

Fortifications thereof, and also of the Town of Gravesend and Forts there, in the room of the said Lieutenant General James Tyrrell.

The King has been pleased to appoint William Burroughs, Esq; to be Commissary General of Stores, Provisions, and Forage for his Majesty's Forces ordered for Flanders.

Whitehall, May 17, 1742.

Whereas on Wednesday the 12th Instant, between the Hours of One and Five in the Morning, the House of Enoch Stepple and John Stepple, in Fountain Court in Cheapside, was broke open, and a Sum of Money taken out of a Drawer or Till, which was in the Bar of the said House, to the Amount of Two hundred Pounds, or thereabouts, contained in two Bags, one of which was mark'd with the Mark of the Bank of England: And whereas Five of the Watchmen, belonging to the Place, were the same Morning found very much intoxicated with Liquor, one of whom had the Key of the Gate, which was clandestinely taken from him; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Person who actually broke open the said Drawer or Till) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplis, so as they or any of them may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a farther Encouragement, the said Enoch Stepple and John Stepple do hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except the Person who broke open the said Drawer or Till) to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Enoch Stepple.  
John Stepple.

Whereas his Majesty has been pleased to order the Regiment of Foot commanded by Coll. Houghton, to embark forthwith for Gibraltar, and the Regiment of Foot commanded by Coll. Graham to embark forthwith for Minorca, in order to receive a Regiment in each of the said Garrisons; and whereas several Men have lately deserted from the said Regiments commanded by Coll. Houghton and Coll. Graham; His Majesty is graciously pleased to promise his Pardon to such of the Deserters aforesaid, who shall immediately return to their respective Corps before they embark. And all such as shall not return as aforesaid, will be punished with the utmost Severity Given at Whitehall this 18th Day of May, 1742.

By his Majesty's Command,

Will. Yonge.

Admiralty Office, April 21, 1742.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are hereby pleased to direct, That all such disabled Seamen as have been minuted to be received into the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, do make their Appearance at this Office, on Tuesday the First of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Tho. Corbett.

Admiralty Office, April 17, 1742.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of poor Widows of Commission and Warrent Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Cbatnam, Portsmouth and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Cheque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefits of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Pur-

pose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Thomas Corbett, Esq; at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st Day of May next; this is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office by the said 31st of next Month, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

### Advertisements.

#### WINCHESTER RACES:

ONE Hundred Guineas in Specie, given by his Majesty, will be Run for on the Course on Worthy Downs, on Tuesday the 29th of June next, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than Six Years old the Grafs before, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeders, carrying 12 Stone, Bridle and Saddle included, the best of three Heats; and if any Difference arise relating to their Ages, entering or running, the same to be determin'd by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Lynton, or whom he shall appoint, according to such his Majesty's Rules and Orders as will be produced at the Place of Entrance and Running: The Horses, &c. to be enter'd the Day before Running at the Starting Post, betwixt the Hours of Three and Seven in the Afternoon. On Wednesday the 30th of June will be run for on the same Course, Fifty Pounds in Specie, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding that never won above the Value of Fifty Pounds in Plate or Money at any one Time, carrying 12 Stone, Bridle and Saddle included, the best of three Heats; to be enter'd at the George Inn in Winchester the Day Seven-night before Running; Non Subscribers to pay three Guineas Entrance, or five at the Post; Subscribers to pay two Guineas, or four at the Post: If any Difference arise, the same to be determin'd by the Majority of Subscribers there present. On Friday the 1st of July will be Run for on the same Course, Fifty Pounds in Specie, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding that never won a King's Plate: Horses, &c. more than six Years old the Grafs before to carry 12 Stone; those but six Years old the Grafs before to carry 11 Stone and a Half; and those but five Years old the Grafs before to carry 10 Stone 9 Pounds, Bridle and Saddle included; the best of three Heats: To be enter'd the Day Seven-night before running, at the George Inn in Winchester; to pay three Guineas Entrance or five at the Post: If any Difference arise, to be determin'd by the Hon. William Powlet and the Hon. George Bridges, or whom they shall appoint. Certificates of the Six, and Five Years old Horses, &c. must be produced at the Place of Entrance under the Hands of the Breeders. The Entrance-money for the two last Plates to go to the second best Horse, &c. distanced or not; and no less than three reputed running Horses, &c. to start for either of those Plates; nor any one Horse to start for both. The Gentlemen of the County have subscribed a Contribution Cock Match to be fought each Morning of the Races. And there will be a Ball and Assemblies as usual.

Whereas it hath been advertised in the London Gazette and the Advertiser, that the Fifty Pound Plate, (the Gift of the Rt. Hon. the Lord Onslow) was to be Run for on Merrow Downs on Thursday in the Whitsun Week; This is to give Notice, That it is his Lordship's Pleasure that this Plate shall be Run for on Wednesday in the said Week; and that the Plate which was ordered for Wednesday, shall be run for on Thursday: N. B. The Horses to be entered as advertised, on Monday in the Whitsun Week, at John Spooner's at the White Hart in Guildford.

Whereas on or about the 17th of March last, a Commission of Bankrupt issued forth against William Dickson, of Sheffield, in the County of York, Factor and Tradesman: Notice is hereby given, that the said Commission of Bankrupt is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, superseded: Therefore all Persons indebted to the said William Dickson, or have any of his Effects, are to pay and deliver the same to him.

Whereas on or about the 17th of March last, a Commission of Bankrupt issued forth against John Dickson, of Sheffield, in the County of York, Factor and Tradesman: Notice is hereby given, that the said Commission of Bankrupt is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, superseded: Therefore all Persons indebted to the said John Dickson, or have any of his Effects, are to pay and deliver the same to him.

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