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Petersbourg, November 4.

WE have Advice, that Lieutenant General Botta, who was sent hither last Winter by the Court of Vienna, is ordered to return to this Place very soon; as yet it is not known if he is to succeed Count Ostein as the Emperor's Minister in Case he is recalled, or is only to come to concert Measures for the next Campaign.

Rome, Nov. 8, N. S. On the 3d Instant their Neapolitan Majesties, attended by the Prince Electoral of Saxony, returned to Naples from Portici a Country Seat; where on the 1st Instant his Majesty performed the Ceremony of investing the said Electoral Prince with the Habit of St. Gennaro. The King has declared the Duke di Castropignano Captain-General of his Forces, with an Appointment of 12,000 Ducats a Year. On the 2d the Troops at Naples passed in a general Review, in order to exclude those Men that were not of the Measure lately given by the King to M. Mahony the Inspector-General; as also in order to see what Recruits were wanting to compleat the Regiments. The King of Naples, it is said, designs to take 5000 Swifs into his Service, and has order'd the Building of another Ship of War of 50 Guns. On the 4th the Marquis Malespina, Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Naples to the Court of Dresden, arrived here from Naples on his Return to Poland.

Berlin, Nov. 29, N. S. We have Accounts here, that the Muscovites have abandon'd Oczakow and Kinburn, after having razed the Fortifications of those Fortresses. M. Brackel, the Muscovite Minister here, says, this Resolution has been taken that they may carry on the War with the greater Vigour the next Campaign.

Whitehall, November 25, 1738.

Whereas some Time ago a Letter was dropt in a Close net at the Dwelling-house of Thomas Medlycott, Esq; at Cottingham in Northamptonshire, directed to the said Mr. Medlycott, threatening his Life if he did not forthwith release Elizabeth Boamsford, whom he had committed to ~~Orandle~~ Prison: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so

beinous a Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one concerned in Writing and sending the said threatening Letter, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they or any of them, be apprehended and convicted thereof **HARRINGTON.**

And as a farther Encouragement to such Discovery, Francis Sorell, Esq; at the Office for Taxes in the Exchequer, Westminster, doth hereby promise a Reward of Thirty Guineas to any Person or Persons making the said Discovery, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders. **Fra. Sorell.**

Whitehall, November 20, 1738.

Whereas Information has been given upon Oath, That Anthony Silk, of Reckham, in the Parish of Southberwell, 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.

N. B. And as a farther Encouragement to such Discovery, if any Person who has been an Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall, within Three Months from the Day the said Robbery was committed, discover and apprehend any Offender who hath committed the said Robbery, so as such Offender be convicted of the said Offence, such Accomplice will be intitled to have and receive for every such Offender so apprehended and convicted as aforesaid, the Sum of One Hundred Pounds Sterling, mentioned in His Majesty's Royal Proclamation, over and above all other Rewards to which such Accomplice may by any Act of Parliament be intitled: The said Robbery having been committed within Five Miles from the City of London.

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 intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen:

Or

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. Hatford, Peterborough, Horncastle, Louth, and Bolton; 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 Delavau, Nineteen Yards of white Paduajoy, 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 Delavau 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 Stize, 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.

East India House, Nov. 22, 1738.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut upon Tuesday the 19th of December next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon; That a Quarterly General Court will be holden at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 20th of the same Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon: That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Tuesday the 16th of January next, and that the Dividend Warrants due at Christmas, will be ready to be delivered out on Friday the 16th of said January.

Advertisements.

Michaelmas Term, Twelfth Year of King George the Second, Tuesday the 21st Day of November, 1738, between Edward Rose, and others, Plaintiffs, and Dorothy Milner, and another, Defendants.

By Bill of Revivor.

UPON the Motion of Mr. Foley, of Council for the said Plaintiffs, and reading the Affidavit of Edward Loggin Bird, It is ordered by the Court, That the said Defendant Dorothy Milner do appear to the said Bill on or before the First Day of next Term. By Order of the Deputy Remembrancer.

