony and Murder, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One or more of the said Offenders who shall discover his, her or their Accomplices therein, (except the Master or Commander on Board the said Cutter and the Persons who actually fired) so that any One or more of them may be apprehended and convicted of the said Offence.

HENRY DUNDAS.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of THREE HUNDRED POUNDS to any Person or Persons who shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, any One or more of the said Offenders, to be paid by the Receiver-General of His Majesty's Customs, on Conviction.

By Order of the Commissioners,
James Hume, Secretary.

Navy-Office, May 5, 1794.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 20th Instant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat for

30,000 Frocks,

made of Russia Duck or Ticklinburgh, agreeable to Patterns to be seen at the Slop-Office here.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed, unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

Navy-Office, May 16, 1794.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Thursday next the 22d Instant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat for

Blue Woollen Trowsers - - - 10,000
Flannel Waistcoats - - - 10,000

Agreeable to Patterns to be seen at the Slop-Office here.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

Admiralty-Office, May 10, 1794.

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 at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, on Tuesday the 3d Day of June next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

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East India House, May 14, 1794.

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 said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 5th of June next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Tuesday the 22d of July following.

And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th Day of July, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 14th of July next.

East India House, May 14, 1794.

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 Friday the 30th Instant, from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of a Director of the said Company, in the room of Nathaniel Smith, Esq; deceased.

East India House, May 14, 1794.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 18th of June next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend from Christmas last to Midsummer next.

To the Proprietors of East India Stock.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

HAVING the Honor of being recommended to you by the Directors of the East India Company as a Candidate for the Direction, to be chosen in the room of Nathaniel Smith, Esq; deceased, I take the Liberty of requesting the Favor of your Vote and Interest on Friday the 30th Instant, being the Day of Election.

I am,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your most obedient
and most humble Servant.

East India House,
May 14, 1794.

Charles Grant.

To the Proprietors of East India Stock.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

THE Election of a Director for the East India Company, in the room of Nathaniel Smith, Esq; deceased, being appointed for Friday the 30th Instant, the Favor of your Vote and Interest is desired for Charles Grant, Esq; which will very much oblige,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your most humble Servants,

Stephen Lushington
John Manship
Thomas Theo. Metcalfe
Charles Mills
William Money
Thomas Parry
Thomas Pattle
Abram Robarts
David Scott
George Tatem
John Travers
William Devaynes

John Hunter
Francis Baring
William Bensley
John Smith Burges
William Elphinton
Walter Ewer
Thomas Fitzhugh
Simon Fraser
Hugh Inglis
Paul Le Mesurier
Stephen Williams