

Whitehall, February 24.

Whereas a Letter dated Tuesday the 18th Instant, and subscribed W^m H[—], was sent by the Penny-Post to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. The Writer of this Letter is desired to come to Charles Delafaye, Esq; at the Secretary's Office at the Cockpit, Whitehall, and he shall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

Whereas in a Paper Entitled, A Letter from a Livy-man of the City of London to a Member of the Honourable House of Commons, relating to the Coinage of Copper Farthings and Half-pence, it is set forth, That it may be made out to Demonstration, that the Nation is grossly imposed upon on Account of the said Coinage; and that although other Persons capable, proposed to deliver in the Blanks equal in Goodness to those coined in King Charles the Second's Time, yet the Person under Contract is suffer'd to deliver in Copper of less Value by Two Pence in each Pound weight than the said Farthings and Half-pence coined in the Time of the said King Charles; The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury do hereby give Notice, that if the Persons who published the said Letter, or any other Persons, will attend the Treasury, and bring with them Blanks of fine British Copper, equal in Goodness to those coined in King Charles the Second's Time, and will oblige themselves to furnish Quantities of the same Blanks at the same Rates which are now paid, their Lordships will give them Encouragement suitable to their Proposals and Performance thereof, there being no standing Contract yet made with any Persons, and those now employed being only upon Trial.

Navy-Office, Dec. 13, 1717.

Whereas it was set forth by a Publication in the Gazette, bearing Date the 17th of July last, and inserted in the succeeding Gazettes to the end of August following; that by Act of Parliament made in the 12th Year of Queen Anne, the Sum of 3000 l. was given to be equally distributed amongst the Chaplains who had served in the Fleet during the late War, &c. And by a Clause in an Act of Parliament made in the 3d Year of His present Majesty King George, entitled, An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by a Land Tax, &c. for settling in what Proportions the said Sum should be paid; it is thereby directed, that the said 3000 l. shall be distributed to such of the said Chaplains who served in the Fleet during the late War, and which were not in Her Majesty's Service in the Fleet, or had not some Ecclesiastical Living or Preferment on the 16th of November 1711, to the Value of 50 l. per Annum or more; and it not being known which (if any) of them had any Ecclesiastical Livings or Preferments on the said 16th of November 1711, which must be ascertain'd before a full Adjustment can be made of the Proportions of the said 3000 l. to be distributed among those who shall appear to have a Right thereto, according to the said Act: And whereas, since the forecited Publications in the Gazettes, there have been brought to the Office but 81 Affidavits, of 112 Chaplains, who appear by a Collection made at the Navy-Office to have served on board the Fleet within the aforesaid Time; These are further to give Notice, that every Chaplain, or the Executors or Administrators of any such Chaplain, who had not any Preferment as aforesaid, and have not delivered to the Navy-Office their Affidavits, pursuant to the former Publication, do bring or send them thither, by or before the 17th of July next, in order to have their Claims entered; which Affidavits are to be made before a proper Magistrate, testifying that they had no such Living or Preferment at the time mentioned in the Act, and are also to be signed by the Chaplain or the Executors or Administrators of the same, after which Time the List will be adjusted and closed, and no further Claims admitted.

Notice is hereby given, that on Thursday 13th of March, at Ten in the Morning, there will be a General Quarterly Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the poor Clergy, at the new Buildings joining to the Banqueting-House in Whitehall.

East-India House, London, Feb. 21. 1717.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, that they shall be ready upon the 24th of June next, to pay off the Principal and Interest of all such Bonds as they owe at five per Cent. Interest, unless

the Persons concerned will be content to accept of four per Cent. per Annum Interest for the said Bonds, from the said 24th of June next; at which Rate, the Company will continue the old, or give them new Bonds.

Notice is hereby given by the Agents to the Captors, that the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Experiment, may, on Thursday the 13th of March next, at Lloyd's Coffee-House in Lombard-Street, at Three in the Afternoon, receive their respective Shares of the Bounty Money for the Prisoners taken on board the Galathea French Privateer in the West-Indies; and those Persons who shall not then attend may receive the same every first Thursday in the Month for three Years, at the Time and Place aforesaid.

