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*St. James's, March 14.*

**T**HIS Day the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London, waited on His Majesty to congratulate Him on the Birth of a Princess, when John Adams, Esq; their Recorder, made their Compliments in the following Speech.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E your Majesty's dutiful Subjects, the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London, most humbly beg your gracious Acceptance of our Congratulations on the Birth of another Princess.

We are fully convinced, that the secure Enjoyments of all our Civil and Religious Rights, of all that is dear and valuable to Englishmen, depends on the Continuance of the Protestant Succession established in your Illustrious House. This Sir, is a Truth which we daily experience under your Majesty's gracious Government; and we look upon every Increase of your Royal Family as an additional Security for the like Happiness in Times to come.

May your Majesty long continue to reign! may there never be wanting a Prince, descended from your Majesty, and inheriting your Royal Virtues, to fill the Throne of these Kingdoms, and to transmit such inestimable Blessings to latest Posterity.

To which his Majesty was pleased to return this most gracious Answer.

*I Thank you for this loyal and affectionate Address, and for your Congratulations upon the Increase of my Family.*

They all had the Honour to kiss his Majesty's Hand.

*Vienna, March 5, N. S.* The last Division of the Russian Troops was to march out of the Hereditary Countries as Yesterday, or the Day before, and as the Weather is set in for Frost, it is hoped they will find the Roads tollerably good.

*Hague, March 21, N. S.* By the Placart which the States of Holland issued on the 26th of July last, to enjoin the Payment of Sums equal to those which were paid by each Person, in the Time of the Pachters, it was ordained, that those provisional Payments should continue for the Term of six Months, unless, within that Time, some effectual Means were found to make good the Deficiency occasioned by the Abolition of the Farms. But as this has not yet been effected, the States have taken a final Resolution, by which they direct, that these provisional Taxes shall be continued till the 1st of January 1750. And that by the 1st of July next, all the Towns shall be obliged to have compleated the Lists of what every particular Family is to contribute in these Payments, in order to make further Demands on those who shall not have satisfied according to their Proportion.

*Whitehall, March 14.*

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Anne Earl of Albemarle, to be his Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the most Christian King.

The King has been pleased to appoint Joseph Yorke, Esq; to be Secretary to the Embassy to the most Christian King.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Humphry Bland, Esq; Lieutenant General of his Majesty's Forces, to be Governour of the Town and Garrison of Gibraltar, in the  
room

( Price Four-pence. )



room of William Hargrave, Esq; Lieutenant General of his Majesty's Forces.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint George Burgis, Esq; to be Secretary to the Governour and Comrander in Chief at Gibraltar,

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Edward Younge, John Bromfield, Henry Kelsall, Joseph Richardson, and Christopher Rigby, Esqrs. together with Richard Frankland, Esq; in the room of Roger Talbot, Esq; to be his Majesty's Commissioners for Taxes.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend John Ashton, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of Aldingham in the County Palatine of Lancaster and Diocese of Chester, void by the Resignation of the Reverend Thomas Ashton the late Incumbent.

*Whitehall, March 7, 1748-9.*

**A** PROPOSAL having been presented unto His Majesty, for the Establishing a Civil Government in the Province of *Nova Scotia* in *North America*, as also for the better Peopling and Settling the said Province, and extending and improving the Fishery thereof, by granting Lands within the same, and giving other Encouragements to such of the Officers and Private Men lately dismissed His Majesty's Land and Sea Service, as shall be willing to settle in the said Province; And His Majesty having signified His Royal Approbation of the Purpourt of the said Proposals; The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations do, by His Majesty's Commands, give Notice, That proper Encouragement will be given to such of the Officers and Private Men lately dismissed His Majesty's Land and Sea Service, as are willing to accept of Grants of Land, and to settle with or without Families in the Province of *Nova Scotia*.

That Fifty Acres of Land will be granted in Fee Simple to every Private Soldier or Seaman, free from the Payments of any Quit-Rents or Taxes for the Term of Ten Years; at the Expiration whereof no Person to pay more than one Shilling per Annum for every fifty Acres so granted.

That a Grant of ten Acres, over and above the said fifty Acres, will be made to each Private Soldier or Seaman having a Family, for every Person, including Women and Children, of which his Family shall consist; and further Grants made to them on the like Conditions, as their Families shall increase, or in Proportion to their Abilities to cultivate the same.