Whereas it was advertised in this Paper of the 28th of October last, that John Doullman, late of Ratcliff, Mariner, and Richard Peacock, of the same Place, Mariner, did intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors. This is to give Notice, that the said John Doullman and Richard Peacock, are not obliged, neither will they take the Benefit of the said Act, they having satisfied and discharged all Claims and Demands that were made against them.

John Doullman.
Richard Peacock

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to all such Creditors of Francis Mose, late of Pulborough, in the County of Sussex, Clerk, deceased, as have not already proved their Debts, that they are to come in and prove the same before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, by the 22d Day of December now next ensuing, or they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Jacob Conington, late of Benington, in the County of Lincoln, Gent. deceased, who have not already proved their Debts, are peremptorily to come and prove their respective Debts before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 10th Day of January next, or they will be absolutely precluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to the Decree and a subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Cusande, late of Chawton, in the County of Bedford, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily to prove their Debts before Edmund Sawyer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 23d Day of January next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

There will be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Tuesday the 19th of December next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, The Freehold and Copyhold Estates of John Birch, late of Chartridge in the County of Bucks, Yeoman, deceased, situate in Chartridge aforesaid, and being of the yearly Value of 80 l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's aforesaid Chamber.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Orders of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, on Tuesday the 12th Day of December next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, A good Mansion House, consisting of six Rooms on a Floor, with Gardens and Outhouses, together with Twelve Acres of Land thereto adjoining, situate, lying and being in Melton Mowbray, in the County of Leicester; also a Close of Land containing 11 Acres, in the Lordship of Buntingby, within one Mile of Melton aforesaid; and also an Open-Field Farm of 60 l. per Annum, lying at Watford, in the County of Northampton, late the Estates of Elizabeth De la Fontain, and Anne Nedham, both deceased, being together of the yearly Value of 99 l. 10 s. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

THE Creditors of Patrick Segrave, late of Islington, in the County of Middlesex, Broker and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, at the Fleece Tavern in Cornhill, London, on Friday the 1st Day of December next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to consider of a Proposal for ending a Suit in Chancery now depending, touching the said Bankrupt's Estate.

THE Creditors of John Whetten, late of Denmark-street, St. Giles's, in the County of Middlesex, Bicklayer, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees next Thursday, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, at Hodgson's Coffee House in Chancery Lane, touching the compounding of several Suits and Disputes relating to the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and for bringing one or more Suits in Equity, and on other special Affairs.

Whereas

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued against William Foxall, late of Deptford, in the County of Kent, Brewer; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 12th of December next, and on the 9th of January following, at Three of the Clock 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. Oigood, Attorney, in Clements Inn, No 6.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued against Thomas Bilton, of the City of York, Grocer and Chapman; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 11th of December next, and on the 9th of January following, 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. Sheffield, Attorney, in Ironmonger-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued against Richard Lawes, of the Parish of St. Martin's in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Sadler; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 15th of December next, and on the 9th of January following, at Three of the Clock 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. John Cowper, against the Watch house in High Holbourn, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Taylor, of Bishopsgate-street, London, H fier, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them on the 4th and 9th of December next, and on 9th o

January following, at Three of the Clock 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 Examinations; and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or have any of his Effects, are to give Notice to Mr. Cornelius Dutch, Attorney, at Apothecary's Hall, Black-Fryars, London

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Worger, of Ashford, in the County of Kent, Draper, intend to meet on the 19th of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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 Anthony Tracy, late of Butcher Row, in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, intend to meet on the 19th of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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 prove the same or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Benjamin Gibbons, of the Strand, in the County of Middlesex, Haberdasher of Small Wares, intend to meet on the 22d 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 renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Bedell, late of London, Citizen and Haberdasher, intend to meet on the 21st of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to settle the Assignees Account, and 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 William Granger, of the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Peruke-Maker, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Granger, 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 18th of December next.