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Kensington, October 6.

THE following Address having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, has been presented to his Majesty (in the Absence of his Grace) by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, one of his Majesty's principal Secretaries of State: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens, Grand Jury, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of the City of Waterford.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects do with all Humility beg Leave to approach your Majesty with our sincere Congratulations on the late happy Addition of a Prince to your Royal House.

And as the Increase of your illustrious Issue endow'd with your eminent Virtues, is the most perfect Assurance that we can have of conveying to Posterity those inestimable Blessings which your Majesty's wife and just Administration has secured unto us; We therefore, with the utmost Sense of Duty and Gratitude, join our most earnest Wishes for a long Continuance of your Majesty's Reign, to our Hopes of a numerous and prosperous Issue in every Branch of your Royal Family.

Rome, Sept. 20, N. S. The King of Naples has ordered the Building of a Ship of War of 40 Guns, and 'twas said that four Gallies will also be built for the Squadron of Sicily. The Hereditary Grandees of Spain at Naples, who were not allowed to cover before the King, because they had never been at the Court of Spain, have obtained that Privilege by Leave of his Catholick Majesty, and accordingly they have begun to enjoy it at the Court of Naples; on which Occasion the Duke de Giovenazzo, the Prince di Bassignano, and the Marquess del Vasto, di Caniglia, and di Teraci, kissed the King's

Hand. The Pope, on the Rumour that the Duke of Modena designs to make an Attempt on Ferrara, has ordered thither a Reinforcement of Soldiers. The Grand Duke of Tuscany has asked Leave of the Pope to raise a Contribution on the Ecclesiasticks in his Dominions; to which Request the Pope has not yet consented, 'tis said, on Account of the Dependency of the two Fiefs of Scavolina and Carpegna, which is yet unsettled. Count Rovera is daily expected here as Minister Extraordinary from the King of Sardinia, to confirm the Reconciliation between this Court and that of Turin.

Leghorn, Sept. 24. By Order from the Council of Regency, several Military Officers of this Garrison have been dismiss'd: To some few of them, in Consideration of their Services, a small Pension has been allowed, on Condition that they shall not go out of Tuscany. The Commanders of all the Towers and small Forts along the Sea Coasts are also discharged; instead of whom Sergeants from the neighbouring Garrisons are order'd to take Charge of the said Forts, &c.

Florence, Sept. 29. In Consequence of the Conferences held by M. de Braitewiz at the Council of War, about 80 Tuscan Officers have been dismissed from the respective Fortresses, Garrisons, and Places of Tuscany. On the 19th, M. de Wachtendonck arrived here from Leghorn, in order to forward the military Plan for the new regulating and forming of a Tuscan Regiment, which is to be composed of 17 Companies of 120 Men each, on the German Footing; as well as to consult with the Receiver General of the Grand Duke's Revenues the Manner for supplying regularly the Appointments to the Imperial Troops in Tuscany, to be reimbursed, it is said, to the Grand Duke at Vienna, out of the Emperor's Treasury. On the 20th, M. de Wachtendonck had an Audience of the Electress Dowager Palatine, and on the 25th, attended by two Imperial Officers, whom he brought with him from Leghorn, set out from hence to inspect the Fortresses and Passages on the Mugello and the Bologna Road. On the 15th the Duke of Modena set out from Salsuolo for Massa, by the way of Seravezza.

(Price Two Pence.)

Whitehall,

Whitehall, September 1, 1738.

Whereas divers evil-disposed Persons have, for some time past, made a Practice of filing Guineas, and putting them off at the Bank, and other Places: His Majesty, for the apprehending the Persons concerned in filing Guineas as aforesaid, is pleased to promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parliament, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in the aforesaid Practice. And whereas some of the Persons concerned in filing of Guineas have been supplied with Engines for edging or milling the Guineas after they have been filed as aforesaid, by one or more Persons that have made the same for the Purposes aforesaid; His Majesty, for the apprehending any Person or Persons concerned in the making or mending any Engine or Instrument made for the edging or milling any of the Gold Coin of this Kingdom, doth promise the like Reward, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in making or mending any Instrument made for the Purposes aforesaid. And whereas John Carter, Francis Kelham, David Roberts, and Joseph Benson, against whom Informations have been taken upon Oath, have, since the Discovery of these Facts, left their Habitations, and absconded: His Majesty is pleased to promise the like Reward for the apprehending each of them, upon their or either of their being convicted; and, as a further Encouragement, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any Person who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Facts.