That Eighty Acres, on like Conditions, will be granted to every Officer under the Rank of Ensign in the Land Service, and that of Lieutenant in the Sea Service, and to such as have Families, fifteen Acres, over and above the said eighty Acres, for every Person of which their Families shall consist.

That Two hundred Acres, on like Conditions, will be granted to every Ensign, Three hundred to every Lieutenant, Four hundred to every Captain, and Six hundred to every Officer above the Rank of Captain in the Land Service; as also the like Quantity of Four hundred Acres, and on the like Conditions, to

every Lieutenant in the Sea Service, and Six hundred Acres to every Captain; and to such of the above-mentioned Officers as have Families a further Grant of Thirty Acres will be made over and above their respective Quotas for every Person of which their Families shall consist.

That the Lands will be parcelled out to the Settlers as soon as possible after their Arrival, and a Civil Government established, whereby they will enjoy all the Liberties, Privileges and Immunities enjoyed by His Majesty's Subjects in any other of the Colonies and Plantations in America under his Majesty's Government; and proper Measures will also be taken for their Security and Protection.

That all such as are willing to accept of the above Proposals, shall, with their Families, be subsisted during their Passage, as also for the Space of Twelve Months after their Arrival.

That they shall be furnished with Arms and Ammunition, as far as will be judged necessary for their Defence, with a proper Quantity of Materials and Utensils for Husbandry, clearing and cultivating their Lands, erecting Habitations, carrying on the Fishery, and such other Purposes as shall be necessary for their Support.

That all such Persons as are desirous of engaging in the above Settlement, do transmit by Letter, or personally give in their Names, signifying in what Regiment or Company, or on board what Ship they last served, and, if they have Families, what Number of Persons belonging to such Family they intend to carry with them, distinguishing the Age and Quality of each Person, to any of the following Officers appointed to receive and enter the same in Books open for that Purpose, viz.

*John Pownall*, Esq; Solicitor and Clerk of the Reports to the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations at their Office at Whitehall.

*John Ruffel*, Esq; Commissioner of His Majesty's Navy at Portsmouth.

*Philip Vanbrugh*, Esq; Commissioner of His Majesty's Navy at Plymouth.

That proper Notice will be given of the said Books being closed so soon as the intended Number shall be compleated, or at latest on the 7th of April.

It is proposed, that the Transports shall be ready to receive such Persons on board on the 10th of April, and be ready to sail on the 20th, and that timely Notice will be given of the Place or Places, to which such Persons are to repair in order to embark.

That for the Benefit of the Settlement, the same Conditions which are proposed to Private Soldiers or Seamen, shall likewise be granted to Carpenters, Shipwrights, Smiths, Masons, Joiners, Brickmakers, Bricklayers, and all other Artificers necessary in Building or Husbandry, not being Private Soldiers or Seamen.

That the same Conditions as are proposed to those who have served in the Capacity of Ensign, shall extend to all Surgeons, whether they have been in His Majesty's Service or not, upon their producing proper Certificates of their being duly qualified.

By Order of the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations.

*Tho. Hill*, Secretary.

The Trustees for the Loan of 200,000 l. to the King of Sardinia, give Notice, That the Ten per Cent. Principal Money of the said Loan, due the 19th of October last, will be paid (together with five Months Interest thereon, after the Rate of six per Cent. per Annum) at the Bank of England on the 20th of this present Month.

And the said Trustees farther give Notice, That his Sardinian Majesty, in Consideration that the Subsidies which should be granted by the Crown of Great Britain to his Majesty during the Continuance of the War, were engaged for the Payment of the Principal Monies and Interest as the same became due, is pleased to direct the Payment of Fifty Thousand Pounds out of the Remainder of the said Subsidies, for the Discharge of Twenty-five per Cent. Principal Money of the said Loan to such Persons as are willing to receive the same; and the Money for the said Twenty-five per Cent. together with Six Months Interest to the 19th of April, will be placed in the Bank of England for Payment on the 20th of this present Month. And all Persons willing to receive the said Twenty-five per Cent. are desired to apply for it in Person, or by Writing, to Mr. Daniel Race, at the Bank of England, on or before the 19th of April next, after which Time no Payment will be made otherways than according to the original Conditions of the said Loan.

Whitehall, March 3, 1748-9.

Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, That on Tuesday the 17th of January last, Thomas Fisher, Tide Surveyor of the Customs, at Sunderland, in the Port of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster, came to the Collector of the Customs at the said Port of Lancaster upon Business, and, upon his Return Home in the Evening, it is supposed, from several Circumstances which have since appeared, that the said Fisher was murdered; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Murder, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one (except the Person who actually committed the same) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so that they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Custom-House, London, March 3, 1748-9.

And as a farther Encouragement for bringing the Offenders to Justice, the Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds for the apprehending and discovering of each of the Persons concerned in the said Murder, to be paid to the Person or Persons making such Discovery, by the Receiver General of the Customs, upon the Conviction of each Offender respectively; and in Case any of the Persons, who were concerned in the Murder above-mentioned, (except the Person who actually committed the same) will discover any one or more of his Accomplices, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, such Person or Persons shall receive the like Reward of One Hundred Pounds, upon the Conviction of each Offender.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
William Wood, Secretary.

Whitehall, March 6, 1748-9.

Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, That an anonymous Letter, dated on Wednesday Night the 1st Instant, from the Devil Tavern Temple Bar, directed to Mr. Howard near the Black Boys in West Street, Hackney, Middlesex, was delivered to the said Howard by the Post on Saturday Morning the 4th, threatening to murder him, if he did not lay three Guineas at the Bottom of Guy's Sign Post on Cambridge Heath, on the Saturday Night following; His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing and sending the said Letter, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement for making such Discovery as aforesaid, the said Mr. Dearmer Howard does hereby promise a Reward of Six Guineas, to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Dearmer Howard.

London, Jan. 16, 1748.

General-Post-Office.

Whereas the Post Boy bringing the Swaffham Mail, from that Town to Thetford, on Saturday the 14th Instant, was attacked on the Highway, at a Place called Bodney, between Swaffham and Thetford, in the County of Norfolk, by two Highwaymen on Horseback, who carried off the Letters contained in the Rougham, Holkham, Wells and Fakenham Bags, and also the Letters from several other Towns and Places in the Thetford Branch: The Persons who committed this Robbery are described to be both stout Men, and one of them was mounted on a light grey Horse, and the other on a Brown one. He on the Grey Horse was dressed in a Gold-laced light colour'd Waistcoat with a Great Coat over the same, and he on the Brown one, wore a compleat Soldier's Dress, with Gold Button Holes.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whosoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Persons, or either of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person, or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, do, or shall make Discovery, whereby the Persons, or either of them, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of both, or either of the said Robbers, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-master General,  
George Shelvocke, Secretary.

London, Dec. 2, 1748.

General Post-Office.

Whereas the Post-Boy, bringing the West Mail from Andover to Basingstoke, was last Night, between the Hours of Seven and Eight, attacked on the Highway, about

about a Quarter of a Mile on this Side of a Place called *Clarken Green*, which is near Four Miles distant from *Basingstoke* in the County of *Southampton*, by a single Highwayman, who carried off the Letters contained in the following Bags, viz. The two *Exeter* Bags, *Shaftsbury*, *Ashburton*, *Truro*, *Barnstaple*, *Launceston*, *Weymouth*, *Camelford*, *Bodmin*, *Totness*, *Ilchester*, *Dorchester*, *Somerton*, *Yeovil*, and *Blandford*.

This is to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, of whom no particular Description is as yet come to Hand, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby the Person, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master General,  
George Shelvocke, Secretary.

### Mint-Office, Feb. 4, 1748.

WHEREAS divers evil-disposed Persons, in many Parts of this Kingdom, make a Practice of Counterfeiting the Coin, and uttering of False and Counterfeit Money; Therefore all Justices of the Peace for the several Counties in England and Wales, and others whom it may concern, are desired to take Notice hereof, and send an Account to *Fountaine Cook*, Solicitor to his Majesty's Mint, at his Chambers in *Clement's Inn*, London, of all Persons now under Accusation; And also from Time to Time of all such as shall hereafter be accused of any Offence relating to the Coin, together with Copies of their Commitments, and of the Informations and Examinations relating thereto; and proper Care will be taken to prosecute the Offenders at his Majesty's Charge.

### Navy-Office, March 13, 1748.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to contract for the Stores undermentioned, for his Majesty's Service, on the Day expressed against the same, that they may attend with their Proposals accordingly, viz.

Iron,	Monday, March 20, 1748.
Dantzick Plank and	} Wednesday 22.
Prussia Deals,	
Norway Goods,	Wednesday, April 5, 1749.

