

General Post-Office.

Monday, November 7, 1763.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Mail of Letters from Maidstone to Rochester, between the Hours of Nine and Ten o'Clock on Friday Night last, was attacked near the Hospital, within a Quarter of a Mile of Rochester, by three Footpads, one of whom fired a Gun or Pistol, loaded with large Shot, which wounded the Post-Boy very dangerously in his Body, Face and Arms:

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, any one or more of the Persons who made this Assault, will be intitled to a Reward of Fifty Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice, or knowing thereof, (except the Person who actually fired the Gun or Pistol) shall make Discovery, whereby one or more of the Persons may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon the Conviction of any one of the Parties, be intitled to the same Reward of Fifty Pounds, and will also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master General,  
Anth. Todd, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Ship's Company and Marines belonging to His Majesty's Ship *Augusta*, who were actually on Board at the Time of her Taking the following French Privateers, viz. *St. Pierre, La Marguerite, Le Solide, Le Theodore, and Le Mars*, That the Head-Money for the said Prizes will be paid on the 8th of December next, between the Hours of Ten in the Forenoon and Two in the Afternoon, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars, London; and the Shares remaining unpaid will be recalled at the same Place and Hours, the Second Thursday in every Month for three Years.

Arthur Forrest, Esq; of James-street, Agent.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships *Lynn and Blast*, who were actually on Board at Taking the *St. Joseph*, a French Prize, on the 31st of August, 1762, That they will be paid their respective Shares thereof at the King's-Arms Tower Hill, on Saturday the 3d of December, 1763; and the Shares remaining unpaid, will be recalled at the said Place, the first Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Andrew Miller, of London, and } Agents.  
David Jordaine, of Plymouth, }

By the KING's Patent,

**T**HE new-invented MACHINES for Preventing Chimnies from Smoking, or taking Fire, and adding Warmth to the Room, are made, by Order of the Patentee, by Mr. JOHN DAVIS, Ironmonger, near the Bull and Gate in High Holbourn.

**A**LL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of Mr. Edward Ellis, late of Bush Lane Cannon-street, deceased, are required to bring in their Accounts to Mr. John Edowes, the Executor, in King-street, Cheapside, on or before the last Day of January next, otherwise they will be excluded receiving any Satisfaction for the same, as the Effects will be distributed pursuant to the Will.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Gylberte the Elder, formerly of Sandridge in the County of Devon, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas

Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, by the 22d Day of December next; or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, The Residue of the real Estate late of Thomas Brian, of Harrow on the Hill in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, in two separate Lots, one of the said Lots consisting of a Freehold Farm, situate at Roxeth in the Parish of Harrow on the Hill, comprizing a good Farm-house, with Barns, Stables, Out-houses and Buildings, and Two Hundred and Twenty Acres, or thereabouts, of Arable, Meadow, Pasture and Wood Land, now lett together, upon an Old Lease, at 134l. per Annum, together with a ruinous old House, at Roxeth, called the Resident's, which hath been many Years empty, but the Barns, Out-houses, Garden, and Orchard thereto belonging, are in the Occupation of James Hutt, and included in the above Rent; and further consisting of Twelve Acres of Wood Land called Roxeth Grove, whereon several good Timber Trees are now growing, and fit to be fallen. The other Lot consisting of a Freehold Estate situate at Pinnor in the said Parish of Harrow, comprizing a good Dwelling-house with suitable Out-houses and Buildings, and upwards of 18 Acres of Arable, Meadow and Pasture Ground, lately lett to Richard Nichols at 10l. per Annum. Further Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

**T**HE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Balston, of Fish-street Hill, London, Woollen-draper, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on the 2d of December next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Paul's Head Tavern in Cateaton-street, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees compounding or submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing all Matters in Dispute concerning the Bankrupt's Estate; or to their commencing or defending any Actions or Suits in Law or Equity relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Justin Doran, late of Swithin's Alley, London, Merchant, Coffee-man, 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 9th and 16th Days of December next, and on the 10th of January following, at Five 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 assent to the Assignment already made, or to chuse an Assignee or 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. Fisher, Attorney, in the Minorities.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Davis, now or late of the City of Bath in the County of Somerset, Jeweller, Toyman and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th Day of December next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Samuel Woodhouse, Innholder, known by the Sign of the White Hart in the said City of Bath, 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 Lethbridge the Younger, of Newton-Abbott in the County of Devon, Lime-burner and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of John Swale in the Serge-market in Exon, 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.

N. B. The Adjournment of this Dividend is on Account of the Death of one of the acting Commissioners.