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Whitehall, December 17.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to constitute and appoint Mathew Norris, Esq; to be one of His Majesty's Commissioners in Quality of a Principal Officer of His Majesty's Navy for the Affairs of His Majesty's Yard at Plymouth, in the Room of Sir Nicholas Trevanian, Kt. deceased.

Admiralty Office, December 12, 1737.

Whereas Information has been given, That some Frauds and Abuses have been committed by a Clerk employed in paying the Pensions and Bounty Money to Sea Officers Widows, the Governours of that Charity do hereby give Notice, That a Court of Assistants will meet at the Admiralty Office, on Thursday the 22d Instant, at Ten in the Morning, in order to inquire into the same. And all such Widows as have received short of the Sums ordered to be paid to them, or have sold the same before Payment, are desired to attend, and inform the said Court of what they know of that Matter, in order to the procuring what Satisfaction can be got for them. And those who live at too great a Distance to attend themselves, or for any Body to appear for them, are desired to send me an Account thereof in Writing, in order to its being laid before the said Court.

Tho. Corbett.

The Governours of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, have agreed to augment the Forty Two small Livings following, Fourteen of which were augmented in Conjunction with several charitable Benefactors, and the other Twenty Eight by Lot. The Names of the Livings are as follow, viz. The Vicarage of Hayton, and the Curacy of Holbeck, both in the C. of York, and the Cur. of St. John Lees in the Pecul. Jurisdiction of Hexham, all in the D. of York. The Cur. of Birkic or Birkinhead, in the C. of Chester, and the Cur. of Helington in the C. of Westmorland, both in the D. of Chester. The Cur. of Llanvair in Builth, in the C. of Brecon and D. of St. David's. The Cur. of Allenton

and Hollyston, in the C. of Northumberland and D. of Durham. The Cur. of the Chappel in the Lea, in the C. and D. of Gloucester. The V. of Stow with Knighton Chappel, in the C. of Radnor and D. of Hereford. The Cur. of Mellor in the C. of Derby, and the V. of Greenborough in the C. of Warwick, both in the D. of Lichfield and Coventry. The V. of Whitwick, in the C. of Leicester and D. of Lincoln. The V. of Banbury in the C. and D. of Oxford, and the Cur. of Strode, in the C. of Kent and D. of Rochester.

Augmented by Lot.

The V. of North Muskham in the C. of Nottingham, and the Cur. of Gold Kirby in the C. of York, both in the D. of York. The V. of St. Augustin in the City and D. of Bristol. The V. of Grinsdale in the C. of and the of Raughtonhead in the C. of both in the D. of Carlisle. The Cur's of Forest Chapel, and Thellwall, both in the C. of Chester, the Cur. of Leek, and the of Pennington, both in the C. of Lancaster, and the of West Witton in the C. of York, all in the D. of Chester. The Cur's of Capel-y-fien and Llangunnog, both in the C. of Brecon, the Cur. of Llangining in the C. of Carmarthen, and the Cur. of East Walton in the C. of Pembroke, all in the D. of St. David's. The R. of St. Botolph in Cambridge, in the D. of Ely. The V. of St. Owen's in Gloucester, the Cur's of Compton Abdale and Hales, both in the C. of Gloucester, all in the D. of Gloucester. The Cur. of Llanvair Discoed, in the C. of Monmouth and D. of Landaff. The Cur's of Alsop and Brimington, both in the C. of Derby and D. of Lichfield and Coventry. The V. of Over Winchenden, in the C. of Buckingham. and D. of Lincoln. The R. of St. Peter's Southgate, the of St. George of Colgate, the of St. John Sepulchre, all in the City of Norwich, the V. of Barwick and the R. of Stanninghall, both in the C. of Norfolk, and all in the D. of Norwich. And the R. of St. Fahn's in Southampton in the D. of Winchester. Notice is hereby given, that the Clergy are to pay their Tenths that will become due on Christmas Day next, to Edward Barker, Esq; at his Office in the King's Bench Walks in the Inner Temple, London, where daily Attendance will be given for receiving the same, from the 7th Day of January next, to the last of April following, between the Hours of Nine and One, Holydays excepted.

