

order to make such Corrections and Amendments therein as may be necessary for the publick Service; and in all our Proceedings we shall endeavour to convince your Excellency, that we have sincerely at Heart the putting a Stop to every growing Evil, and the establishing and promoting the important Ends for which we are now met together.

Berlin, June 14 N. S. On Sunday last his Prussian Majesty came to Town, and after having assisted at divine Service, he received the Compliments of all the Foreign Ministers, upon his Succession to the Crown. They were afterwards magnificently entertained at Dinner, a Table of 29 Covers having been expressly prepared for that Purpose, of which M. Pudewils was appointed to do the Honours. The same Day M. Munchausen had his first Audience of his Prussian Majesty. Yesterday the Foreign Ministers were admitted to pay their Respects to the Queen, and this Morning they did the same to Prince William, Prince Henry, and Prince Ferdinand, his Prussian Majesty's Brothers. The Queen Mother will not receive any Compliments till the Funeral be over.

St. James's, June 11.

This Day being the Anniversary of his Majesty's Succession to the Crown, there was a splendid Appearance at Court of the Lords Justices, Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, to compliment his Royal Highness the Duke, and their Royal Highnesses the Princesses, on that happy Occasion. The Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired, and all publick Demonstrations of Joy were made.

Navy Office, June 11, 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, 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 Com-

plexion, 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 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 Accomplice 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.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office, London,

June 11, 1740.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, That their Transfer Books will be shut from Tuesday the 17th Instant, to Tuesday the 15th of July next: That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 25th of this Instant June, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to consider of a Dividend. And also that another General Court of the said Company will be held at their said Office on Wednesday the 2d of July next, from Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon to Two in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Director; which Election will be declared the same Day as soon as the Scrutiny is over. Printed Lists of the Proprietors qualified to vote will be ready to be delivered at the Office, on Wednesday the 25th Instant,

Advertisements.

Friday the 6th Day of June, 1740, and in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, between William Mackdonald, Plaintiff, Edward Lisle, Defendant.

Forasmuch as this Court was this present Day informed by Mr. Batson, being of the Plaintiff's Council, that the Plaintiff on the 14th Day of May last filed his Bill in this Court against the Defendant, as by the Six Clerk's Certificate appears, and took out Process of Subpoena returnable the 19th of the said Month of May, requiring him to appear to and answer the same, but the said Defendant hath not so done: That upon Enquiry at the Defendant's usual Place of Abode he is not to be found so as to be served with such Process, but is gone out of the Realm, or doth otherwise abscond to avoid being served therewith, as by Affidavit also appeared. And the said Certificate and Affidavit being now read, this Court doth order, that the said Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 7th Day of July next.

U N T O a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Lockwood, late of Blackhouse, in the Parish of Kirkburton, in the County of York, Gentleman, deceased, are peremptorily to come in and prove their respective Debts before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 23d Day of October next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

T H E Creditors of William Dealtry the Elder, late of Gainsburgh, in the County of Lincoln, Merchant, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 24th of June Instant, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, at the House of Mr. John Hardy, known by the Sign of the White Hart in Gainsburgh aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits in Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and on other special Affairs.

U N T O a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Grace Ransden, late of Hawksworth, in the County of York, Spinster, deceased, are peremptorily to come before William Kinaaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their respective Demands on or before the 10th Day of July next, or in Default thereof, they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

T O be peremptorily sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Friday the 7th Day of November next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Freehold Estate of the yearly Value of 477 l. 15 s. situate in the Parishes of Tretelglos, Landidloe, Laugerrig and Landnam, in the County of Monmouth, the Estate of John Wilson, of Bwlchyllyn, in the said County, Gent. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.