

“ same to the Treasurer of His Majesty’s Office of Ordnance, and shall have the Interest of such Debentures computed after the Rate of 4l. per Centum per Annum, from the Expiration of Fifteen Months from the Date hereof, to the 5th of July, 1785, and shall, in Exchange for such Debentures, have a Certificate to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, for every 100l. contained in the Amount of such Principal and Interest, and, upon Delivery thereof to the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England, shall be entitled to 111l. 8s. Capital Stock for every 100l. contained in such Certificate, and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Sum; such Capital Stock to be attended with Annuities after the Rate of 5l. per Centum per Annum, to commence from the 5th Day of July, 1785, payable Half-yearly; the said Annuities to be irredeemable until Twenty-five Millions of the Public Debt, bearing Interest at the Rate of either 3l. per Centum per Annum, or 4l. per Centum per Annum, shall have been redeemed or paid off; and the said Annuities to be charged upon a Fund to be established in this Session of Parliament, and for which the Fund, commonly called the Sinking Fund, shall be a collateral Security.”

The Principal Officers of His Majesty’s Ordnance do hereby give Notice thereof, that all Persons possessed of Ordnance Debentures made out as aforesaid, may bring the same to the Office of the Treasurer of His Majesty’s Ordnance, to be certified to the Bank of England accordingly.

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

General Post-Office, February 25, 1785.

THE 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,	Hastlemere,	Ether,
Chichester,	Midhurst,	Farnham,
Arundel,	Ripley,	Havant,
Guildford,	Petworth,	Cobham.

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 Switout 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 Persons 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.

Victualling-Office, May 25, 1785.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty’s Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Wednesday the 1st of June next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will supply Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty’s Ships and Vessels as may touch at Barbadoes and Antigua, and be in Want thereof; which will be paid for by Bills in Course, with the Addition of the Discount, so as to make the Prices equal to Ready Money.

No Tenders will be attended to that are not delivered before One o’Clock, nor unless they are made agreeably to the Conditions of the Contracts, which may be seen at the Secretary’s Office.

Victualling-Office, May 20, 1785.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty’s Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 20th of June next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will supply Fresh Beef and Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty’s Ships and Vessels as may come to Killybeggs, in the County of Donegal, in the Kingdom of Ireland: Which will be paid for by Bills in Course, with the Addition of the Discount, so as to make the Prices equal to Ready Money.

No Tenders will be attended to that are not delivered before One o’Clock, nor unless they are made agreeably to the Conditions of the Contracts, which may be seen at the Secretary’s Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of the Customs at Killybeggs.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty’s Ships Pallas, Thomas Spry, Esq; Commander, and Lovestoffe, Christopher Parker, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board in 1780, at the Capture of the Princess Asturias; also to the Officers and Company of His Majesty’s Ship Pallas, Thomas Spry, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Conception in 1781, that a Final Payment on Account of the Produce of the said Prizes will be made on Tuesday the 7th of June next, at Mess. Poulain and Keys, No. 11. Savage-gardens, where it will be recalled the Third Thursday in every Month.
John Robinson of Jamaica, Agent.

Navy-Office, May 26, 1785.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty’s Navy give Notice, That on Tuesday the 7th of June next, at One o’Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply Portsmouth Yard with Teams of Horses on a standing Contract, to commence at Michaelmas next; that they may attend with their Proposals accordingly.