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London, November 9.

**Y**ESTERDAY Thomas Sainsbury, Esq; Lord Mayor Elect for the Year ensuing, was sworn at Guildhall, when the Chair and other Ensigns of Mayoralty were surrendered to him in the accustomed Manner.

This Day the new Lord Mayor, accompanied by the late Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Sheriffs, in their Scarlet Gowns, went in their Coaches from the Mansion-House to Westminster-Hall, the Sword and Mace being carried before them and the City Officers attending; and proceeded directly up to the Exchequer Bar, where the new Lord Mayor did take the Oaths appointed; and having recorded Warrants of Attorney in the proper Courts, they returned in the same Manner to the Mansion-House.

St. Petersburg, October 17.

Baron de Keller, who has been lately named Minister to this Court from that of Berlin, arrived here in the Course of last Week, and on Sunday was admitted to his first Audience of her Imperial Majesty.

General Post-Office, November 2, 1786.

**JAMES DOBSON**, a Messenger employed in the Penny Post-Office, who stands charged with Felony, absconded from his Lodgings at No. 3, Slater's-buildings, Angel-alley, Bishopsgate Without, on Tuesday Evening the 31st past, along with his Wife.

The said James Dobson is about 21 Years of Age, Five Feet Seven Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, is very near sighted, and speaks thick; he wears his own black Hair in Curls behind, has a large Scar under his Chin, and another on the Top of his Head.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict him, or cause him to be apprehended and convicted, will receive a Reward of **FIFTY POUNDS**.

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

London Assurance-House, November 8, 1786.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the London-Assurance Corporation hereby give Notice, That the Annual General Court appointed by their Charter will be held at their House in Birch-lane, on Wednesday the 13th of December next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon.

General Post-Office, October 28, 1786.

**T**HE Post-Boy bringing the Mail from Haslemere to this Office last Night, was stop'd on Millford-Heath, within Three Miles of Godalmin, about Half past Nine o'Clock, by a Person on Foot, dressed in a round Frock, who presented a Pistol to the Boy, and obliged him to dismount from his Horse. The Robber mounted the Horse, and rode off with the Mail, which contained the following Bags of Letters for London, viz.

Arundel,  
Midhurst,  
Petworth,

Haslemere,  
Steyning,  
Shoreham.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person 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 the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, 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.

Amicable Society's Office, Serjeants-inn, Fleet-street, November 11, 1786.

**T**HE Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance-Office, doth hereby give Notice, That at Michaelmas last (Old Stile) the several Members, or their Nominees, upon the Policies numbered as follow, viz. 224, 553, 666, 779, 804, 810, 1013, 1016, 1064, 1180, 1256, 1257, 1260, 1365, 1385, 1389, 1508, 1596, 1617, 1632, 1651, 1669, and 1677, were Six Pounds and Five Shillings in Arrear in their Quarterly Payments, or Contributions, for One Year and One Quarter of a Year; and that unless such Arrears are paid off within the Space of Three Calendar Months after the Publication hereof, such several Members and their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators and Assigns, will, by virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, be absolutely excluded from all Benefit and Advantage from such Policies.

Joseph Baldwin, Register.