### Navy Office, March 8, 1748.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Thursday the 16th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, they will expose to Sale at this Office, the Hulls of his Majesty's Ships *Chatham*, Burthen 750 Tuns, and *Feverham* of 689 Tuns, together with their Masts, Bowsprits, with two Chain and two Hand Pumps to the latter Also the *Gibraltar*, of 374 Tuns, with her Masts, Yards, and Studding Sail Booms, two Chain and two Hand Pump, as they now lie

at his Majesty's Yard at *Woolwich*; where they may be viewed by such Persons as are inclinable to attend the said Sale and bid for them; and as a Deposit of Twenty-five Pounds per Cent. or in Proportion thereto, is to be made by the Persons who shall purchase the said Ships and Particulars; All Persons who shall attend the said Sale are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpose; and unless the Ships so purchased shall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Deposit shall be forfeited, and become the Property of the Crown.

Bristol, March 10, 1748.

Publick Notice is hereby given to those concerned in the *Notre Dame des Anges* and *Cesar*, two Prizes taken by the *Grand Alexander* and *Hawke* Privateers of this Port, and the *Triumphant*, a Prize taken by the said Privateers, in Company with the *Princess of Orange* Privateer of London, that a Dividend on the said Prizes will be made at the *Gibb Coffee-house* in *Bristol*, on Thursday the 16th Instant; and afterwards on the first Friday on every Month for six Months following, at the said *Gibb Coffee-house*.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Dover*, *Washington Shirley*, Esq; Commander, who were on board her at the Time of her taking (in Company with his Majesty's Sloop *Speedwell*, *James Gambier*, Esq; Commander) a Dutch Galliot, called the *Jenne Marie*, laden with Wines, That the *Dover's* Share of the Produce of such Wines, which was advertised to be paid to the Agents for the *Dover* by *Mr. Jobn Morshead*, Agent for the *Speedwell*, on the 22d of February last, will be distributed by Messieurs *Robert Shirley* and *Jonas Morgan*, Agents for the *Dover*, among the Officers and Company of that Ship, on the 22d Day of this Instant March, at *Mr. David Herbert's*, the King's Arms in *Plymouth*; where Recalls will be continued every second Saturday in the Month for three Years afterwards.

On Friday the 17th Instant, at the King's Head Tavern, *Tower-street*, a Distribution will be made of the Salvage of the *Mary of Eymouth*, to the Company of his Majesty's Ship *Princess Mary*, who was on board her in November 1744. Also at the same Time a Payment will be made in Part to the Companies of his Majesty's Sloop *Saltash* and *King's Fisher*, (provided the certified List for the latter is sent to the Agents before that Time) who were in Company at the taking the *Verdraagrambeit* the 5th of August 1747; and that the Recalls of all the above will be made the first Friday of every Month for three Years, at the same Place.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Mermaid*, who were on board at the taking of the *St. Gabriel*, a French Privateer, in December 1744, that their respective Shares of the Bounty Money for the said Privateer, will be paid at the King's Head Tavern in *Kenchurch-street*, on Wednesday the 29th of March Instant. The Recalls to be at the same Place the last Wednesday in every Month.

Notice

Notice is hereby given to the Lieutenants, Masters, Warrant Officers, as also the Petty Officers and Seamen of his Majesty's Ships undermentioned, being a Fleet of his Majesty's Ships under the Command of Vice-Admiral Vernon, at the Attack of Carthagena in March 1740-1, when six Spanish Men of War, amongst several others, were destroyed, and for which no Bounty Bills, or any other Allowance, has yet been obtained, to wit, the Galicia, St. Philip, Africa, St. Carlos, Conquistador and Dragon; that the Bounty Bills already received for destroying the above-named Six Spanish Ships of War, will begin to be paid their respective Shares of the said Bounty, on the Days underwritten, as express'd against each Ship's Name, at Mr. Edward Jasper's House in Crutched Fryers, beginning exactly at Nine and ending at Two of the Clock, viz.

