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Jamaica, May 9.

ON the 2d Instant Vice Admiral Vernon came into Port Royal Harbour with all his Squadron, except the Falmouth, which was gone to convoy a Vessel through the Windward Passage.

Copenhagen, July 9. Their Danish Majesties are expected at Fridericksberg on Monday or Tuesday next.

Dresden, July 13. The Duke of Brunwick Wolfenbittel sent an Officer hither last Week, to desire that the Auxiliary Troops, which that Prince had supplied the Emperor with during the late War in Hungary, might return through this Country, which was granted; its assured that they are free from any contagious Distemper, so that it is hoped the Cautions which this Government has hitherto taken against the Infection, will not be frustrated by this Permission.

Vienna, July 16. Ali Basha, the Commander at Belgrade, has acquainted General Schmettau, that the Grand Vizier is deposed, and the Caimacam, who is represented in general as very favourable to the Christians, is put into his Place.

Hanover, July 27, N. S. On Saturday Morning last his Majesty, attended by Prince William of Hesse and the whole Court, went to a Plain near Herenhausen, where the three Troops of Horse Guards passed in Review before his Majesty: They perform'd the Exercise both on Horseback and on Foot, and went through their several Firings: His Majesty was well pleased with their Performance.

Whitehall, July 21.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Mr. Robert Downes the Place and Dignity of Dean of the Cathedral Church of Derry, in the Kingdom of Ireland, vacant by the Promotion of Doctor George Stone, late Dean thereof, to the Bishoprick of Leighlin and Fernes.

Whitehall, July 18, 1740.

Whereas on Thursday the Nineteenth Day of June last, in the Night Time, One Hundred and Eleven large Fruit-Trees, of above Thirty Years Growth, then standing and growing upon the Lands and Estate of Francis Taylor, Esq; at South Littleton, in the County of Worcester, were, by Persons unknown, maliciously cut and barked round, with Intent to kill and destroy the same; and the said Trees are thereby utterly destroyed: In order to the discovering and bringing to Punishment the Persons concerned in the Crime aforesaid, their Excellencies the Lords Justices are pleased to promise his Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any Person concerned therein, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he, she or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Andrew Stone.

And as a further Encouragement to such Discovery, the said Francis Taylor, Esq; doth hereby promise to any Person or Persons making the same, the Sum of Fifty Guineas, to be paid upon the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders.

For Francis Taylor, Esq;
Sam. Crisp.

Garraway's Coffee-house, Exchange Alley.

Victualling Office, July 18, 1740.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Friday the 26th of September next, in the Forenoon, they shall be ready to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are inclinable, to furnish Oxen and Hogs, at the Ports of London, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Dover, for the Service of his Majesty's Navy.

Victualling Office, July 18, 1740.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 27th of August next, in the Forenoon, they will be ready to receive Proposals in Writing, sealed up, at their Office on Tower Hill, from all such Persons as are willing to serve his Majesty's Navy with British Butter, Suffolk and Cheshire Cheese, for the Year ensuing ending at Michaelmas 1741.

Custom-House, London, July 19, 1740.

Whereas on the 19th of May, 1740, a Commission passed the Great Seal of the High Court of Admiralty, in pursuance of his Majesty's Sign Manual, dated the 12th of the same Month, appointing Commissioners for disposing of the Ships St. Joseph and St. Jago Prizes, and their Cargoes; This is to give Notice, That on Thursday the 24th Instant, will be put up to Sale publicly by Auction, to the highest Bidder, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, London, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, by the Commissioners therein named, Fifty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Eight Ounces of Silver in Pieces of Eight, Two Hundred Seventy Two Ounces of Silver of white wrought Plate, and Five Hundred Forty Four Ounces one Penny Weight of Gold in Pistoles, taken in the St. Joseph Prize, and lodg'd in the Bank of England.

General Post-Office, April 2, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Bristol Mail from London to Hounslow, was attacked and set upon between Three and Four a Clock this Morning, a little beyond Knightsbridge, by a single Person on Foot, of a dark Complexion, and a middle Stature, having on a light-colour'd Horseman's Coat with the Cape button'd up, who led him into an adjacent Field, and there took from him the Bath and Bristol Bags, put them into a Green Bag, and rode off with them towards London on the Horse that carried the said Mail.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make a Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.
J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.

