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AT the Court at St. James's, the 11th Day of February, 1760,
P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Proclamation of the 15th of May last, "For giving Encouragement to Seamen and able bodied Landmen to enter themselves on board His Majesty's Ships of War; for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves; for pardoning such Seamen as have deserted and shall return into the Service; and also for taking up all stragling Seamen;" hath been prolonged and extended to the 11th of this Instant February; — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His privy Council, hereby Order, that the said Time be prolonged and extended from the aforesaid 11th Day of this Instant February, to the 24th Day of March next; and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 24th Day of March next. — Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

William Sharpe.

LENT-Preachers appointed to preach before His Majesty for the Year 1760.

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| Feb. 20 | Ash-Wednesday, | Dean of the Chapel, Lord Bishop of London. |
| 22 | Friday, | Dean of Christ-Church, Dr. Gregory. |
| 24 | Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Oxford. |
| 27 | Wednesday, | Dr. Potter. |
| 29 | Friday, | Dean of Hereford, Dr. Webber. |
| Mar. 2 | Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Norwich. |
| 5 | Wednesday, | Dr. Christopher Wilson. |
| 7 | Friday, | Dean of Rochester, Dr. Newcome. |
| 9 | Sunday, | Lord Bishop of St. David's. |
| 12 | Wednesday, | Dr. John Thomas. |
| 14 | Friday, | Dean of Peterborough, Dr. Lamb. |
| 16 | Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Chichester. |
| 19 | Wednesday, | Dr. Tottie. |
| 21 | Friday, | Dean of Worcester, Dr. Waugh. |
| 23 | Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Bangor. |
| 26 | Wednesday, | Dr. Nicolls. |
| 28 | Friday, | Dean of Lincoln, Dr. Green. |
| 30 | Palm-Sunday, | Ld. Archbishop of Canterbury, or Ld. Archbishop of York. |
| Apr. 2 | Wednesday, | Dr. Jenner. |
| 4 | Good-Friday, | Dean of Westminster, Lord Bishop of Rochester. |
| 6 | Easter-Day, | Lord Almoner. |

DEVONSHIRE.

[Price Three-Pence.]

LENT Preachers appointed to preach at His Majesty's Chapel at Whitehall, on Wednesdays and Fridays for the Year 1760.

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| Feb. 20 | Ash-Wednesday, | Dean of Carlisle, Dr. Bolton. |
| 22 | Friday, | Dr. Williams. |
| 27 | Wednesday, | Dr. Brooke. |
| 29 | Friday, | Dr. Lowth. |
| Mar. 5 | Wednesday, | Dr. Thomas Wilson. |
| 7 | Friday, | Dr. Parker. |
| 12 | Wednesday, | Dr. Pyle. |
| 14 | Friday, | Dr. Gally. |
| 19 | Wednesday, | Dr. Mofs. |
| 21 | Friday, | Dr. Dampier. |
| 26 | Wednesday, | Mr. Fowler. |
| 28 | Friday, | Dr. Chapman. |
| Apr. 2 | Wednesday, | Dr. Barnard. |
| 4 | Good-Friday, | Dean of Ely, Dr. Thomas. |

DEVONSHIRE.

Admiralty Office, February 19, 1760.

The King has been pleased to appoint the following Captains in His Navy to be Colonels of the Marines, at the undermentioned established Head Quarters, viz.

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| Portsmouth, | Sir Piercy Brett, Knt. |
| Plymouth, | The Honourable Augustin Keppel. |
| Chatham, | The Right Honourable Richard, Viscount Howe. |

Whitehall, February 19, 1760.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That an Anonymous Letter has been sent to Colonel John Lee, directed, "for that old roge Jack lee at Alfe;" Which Letter is as follows, viz. "if You dont stop Your proceedings Immedately About the Militia your dwelling shall be demolished and your Carriage sent to the diuel for a fier brand. 1760." His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person, or Persons, concerned in Writing the said Letter, is, hereby, pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person, that actually wrote the same,) who shall discover his, or her Accomplice, or Accomplices, therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended, and convicted thereof; and also a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders. W. PITT.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Colonel John Lee does hereby offer a Reward of Twenty Guinea, to any Person, or Persons, making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of one, or more of the Offenders.