Boyne,	Wednesday, March 29, 1749.
Worcester,	Thursday, 30 ditto.
Shoreham,	Thursday, 30 ditto.
Torbay,	Friday, 31 ditto.
Princess Louisa,	Monday 3 April.
Windfor,	Tuesday 4.
Princess Caroline,	Wednesday 5.
Ruffel,	Thursday 6.
Shrewsbury,	Friday 7.
Princess Amelia,	Monday 10.
Squirrel,	Ditto.
Weymouth,	Tuesday 11.
Montague,	Wednesday 12.
Suffolk,	Thursday 13.
Burford,	Friday 14.
Prince Frederick,	Monday 17.
Orford,	Tuesday 18.
Norfolk,	Wednesday 19.
Chichester,	Thursday 20.
Dunkirk,	Friday 21.
Falmouth,	Monday 24.
Hampton Court,	Tuesday 25.
Tilbury,	Wednesday 26.
York,	Thursday 27.
Rippon,	Friday 28.
Litchfield,	Monday 1 May.
Jersey,	Tuesday 2.
Strafford,	Wednesday 3.
Lyon,	Thursday 4.
Experiment,	} Friday 5.
Vesuvius,	
Phaeton,	
Terrible,	
Ludlow Castle,	} Monday 8.
Eleanor,	
Strombolo,	
Success,	} Tuesday 9.
Vulcan,	
Cumberland Fire Ship,	} Wednesday 10.
Alderney,	
Astrea,	
Ætna,	
Firebrand,	
Spence Sloop,	

B. The said Ships will be recalled at the same Place the first Wednesday in June, and every Month after till the Time is expired by Act of Parliament in that Behalf.

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**T**HIS is to give publick Notice, Pursuant to a late Act of  
Parliament, entitled, An Act for the Amendment of the  
Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry, That  
Christopher Dexter, of Barkston in the County of Leicester,  
Grazier, as he was travelling on Horseback from the Town  
and County of the Town of Nottingham to Barkston aforesaid,  
was robbed by two Persons on Horseback, then and still un-  
known to the said Christopher Dexter, in a certain Place in the  
King's Highway called Hoe Lane, in the Lordship of Cropwell  
Butler, in the Parish of Tythby and Hundred of Bingham, in  
the County of Nottingham, on Saturday the Fourth Day of  
March, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty Eight, be-  
tween the Hours of Six and Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon  
of that Day; one of which said Robbers had a black Cloth or  
Crape quite over his Face, and the other a whitish one; they were  
both middle sized Men, and both of them had on a dark brown  
Horseman's Coat; the one rode on a good grey Horse or Mare,  
the other on a good brown Horse or Mare; and then and  
there by Force robbed the said Christopher Dexter of divers  
Pieces of Gold Coin of the Coin of the Kingdom of Portugal,  
of the Value of Fifty Seven Pounds Twelve Shillings Sterling,  
and of divers Pieces of Gold of the Coin of this Kingdom called  
Guineas and Half Guineas, to the Value of Forty Two Pounds  
Sterling, and in Silver Coin Eight Shillings, being all in one  
Purse or Bag together, besides Nine Pounds in Gold and Silver  
in another Purse or Bag, amounting in the Whole to the Sum  
of One Hundred and Nine Pounds Sterling, the proper Money  
of the said Christopher Dexter, and besides a Silver Watch of  
the Value of Two Pounds and upwards.

#### This is to inform the Publick,

**T**HAT his Majesty's Royal Letters Patent hath passed  
the Great Seal unto Benjamin Cartwright, Steel Toy-  
maker in the Strand, for his new Inventions of a Candle-  
Snuffer and Stand; likewise a Spring to secure a Watch in the  
Fob Pocket of a Man, or hanging by a Lady's Side; and also  
to prevent the Loss of Swords from the Sides of Gentlemen.  
N. B. Any Person that shall Imitate, Make, Vend or Sell any  
of the above Inventions, in Contempt of his said Majesty's  
Royal Letters Patent, or in Prejudice to me or my Assigns,  
will be prosecuted with the utmost Rigour of the Law.

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Chancery, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Ma-  
sters of the said Court, for the Remainder of a Term of 1000  
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unto belonging, and a Farm called Beckerings Park, contain-  
ing about 473 Acres of Arable and Pasture Land, situate in the  
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**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the  
 High Court of Chancery, either entire or in Parcels, be-  
 fore *Robert Holford*, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court,  
 at his Chambers in *Symond's Inn* in Chancery Lane, London,  
 on Tuesday the 4th Day of April next, between Five and Se-  
 ven in the Afternoon, The Manor of *Sholvenshode*, and two  
 Farms in the Parish of *East Grinstead* in the County of *Suffex*,  
 the one in the Occupation of *John Edwards*, at the yearly Rent  
 of 80 l. the other in the Occupation of *John Fletcher*, at the  
 yearly Rent of 42 l. 10 s. and about 200 Acres of Wood Land  
 in the same Parish; and also a Farm in the Parish of *Helingley*  
 in the said County of *Suffex*, in the Occupation of *Mr. Aston*,  
 at the yearly Rent of 50 l. late the Estates of *Sir William*  
*Gage*, Bart. deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the  
 said Masters Chambers.