HARRINGTON.

John Carter is a tall thin Man, of a pale Complexion, and is lame of one Foot which turns inwards; he is a Watch-Graver by Trade, formerly kept an Ale-house in West-Smithfield, but lodged last at the Duke's Head in St. John's Square.

Francis Kelham, a little Man with a red Complexion, who lately kept the Rose and Crown Ale-house in Bartholomew Close, till he absconded. They have both been frequently seen at Horse Races, Gaming-Tables, Hazard, Cockfighting Matches.

David Roberts, by Trade a Carpenter, about 5 Foot 2 or 3 Inches high, of a fairish fresh Complexion, about 25 Years of Age, who kept the Coach and Horses Inn in the City of Coventry about two Years ago, since lodged in Cold Bath Fields, London, afterwards at one Williams, a Chandler on Saffron Hill, afterwards moved and kept a House in the Market-place, Hoxton, from thence moved to the Broad Sanctuary, Westminster, from thence to the Mulberry Garden in St. George's Fields, South wark, from thence to Wood's Close near Clerkenwell; his last Habitation was near the Three Hats, Islington.

Joseph Benson, about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, between 60 and 70 Years old, stoops a little, wears a Wig, and his Hair pretty long under it, and is a thin spare Man, born near Naresborough in Yorkshire, by Trade a Gunsmith, noted for making Cross Bows, formerly lived in Dublin; his last Place of Habitation was at Cats-Hole in St. Catherine's, near the Tower. N. B. Joseph Benson is the Maker of the Engine lately found in the New River, and has made several Engines for milling the Guineas, and is reckoned by the Gunsmiths an ingenious Man at his Business. Whoever apprehends either of the said Persons, or any other Person concerned in these Practices, may apply themselves to Mr. Abiam, in Surry-street in the Strand, or to Mr. North, near Fishmongers-Hall, in Thames street.

General Post Office, London, August 27, 1738.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the North Mail from London, was set upon and robbed by a single Person on

Foot, this Morning between the Hours of Two and Three, on this Side Kingland, near London: The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publicly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Person who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall make a Discovery of the Person who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be entitled to the said Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Post Master General,

John Jesse, Clerk.

The Person who committed this Robbery, is described to be a middle-sized Man, had on a light-colour'd close bodied Coat, with close Sleeves, and a full Bob Wig pretty light, with a Paper Mask over his Face. He carried off the five following Bags, viz. Hartford, Peterborough, Horncastle, Louth, and Boston; and likewise took the greatest Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware, St. Ives, and Roylton Bags.

Note, There were two Men at a small Distance from him, suppos'd to be his Accomplices.

General Post-Office, London, Sept. 13, 1738.

Whereas the Post-Boy, carrying the Bristol Mail from London, was set upon and robbed by three Men on Horseback, and one on Foot, about three of the Clock this Morning, between Knightsbridge and Kensington, who carried off the Bristol, Bath, Hereford, Leominster, and Prestign Bags.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publicly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Persons who committed this Robbery, or any of them, will, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery shall make a Discovery of the Persons (or any of them) who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be entitled to the said Reward of two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Postmaster General

John Jesse, Clerk.

Whitehall, October 6, 1738.

Whereas a Letter sign'd R. W. was found at the Door of Robert Harvey, Esq. Mayor of the City of Norwich, on the 28th of September last in the Evening, threatening to burn his House, and if that failed to shoot him, and two other Persons, unless he comply'd with certain Conditions therein mentioned: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person concerned in writing and sending the said Letter, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them that shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they or any of them may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a further Encouragement to such Discovery, the Court of Mayoralty of the said City of Norwich do hereby promise One Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons making the same as aforesaid; to be paid by the Chamberlain of the said City, upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Neh. Lodge, Town Clerk.

