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Berlin, June 7, N. S.

WE have these Particulars relating to the Death of the late King of Prussia. On the 28th past three Expresses were sent from Potzdam to the Prince Royal at Reinsberg, with Orders for him to repair immediately to Potzdam, the King his Father desiring to take his Leave of him, and give him his Blessing before he died. The same Morning Mess. Pudewilts and Bode, two Ministers of State, were likewise sent for. The Prince being arrived at Potzdam, was a long Time in private with the King and the two abovementioned Ministers. The 31st, between One and Two in the Afternoon, his Prussian Majesty expired. On Saturday next the King is expected to return hither from Reinsberg. No Promotions or Removes have been made since the late King's Death. M. Munchausen, one of his Britannick Majesty's Ministers of State for his Electoral Affairs, arrived here Yesterday.

Berlin, June 12. Col. Count Troughses is appointed his Prussian Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Great Britain, and is accordingly soon to set out for Hanover.

Hanover, June 15, N. S. On the 7th Instant his Majesty arrived here in good Health. This Court went into Mourning last Sunday for the King of Prussia. The Lord Harrington arrived here Yesterday.

Whitehall, June 10.

Yesterday came Advice, that His Majesty's Yacht the Mary, having on board her Royal Highness the Princess of Hesse, which sailed from Greenwich last Friday at Seven in the Morning, came upon the Coast of Holland the next Morning, and the Wind being fair proceeded up the Maese to Rotterdam, where her Royal Highness arrived at One a-Clock in the Afternoon.

We have Advice, that Vice-Admiral Balchen in his Majesty's Ship the Russell,

with the Norfolk, Grafton, Dunkirk and Severn, arrived in Plymouth Sound the 5th Instant.

Navy Office, June 9, 1740.

These are to give Notice, That on Wednesday the 25th Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's several Yards with Hemp upon a standing Contract, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

General Post Office, March 14, 1739.

Whereas the Post-Boy, who was carrying the Worcester Mail from London to Southall, was set upon this Morning about Four of the Clock, between Audley-street End and Tyburn Turnpike, by Two Footpads, one of which was a lusty Man, in a white Cape Coat, who presented a Pistol to the said Boy, and demanding the Oxford Bag, led him into a Field against Audley-street End, opened the Mail, and took thereout the Worcester and Oxford Bags; the Worcester Bag containing the Ludlow, Tenbury, and Bromyard Letters; the Oxford Bag containing the Burford, Whitney, and Woodstock Letters.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed the said Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of 200 l. besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen. Or if any Person, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby the Persons, or either of them who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party or Parties, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.

General Post-Office, April 2, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Bristol Mail from London to Hounslow, was attacked and set upon between Three and Four a Clock this Morning, a little beyond Knightsbridge, by a single Person on Foot, of a dark Complexion, and a middle Stature, having on a light-colour'd Horseman's Coat with the Cape button'd up, who led him into an adjacent Field, and there took from him the Bath and Bristol Bags, put them into a Green Bag, and rode

rode off with them towards London on the Horse that carried the said Mail.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person, whether Accomplish'd in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make a Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.

London, June 3, 1740.

