

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 completed, 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.

*Thos. Hill*, Secretary.

Whitehall, March 28, 1749.

Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty by *John Meech*, *Sydenham Williams*, and *William Richards*, Esqrs. three of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Dorset, That on Monday the 20th of this Instant March, an anonymous Letter, directed To *Will. Templeman*, *Dorchester*, Clerk of the Peace of the County of Dorset, was drop'd, and taken up near the South Gate of the said Town, threatening to murder him the said *William Templeman*, and to fire the Houses of the said Justices of the Peace, in Case any farther Proceedings were carried on by them against the Persons concerned in Plundering and Carrying away the Cargo and Effects of a Dutch Ship, lately stranded on *Portland-Beach* in that County; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing the said Letter, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he or they be apprehended and convicted thereof. And as a farther Encouragement, his Majesty is pleased to promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, to any Person who shall make such Discovery as aforesaid.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Whitehall, March 30, 1749.

Whereas it has been represented to the King, That on Wednesday the first Day of this Instant March, the Warehouse of *Mess. Fullagar and Todd*, at the *Golden Ball*, *Billingsgate*, was broke open in the Night by one or more Persons, and many Goods, to a large Value, taken thereout; and that two Women have been since taken up for selling some of the said Goods, and secreting the same, who have thereupon been committed to Newgate; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons who committed the above-mentioned Robbery, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of the Offenders, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he, she or they, or any of them, be apprehended and convicted thereof.

B E D F O R D.

And as a farther Encouragement for the making such Discovery, the said *Mess. Fullagar and Todd* do hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds, to the Person or Persons who shall apprehend or take any one or more of the Persons concerned in the above Robbery, to be paid upon the Conviction of the said Offenders, or any one or more of them: Or whoever will discover where the said Goods are lodged, so that they may be had again, shall have the like Reward of Twenty Pounds, and so in Proportion for any Part of them.

For Partner and Self,

*Stephen Todd*.

Tower, March 27, 1749.

THE Treasurer of His Majesty's Ordnance hereby gives Notice, That by a Resolution of the Honourable the House of Commons, of the 21st Day of March 1748, All Persons who shall be interested in, or intitled unto any Debentures payable out of His Majesty's Office of Ordnance, which were dated on or before the 31st of December