

*Ditto*, James Richard Coates, **Genl.** to be Ensign, vice James Richardson.  
 70th Regiment of Foot, **Captain** Lieutenant Thomas Nicoll to be Captain of a Company, vice Thomas Banks.  
*Ditto*, Lieutenant F. B. D. Bartlett to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Nicoll.  
*Ditto*, Ensign Thomas Smith to be Lieutenant, vice F. B. D. Bartlett.

General Post-Office, February 25, 1785.

**T**HE Post-Boy bringing the Mail to this Office from Kingston was stopped near to the Bald Faced Stag Alehouse adjoining to Wimbledon Common, between Four and Five o'Clock this Morning, by Two Men on Foot, who broke open the Cart, and took away the Mail containing the following Bags, viz.

Portsmouth,	Godalmin,	Kingston,
Petersfield,	Haslemere,	Esher,
Chichester,	Midhurst,	Farnham,
Arundel,	Ripley,	Havant,
Guildford,	Petworth,	Gobham.

One of the Persons who committed this Robbery is described to be about Fifty Years of Age, Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, lusty made, his Hair grey, which he wears hanging upon his Shoulders, smooth Face, and is supposed to be dressed in a blue Surtout Coat.

The other Person is about Thirty-six Years of Age, Five Feet Six or Seven Inches high, thin made, his Face red, wears his own Hair, and is supposed to be dressed in a dark-coloured Coat. They had both the Appearance of Farmers, and were seen in London the Evening of the Robbery.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed this Robbery, will be entitled 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, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby both or either of the Persons who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be entitled to the same Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most Gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,  
 Anthony Todd, Sec.

Watchmakers and Jewellers are desired to be cautious of whom they take Bank Notes or Bills.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,  
 September 11, 1784.

**T**HE Commissioners and Governors of the said Hospital hereby give Notice, that at Salters Hall, in London, on Wednesday the 16th Day of March next, or as soon after as may be, the following Estates, in the Counties of Northumberland and Cumberland, will be let on Leases for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1785, that is to say, Eight Farms and a Water Corn Mill and Ground at Dilton; One Farm at Corbridge; Four Farms at Thornbrough; One Farm at Buteland; Woodhall Farm in the Barony of Wark; and Lough, Harfondale and Sillywray Farms, Vaute Loaning-Foot, and Plankey Pasture Farm, and Tedcastle, Lees, West Land Ends, and Beamwham Farms, in the Barony of Langley; all in the County of Northumberland: And Hartside Colliery in the County of Cumberland.

All Persons desirous to take the said Estates, are requested to give in their Proposals in Writing to

Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty Office, London, at any Time before the Day abovementioned, or on that Day between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters Hall, in London; and for Particulars of all or any of the said Estates, to be let as aforesaid, apply to Messrs. Walton and Turner, Receivers for the said Hospital; or to the Bailiffs in their respective Districts.

Note, All Wood Grounds, as now inclosed or marked off for the growing of Wood or Underwood, will be excepted and reserved to the said Hospital, and no Allowance will be made on Account thereof, or on Account of Damages by the Smoke of Langley Lead Mill.

**SUGARS and GINGER for SALE,**

**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 17th of March, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, and 10 Casks each.

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30	1	5	Barbadoes.
79	16	50	Antigua.
43	18	165	St. Kitts.
7	5	16	Nevis.
39	7	36	Montserrat.
21	11	3	Tortola.
0	0	18	Barbadoes Ginger.

The Samples to be viewed in Wycherley's-yard opposite Bear Quay, on Tuesday the 15th, Wednesday the 16th, and Thursday the 17th of March.

East-India House, February 16, 1785.

**T**HE 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 East India Annuities will be shut on Friday the 11th of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 15th of April following.

And that the Dividend Warrants, due the 5th of April, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 2d of May next.

Office of Ordnance, Feb. 25, 1785.

**T**HE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they will sell by Public Auction, at the Tower, on Monday the 14th Day of March next, at Twelve o'Clock in the Forenoon, sundry Lots of Unserviceable Musquets, Musquetoon, Pistols, Swords, Halberds, Bayonet and Sword Sabards, Cartouch Boxes, Tanned and Buff Leather Accoutrements, Flints of Sorts, Rough Stocks for Musquet, Musquet and Carbine Barrels, Musquet Locks, Musquet Bayonets, Sea Service Swords, Steel Rammers, Old Brass Work, and other Old and Unserviceable Ordnance Stores, which may be viewed at the Tower till the Day of Sale. Printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such Persons as may apply at the Tower for the same.

By Order of the Board,  
 Aug. Rogers, Secretary.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office,  
 London, March 3, 1785.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 16th Day of March instant, from Twelve o'Clock at Noon till Two in the Afternoon, on Business of the Company, and for the Election of a Deputy Governor, in the Room of John Bell, Esq; elected Sub-Governor; which Election will be declared as soon as the Scrutiny is over.

Printed Lists of the Proprietors qualified to vote will be ready to be delivered at the Office, on Wednesday the 9th Instant.