Whereas on the 19th of May, 1740, a Commission pass'd the Great Seal of the High Court of Admiralty, in pursuance of his Majesty's Sign Manual dated the 12th of the same Month, appointing Commissioners for disposing of the Ships St. Joseph and St. Jago Prizes and their Cargoes: This is to give Notice, that on Wednesday the 13th Day of August next, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room at the Custom House, London, by the Commissioners therein named, the Cargo of the St. Joseph Prize, viz. 5511 Bags, 96 Serons, 1 Chest, 5 Casks Cocoa Nuts, 10 Jars 1 Lump Cocoa Fat, 19 Kegs, 1 Bag, 1 Box, 1 Parcel of Cocoa Paste, 655 Bales, 13 Bags, 1 Keg, 2 Parcels, 1 Basket of Spanish Tobacco, 1 Chest Cotton Wooll, 1 Bag Sorfaparilla, 95 Blocks, 89 Sticks Lignum Vitæ, 1 Bag of Snuff, 5 Pieces of Iron Wood, 82 Cedar Planks, and 2 Cedar Boards, 52 Cow-hides, 14 Bundles of Pieces of Cow Hides, and 3 single Pieces, 1 Iron Beam, 1 Bag Brass Weights, 2 loose Brass Weights, and 1 Surgeon's Chest. Catalogues of the said Goods, with the Conditions of Sale, will be delivered at the Warehouses on Buttolph Wharf; where the Goods will be expos'd to View from the 30th of July, between the Hours of Nine to Twelve in the Morning, and from Two to Six in the Afternoon, until the Day of Sale.

The Trustees appointed to put in Execution the Act for Repairing the Roads in the Parishes of Kensington, Chelsea, and Fulham, &c. do hereby give Notice, that Money will be refused in the Hands of Mr. Roger Gathorne, of Chelsea, their Treasurer, for paying off the four following Bills of Credit on the 13th Day of December next, together with all Interest for the time to that Time; and all Persons into whose Hands any of the said Bills are or may come, are desired to take Notice, that from and after the said 13th of December, all Interest for the said Bills will absolutely cease. The said Four Bills are number'd 78, 79, 80, 81, and are all in the Name of Judith Afcough, and for One Hundred Pounds each. By Order of the said Trustees,

June 9, 1740.

J. Bowack, Secr.

Advertisements.

THE Creditors of Alexander Forbes, late of Token House Yard, London, Merchant, deceased, are desired to meet at Pontac's in Abchurch Lane, on Wednesday the 18th Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on special Affairs. And all Persons indebted to the said Mr. Forbes's Estate, or who have any of his Effects, are forthwith to pay the Money and deliver the Effects to Mr. Abel Fonnereau, of Mincing Lane, London, Merchant, who is the Administrator with the Will annexed of the said Mr. Forbes. And the said Creditors are desired forthwith to send to the said Mr. Fonnereau, an Account of their several Demands upon the said Mr. Forbes's Estate.

THERE will be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Thursday the 10th Day of July next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, The Estate late of Boynton Boyn'on, Esq; deceased, situate and lying in Barnetby, Ulceby and Ulceby Grainge, Kilmington and Brigg, in the County of Lincoln, of the yearly Value of about 370 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's aforesaid Chamber.

Ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of Anne Gent, late of Gestingthorpe in the County of Essex, Widow, deceased, that they are to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, by the last Day of this present Trinity Term, or that in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, on Monday the 23d Instant, between Five and Six in the Afternoon, Two undivided Third Parts of two Messuages or Tenements in the Minorities, late the Estate of John Lucas, Vintner, deceased, held by Lease, of which 34 Years are to come at Midsummer next, Ground Rent 3 l per Ann. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers. Note, The Proprietor of the other Third Part will sell the same at the same Rate as the said two Thirds shall be sold at.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Allen, late of Marston Bigot, in the County of Somerset, Maister, intend to meet on the 8th of July next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the George Inn in Froome Selwood, in the said County, in order to make a second and final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Felsted, of Spittlefields, in the County of Middlesex, Shoe-maker and Leather-cutter, intend to meet on the 2d of July next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Daniel Adcock, late of Gretton, in the County of Northampton, Chapman, intend to meet on the 3d of July next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Houle of Thomas Darlow, being the Bull Inn in Stamford in the County of Lincoln, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Christopher Field otherwise Higgins, of Earl's Colne, in the County of Essex, Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th of July next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Gearing, of Chiswell street, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, intend to meet on the 2d of July next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Sir Stephen Evance, Kt. and William Hales, late of London, Goldsmiths and Partners, both deceased, intend to meet on Wednesday the 18th of June Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.