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AT the Court at Kensington, the 8th Day of May 1758,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the Twenty Ninth of March last, For paying the respective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and also to all Able-bodied Landmen, who should voluntarily enter themselves in His Majesty's Royal Navy; and likewise for paying the Rewards to Persons discovering Seamen who should conceal themselves, will expire upon the Twentieth Day of this Instant May;—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given, should be continued to be paid for some Time longer; His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, That the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to such Seamen and Landmen respectively, who shall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January 1757: And likewise, That the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Persons who shall, on or before the said Thirtieth Day of June next, discover any Seaman or Seamen who shall conceal themselves, so as such Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majesty's Service. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

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*Copenhagen, May 13.* On the 10th Instant his Excellency Claus Reventhan, Conseiller Privé de Conference, Knight of the Order of the Elephant, President of the High Court of Justice, &c. &c. died here of an Inflammation in the Bowels, at the Age of Sixty-five.

*Erratum.* In last Saturday's Gazette, Page 1. Col. 2. Line 22, from the Bottom, for *Third* Regiment of Foot Guards, read *First* Regiment, &c.

*Whitehall Treasury Chambers, Dec. 1, 1757.*

**W**HEREAS adhering to the King's Enemies, by giving to them Aid or Comfort, either within his Realm, or elsewhere, is High Treason, and the Concealment thereof is Misprision of Treason;

And Whereas the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have received Information, That a Loan of Money for that Purpose is at this Time negotiating in this Kingdom; Their Lordships do hereby promise a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds to any Person, by whose Discovery any Subject of His Majesty, or any Person residing within this Realm, shall be convicted of lending or advancing directly or indirectly, or of causing or procuring to be so lent or advanced, or of subscribing for, or contributing to, or of soliciting or contracting for or remitting, either in Coin or Bullion, or by Bill or Bills of Exchange, or by any other Means whatsoever, any Sum or Sums of Money, to or for the Use or Purpose aforesaid. The said Reward to be paid immediately on the Conviction of every such Offender, by the Solicitor of the Treasury, without Deduction, their Lordships having given Directions for the immediate Prosecution of such Offenders.

Admiralty Office, May 6, 1758.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrent Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Cheque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars



lars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Charles Fearn, at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st of May Instant; This is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, by the 31st of this Instant, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

General Post Office, May 5, 1758.

Whereas divers Persons, through Ignorance or Carelessness, frequently put Letters into this Office, as also into the Post Offices both in Town and Country, that are directed on Board of Ships, and to Foreign Parts, without paying, at the same Time, the legal Postage for the same; and whereas Letters and Packets, are frequently put into the said Offices, which contain Money, Rings, or other Things of the like Nature; This is to give Notice, that no Letter or Packet whatsoever, under the above Circumstances, can, for the Time to come, be forwarded from hence, or from any other Post Office in the Kingdom.

N. B. Letters to Holland and Flanders are forwarded without any Foreign Postage demanded here, but if they are sent from the Country the Inland Postage must be paid to London.

By Order of His Majesty's Postmaster General.

Geo. Shelvocke.

May 30, 1758.

The Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Leicester are desired to meet at the three Cranes in Leicester, on the first Tuesday in June, being the Day appointed for their Meeting by an Act intituled, An Act for the better ordering of the Militia Forces, &c. in order to carry the said Act into Execution: And such Gentlemen who were not Deputy Lieutenants before the passing of this Act, and have, since the passing of the said Act, signify'd by their Letters to His Majesty's Lieutenant of the said County of Leicester, their Willingness to accept of Deputy Lieutenants Commissions for the County of Leicester, that their respective Commissions will be ready to be delivered to them on the aforesaid Day of Meeting.

Rutland.

East India House, May 24, 1758.

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 Leadenhall Street, on Wednesday the 21st of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 15th Day of said June, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 13th of July next.

That the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock due the 5th Day of July next, will be ready to be delivered on Friday the 4th Day of August following.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship *Ist*, Edward Wheeler, Esq; Commander, who were actually on board her at the Time of taking the *L'Escarboucle*, a French Ship of War, that the Prize Money due to the said Officers and Company, will be ready to be paid on the 15th Day of June 1758, on board the said Ship at Portsmouth, before the Ship proceeds to Sea; and the Recalls on Account of the said Prize on the first Tuesday in every Month, at Mr. James Dickson's, in Gould Square Crutched Fryers, for three Years to come.

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THE Creditors of Henry Melhuish, late of Chudleigh in the County of Devon, Gent. who was discharged out of the Custody of the Warden of the Fleet Prison the 8th Day of July 1755, pursuant to the Insolvent Debtors Act, are desired to meet at the Rummer Tavern in St. Peter's Church Yard in the City of Exeter, on the 9th Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, to choose an Assignee or Assignees of the said Henry Melhuish's Estate and Effects, as the said Act directs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against Thomas Brownbill, of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on Friday the 16th Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. William Roberts, being the Merchants Coffee House in Liverpool aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the commanding or defending of one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate or Effects; and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matters relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

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**T**HE Creditors of Samuel Burridge, late of Tiverton, Devon, Esquire, deceased, are desired to meet on Wednesday the 7th of June next, by Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Angel Inn in Tiverton aforesaid, when a final Dividend will be made of the said Mr. Burridge's Estate; such Creditors as have not already proved their Debts will lose all Relief from said Estate, unless they make Affidavits of their Demands before the final Dividend is closed: To take such Affidavits, and examine and settle the Accounts of Mr. Were, the Creditors Agent. Attendance will be given at the Angel Inn aforesaid, by Mr. Were and Mr. Williams of Exeter, on the Dividend Day and the Day before, from Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Garret, of Bishopgate Street, London, Glass Seller, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 2d of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Ship Tavern in Leadenhall Street, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and to compound, agree, release, or submit to Arbitration any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Auster, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Threadman and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 8th Day of June next, at the Dwelling House of Charles Soule, Innholder, in New Street in Birmingham aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits in Law or Equity for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, or compounding, agreeing, or submitting to Arbitration any Matters or Disputes relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Wednesday the 28th Day of June next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, in different Parcels or Lots, An Estate late of Thomas Brian, of Harrow upon the Hill in the County of Middlesex, and also of Little Ilford in the County of Essex, Esq; deceased, consisting of several Freehold Messuages and Lands; and two Copyhold Fields situate at Stratford Langthorn, commonly called Stratford, in the Parish of West Ham, and at and in the Parish of Little Ilford, both in the County of Essex, now or late in the respective Occupations of ———— Stirkie, ———— Cop., Thomas Cockledge, William Rogers, Mrs. Fludyer, and Samuel Cooke, being in the Whole of the yearly Value of 119 l. 8 s. Particulars whereof to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Wilkins, of Trowbridge in the County of Wilts, Mercer, Linnen Draper, Dealer and Chapman, 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 5th and 12th Days of June next, and on the 11th Day of July following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, 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, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Cobb, Attorney, at Sadlers Hall, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Abraham De Paiba the Younger, of London, Broker, intend to meet on the 26th of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Gibson, of the Parish of St. Dunstan in the West, London, Hair Merchant, intend to meet on the 20th of June next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Newman Cartwright, of Lombard Street, London, Silversmith and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Vanderplank, late of Rumsey in the County of Southampton, Merchant, intend to meet on the 22d Day of June next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Martin Willett, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Carter and Jonathan Waterhouse, of Thames Street, London, Cheesemongers and Partners, intend to meet on the 20th Day of June next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Collison, late of Marl-den, but now of Chatham in the County of Kent, Butcher and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said John Collison hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts, this is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 20th of June next.