Horton-House, Jan. 10, 1760.

Whereas a sufficient Number of Gentlemen, qualified to fill up the Vacancies of Lieutenants and Ensigns in the Northamptonshire Militia, have not yet entered their Names, altho' several Meetings have been duly held for that Purpose, in pursuance of an Act passed this present Session of Parliament: Further Notice is therefore hereby given, that another Meeting will (pursuant to the said Act) be held at the George Inn in the Town of Northampton, on Tuesday the 26th Day of February next,



next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; when and where it is hoped Gentlemen qualified and willing to serve as Officers in the above vacant Commissions, will deliver in their Names in Writing to His Majesty's Lieutenant, or to such other Person as shall be appointed to receive the same, specifying the Rank in which he is desirous of serving.

DUNK HALIFAX.

Rogers, Clerk of the General Meetings.

General Post Office, February 9, 1760.

Whereas the Post Boy carrying the Portsmouth Mail from this Office, was, this Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, near Kensington Gravel Pits, attacked and robbed by a single Highwayman, who took out of the said Mail and carried off the Portsmouth Bag of Letters.

The Person who committed this Robbery is said to be about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, a slender middle aged Man, had on a blue Surtout Coat, and was mounted upon a large strong Brown Gelding, upwards of 15 Hands high.

This is therefore 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 an 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 Postmaster General.

George Shelvocke, Secretary.

N. B. All Persons who may have sent any Notes or Drafts to Portsmouth by this Mail, are desired to give immediate Notice thereof to this Office, or to advertise the same in the Publick Papers, which may prevent such Notes or Drafts being disposed of.

Navy Office, February 1, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to contract for the Stores undermentioned, for His Majesty's Service, on the Days expressed against the same, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, that they may attend with their Proposals accordingly, viz.

Iron,	_____	on Wednesday 5 March 1760.
Hemp,	_____	Friday 7 ditto.
East Country Tar,	_____	Wednesday 12 ditto.
Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals,	} _____	Monday 17 ditto.
Norway Goods,	_____	Wednesday 19 ditto.
Riga Masts,	_____	Friday 21 ditto.

Navy Office, February 12, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Thursday the 28th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, they will be ready to expose to Sale at this Office, Several Parcels of Old Stores lying at his Majesty's Yard at Woolwich, consisting of Paper Stuff, White Ocbam, Hemp, Rubbiss, Refuse Ends, Decayed Lanthorns, and Cutlasses; where any Persons willing to be Purchasers may have the Liberty of viewing them at any Time in the Working Hours of the said Yard till the Day of Sale. And as a Deposit of 25 l. per Cent. or in that Proportion, is to be made by the Persons who shall purchase the said Lots; all Persons who shall attend the Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpose; and unless the Stores so purchased, shall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Deposit shall be forfeited, and become the Property of the Crown.

Victualling Office, February 1, 1760.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 7th of March next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for furnishing such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels with Provisions, as may touch at Barbadoes and the Leeward Islands, and be in Want thereof. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London.

East India House, February 15, 1760.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books for the East India Annuities will be shut on Wednesday the 5th Day of March next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Wednesday the 9th Day of April following.

And that the Dividend Warrants for the said Annuities, due on the 5th Day of April next, will be delivered on Monday the 5th Day of May next.

N. B. No Certificates or Permits will be taken in to be made Stock, during the Time the Books are shut.

East India House, February 15, 1760.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Tuesday the 4th Day of March next, at Two of the Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their said House in Leadenhall Street, on Wednesday the 19th Day of March next, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their said House, on Wednesday the 26th Day of said March.

That a General Court will be held at their said House on Wednesday the 2d Day of April next, for the Election of Twenty Four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Afternoon.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened on Saturday the 5th Day of April.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children, Feb. 9, 1760.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital will be held (by Adjournment) at the said Hospital in Lamb's Conduit Fields, on Saturday the 23d Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; when all the Governors and Guardians are desired to be present.