Pay Office, Sept. 21, 1738.

These are to give Notice, That the Widows of the Commission and Warrants Officers of the Royal Navy, will

will be paid their Pensions and Bounty due to the 31st of August 1738, at the Pay Office in Broadstreet, viz. The Captains, Lieutenants, and Masters Widows on Tuesday the 10th of October, the Boatswains and Gunners Widows on Wednesday the 11th, and the Widows of the Carpenters, Purfers, Surgeons, and the rest, on Thursday the 12th, between the Hours of Ten and Two, and every Tuesday afterwards between the same Hours; and all the Widows who inhabit in London, or the Parts adjacent, are to take Notice, that the Pension or Bounty will not be paid, unless they come themselves in Person to receive it, or that their Attorney does bring a Certificate from the Minister or Church-Wardens of the Parish they belong to, shewing the Cause of their Inability.

Advertisements.

TO be sold by Auction, at Dick's Coffee-house in Dublin, the 15th of November next, either in Whole or in Parcel, Sundry Estates of Isaac McCartney, Esq; late of Belfast, situated in the Counties of Downe and Armagh, in the Kingdom of Ireland. The Particulars whereof, together with the Title-deeds, to be seen in the Hands of Mr. Robert Donaldson, Attorney in Dublin. Printed Rolls of these Estates are lodged with Mess. Knox and Craghead, at their House in Crosby-square, Bishopgate-street, London.

IF Thomas Walker, formerly of the Parish of Ecclesfield, in the County of Stafford, Labourer, or any of his Children, be living, and will apply to Mr. Charles Stracey, Attorney at Law in Basinghall-street, London, on or before the 25th of December next, he or they may be inform'd of somewhat to their Advantage.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Leafho'd Estate of William Heysham, late of Greenwich, in the County of Kent, Esq; deceased, being a Messuage or Tenement in Bloomsbury-square, lately in the Possession of the Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice Eyre, and the Reversion of Ten Thousand Pounds Bank Stock, from and after the Decease of the Widow and Relict of the said William Heysham. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Symon's Inn in Chancery-lane, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Heysham, late of Greenwich, in the County of Kent, Esq; are to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symon's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold by the Auctioneers of Lewis Abernethy, a Bankrupt, being Part of his Estate three Leafho'd Houses, two of which are situate in Thrift-street, near Soho-square, and the other in King-street, S. Ann's. They are all in good Repair, and two of them Tenanted. Particulars may be had of Mr. Bond, at his House in Tuke's Court near Castle-yard, Holbourn, and of Mr. Gordon, in Garden Court in the Middle Temple.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hudson, of Hilden, in the County of York, Mercer, Draper, and Grocer, intend to meet on the 1st of November next, at Two in the Afternoon, at the House of John Wray, being the Cross Keys and King's Head Inn in the Town of Kingston upon Hull, to make a further and last 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Shearer, of Highworth, in the County of Wilts, Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further and final 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Peter Crouch, late of Cheap-side, London; China Man, intend to meet on the 31st Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and not on the 11th, 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Gammage, of Little Hallingbury, in the County of Essex, Tobaccoist, Malster, and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Gammage 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 30th of October Instant.

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.

William Small, late of the parish of St. Dunstan's Stepney, in the County of Middlesex, Mariner, a Fugitive for Debt, and now a Prisoner for Debt in Newgate, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Guildhall, in and for the said City of London, or the Adjournment thereof, next after 30 Days from the Publication hereof. NB. The said William Small being arrested at the Suit of John Oliver, as he was going to surrender himself to the Fleet Prison, pursuant to the said Act, gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the said Act as aforesaid.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on the 1st of January 1736, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Goal of Haverford West, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said Town of Haverford West, or at the Adjournment thereof, viz. John Tasker, late of the Town of Haverford West, in the county of Pembroke, in South Wales, Mariner.

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.