(Price Two Pence.)

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South Sea House, London, Dec. 16, 1737.

Pursuant to the Resolution of the General Court of the South Sea Company held this Day, to pay off a Part of the said Company's Bond Debt carrying Interest, the Court of Directors of the said Company give Notice, That the several Bonds carrying Interest of the following Numbers, the same having been drawn by Lot, will be paid off on the 25th Day of March next, and that all Interest thereon will from that Day cease and determine, viz.

N ^o .	161 to 170	N ^o .	361 to 3620
	191		3631
	291		3741
A	321		3901
	381		4031
	571		4081
	591		4101
	651		4151
	701		4211
	751		4271
G	1021		4401
	1231		4441
	1261		4811
	1311		4881
	1341		4911
	1671		4941
	1861		5111
	1891		5301
	2041		5331
	2051		5351
	2201		5431
	2231		5481
	2311		5611
	2341		5681
	2391		5941
	2431		6021
	2591		6181
	2671		6521
	2701		6621
	3111		6681
	3211		6721
	3261		6741
	3321		6771
	3391		6811
	3421		6841
	3461		6871
	3531		6901
	3591		3600

Both Numbers Indulgence.

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And the said Court of Directors do hereby give this further Notice, That the Company will be ready at any Time after the First of January next (Holidays excepted) to pay off the Principal, together with the Interest on the said Bonds, up to the 25th of March next, to such Proprietors as shall desire the same.

Excise Office, London, Nov. 9, 1737.

Whereas several Officers belonging to the Revenue of Excise, and other Persons concerned in detesting the Retailers of spiritous Liquors, contrary to the Act of the Ninth of his present Majesty, have been violently assaulted by divers riotous Persons unknown, and grievously beat and abused: In order to discourage such Practices for the future, and to bring the Offenders to Justice, the Commissioners of Excise do hereby give Notice, that if any Person will make Discovery of any of the said Rioters, or of any who shall hereafter be

guilty of the like Offences, and give Information thereof to their Solicitor at the Excise Office, such Person shall immediately upon the Conviction of every such Offender, receive the Reward of Fifty Pounds.

December 6, 1737.

The Principal Officers of his Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 10th of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, they will be ready to sell by Auction, to the best Bidder, at the Office of Ordnance in the Tower, several Parcels of Rope, Parchment and Paper Cartridges, Buff Belts, Drag Ropes, Iron Chains, Musquets, Bayonets, Carbines, Pistols, Swords, a Surgeons Chest with Medicines, and other old and unserviceable Stores, which may be viewed till the Time of Sale at the said Office, where printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such as call for them.

East India House, Dec. 9, 1737.

Whereas an Anonymous threatening Letter, sign'd T. T. directed to Harry Gough, Esq; relating to some Affairs now depending before the Court of Directors of the East India Company, was left on Thursday Evening the 8th Instant, at his House in Winchester Street; the said Court do therefore hereby Promise, that a Reward of One Hundred Pounds shall be Paid by Mr. du Bois, their Treasurer, at their House, to the Person or Persons who shall discover and prove the Author thereof. N. B. If the Messenger who left the said Letter will discover to Mr. du Bois, whom he had it from, he shall receive Ten Guineas Reward.

African House, Dec. 15, 1737.

The Court of Assistants of the Royal African Company of England do hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut from Thursday the 22d Instant December, until Thursday the 26th of January next; in order to the Election of Governour, Sub-Governour, Deputy Governour, and Twenty-four Assistants of the said Company for the Year ensuing.

By Order of the Court of Assistants.
Richard Spence.

Assurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Dec. 9, 1737.

