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O *Belgrade, October 29.* N the 26th Instant, the Imperial Troops which had till then encamped at Panchova, put themselves on the March towards the Tibiscus; and when they have passed that River, they are to separate and go into the Winter Quarters assigned them. Two thousand Men are to reinforce the Garrison of Temeswaer, and 22 Battallions will remain here. The cold Weather has abated the Violence of the Pestilential Distempers in these Parts.

Warsaw, Nov, 5, N. S. We are assured by Advices from the Porte, and by a Turk that is newly arrived here, that the Grand Signior has proposed to the Czarina a Ceflation of Arms, and to enter into Treaty with her, upon the Condition previously of restoring Oczakow, which some Reports say the Ruffians have of themselves already resolved to abandon, because of the great Difficulty of supplying that Place with a sufficient Garrison and Provisions; for it is said to require 10000 Men, and that at present it is infected with a pestilential Distemper; so that those who are best acquainted with the State of Ruffia, reckon this first Preliminary will be readily granted, foreseeing how excessively it would drain the Country to recruit Count Munich's Army, which from 64000 Men of regular Troops, is reduced to about half that Number, and those wanting all Sorts of Ammunition; at the same time it is said Felt Marfhal Lacy's Army is in a much better Condition. The Great General of the Crown has received a Letter from the Son of the Kan of the Tartars, advertising him that he was inform'd the Ruffians are to winter in Poland, and should that be the Case, he should be obliged to pursue them. This Letter was writ before the Ruffians had left the Polish Territories, so is judged to be now of no Consequence.

Whitehall, November 14, 1738.

Whereas His Grace the Duke of Newcastle, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, received by the Post, on the 13th Instant, a Letter, without any Date, signed A. T. If the Person who wrote the said Letter, will come to the Secretary's Office at Whitehall, and make out what is contained therein, he shall receive all fitting Encouragement.

Whitehall, November 10, 1738.

Whereas Information has been given upon Oath, That Anthony Silk, of Peckham, in the Parish of Cam-

berwell, in the County of Surry, was on the Second of this Instant November, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Evening, violently assaulted in a Field, commonly called the North Field, in the Parish aforesaid, and wounded in a barbarous Manner, by two Persons unknown (one of them a tall Man, the other low of Stature, a third standing at a small Distance, supposed to belong to them) and robbed of Three Shillings in Silver, some Halfpence, and his Coat, Hat and Wig, &c. and left for dead: For the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Crimes, His Majesty is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Whitehall, November 3^d 1738.

Whereas two Letters, dated the 14th of August, and 16th of October last past, have been received by Mr. Caesar Chandler, at Downhampton in Gloucestershire, threatening his Life, and the burning down his Farm House, if he did not lay One Hundred Pounds at certain Places, and at the Times therein mentioned, His Majesty, for the discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so heinous a Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one concerned in writing and sending the said threatening Letters, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they, or any one of them, be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HARRINGTON.

And as a farther Encouragement to such Discovery, Sir John Hynde Cotton, Baronet, and Robert Nugent, Esq; living in Dover Street, Westminster, do hereby promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons making the said Discovery, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Ro. Nugent,

for self and Sir John Hynde Cotton.

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 Kingstand, near London: The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publickly 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. B) Order of the Post Master General,

John Jesse, Clerk.

The Person who committed this Robbery, is described to be a middle-siz'd 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, Peter-

borough,

borough, Horncastle, Louth, and Boston; and likewise took the greatest Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware, St. Ives, and Royston Bags.

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

General Post-Office, Nov. 1, 1738.

Whereas a Bank Bill, D. No. 3848, dated the 12th of September, 1738, for the Sum of 23 l. 10 s. 2 d. payable to Anna Stalker, or Order, three Days after Sight, was stolen out of the Bristol Mail upon the 13th of September last, and was brought to the Warehouse of Mess. Bigot and Godin, on Monday the 30th of last Month, by one who pretended his Name was George Willis, and bought of the said Bigot and Godin, by their Servant David Delawau, Nineteen Yards of white Paduasoy, at the Price of 9 s. 6 d. per Yard, which came to 9 l. 11 s. 6 d. which he paid to the said Delawau by delivering to him the Bank Bill aforesaid, receiving the Overplus of 23 l. 10 s. 2 d. after the Deduction of the 9 l. 11 s. 6 d. The said George Willis is described to be a Man between the Age of 20 and 30, of a middle Size, and had on a Drab-colour Coat and a Bob Wig, and said he lived at a Merchant's near Tower Hill, that dealt in Spicery, which, upon Enquiry, appears to be false.

The Post-Master-General therefore thinks it proper, upon this Occasion, to publish this Advertisement concerning the said George Willis, describ'd as above, looking upon him as a Person who either robb'd the Bristol Mail himself, or was concern'd as an Accomplice in the Robbery; and that what has been already publish'd may be again made known, that upon the Conviction of the Principal or Principals in the Robbery, such Principal or Principals being convicted thereof, the Person who shall make the Discovery of him or them, will be entitled to the Reward of 200 l. for each of them, who shall be so convicted as Principals or Accessories, besides the Rewards provided by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen. And any Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Robbery, who shall make a Discovery as aforesaid of the Person or Persons who have committed the said Robbery, will be entitled to the Rewards aforesaid, and further, have the Benefit of his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Post-Master-General,
J. D. Barbutt, Sec.

Pay-Office, Horse-Guards, Oct. 30, 1738.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having directed Six Months Half Pay to the Reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines to the 24th of June, 1738: These are to give Notice, that upon Wednesday the 15th Instant, Attendance will be given at the above-said Office for the Payment of the same accordingly.

