

They had before that Time already boasted, that with the new French, Colognese, and Palatine Troops on the one Side, which were all upon their March, and, on the other, with the Forces of Prussia and Saxony, they should infallibly take the Seat of our Residence, and that, conformably to M. Bellisle's Plan, they should put an End to our Arch-Ducal House. Tho' such Bravadoes are not very suitable to the Condition of one who calls himself an Emperor, under Oppression, yet one may judge from them of those Sentiments and Views, in which the Palatine Troops were sent into Bavaria, and the End for which the new Auxiliary French Troops are design'd.

We should therefore have been wanting to what we owe to ourselves, to our faithful Subjects, to the Publick Good, and Publick Liberty, if we had not ordered our Feldt Marshal Count Khevenhuller to prevent in Time such pernicious Designs. And so having commanded him on one Hand not to do the least Prejudice to those States of the Empire, which shall observe an exact Neutrality, but to assist them on the contrary as much as possible against all Molestation on the Part of our Enemies; on the other Hand we have directed him to act according to Reason of War, against those, who shall not observe the Laws of a true Neutrality, in order to deprive them of all Means of prejudicing us.

In Consequence thereof, the States of Neubourg having given all Manner of Preference to our Enemies, the said Count could not avoid treating them differently from the States of Saltzbourg, Passau, Bergtoldgade, and many others, and even of Freydingen and Ratisbon.

Whitehall, April 10.

*Whereas on Sunday the 4th Instant, about Two of the Clock in the Morning, five Men mounted on Horseback, loaded with Goods, suspected to be Tea, passing through the Road near Clerkenwell Green, one of their Horses run against the Constable, who holding up his Staff to defend himself; the Person on the said Horse discharged divers Pistols or Blunderbusses at the said Constable and his Watchman Isaac Crawley, and wounded the said Crawley in his Arm, which has since been cut off: And whereas another of the said Persons returning back, fired four Pistols or Blunderbusses at the said Constable and his Watchman; and soon after divers Persons came to the Watch-house at Clerkenwell Green, and discharged several Pistols or Blunderbusses through the Door of the said Watch-house, and wounded Richard Croxall, another Watchman there on his Duty, who is since dead. For the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned, his Majesty is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any two of the Offenders who shall first discover their Accomplices (the Person who first fired at and wounded Isaac Crawley excepted) so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

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*And as a further Encouragement for such Discovery, the Person or Persons so discovering shall receive a Reward of Fifty Pounds for each Offender who shall be apprehended and convicted; to be paid by the Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs on the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders.*

*N. B. The Person who first discharged the Pistols or Blunderbusses at the Constable, and his Watchman,*

*was a Lusty Man, about Forty Years of Age, of a Swarthy Complexion, pitted with the Small Pox, and had on a Wig of a Darkish Colour, a Light Coloured Duffel Coat, and a Great Coat over it, and the Horse or Mare he rode on was of a large Size, of a dark Bay Colour, with Cropt Ears, the Saddle he rode on, which was dropt from the Horse, is a brown Leather Saddle, with four Staples, and two Leather Straps, such as are frequently used by the Smugglers, with a Woollen Saddle Cloth, Chequ'd with Blue and White, with one Girt and a Surcingle, and another of the said Persons, who returned back and fired upon the Constable and his Watchman, rode on a large black Horse, was a lusty Man in a light Colour'd Great Coat, and another of the Horses was a spotted Horse with a Bald Face.*

#### Advertisements.

Friday the 9th Day of April, in the 15th Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, 1742, between William Clayton, Plaintiff, John Brown, Defendant.

**U**PON the humble Petition of the Plaintiff this Day referred unto the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein, and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained, it is ordered, That the Defendant John Brown do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill, on or before the 19th Day of May next.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Napleton, late of Weybridge, in the County of Surry, Gent. deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Mason, late of the City of Bristol, Clothier, intend to meet on the 8th of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Foster's Coffee-house, in Corn-street, Bristol, to make a further 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Low, late of Goodman's Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th of May 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.

**T**HE Commissioners and Assignees in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Gordon, of Thames Street, London, Soapmaker, intend to meet on the 20th of April 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.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Allison, of the Parish of St. Mary Le Bon, in the County of Middlesex, Bricklayer, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Richard Allison 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 Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 4th of May next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Theophilus Perkins, of Threadneedle Street, London, Vintner, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Theophilus Perkins 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 Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 4th of May next.