A General Court of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office, will be held at their House in Serjeants Inn, Fleet-street; on Thursday the 22d Day of this Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, when the new proposed By-Laws will be taken into further Consideration.

Robert Michel, Register.

Lead Office, London, Dec. 13, 1737.

The Court of Assistants of the Governour and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit-coal and Sea-coal, do hereby give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Corporation will be shut on Wednesday the 21st Instant, and opened again on Friday the 6th of January next; and that printed Lists of the Proprietors will be ready to be delivered at the Company's House in Ingram Court, Fenchurch-street, on Wednesday the 28th Instant; and that a Court for Electing a Governour, Deputy Governour, and Twelve Assistants for the Year ensuing, will be held in the Company's House on Thursday the 5th of January next, from Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, to One in the Afternoon.

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Advertisements.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, Divers Messuages, Farms, Lands, and Customary Rents, Part of the Estates of the late Duke of Wharton, in the Counties of York and Cumberland. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane.

THE Creditors of James Penne, late of the Parish of St. James Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Brandy Merchant, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet on Thursday the 22d Instant at Hodgkin's Coffee House in Chancery Lane, in order to assent or dissent from the Commencing one, or more Suits in Equity. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate are desired forthwith to pay the same to Mr. Fildes, Attorney, in St. Jean's Inn, Fleet-street, whom the Assignees have appointed to receive the same, or they will be sued without further Notice.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, entitled, An Act for the Amendment of the Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry, all Persons that intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, are thereby required to give publick Notice in the London Gazette: In pursuance whereof, Thomas Fisher, of Allerton Bywater, in the Parish of Kipax, in the County of York, Yeoman, hereby gives Notice, that he the said Thomas Fisher, on Thursday the 1st Day of this Instant December, at or about the Hour of Ten in the Forenoon, travelling from Allerton Bywater aforesaid, to Ferrybridge in the said County, was attacked nigh a Place called the Sheep Walks, in the Township of Pontefract, in the Parish of Pontefract, in the said County, by two Men on Horseback unknown to him the said Thomas Fisher, the one a middle aged Man, who had on a Cap under his Hat, and wore a blue shagged Riding Coat, buckled about him with a Belt, riding on a black Gelding, with his two hind Feet White; the other a Young Man, who wore a dark coloured Riding Coat, and riding on a brown bay Mare; that the former of them held a Pistol to the said Fisher's Breast, and bid him stand whilst he search'd him, or he would shoot him, while the other pulled him from off his Mare, and took from him the Sum of Twenty Three Pounds, Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence in Money.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Joseph Belch, late of London, Druggist, deceased, are, on or before the first Day of Hillary Term next, to come before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their respective Demands, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Charles Packe, late of Prestwold, in the County of Leicester, Esq; deceased, are hereby required, on or before the 12th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, A Leasehold House and Garden walled in, in Church Row in Stoke Newington, in the County of Middlesex, being the Ninth House from the Church, with two Coach Houses and Stabling for four Horses, and a very good Vault and other Cellaring, late belonging to Mr. Thomas Thompson, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kindston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Friday the 13th Day of January next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, Part of the Manor of Southwaxall, in the County of Wilts. about Five Miles from Bath, and two from Bradford: A Farm at Bathford, about Three Miles from Bath, in the County of Somerset, with a good House, Garden, Orchard, and Fishery on the River Avon; a Dwelling House, Dye House, and other Outhouses; six or a-Clothier; and also a Leasehold

Estate at Southwaxall, late the Estate of Daniel Webb, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. John Hayward late of Holbourn Bridge, London, Drillery, deceased are required (by Mrs. Ann Hayward, his Widow and Administratrix, to pay their respective Debts to Mr. Keene, an Attorney, in Bennet-street, St. James's, (whom she hath empowered to receive the same) before the First Day of January next, or they will be prosecuted for the same. And all Persons who have any Claim or Demand on the said Mr. Hayward's Estate, are desired to bring in an Account thereof to the said Mr. Keene, in order to receive Satisfaction for the same.

