

**General Post-Office.**

In order to prevent the future Robbing of the Mails for the sake of Bank of England Notes; it is by the Post-Master General, upon due Consideration had with the Governor and Directors of the Bank, thought proper to publish this Advertisement.

To recommend it to all Persons who shall hereafter have occasion to send any Bank Notes in their Letters, to write upon the Back-side of every Note the Name of the Post-Town where they put in their Letters, with the Day of the Month at Length, and not in Figures, when they are put in; and also the Addition of these Words, viz. Per Post to----- naming the Town to which they are sent.

As for Example; If from London to Chester, the Endorsement will be as follows, viz.

London, March the third, 1724. Per Post to Chester;

And from Chester to London,

Chester, March the third, 1724. Per Post to London.

So from Chester to any Town in the Neighbouring Countries, or to any Town in a remote Country, when the Letter is to pass through London; as from Chester to Norwich, the Endorsement will be,

Chester, March the third, 1724. Per Post to Norwich.

So from any Town in England, to North-Britain or Ireland; and in the like manner from any Town in North-Britain, or Ireland, to any Town in England.

It is desired, that the first Endorsement upon any Note, be wrote at the uppermost part of the Note, that there may be sufficient Room for other subsequent Endorsements; for it is meant that the same Note may be sent several Times, as occasion shall require, without any Necessity of being brought to the Bank to be paid off, or exchanged for another Note.

And also what Care be taken that no one Endorsement be ever blotted out or defaced, though out of Date, by a subsequent Endorsement; If this Method be punctually followed by all Persons, it is not doubted but that it will have the desired Effect, and the Correspondence of the Kingdom be secure and undisturbed.

The same Method of Endorsements may be used by all Persons who have occasion to send Bankers, or other Notes in their Letters.

And for a further Cure of this Mischief of Robbing the Mails, repeated and strict Orders will be given to all Deputy Post-Masters in the Country, That upon no Account whatever, they at any time knowingly take in Letters, that have any Money or Things of Value in them, other than Paper.

Lastly, It is desired, that a Memorandum may be kept of every Note that is sent, that immediately upon Advice of a Robbery (which shall constantly be sent by Express throughout the Road where it happens, with a List of the Bags of the several Towns that are taken away) the Persons who have sent any Notes in those Bags may immediately send a Particular of them to the General Post-Office in London, that by Publick Advertisement every Body, even the most unwary Persons, may be warned against the taking of them. And in the meantime, after any Robbery, a List shall be sent to the Bank with the Names of the Towns whose Bags of Letters are stolen, to prevent any possible Payment of the Notes which have been stolen, without a Discovery of the Thieves, or their Accomplices.

March 15, 1724. 5.

Ed. Carteret.

G. Walpole.

Whereas the Term of Partnership of the Company for printing, watering, and damasking Stuffs and other Commodities with hot Rooms is expired and dissolved; The several Proprietors thereof are desired to meet at a General Assembly of the said Company at their Work-House in Swan-Alley, Coleman-Street, on Friday next, being the 2d of April, at Three o-Clock in the Afternoon, to consider of Affairs relating thereto.

**Advertisements.**

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symonds'-ton, Chancery-Lane, London, on Monday the 19th Day of April next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Fee-simple Estate lying in Thrailes-hud, in the Parish of Luton, in the County of Bedford, consisting of a Farm-House and Out-houses, 137 Acres of inclosed Arable, Pasture and Wood Ground, and 32 Acres of Arable Land in the Common Fields, being the Estate of Mr. Thomas Weekes. A Particular whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the several Creditors of William Harrington, late of London, Doctor of Laws, deceased, named in the Schedule to a Decree of Trust bearing Date the 10th Day of April 1673, who remain unpaid, do within six Months after the Date hereof, come before William Kyozton, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn, and prove their Debts, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Whereas John West, late of Spocks-Market, London, Scrivener, and Frances his Wife, both deceased, did in their Life-time make Provision for Payment, after their Decease, certain Annuities for Relief of honest poor blind Persons 5 l. per Annum each for their Lives, and directed that a Preference shall be given to such blind Persons that shall be of Kindred, or Related by Consanguinity to the said John West, or Frances his said Wife; or either of them, either on his, or her Father's or Mother's Side: This is to give Notice, that such Relations, or Kindred as aforesaid, do forthwith apply themselves, and enter their Claims with the Clerk of the Company of Clothiers, at their Hall in Mincing-Lane, London; and if such Persons do not apply as aforesaid, before the 10th of May next, they will be excluded the Benefit thereof, &c.

This is to give Notice to Harry Fugbles, that Thomas John Thomas the Clerk, is dead, and his Estate is fallen to him the said Harry Fugbles, in the Parish of Llanabon in the County of Denbigh in North-Wales, where he is desired forthwith to repair.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Richard Corpey of Grewell, in the County of Southampton, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; he is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 5th, 6th, and 20th of April next, at Ten of the Forenoon, at the Chancery-Lane in Winchester, in the County of Hampshire; at the first of which Meetings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas Jacob Bethell, of Whitechappel, in the County of Middlesex, a Ship-Builer, hath intimated himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 15th of April next, at Nine of the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and dissent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Collier, of Newport-Market in St. Ann's parish within the City of Middlesex, Vidua et, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for the custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Richard Collier hath in all Things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 19th of April next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Miter, of Newbury, in the County of Berks, Vidua et, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for the custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Miter hath in all Things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 19th of April next.