

Whereas it hath been humbly represented to the King, that a Commission of Bankrupt having been awarded and issued against John Lamb, of King's Norton in the County of Worcester, Master, he was duly declared a Bankrupt thereon, and that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, issued their proper Warrant for taking Possession of the Effects of the said Bankrupt, directed to John Salmon, the Messenger therein named, who, in proceeding to execute the same, was violently assaulted and ill-treated, and forcibly repulsed from the said Bankrupt's House, by a great Number of armed Persons assembled therein, who threatened to murder the said Messenger if he persisted in his Duty; and also that several Persons have, at different Times since, been seen lurking about the House of Mr. John Freeman, of King's Norton aforesaid, Attorney at Law, the Clerk to the said Commission, carrying Fire-Arms and other offensive Weapons, and have threatened to shoot or otherwise kill the said Mr. Freeman, if he did not withdraw such Commission of Bankrupt; and that in the Night of the 13th Day of June last, a threatening Letter was put under the Door of the said Mr. Freeman's House, whereof the following is a Copy:

Mr. Freeman

If he now proceed in the Commission of Bankruptcy you have taken out against John Lamb your House shall be shut on Fire, and you in it by God you shunt live one Day as we are 100 Brave Boys that are for Lamb and will soon Murder you and all that offer to take Lambs Goods, and this believe from one of the Hundred whose Name is
 Fear Not
 Kings Norton 13th
 June 1771.

Superfcribed
 To
 Mr. Freeman a Lawer
 at Wetharick Hill.

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

ROCHFORD.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Mr. Freeman doth hereby promise a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid by him, at his House at King's Norton aforesaid, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

July 6, 1771.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, that a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday the 11th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.
 Robert Lewin, Secretary.

LOST on the 1st Instant, going from Lombard-Street to Lawrence Poantney-Lane, A BILL of EXCHANGE, No 556, for 500l. drawn the 25th of June by James Nutt of Leicester, at Two Months after Date, to the Order of Andrew Mitchell, endorsed by him and Anthony Vialars, due the 28th of August, on Sir Robert Kite and Co. in London, and by them accepted. Whoever brings it to Mr. Benjamin Kidney, Lawrence Poantney Hill, or to Mr. Anthony Vialars, No 5, Lawrence Poantney Lane, shall receive Two Guineas Reward. If offered to be discounted or paid away, stop it and the Party. N. B. No greater Reward will be offered, Payment having been stoped, and Notices distributed at the Bank, and to all the Bankers, &c.

TO be pre-emptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Pechell, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Friday the 19th of July instant, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Freehold Messuage, with a Barn, Stable, and several Pieces of Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Ground, containing about 57 Acres, situate in the Parishes of Smeath and Brabourne in the County of Kent, of the yearly Value of 50l. or thereabouts, late the Estate of John Loc, Surgeon, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London.

THE King's Plate of One Hundred Guineas will be run for on Lewes Downs in Sussex, on Thursday the 25th of July instant, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than Six Years old the Grails before, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeder, carrying twelve Stone, the best of three Heats, round the Course. To be shewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee-House in Lewes, on Wednesday the 24th Day of July instant, or they are not to run for the said Plate: And if any Difference arises relating to their Age, Entering, or Running, the same to be determined by his Grace the Duke of Richmond, or whom he shall please to appoint, according to such His Majesty's Orders or Rules as shall be produced at the Place of Entering or Running for the said Plate.

On Friday the 26th of this Instant July, will be run for on the same Course, a Plate of Fifty Pounds, the Gift of his Grace the Duke of Richmond, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, of any Age, bred in the County of Sussex, viz. Aged Horses to carry Twelve Stone; Six Years old, Eleven Stone Eight Pounds; Five Years old, Ten Stone Ten Pounds; Four Years old, Nine Stone Six Pounds. Mares or Fillies to carry Three Pounds less than Horses of the same Age.

The best of Three Heats round the Course.
 Every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that is to run for the said Plate, must be shewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee-house in Lewes, on Monday the 22d of July instant, between Twelve and One o'Clock; and Three Guineas Entrance to be then paid, or Five Guineas if not entered (as above) till the Day of the Race.

The Entrance-Money to go to the Second-best Horse, not distanced, winning one clear Heat before or after the Plate is determined.

Any Horse, Mare, or Gelding having won this Plate in a former Year, is to carry 5 lb. more than any Horse, Mare, or Gelding of the same Age.

For every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, so entered, a Certificate must be produced under the Hand of the Breeder, of the Age of such Horse, and likewise of its being bred in Sussex.

No Horse will be deemed Sussex-bred that was not sealed in the County.

Half a Crown to be paid at the Time of Entrance to the Clerk of the Course, for each Horse that is to start; and when the Plate is determined, One Guinea and a half is to be paid by the Owner of the winning Horse, for the Use of the Scales, &c.

The King's Plate Articles are to be observed in Running.

And on Saturday the 27th of July instant, will be run for on the same Course, another Plate of Fifty Pounds, by any Five Years old, Six Years old, and Aged Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that never won a King's Plate; Five Years old to carry Nine Stone, Six Years old Nine Stone Seven Pounds, and Aged to carry Ten Stone. Every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, running for the said Plate, shall be shewn and entered at Verrall's Coffee-house in Lewes, one Week before Running; and each Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to pay Thrice Guineas Entrance, and Two Shillings and Six-pence to the Clerk of the Course. The Entrance-Money to go to the Second-best Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not distanced, winning one clear Heat before or after the Plate is determined. Every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, so entering for the said Plate, to produce a Certificate of its Age and Qualifications, on the Day of Entrance; and to run according to the King's Plate Articles.

The Horse that wins this Plate to pay One Guinea and a half, for the Use of Scales and Drum.

An Ordinary at the White Hart on the Thursday, and at the Star on the Friday; a Ball the Thursday Night at Verrall's Coffee-house, and on the Friday at the Star.

Lord GEORGE LENNOX,
 AND
 Lord ABERCAVENNY, } Stewards.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Thomas Baker, late of High Holborn in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Brewer, deceased, are forthwith to come before Robert Pratt, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies, 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 (if any) of Edward Atkins, of Size-Lane, London, and also of Ketteringham in the County of Norfolk, Esq; lately deceased, are pre-emptorily to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 27th Day of July instant, or in Default thereof they will be precluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of David Creighton, deceased, late Chief Mate of the Devonshire East Indiaman, are forthwith to prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors of James Grey, of Peiryn in the County of Cornwall, Shopkeeper, may receive a further Dividend of One Shilling and Six Pence in the Pound, by applying to Messrs. Bennett and Parker, Weavers and Ribbon-Makers, at No 21, in Friday-Street, Cheapside, any Wednesday the 22d Instant.