The Master, Wardens and Assistants of the Trinity-House of Deptford-Strand, do give Notice to all Masters and Owners of Ships and Vessels trading to the Port of London, that for the preventing all pretended Abuses in the Tonnage of Ballast, they have resolved on Wednesday the 2d of April next, to weigh with Lead all the Lighters employed in the Ballast-work (as hath been their Custom from Time to Time to do) at Cole-hole in Shadwell, where any Masters or Owners of Ships may (if they think fit) attend and see all the said Lighters fairly weighed and marked: And that upon Complaint made to the Supervisors of the said Office in Mark-lane (who daily attend there for that Purpose) of any Frauds or Abuses committed by the Ballast Men in supplying Ships with Ballast, the same will be immediately redressed, as is (and hath been) the constant Practice upon any such Complaint.

The Merchant Taylor's Company give Notice, that they intend to let by Lease one Tenement in the Occupation of John Lawden, Victualler, fronting Bishopsgate-Street without; and also 35 other Tenements adjoining to the said front Tenement, with the Gardens and Sheds thereto belonging in Bell-Alley, Lamb-Alley and Angel-Court, of the yearly Value of 250 l. and that a Committee will sit at Merchant Taylor's Hall, near the Royal-Exchange, on Wednesday the 12th of March next, at Nine in the Forenoon, to receive Proposals for the same: Particulars may be had of Mr. George North, Clerk to the said Company, at the said Hall.

Advertisements.

This Day is published, for the Use of Schools, the second Edition of,

* * * Vocabularium Latiale: Or, a Latin Vocabulary, in two Parts; the first a Collection of the most usual Latin Words, with their Signification in English, after the Order of the eight Parts of Speech, shewing the Gender, Increase, Declension and Motion of Nouns and Pronouns, with the Conjugation, preterperfect Tense and Supine of Verbs; the second shewing the Variation and declining of all the declinable Parts, By Thomas Dyche, School-master, at Stratford le Bow. Printed for S. Butler near Bernard's Inn in Holborn.

THE Trustees in the Brig, for Relief of the poor Cow-keepers are desired to meet at the Old Devil Tavern, near Temple-Bar, on Friday next the 28th Instant, at Two in the Afternoon, in order to receive the final Account of the Undertakers.

THE Estate of John Dibble, late of Abinger, in the County of Surrey, Timber-Merchant, consisting of a new built Brick House, called Daniell's, with Coach-House, Stables and Gardens, and 24 Acres of Land, in the Parish of James-Lodington, Esq; a Farm called Shottwell's, and a Malt House and 24 Acres of Land; a Farm called Upper-Hackhurst and 12 Acres of Land; a Farm called Lower-Hackhurst, and sixty Acres of Land; several Parcels of Land called Rake's-Land, all in the Parish of Abinger, in the said County of Surrey; a Farm called Oakley, and 84 Acres of Meadow and Pasture Land, in the Parish of Newdigate, in the said County of Surrey; and one other Farm called Little Hays, near Five Oaks, and 75 Acres of Meadow and Pasture Land, in the Parish of Billingshurst, in the County of Sussex; are to be sold, either in Parcels or together, before the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against the said John Dibble, on Thursday the 27th of March next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Old Council-Chamber in the Guildhall, London; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Anne Draycott, of Sturbridge, in the County of Worcester, widow, and Dealer in Gun-Barrels, intend to meet on the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Days of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of William Rolfe, Inholder, Situated in Sturbridge aforesaid; where and when the Creditors of the said Anne Draycott, who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same; and at the last of the said Days, the said Commissioners will appoint Assignees; they the said Commissioners not having met at the Place aforesaid on the Twenty Fourth and Twenty Fifth Days of January last, pursuant to a Notice by Mistake inserted in the Gazette of the Eighteenth of the said Month of January.