H. Pelham.

Advertisements.

Whereas the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, has on the Third Day of this Instant November, enlarged the Time for Francis Briffart, of London, Merchant, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded and issued forth for his surrendering himself and disclosing and discovering his Estate and Effects to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, for finishing his Examination, for Forty and Nine Days, to be computed from the Eleventh Day of November Instant. This is to give the said Francis Briffart Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission of Bankrupt named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the Thirtieth Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself and make a full Disclosure and Discovery of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination accordingly.

Lord Chancellor. Saturday the 4th Day of November, in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, 1738, between Susannah Merrill, Plaintiff, Jonathan Jennings, James Jacobson, Thomas Cole, William Coffee, otherwise Brown, otherwise White, Defendants.

UPON Motion this Day made unto this Court by Mr. Capper, being of the Plaintiff's Counsel, It was alleged, that the Plaintiff the 26th of October last, filed her Bill in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Six Clerks Certificate appears, and took out Process of Subpoena, returnable the 31st of October last, requiring the Defendant Coffee, otherwise Brown, otherwise White, to appear and answer the same, but the said Defendant hath not so done: That diligent Search and Enquiry hath been made after the said Defendant, in order to have served him with the said Subpoena, but he is not to be found so as to be served therewith, but absconds to avoid being served therewith, as by Affidavit also appears; and therefore it was prayed that the said Defendant Coffee, otherwise Brown, otherwise White, may appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the First Day of the next Term, which is ordered accordingly.

Entered J. S.

Whereas George Forbes, of the City of Dublin, Alderman, departed this Life in November 1736, and left all his Estate to his Son John Forbes, Esq; and failing Issue of him, to his Nephew the Revd. Mr. John Forbes, who left Ireland about Six Years ago, and since was presented to a Living in the Jerseys in New England. This therefore is to acquaint the said Revd. Mr. John Forbes, that John Forbes, Esq; died in April 1737, without Issue, that therefore he is the present Heir to the said Alderman George Forbes, and is requested by all his Friends to return to his Native Country, and take Possession of the said Estate.

To be Sold, together or in Parcels, before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, Several Leasehold Houses situate in the Old Artillery Ground, Spittlefields, Brooks Market in the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, and in Monmouth-street, in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields, in the said County of Middlesex; and also two Messuages or Buildings situate in Spittlefields aforesaid, the one used for an Anabaptist Meeting House, and the other for a French Chapel, late the Estate of John Preston, Gent. deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House in Chancery Lane.

THERE will be peremptorily sold, on Tuesday the 5th of December next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, A very good modern built Brick House, situate on Croomes-hill in Greenwich, in the County of Kent, with Coach-houses, Stables, and other Out-housing, a Garden and Terras Walk affording a fine Prospect down the River Thames. Particulars may be had at the said Master's aforesaid Chamber.

THE Creditors of John Lea, of Friday-street, London, Grocer, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Monday the 20th Day of November Instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Pennsylvania Coffee-house in Birch-lane, to assent or dissent to the Assignee's commencing a Suit or Suits in Law or Equity, for Recovery of Part of the Bankrupt's Estate, or to the submitting to Arbitration, or compounding or otherwise agreeing several Matters in Dispute relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate, and on other special Affairs.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Isaac Helbut, of Magpie Alley, Fenchurch-street, London, Merchant, having met, pursuant to an Order made by the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for the Choice of a new Assignee or Assignees, in the Room of Mr. John Metcalf, of Threadneedle street, London, Gentleman, and Mr. John Cartwright, of the Parish of St. James's, in the Liberty of Westminster, Gentleman, discharged by the said Order from being Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate; This is to give Notice, that the Creditors have chosen James Mendes, of London, Merchant, and John Harwood, of Grocers Alley in the Poultry, London, Gentleman, Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate in their Room. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects in their Hands, are forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said new Assignees, or one of them, or they will be sued for the same. And no Person or Persons are to pay any Debt or Debts to the said Assignees removed as aforesaid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued against Thomas Charwood, late of the Old Jewry, London, Victualler, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners

in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 21st and 29th Instant, and on the 26th of December 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 assist 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. Thomas Stagg, Attorney at Law, in Red-cross-street, without Cripplegate, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Asher Levy, late of Throgmorton street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 5th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jerrard Halfall, late of Liverpoole, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Linnendraper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon at Guildhall, London, 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 John Davis, of Barns, in the County of Surry, Maltster, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Davis 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 4th of December 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 following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on the 1st of January 1736, and going to surrender himself to the Keeper of the Sheriff's Prison for the County of Devon, was arrested for Debt, and carried to the said Sheriff's Prison, where he now remains a Prisoner; 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 County of Devon, or at the Adjournment thereof, that shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Richard Dunning, late of the Parish of Winckley in the county of Devon, Gentleman.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in the castle of York, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the West Riding of the county of York, or the Adjournment thereof to the Castle of York, next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Miles Champney, late of Clayton at Clay and of the said Town Parish with Frickaley, in the county of York, Gentleman.

The under-mentioned Person being a Prisoner in Aylesbury Goal in and for the county of Bucks, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the county of Bucks, or at the Adjournment thereof, that shall happen next after thirty days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Smith, late of Fawley in the county of Buckingham, Husbandman.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on the 1st of January 1736, and having surrendered himself to the Goaler or Keeper of the Prison of and belonging to the Palace or Liberty of the Right Reverend Father in God Joseph Lord Bishop of Rochester, at Rochester in the county of Kent, gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Kent, or the Adjournment thereof, which shall next happen after 30 Days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Thorne, late of Rochester, in the County of Kent, Mariner and Shipwright.

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.