

The King has been pleased to direct the following Persons to be sworn of his Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council in the Kingdom of Ireland, viz.

The Right Reverend Father in God Henry Lord Bishop of Meath.

The Right Honourable Hayes Viscount Doneraile.

The Honourable John Petty, Esq;. And  
St. George Caulfeild, Esq;.

April 19, 1751.

### General Post Office.

Whereas the Post-Boy bringing the Cirencester Mail to this Office, was Yesterday Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, on Gerrard's Cross Common, between Wickham and Uxbridge, attacked and robbed by a single Highwayman, mounted on a Bay Mare, who carried off the said Mail, which contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Bristol,	Worcester,
Exeter,	Birmingham,
Tiverton,	Wolverhampton,
Taunton,	Woodstock,
Wellington,	Bath,
Bridgewater,	Cirencester,
Wells,	Gloucester,
Oxford,	Thame,
Burford,	Wickham,
Witney,	Beaconsfield,
Chipping-norton,	Gerrard's Cross,
Campden,	Abingdon, and
Ewelham,	Farringdon.

The Person who committed this Robbery, was a tall lusty black Man, about Six Feet high, between Forty and Fifty Years of Age, marked with the Small Pox, and had on a blue Surtout or Horseman's Coat, and under it a dark coloured one, with white Metal Buttons, and wore a black or dark coloured Wig, and rode upon a large Brown Bay Horse or Mare, Fifteen Hands high, with a bald Face, and a dark black Mane, the Tail lately docked and nicked, the Wounds not healed.

This therefore is to give Notice, 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, 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.

### Viſtualling-Office, September 23, 1751.

The Commissioners for Viſtualling his Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 16th of October next, they will be ready, exactly at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, to receive Proposals from such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Oxen and Hogs for Sea Store at the Ports of London, Portsmouth and Plymouth.

### Mercers-Hall, London, September 20, 1751.

The Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Mercers of the City of London, in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the 21st Year of his present Majesty's Reign, do hereby desire their several Annuitants, or any Person duly authorised by any Writing under their Hands, to meet at Mercers Hall in London, on Wednesday the 6th Day of November next, being the first Wednesday in that Month, at Ten of the Clock in the Fore-

Noon, to nominate and appoint Nine or more Persons to audit and examine the Accounts of the Receipts and Payments by the said Act directed to be audited and examined.

Charles Crumpe, Clerk.

### East India House, August 21, 1751.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, that a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leaden Hall Street, on Wednesday the 25th Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

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London, Sept. 17, 1751.

ALL the Concern'd in the White Long Ells destroy'd by the late Fire at Cotton's Wharf, are hereby desired to send an Account of their Loss either to Mr. Tho. Burfoot, Mr. Josiah Knight, or Mr. John Savill, specifying the Marks and Numbers of their Bales or Ends, and the Quantity of Pieces, which must be rated at the prime Raw Cost, adding thereto two Shillings per Piece for all accustomed Charges, with an Affidavit or Affirmation thereof annexed, on or before the last Day of October next, or they will be excluded from the Benefit of a Dividend which will then be finally made, of what has been saved out of the Ruins.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Storrs, now of late of Stockport in the County of Chester, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 9th and 10th of October next, and on the 5th of November following, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of William Ellison, known by the Name or Sign of the White Lyon, in Stockport aforesaid, and make a full Discovery 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 Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance 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.