

Pay Office, Stable Yard, St. James's,  
September 6, 1783.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That Payment of the Established Salaries and Compensations, in the Lord Chamberlain's Department, up to Lady-Day 1783, will be made at this Office every Monday and Tuesday, between Twelve and Four o'Clock, till further Notice.

Whitehall, September 6, 1783.

**W**HEREAS the Dover Waggon was, on its Passage from Canterbury to London, on Wednesday the 20th Day of August last, about the Hour of Twelve at Noon, stopped near the Six Mile Stone on Blackheath, and the Waggoner, and one James Dray, Servant to Mr. Tankard, one of the Officers of the Customs, who accompanied him on Horseback, and having with him a led Horse, which he permitted the Waggoner to ride, were surrounded by divers Persons armed with Pistols, Clubs, and other offensive Weapons, to the Number of Ten, or thereabouts, who, by Force and Violence, took Possession of the Waggon, and compelled the Waggoner to drive the same out of the Publick Road, up a Private Lane near the Park Pales, and then and there feloniously took out of the said Waggon Two Wooden Cases, containing Twenty-one Bags of Tea, weighing upwards of Four Hundred and Eighty Pounds, Part of a much larger Quantity, which they put into a Cart brought with them for that Purpose, and which they feloniously carried away: And also feloniously took from the Person of the said James Dray his Pistol, and two other Pistols wrapt up in a Parcel, knock'd him off his Horse, and trampled upon him with their Horses, so that his Life was in the most imminent Danger: They also feloniously stole and carried away both the Horses with which the said James Dray was coming to Town, which have since been recovered: But an Alarm being given, that some Persons were in Pursuit of these Horses which had been so stolen, they were disturbed in the further Robbery of the Waggon, and made their Retreat.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in this most daring Highway Robbery, is hereby pleased to promise His most Gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover Two or more of his Accomplices therein, so that they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

**N O R T H.**

Custom-house, London, Sept. 4, 1783.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of **FIFTY POUNDS** (over and above any other Reward given by Law, on the Conviction of Highway Robbers) to any Person or Persons who shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, any one or more of the said Offenders, to be paid by the Receiver-General of His Majesty's Customs on Conviction.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
Geo. Robinson, pro Secretary.

Stamp-Office, September 5, 1783.

Tax on the Registry of Burials, Marriages, Births and Christenings.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that in Pursuance of an Act of the last Session of Parliament for granting a Stamp Duty on the Registry of Burials, Marriages, Births, or Christenings, which commences the 2d of October next, the said Register Books may now be stamped at this Office with the Duty required; or the Commissioners will, if such be the Option of the Parties applying, grant Licences for making the said Entries, without the Stamps being marked thereon, on Security being given for the Payment of the said Duty.

And for the Convenience of the Clergy resident in the Country, the Head Distributors of Stamps in the several Counties where such Registers are kept will also be empowered to grant Licences in like Manner, upon Application to them for that Purpose.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
John Brettell, Sec.

Custom-House, London; September 1, 1783.

**F O R S A L E,**

**B**Y Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty, on Tuesday the 9th, Wednesday the 10th, and Thursday the 11th of September, 1783, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods,

For Home Consumption.

Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Cordial Water, Green and Bobea Tea, Raw and Roasted Coffee, Materials of Vessels, Organs, Purple and King's Wood, and Refused Wines.

Also such Goods as have remained in His Majesty's Warehouse upwards of Six Months, not cleared, or the Duties paid, viz.

Pisturs, Prints, Books, Paper for Prints, Hair Powder, Quills, Trusses, Currants, Arrango Beads, Tobacco, Rum, Arrack, Wine, Raw Coffee, Glass, Crapes, Iron Wood, and sundry other Sorts of Goods as mentioned in the Catalogues.

Clear of all Duties.

The Materials of Vessels, Purple, King's, and Iron Wood, to be viewed at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe, and all the other Goods at the King's Warehouse, Custom-House, London, on Friday the 5th, Saturday the 6th, and Monday the 8th of September, 1783, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

**F O R S A L E,**

**B**Y Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 18th of September, 1783, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 5, 8, and 10 Casts each.

**S U G A R S, &c.**

H. T. B.

36 0 0 Barbadoes.

43 10 38 Antigua.

— 80 Barbadoes Ginger.

The Samples to be viewed at Wycherley's-yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Tuesday the 16th, Wednesday the 17th, and Thursday the 18th of September.

Navy-Office, September 5, 1783.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that all Bills registered on the Course of the Navy, for the Months of February and March, 1781, are ordered to be paid, in Money and Exchequer Bills, that such Persons as are possessed thereof may bring them to this Office, to be assigned on the Treasurer of the Navy for Payment.

Victualling-Office, September 5, 1783.

**T**HE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money and Exchequer Bills in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy to pay Interest and Non-Interest Bills registered on the Course of the Victualling, in the Months of February and March, 1781, in order that the Persons possessed of the said Bills may bring them to this Office, to be assigned for Payment.

East India House, September 4, 1783.

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

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 14th of April, 1784, for the Election of Six Directors of the said Company for Four Years.

Brig Nymph, from Jamaica.

**T**HE Concerned in the Cargo of the said Brig, on her late Voyage from Jamaica to London, are desired to send an Account of the Goods they have Bills of Lading for, to the Master, Captain Lewis Farquharson, at No. 40, Mincing-lane.