

here To-morrow or next Day, in order to give Audience to some foreign Ministers.

Brussels, July 19. On Thursday last we had in this City and its Neighbourhood, so violent a Storm of Hail, Rain, and Wind, that the like has not happened in the Memory of Man; it lasted about half an Hour, during which it did a surprizing deal of Damage, not only to the Houses and Windows, but also to the Fields and Gardens, many of which look most dreadfully.

Hague, July 21. M. Hop, the States General's Envoy at the British Court, set out two Days ago for Hanover. Mess. De Larrey and Marcellis are expected here immediately from Paris; they have been ordered Home, to lay before the States an Account of the Progress of their Negotiations with the French Ministers, for the Renewal of the Treaty of Commerce of the Year 1739. Every Thing necessary having been settled for the intended Expedition to Surinam, it is generally expected that the first Embarkation will take Place very shortly.

Whitehall, June 28, 1750.

Whereas John Crowley, of Greenwich in the County of Kent, Esq; has humbly represented to their Excellencies the Lords Justices, that he has received a Paper Writing signed, James in grate Wont, desiring him to leave, in a Place therein specified, some Charity or Relief, on Neglect whereof, he must expect the old Custom of Burning and Poisoning to be put in Execution: Their Excellencies are pleased to promise his Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any one of the Offenders (except the Person who wrote the said Paper) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as they or any one of them may be convicted thereof.

Rd. Leveson Gower.

And for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing the said Paper, I do hereby promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons (except the Person who wrote the said Paper,) who shall discover any one or more of the Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Greenwich,
June 28, 1750.

John Crowley.

Whitehall, June 23, 1750.

Whereas Littleton Pointz Meynell, of Bradley, in the County of Derby, Esq; hath humbly represented to their Excellencies the Lords Justices, That on Thursday the 14th of this Instant June, he received, by the Post, from Derby, a Letter, signed A Samaritan, Threatning to shoot him dead, or burn his House, and him in it. Their Excellencies are pleased to promise His Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any Persons concerned in writing the said Letter (except the Person who was the real Author thereof) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Ri. Nev. Aldworth.

And for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in writing the said Threatning Letter, I do hereby promise a Reward of Five Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons (except the real Author of the said Letter) who shall discover any one or more of the Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Bradley,

June 25, 1750.

L. P. Meynell.

General Post-Office, June 23, 1750.

These are to give Notice, that the Post will go every Night, (Sundays excepted) from London to Tunbridge-Wells, and from Tunbridge-Wells to London, and will begin on Monday next the 25th Instant, and continue so to do during the Summer Season, as usual.

By Command of the Post-Master General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Sec.

Navy Office, July 9, 1750.

The Right Hon. the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half Pay to Sea Officers, from the 30th of June to the 31st of December, 1749 according to his Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf;

These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning, on the following Days, to wit, on Tuesday the 24th Instant for Captains.

Wednesday the 25th Instant for Lieutenants.

Thursday the 26th Instant for Masters and Surgeons.

That all Persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the said Half Pay, but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his present Majesty. And in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpos, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

14 July, 1750.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 19th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon; being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by their Charter.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

South-Sea House, London, July 13, 1750.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Threadneedle-street, on Friday the 20th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, in order to the declaring a Dividend on the Trading Capital Stock of the said Company, for the Half Year ended at Midsummer last.

Union Fire-Office.

The Directors of the Union Society for Insuring Goods and Merchandize from Loss by Fire, give Notice, That a General Meeting of the Members of the said Society will be held at their Office in Gutter-lane, on Wednesday the 25th of July Instant, at Four in the Afternoon, to confirm the Resolutions of the last General Meeting; where all who are insured in the said Office are desired to be present.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Sloop the Vulture, who were on board the 24th of June 1744, when she took a Prize called the Huffleung, that they may receive their respective Shares on Tuesday the 17th Instant, at the Thistle and Crown near the Victualling-Office Tower Hill; and the first Monday in every Month for three Years, at Messrs Toulmin and Mobergh, in Broad-street, London.

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