

“ Legacy, Specific or Pecuniary, of the Value of 20l. or more, given by any Will or Testamentary Instrument of any Person who shall die after the passing of the said Act, out of the Personal Estate of the Person so dying, and also upon the clear Residue of the Personal Estate of every Person who shall so die, whether Testate or Intestate; and leave Personal Estate of the clear Value of 100l. after deducting Debts, Funeral Expences, and other Charges; there shall be raised, levied, and collected, for the Use of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the several Duties, after the Rates, and in Manner therein particularly mentioned:”

AND WHEREAS HIS MAJESTY'S COMMISSIONERS FOR MANAGING THE STAMP DUTIES have Reason to believe that the Duties which have become payable under the said Act upon Legacies bequeathed, as well as upon the Residue of the Personal Estate and Effects of many Persons who have died since the said 26th Day of April, the Day of passing the said Act, have not been duly answered and paid, and proper Receipts or Discharges given for such Legacies and Personal Estate, according to the said Act; and the said Commissioners have also Reason to believe that the Duties imposed by several other Acts on Legacies, and the Residue of Personal Estate, not subject to the Duties imposed by the said Act of the 36th Year of His Majesty's Reign, have not been duly answered and paid, and proper Receipts or Discharges given for such Legacies and Personal Estate, according to the said former Acts, and also according to the said Act of the 36th Year of His Majesty's Reign: THE COMMISSIONERS THEREFORE DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, That Proceedings will be had against all Persons who shall appear to have offended against the said Acts, to recover the Amount of the Duties payable under the said Acts respectively, together with the Penalties incurred by such Persons as shall appear not to have complied with the Terms of the said Acts. AND THE COMMISSIONERS ALSO GIVE NOTICE, That by the said Act of the 36th Year of His Majesty's Reign, all Persons paying and receiving Legacies or Personal Estate, subject to the said Duties, without receiving and allowing thereout respectively the Duties payable thereon, are chargeable with the said Duties as Debts due to His Majesty, and both Parties are respectively liable to Penalties, in case of Payment of such Legacies, without such Receipt or Discharge as required by the Act.

THE COMMISSIONERS ALSO GIVE NOTICE, That by an Act passed in the 37th Year of His Majesty's Reign, It is Enacted, “ That every Person who shall Administer the Personal Estate of any Person dying after the passing of the said Act, or any Part thereof, without proving the Will of the Decceased, or taking out Letters of Administration of such Personal Estate within Six Calendar Months after the Death of the Person so dying, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of FIFTY POUNDS, to be recovered as therein is mentioned, One Moiety thereof to His Majesty, and the other to the Person who shall sue for the same.”

By Order of the Commissioners,
J. Brettell, Secretary.

Admiralty-Office, October 19, 1798.

Notice is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol-Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice-Hall, in the Old Bailey, London, on Thursday the 29th Day of November next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Evan Nepean.

Navy-Office, November 1, 1798.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 9th Instant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Seamen's Shirts, both for Men and Boys, on a standing Contract; Samples of which may be seen at the Shop-Office here, where they are also to be delivered.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

Navy-Office, October 31, 1798.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 6th of next Month, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat for the Freight of about 400 Tons of Naval Stores to Jamaica, including 76 Chaldrons of Coals.

A Ship with a Raft-Part, capable of taking Masts of 22 Inches, will be preferred. To sail with Convoy.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

London, November 2, 1798.

Office for the Duty on Post Horses, No. 16, Hyde-Street, Bloomsbury.

PURSUANT to an Act passed in the Twenty-seventh Year of His present Majesty King George the Third, and by Order of the Commissioners for managing the Duties on stamped Vellum, Parchment, and Paper, Notice is hereby given, that the Post-Masters, Turn-keepers, and other Persons licensed to let Horses to travel Post, &c. residing in the City of London, and Liberty of Westminster, and within Five Miles of the Head Office for Stamps, or within the Bills of Mortality, are required to attend on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, or Saturday next, between the Hours of Nine in the Forenoon and Two in the Afternoon, to bring in and deliver at this Office their several Weekly Accounts to Saturday the 3d Day of November instant, inclusive; and at the same Time to pass the said Accounts, and pay the Money due thereon.

John Ramsden and John North, Farmers of the said Duties.

October 29, 1798.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Magnanime and Naiad, that an Account of Sales of the Hull, Stores, and Head-Money of La Decade French Frigate, captured on the 23d August, 1798, will be delivered into the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

Wm. Vermail Johnson, Charles Brewer, Edmund Lockyer, Christopher Cooke, Robert Robinson, J. P. Maxwell, Agents.