

should draw, play, or throw at any such Lottery, or any other Lottery, either by Dice, Lots, Cards, Balls, or any other Numbers or Figures, or any other way whatsoever. And that every Person, that after the said 29th of December should exercise, expose, open or show to be play'd, thrown or drawn at any such Lottery, Play or Device, or other Lottery, should forfeit for every such Offence 500 l. one third thereof to his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, one other third part to the use of the Poor of the Parish, where the Offence should be committed, and the other third part with double Costs to the Party that should inform and sue for the same, and that the Party so offending, should likewise be prosecuted as common Rogues, according to the Statutes in that Case made and provided; and that every Person that after the said 29th of December should play, throw or draw at any such Lottery, Play or Device, or other Lotteries should forfeit for every such Offence 20 l. to be distributed in like manner. And whereas by an Act made in the 9th Year of Her Majesty's Reign, (reciting, That several Persons presumed, contrary to the intent of the said former Act, to set up Lotteries, in imitation of the Lottery directed to be drawn by Virtue of an Act of the 8th Year of Her Majesty's Reign, and other Lotteries prejudicial to the Publick, and tending greatly to defraud Her Majesty's Subjects) It was also Enacted, That every Person who after the 8th Day of March 1710, should set up or should by Writing or Printing, publish the setting up any such unlawful Lottery, with intent to have such Lottery drawn, should Forfeit for every such Offence 100 l. to be recovered with full Costs of Suit, and to be divided as aforesaid: And in the same Act of the 9th Year of Her Majesty's Reign, it was likewise Enacted, That every Person who after the 8th of March 1710, should erect or set up any Office or Place for making Insurances on Marriages, Births, Christnings or Service, or any of them, should Forfeit for every such Offence 500 l. And whereas by an Act made in the present Session of Parliament, it is further Enacted, That every Person who after the 24th of June 1712, shall erect, set up, or keep any Office or Place, for making Insurances on Marriages, Births, Christnings or Service, or any other Office or Place, under the Denomination of Sales of Gloves, of Fans, of Cards, of Numbers, of the Queen's Picture, for the improvement of small Sums of Money, or the like Offices or Places under Pretence of improving small Sums of Money, shall Forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of 500 l. to be recovered with full Costs of Suit, and to be divided as aforesaid. And that every Printer or other Person who after the said 24th of June, shall by Writing or Printing, Publish the setting up or keeping any such Office or Place, under any the Denominations aforesaid, or like Denominations, for the improvement of small Sums of Money, shall for every such Offence Forfeit the Sum of 100 l. to be recovered and distributed in like manner, as by the said several Acts may more largely appear. And whereas Her Majesty is informed, that notwithstanding the Provisions contain'd in the said Laws, several Persons do still pretend to set up unlawful Lotteries and Devices contrary to the said Acts; and other Lotteries to be governed by the Drawing the Publick Lotteries, or one of them, directed to be drawn by the Acts of this present Session of Parliament; These are therefore, in pursuance of Her Majesty's Command, to give Notice of the Penalties, Punishments and Dangers, which the Offenders in such Cases, and all Persons Printing or Publishing Proposals or Advertisements, and all Persons contributing any Money towards any such unlawful Lotteries do incur, that they may avoid the same; and that Her Majesty hath given Command to Her Attorney-General, effectually to prosecute all such, who do or shall persist in the Contempt or Breach of the said Acts, or any of them.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at Merchant-Taylors-Hall in Threadneedle-street, London, on Wednesday the 9th Day of July Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon.

Advertisement.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edward Stacey, of London, Lincn draper, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 3d, 10th and 31st of July Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove Debts, pay Contribution-Money and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Winnington, of the Parish of St. Giles's Cripplegate in the County of Middlesex, Dyers, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 8th, 11th, and 31st Instant, at 4 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove Debts, pay Contribution Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Peter Bouvet, of the Pellmell in the Liberry of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Peruke-maker, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 7th, 14th, and 31st Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Richard Broman, and Henry Randall m, Prisoners in St. Katherine's Goal, in the County of Middlesex, having petitioned one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, and his Warrant Signed thereupon, directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring them to the next General Quarter Sessions held for the said County, at Hick's Hall, on the 14th of July, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately passed, for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and they conforming himself in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take notice thereof.

Per Bil on and Anthony Jackson, Prisoners in Beverly Hall-gate Prison in the East-Riding of the County of York, having petitioned one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Riding, and his Warrant signed thereupon, directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring them to the General Quarter Sessions held by Adjournment at the Guildhall in Beverly, on the 29th of July next, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and they conforming themselves in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take notice thereof.

William Rousby, Michael Bentley, Joseph Abbey, Nathan Hawkins, John Walker, Richard Jefferies, John Clarke, Henry Beecforth, Henry Robinfon and James Shepherd, Prisoners in Oulbridge Goal in the City of York, having petitioned one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said City, and his Warrant Signed thereupon, directed to the Keeper of the said Prison, to bring them to the General Quarter Sessions held at the Guildhall of the said City, on the 18th of July, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately pass'd for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and they conforming themselves in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take notice thereof.

William Tate, Robert Hick, Elizabeth Theakston, Gervas Orway, Henry Meeson, Bryan Smith and Peter Mayson, Prisoners in York Castle, having petition'd one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the North Riding of the County of York, and their Warrant Signed thereupon directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring them to the General Quarter Sessions to be held by Adjournment at Northallerton, on the 23d of July, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately passed, for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and they conforming themselves in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take notice thereof.

John Jey's, William Toob, William Burch, Oliver Tuck, Francis Margerum, Thomas West, Edmund Reeves, William Leech, John Judd, Richard Nevill, John Croome, Christopher Warniteild, Whiam Looker, John Croome, Jo'n Hawkswell, and Edward Woodard, Prisoners in the Goal for the Liberty of the Tower of London, having petition'd one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Liberty, and his Warrant signed thereupon, directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring them to the General Quarter Sessions held for the said Liberty, in the Tower of London, on the 31st of July next, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately passed, for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and they conforming themselves in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take Notice thereof.

Thomas Burnord, Prisoner in the County Goal of Leicester, having petitioned one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, and his Warrant Signed thereupon, directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring him to the General Quarter Sessions held for the said County, on the 15th of July, to be discharged, pursuant to an Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and he conforming himself in all things as the Act directs, his respective Creditors are to take Notice thereof.

Elizabeth Askam and John Nunnes, Prisoners in York Castle, having petitioned one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of York, and his Warrant Signed thereupon, directed to the Goaler of the said Prison, to bring them to the General Quarter Sessions held for the West-Riding of the said County, at Bradford, on the 17th of July next, to be discharged pursuant to an Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and they conforming themselves in all things as the Act directs, their respective Creditors are to take notice thereof.

ERRATA In the Gazette of the 19th of June, in the Advertisement from the Clink Prison, for Turne read Furne.