**T**O be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree and subse-  
 quent Orders of the High Court of Chancery, before *Samuel*  
*Burroughs*, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at  
 his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, on Wednesday the 5th Day  
 of April next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the  
 Clock in the Forenoon, The several Tenements, Farms and  
 Lands, late of *Henry Probert the Elder* and *Henry Probert the*  
*Younger*, Esqrs. situate, lying and being in the Parishes of  
*Trelleck*, *Lanvihangell*, *Torrym yny'd* in the County of *Mon-*  
*mouth*, the Whole being of the yearly Value of 107 l. 15 s.  
 or thereabouts, for the Remainder of a Term of 500 Years,  
 of which 450 Years, or thereabouts, are yet to come and un-  
 expired. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Cham-  
 bers.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued  
 forth against *Edward Vaus*, of the Parish of *St. Clement*  
*Danes* in the County of *Middlesex*, Merchant, and he being de-  
 clared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the  
 Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part  
 of them, on the 17th and 24th of March Instant, and on the  
 25th of April next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each  
 of the said Days, at *Guildhall*, London, and make a full Dis-  
 covery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where  
 the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and  
 at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sit-  
 ting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination,  
 and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allow-  
 ance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said  
 Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to  
 pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners  
 shall appoint, but give Notice to *Mr. Unwin* Attorney, at  
*Wax-Chandlers Hall*, London.

**T**HE under-mentioned Persons claiming the  
 Benefit of the Act lately passed for Re-  
 lief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices  
 have been brought to the Printer of the London  
 Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are  
 herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt,  
 and beyond the Seas on and before the First of Janu-  
 ary 1747, and having surrendered himself to the  
 Keeper of the Common Goal at *Huntingdon*, in  
 and for the County of *Huntingdon*, hereby gives  
 Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of  
 the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first  
 Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King  
 George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of  
 Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter  
 Sessions of the Peace to be held at *Huntingdon*  
 aforesaid, in and for the said County, which shall  
 happen next after Thirty Days from the Publica-  
 tion hereof, *viz.* *Richard Ham*, late of *St. Neots*,  
 Labourer.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt  
 and beyond the Seas on and before the first of Janu-  
 ary 1747, and having surrendered himself to the  
 Keeper of the Goal or Prison of *Kingston upon Hull*,  
 hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Bene-  
 fit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-  
 First Year of the Reign of his present Ma-  
 jesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act  
 for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next Ge-  
 neral or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held  
 at the Town of *Kingston upon Hull* aforesaid, in and  
 for the said Town and County, which shall happen  
 next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof,  
*viz.* *William Harris*, late of *Hull* in the County  
 of *York*, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt,  
 and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January  
 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keepez  
 of the Borough Compter, *Southwark*, in the County  
 of *Surry*, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to  
 take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in  
 the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present  
 Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act  
 for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General  
 or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the  
 said Town and Borough of *Southwark* at *St. Mar-*  
*garet's*

garet's Hill, Southwark, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Smithson, late of Rotherhithe in the County of Surry, Shipwright.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in the County Goal of the Sheriff of the County of Merioneth, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County of Merioneth, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Rice Pughe, late of Dolycal in the County of Merioneth, Gentleman.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Wood-street Compter in the City of London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Daniel Watkins, late of the Parish of West-ham in the County of Essex, Mason.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Warden of the Prison of the Fleet, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Guildhall in and for the City of London, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Edward Cowlden, late of the Hamlet of Bethnell Green (now the Parish of St. Matthew Bethnell Green) in the County of Middlesex, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Goal at Maidstone in the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at

the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Maidstone aforesaid, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Richard Jones, late of Deptford in the County of Kent, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Prison at Rochester in the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Kent, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John James, late of Gravesend in the County of Kent, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Goal the Castle of York, in and for the County of York, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the West Riding of the said County of York, at the Castle of York aforesaid, or the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Peter Davis, late of the City of York, Cordwainer.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Goal or Prison at Fisherton Anger, in and for the County of Wilts, hereby gives Notice; that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Edwards, late of the Devizes, Cloth-worker.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