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Windsor and Escorte, who were actually on Board at the taking the St. Pierre on the 28th of April 1758, that they will be paid their respective Shares of said Prize and Cargoe as follows, viz. Windsor on Board at Portsmouth, before she proceeds to Sea; Escorte at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars, on Tuesday the 26th of February 1760: And the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the French Horn aforesaid, for three Years to come.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships undermentioned, who were actually on Board at taking the Robuste, a French Ship of War, the 15th of September 1758, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Head-money, viz. Alcide at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch Street, on Saturday the 8th of March 1760; Alaxon on Board at Plymouth: And the Shares not then demanded will be recalled as follows; Alcide at the King's Head aforesaid, the last Wednesday, Alaxon at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars the last Tuesday, in every Month for three Years to come.

TO be sold, in five separate Lots, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, Several Freehold and Copyhold Estates situate at Coumb in the Parish of Coumb, in the County of Surrey, and at South Cove, Walpole, Cowley, Wentfaston, Bulcamp, Branfield and Darsham, in the County of Suffolk, late the Estate of John Colston, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office in Carey Street, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, a general Order of Transfer, and a subsequent Order of the said Court, the Creditors of Richard Monins, late of Rattlefen in the County of Suffolk, and heretofore of the Precincts of the Cathedral and Metropolitane Church of Christ Church, Clerke, deceased, are peremptorily to come before Samuel Bonner, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, on or before the 23d Day of April next, and prove their Debts, or otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Joseph Toon, late of the Neat Houses, in the Parish of St. George Hovers Square, in the County of Middlesex, Gardner, deceased, are peremptorily to come before Peter Holdford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on or before the 10th of March next, and prove their respective Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Sir Coventry Carew, late of Antony in the County of Cornwall, Barr, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harral, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of George Minton Pitt, late of Twickenham in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are, on or before the 7th Day of March next, to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey Street, and prove their several Demands, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

At a Meeting of many of the Creditors of Richard Sherwood, late of the Parish of St. Olive Southwark, in the County of Surry, Dyer, deceased, at the Swan Tavern in Southwark, on Tuesday the 12th Instant, in Consequence of several prior Advertisements for that Purpose, it was resolved, That a final Dividend be made of the personal Estate and Effects of the said Deceased, within one Month from the Date above; and that all and every of the Creditors of the said Deceased do leave a proper Affidavit in Writing of his Debt, directed for Mr. John Squire, at the New York Coffee House, now at the Ship Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, within 14 Days from the Date hereof, otherwise he, she, or they, will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Perrott, of Ludgate Hill, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 29th of February Instant, at the Half Moon Tavern in Cheapside, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting one or more Suits or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also for compounding and submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Matter in Dispute relating thereto; and upon other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Eustace, of the Parish of Saint Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, and 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 22d of February Instant, on the 4th of March next, and on the 1st of April following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, 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. Croft, Attorney, in St. Martin's Lane in the Strand, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Lee, formerly of Edinburgh in Scotland, but late of Bath, in the County of Somerset, 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 23d Day of February Instant, on the 8th of March next, and on the 1st of April following, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, 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. Benson, Attorney, in Kirby Street, Hatton Garden.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Walter Harrison, of Kentish Town in the County of Middlesex, Baker, 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 26th of February Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 4th of March next, and 1st of April following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, 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. Copeland, Attorney, at Serjeants Inn Coffee House in Chancery Lane, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Stevens the Elder and William Stevens the Younger, of Little Trinity Lane, London, Malt Factors and Partners, met on the 18th of this Instant February, at Guildhall, London, in order to declare a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; but with the Consent of the Assignees and Creditors then present, the said Dividend is adjourned to the 7th Day of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come and prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Persons who have made any Claims, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Langford, of Bedford Street, in the Parish of St. Andrew Holbourn, in the County of Middlesex, Linnen Draper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th of March next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a final 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Philip Pilgrim, of Stepney in the County of Middlesex, Cooper, Copartner with Thomas Braufon, of the same Place, Cooper, intend to meet on the 15th of March 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Butler, of Snow Hill, London, Sadlers Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1st Day of April next, at Eleven 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Kaley, late of Settle in the County of York, Tallow Chandler and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said James Kaley 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 12th of March next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Francis Daniell, late of the City of Bristol, Merchant, have certified to the Right Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Francis Daniell 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 12th of March next.