THE Creditors of James Fisher, late of Spittlefields, Gold and Silver Wire Drawer, deceased, are desired forthwith to bring an Account of their Debts to Mr. Alexander Garrett the Younger, one of his Executors, at his House in Peter Nuffer Row in Spittlefields: And the several Persons indebted to the said James Fisher's Estate, are required forthwith to pay the respective Debts by them due to the said Alexander Garrett, or they will be sued for the same.

THE Creditors of William Horton, late of the Grove, in the Parish of Ellsborough, in the County of Bucks, Esq; are desired to meet on Monday the 9th Day of January next, at the King's Head Tavern in Chancery Lane, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said William Horton's Estate and Effects. Those Creditors that cannot be personally present, are desired to authorize proper Persons to Vote; and in the Interim to send an Account of their Debts to Mr. Quail, Attorney, in Clement's Inn, London.

THE Assignee of the Estate and Effects of John Thomson, late of London, Merchant, desires the Creditors of the said Bankrupt to meet on Thursday the 22d Instant, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, at Cole's Coffee House in Birchin Lane, to assent or dissent to the said Assignee's commencing or carrying on a Suit or Suits in Equity for Recovery of Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and to the said Assignee's submitting to Arbitration several Matters in Dispute, or to the Compounding or otherwise agreeing the same, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Robert Highmore, of Brick Lane, in the Parish of White Chapel, in the County of Middlesex, Pawnbroker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 20th Instant at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 31st Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 28th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the first Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Lucas, No. 14. Paper Buildings in the Temple.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Stimson, late of Shoe Lane, London, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 23d and 30th Instant, and on the 28th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the first Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Gasb, Attorney, in Hare Court in the Temple, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edmond Williams, of the Parish of St. George Hanover Square, in the County of Middlesex, Victualler and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required

quired to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 22d Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 27th Instant, at Nine in the Forenoon, and on the 28th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Eadnell, Attorney, in Southampton Buildings, Chancery-lane, London.

THE Commissioners and Assignees in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Josias Oates, late of Wakefield, in the County of York, Cloth Merchant, intend to meet on the 9th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Robert Nicholson, known by the Sign of the Black Swan in Wakefield aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate, when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all the said Bankrupt's Creditors are then to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commission is a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Cooper, late of the City of Winchester, Mercer, deceased, intend to meet on the 12th of January next, at Two in the Afternoon, at the House of James Lashford, being the Chequer Inn in Winchester, in order to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate, when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Edward Salisbury, of Longacre, in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Coach maker and Coach Harness-maker, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Edward Salisbury hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his said Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 6th of January next.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Price, late of Steward-street in the Old Artillery Ground, in the Liberty of the Tower of London, Weaver, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Richard Price hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his said Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 6th of January next.

THE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The under-mentioned Person being a Prisoner for Debt in Beccles Goal, in and for the County of Suffolk, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of his Majesty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of insolvent Debtors, at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County of Suffolk, or the Adjournment thereof next after thirty days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Balls, late of Middleton with Fordley, in the said county of Suffolk, Starch-maker.

E R R A T A.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in the Goal at Melton, in and for the County of Suffolk, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County of Suffolk, at Woodbridge, on Wednesday the 11th of January next, viz. Daniel Tite, late of Friston, Husbandman. NB. The said Daniel Tite was inserted in the Gazette of December 10, but by Mistake, the Town's Name, was printed Twiston instead of Friston, of which his respective Creditors are desired to take Notice.

In the Gazette of Saturday December 10, in the List of Prisoners from the Castle of Lincoln, read Monday the 9th of January next, instead of Monday the 19 of January next.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find on the Perusal of this Gazette that there is any Error, such Error shall upon Notice be rectified in the next Gazette, Gratis.