General Post-Office, London, June 16, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the North Mail from *Reysson to Ware*, was attacked in the Highway, between One and Two of the Clock last Friday Morning, the 13th Instant, on the North Side of Hamill's Park, belonging to Ralph Freeman, Esq; about three Miles beyond Ware, by a single Highwayman, who was a short thick Man in his own Hair, with a brown great Coat, riding a black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, having two white Heels behind, who took from him the Peterborough Mail, which contained the following Bags, viz. Peterborough, Boston, Louth, Horncastle, and Spalding.

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By Command of the Postmaster General.
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Assurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Fleet-street,
July 21, 1740.

A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a perpetual Assurance Office, will be held at their House in Serjeants Inn in Fleet-street, on Tuesday the 29th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, for electing Auditors for the Year ensuing, and other Affairs.
Robert Michel, Register.

Advertisements.

LINCOLN RACES.

HIS Majesty's Plate of One Hundred Guineas will be run for on Tuesday the 2d of September next, on the Round Course on the South Side of Lincoln, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than six Years old last Grass, carry rg 12 Stone, three Heats To be shewn and enter'd at the Nag's Head at Waddington on Saturday the 30th of August in the Evening before they run; and if any Difference shall arise either in Betting or Running, the same shall be determin'd by his Grace the Duke of Ancaster, or whom he shall appoint, according to such his Majesty's Orders as shall be then and there produced. On Wednesday the 3d, will be run for on the same Course, the City's Plate, a Purse of Fifty Pounds, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, carrying 13 Stone, three Heats, to pay three Guineas Entrance, Stakes to go to the second best Horse. The Horses &c. for this Plate to be shewn and enter'd at Mr. Bateman's, at the Red Lyon below the Hill in Lincoln on Saturday the 30th of August, betwixt the Hours of Six and Twelve in the Forenoon. On Thursday the 4th will be run for on the same Course, a Purse of Ninety Pounds, called the Lady's Plate, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that was not above six Years old last Grass, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeder, to carry Eleven Stone, three Heats. Subscribers to pay One Guinea Entrance, and Non Subscribers six Guineas, Stakes to go to the second best Horse. No Horse, &c. that ever won a King's Plate any where to be permitted to run for this Plate, nor any Horse &c. to be enter'd that is not bona fide the Person's own. Every Horse, &c. without shewing, may be enter'd any time before Six a Clock at the Starting Post the Night before Running by the Clerk of the Race, with whom the Certificates are to be left. NB. There will be a Match run for Fifty Pounds a Side on the same Course on Monday the 1st of September.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against William Goodchild, of London, Lighterman and Coal Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Tuesday the 29th of this Instant July, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Swan Tavern upon Fish-street Hill, London, in order to consider of certain Proposals made from some Debtors to the said Bankrupt's Estate, touching the compounding such Debts, together with other Matters relating to the Estate of the said Bankrupt.

THE Creditors of John Nowell Rogers, late of Duke-street by Grosvenor Square, in the County of Middlesex, Dealer in Meal and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet next Saturday, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, at the Baptist Head Tavern the Corner of Alderman-bury, to consent to or dissent from the bringing one or more Suits in Equity for the Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Effects.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, together or separate, Part of the Estate of William Coult-hurst, Gentleman, situate in the Parishes of Gargrave and Arncliffe and Township of East Marton in the County of York. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Samuel Lockwood, of Ipswich in the County of Suffolk, Joyner and Chapman, did meet (pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette) on the 17th Instant, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; This is to give Notice, that the said Sitting is adjourned to the 14th Day of August next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; 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 a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Farmer, of the City of Worcester, Ironmonger 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 18th and 19th of August next, and on the 2d of September following, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. George Woodcock, Innholder in the City of Worcester, known by the Sign of the Hop Pole, 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 Karver, Attorney, in the said City of Worcester.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against David Croydill, of Rothwell otherwise Rowell, in the County of Northampton, Dealer 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 31st of this Instant July, on the 5th of August next, and on the 2d of September following, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, 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. Sedgwick, Attorney, in Heydon-yard New Square, in the Minorities, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Springall, of the City of Norwich, Worsted-Weaver, and Chapman, intend to meet on the 18th of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of John Barnby, being the Vine Tavern in the Parish of St. Andrew in the City of Norwich, 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 and issued against William Jones, late of the City of Bristol, Master, intend to meet on the 13th of August next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of John Freeman, called the Three Tun Tavern in Cornstreet, Bristol, 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 and issued forth against Christopher Mayson, of the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Distiller, intend to meet on the 21st of August 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 and issued forth against Ezekiel Woolley, late of Hand Alley in Bishopsgate-street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 22d Day of August next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a second 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.