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Exon, 31st March, 1753.

THIS is to give Notice to whom it may concern, That there is now confined in Southgate Prison in this City, a Person who says his real Name is Paul Saint; but who hath sometimes gone by the Name of James Roberts: He is about five Feet ten Inches high, of a dark Complexion, black Eyebrows, well grown, and about forty Years of Age. He wore, at the Time of his Commitment, a dark grizzle Wig curled, a light-colour'd fly Cloth Coat, a black Cloth Waistcoat, a new Pair of Buckskin Breeches, and a small Pair of White Metal Buckels in his Shoes. On his Examination, he said he was born in the Parish of Chesterfield in Derbyshire, and served as a Covenant Servant for two Years with one John Ulfton, a Farmer, in the Parish of Warsopp in the County of Nottingham, about twenty Years ago, and since has been a Tapster and Ostler at several Places, and particularly at Hull in Yorkshire: But that for six or seven Months past he hath wandered about the County of Devon, with a forged Letter recommendatory from several Justices of the Peace of the County of York; sometimes alone and sometimes in Company with one William Roberts, collecting Alms under Pretence of having lost his Cattle by the present Contagious Distemper. When apprehended he was in Company with one Baxter, now in the County Gaol of Devon, charged with having robbed Dr. Hancock in the County of Somerset, on the Road from Salisbury to Bath, and with another Accomplice in the said Robbery, who hath made his Escape. He will be detained till the next General Quarter Sessions for this City and County, which will be held on the 30th of April next; and, in the mean Time, any Person is at Liberty to see him in the said Prison.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Antony Allen, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Breame's Buildings, Chancery Lane, Three Messuages, adjoining to each other, in Pall-mall, Westminster; one of them called the Star and Garter Alehouse, now lett to Thomas Daw at 40 l. per Annum; another lett to Mrs. Maverley at 45 l. per Annum; and the other lett to Mr. Dumas at 40 l. per Annum. And a Messuage called the Wool-Pack and Seven Stars on Ludgate Hill, London, lett to Mr. Salkeld at 63 l. per Annum. And also a Mansion-House and Gardens, with the Appurtenances (now untenanted) and 76 Acres and a Half of Land, now lett at 115 l. 15 s. situate near the Town of Darby, being all Freehold, and late the Estates of Mrs. Sarah Woolley, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree 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 Tuesday the 8th Day of May next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, The Freehold and Copyhold Estate, late belonging to Isaac Vinck, of the City of Norwich, Gent. deceased, consisting of certain Messuages, Lands and Tenements, situate, lying and being at Keterington, Dilham and Yaxham in the County of Norfolk: And of two Freehold Messuages in the City of Norwich. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors and Legatees of Nathaniel Jenner, late of Widhill in the County of Gloucester, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts, and claim their Legacies, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

PUrsuant to an Order of the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain, for the Choice of a new Assignee or Assignees of the Estate of Judith Towers, late of Portsea in the County of Southampton, Widow, a Bankrupt, in the Room of the deceased Assignee, The Commissioners in the said Commission named, will meet on the 4th Day of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Honor Strugwell, the Fountain Tavern at Portsmouth, in the said County of Southampton, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to chuse such new Assignee or Assignees.

PUrsuant to an Order of the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for John Godlop Vetter, late of the Parish of Saint James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Jeweller, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclolosure of his Estate and Effects for Forty Nine Days, to be computed from the 3d Day of March last; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 21st of this Instant April, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Charles Prescott, of Red-cross Street, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next, being the 11th of April Instant, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Janeway's Coffee-house, Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending such Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, as may be thought necessary by the said Assignees for the recovering or defending any Part of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, and to empower the said Assignees to compound, submit to Arbitration, or otherwise agree any Mattere relating thereto, and on other Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Dix, of Merton in the County of Surry, Callico Printer, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Wednesday the 18th Day of April Instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Amsterdam Coffee House near the Royal Exchange, London, in order to impower the said Assignees to commence or defend one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate, and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Disputes relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

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