

Whitehall, March 29, 1760.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that the House of the Reverend Mr. William Richardson, at Milton, in the Parish of West Markham, in the County of Nottingham, has for three Months last past been infested, in the Night, twice or thrice in a Week, by Persons supposed to have evil Designs; and that, on Wednesday the 20th of February last, a Letter was found, stuck upon the Outside of one of the Windows of the said House, containing the Words and Figures following, viz.

“ Sur—the 1st. thing I order You to do is fend
“ Whoeme Yar wacheng devil 2. tac all snrs and
“ traps away 3. houere kew as You col it wen
“ You think no bode heres 4. lay a great deal of
“ Muny in the Dearay as We can get it or We
“ will Morder You all some time or other ith
“ Houfe or out or beds We are Yar Eneimis .

“ For Riciffon of Milton.”

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said Letter, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, except the Person who actually wrote the same, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLDERNESSE.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Reverend William Richardson, of Milton, aforesaid, does, hereby, promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid by him, upon the Conviction of one or more of the said Offenders.
William Richardson.

Salop, March 11, 1760.

Whereas an Act hath passed in this present Session of Parliament, to enable the Lord Lieutenant of those Counties where the Militia Forces have not been raised, to Summon a Meeting of all such Persons as are qualified and willing to serve as Officers in the Militia, notwithstanding the Suspension made in Pursuance of the Directions of the former Acts: And whereas at the Meeting of His Majesty's Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Salop, this Day held at the Talbot Inn in this Town, a sufficient Number of Gentlemen qualified to serve as Officers in the Militia, for the said County, did not appear, or give in their Names in Writing for that Purpose; in order therefore that the Militia Acts may the more effectually be carried into Execution, His Majesty's said Lieutenant doth hereby give Notice, that another Meeting will be held at the Place aforesaid, on Friday the 11th Day of April next; and likewise desires that all Persons qualified to serve as Officers, and willing to accept Commissions, will attend the said Meeting, or deliver, or cause to be delivered, their Names in Writing to His Majesty's said Lieutenant, or such Person as he shall appoint to receive the same, specifying the Rank in which they are willing to serve.

POWIS.

Custom House, London, March 22, 1760.

WHEREAS on Friday the 14th of this Instant March, at Night, a large Gang of Smuglers were assembled at East Dean in the County of Suffex, in order to be aiding and assisting in the Running, Landing and Carrying away a large Quantity of Un-

customed Goods out of a Smugling Cutter then lying near the Shore: And whereas Henry Bean, one of the Officers of the Customs at East Dean aforesaid, and several other Officers of the Customs, did attempt to go on Board the said Cutter, in order to examine and search the same, but were forcibly and violently obstructed and hindered in the Execution of their Duty, by several Persons belonging to the said Cutter, who stood upon the Deck with Lighted Matches in their Hands, swearing they would sink the Boat, in Case the Officers attempted to come on Board, by which Means the Officers were prevented from doing their Duty, and a large Quantity of Prohibited and Uncustomed Goods were afterwards run out of the said Cutter: The Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in order to bring the Offenders to Justice, do hereby promise a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS, for the apprehending and taking each of the said Offenders, to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs on Conviction.

By Order of the Commissioners,
William Wood, Secretary.

Navy Office, March 27, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Monday the 21st of April next, at Nine o'Clock in the Morning, Commissioner Rogers will expose to Sale at his Office in His Majesty's Yard at Plymouth, several Parcels of old Stores lying in the said Yard, consisting of Paper Stuff in Junk, Old Rigging, Boltrope, Clinches, Shakings, Rags in Hammaces, Old Awnings, Boats Coverings, Ground Toss, White Ocham, Empty Tarr Barrels, &c. 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 Lotts, all Persons who shall attend the said Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and go 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.

Halifax, March 28, 1760.

Calder Navigation.

The Subscribers to the said Navigation are required to pay into the Hands of Mr. John Caygill, or Messrs. Jeremias Royds and Co. at Halifax, (who are appointed joint Treasurers) the Sum of Ten Pounds per Cent. upon their respective Subscriptions, on or before the 19th Day of June next.

By Order of the Commissioners,
Thomas Simpson, Clerk.

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