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Hambourg, February 10.

A FEW Days ago, in Consequence of a Challenge which a young Saxon Gentleman of the Family of Zehm (who was upon his Travels with his Governor) sent to one Baron Von Berger, who had affronted him at the Masquerade, they met the next Morning, with each his Second, upon the Danish Territory, just on the Skirts of the Town of Altona; and Von Berger soon received a Wound in his Side, of which he died in a few Minutes. The young Saxon returned to Hambourg, and left it a few Hours afterwards. By some Papers and Letters found upon this Von Berger, it appears plainly that he had very suspicious Connections with a Sett of Gamesters, who are scatter'd up and down in the large Towns in Search of Prey, and then unite, as Occasion serves, to acquire and divide their Spoil.

Hambourg, Feb. 13. Baron Dehn, Brother to the Danish Envoy at the Hague, and who some Years ago was himself employed on the Part of the Court of Denmark in Spain, is now talked of to succeed M. Berensdorff, who, it seems, is recalled from the Court of France.

Whitehall, February 17.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint his Grace Charles Duke of Richmond, Lieutenant General of his Majesty's Forces, to be Colonel of his Majesty's Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, and likewise to be Captain of a Troop in the said Regiment, in the Room of Algernon Seymour, Duke of Somerset, General of his Majesty's Horse Forces, deceased.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Sir Andrew Agnew, Bart. to be Governor of Tinmouth Castle in the County of Northumberland, in the Room of the said Duke of Somerset, deceased.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Alexander Mackay, Esq; to be Major of his Majesty's Regiment of Foot commanded by Colonel George Howard, and likewise to be Captain of a Company in the said Regiment, in the Room of Cyrus Trapaud, Esq;

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Cyrus Trapaud, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel of his Majesty's Regiment of Foot, and likewise to be Captain of a Company in the said Regiment, commanded by Colonel George Howard.

Whitehall, February 6, 1749-50.

It having been represented to the King, That the Dwelling-house of John Cartwright, of Horsely Down Fair-street, Southwark, was violently enter'd by two Persons in Sailors Habits, about the Hour of Ten o'Clock at Night, on the 26th Day of October last past; and that one of the said Persons held a Pistol to the said Cartwright's Head, and at the same time took out of his Bosom a drawn Cutlass, declaring that if he did not immediately deliver his Money and Effects to him, he would shoot him dead; then they immediately seized him,

bound him with Cords (they had brought for that Purpose) led him to a back Room, ty'd him to a Chair, and one of the said Persons stood over him with the said Pistol and Cutlass, with Orders from the other to shoot him dead, or cut his Throat, if he offered to make the least Noise; whilst the other Person went to the said Cartwright's Wife, and obliged her to shew him where all the Effects were, and took from the said Premises, in Money and Plate, to the Value of One hundred and fifty Pounds and upwards, and then the said Persons bound his Wife as they had done him, and left them both ty'd to two Chairs: His Majesty, for the better Discovery and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

B E D F O R D.

And as a farther Encouragement, I do hereby promise a Reward of Ten Guineas to any Person or Persons who shall make Discoveries as aforesaid, of his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices, so that he, she or they may be convicted thereof.

John Cartwright.

General Post-Office, Jan. 30, 1749.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That the Correspondence, by Letters, between these Kingdoms and the Kingdom of Spain, is now opened by the Means of Pacquet Boats, between Falmouth and the Groyne, and that the first Mail for Spain will be forwarded from this Office upon Tuesday the 20th Day of the next Month of February, and will continue, for the Future, to go out from hence upon the Tuesday of every Fort-night, as usual heretofore in former Times of Peace.

By Command of the Post-master General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

East-India House, Feb. 14, 1749.

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 up on Thursday the 8th of March next, at Two o'Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court will be held at their House in Leaden-hall street, on Wednesday the 21st of the said Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon, when, in Pursuance of a Resolution of the last General Court, the Contract the Committee of Treasury made for 3,000,000 of Ounces of Silver will be taken into Consideration. And at the same Time will be laid before the Court, pursuant to an Order of the said General Court, a State of the Condition Fort St. George was in at the Time of the breaking out of the Spanish War, and of the Measures which were taken by the Court of Directors for its Protection and Preservation.

And Notice is hereby further given, that the Lists of the said Company will be deliver'd at the said House on Thursday the 22d of March.

That a General Court will be held at the said House on Wednesday the 4th of April next, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Afternoon of the same Day after which no Lists will be taken in.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Thursday the 5th of the said Month of April.

South Sea House, London, Feb. 15, 1749.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company observing, that the Time for taking in the Subscriptions and Consents of the Proprietors of Old and New South Sea Annuities, to accept the Terms contained in the Resolutions of the Honourable House of Commons of the 29th of November last, expires on Wednesday the 28th of this Month: And as many Persons may be daily coming in to subscribe, it may be proper that the several Transfer Books should be shut for some Days, to prevent any Inconveniences that may happen through Hurry of Business, Notice is therefore hereby given, That the several Transfer Books of South Sea Stock, Old and New South Sea Annuities, will be shut on Friday, Saturday, and Monday, the 23d, 24th, and 26th Instant; and after Tuesday and Wednesday, the 27th and 28th Instant, which are Holidays, the said Transfer Books will be opened as usual.

Affurance-Office, Serjeants-Inn, Feb. 17, 1749.

A General Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance-Office, will be held at their House in Serjeants Inn, Fleet-street, on Friday the 23d of February instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at which Time the final Opinion of the Court will be desired, touching the Subscription of the respective Four per Cent. Annuities belonging to this Society.
John Pye, Register.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office, Feb. 14, 1749.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 21st Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to consider the Proposals contained in an Act passed this Session of Parliament, for reducing the several Annuities, which now carry an Interest after the Rate of 4 l. per Cent. per Ann. to the several Rates of Interest therein mentioned.

Mine Office, Feb. 14, 1749.

Notice is hereby given, that the General Court of this Company, which was to be held on Friday the 9th, stands adjourned to Wednesday the 28th Day of this Instant February, to One of the Clock at Noon precisely.
Martin O Conner, Secretary.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their Office in Dean's-yard in Westminster, on Monday the 5th Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Ship's Company of his Majesty's Sloop the Saxon, Alexander Campbell, Esq; Commander, that their respective Shares of the Head Money for taking the Dauphin and Tryton French Privateers, will be paid on Thursday the 22d Instant, at the Sign of the Ship in Grutched Fryers; and the Recalls for the same will be at the House of Mr. William Bruce in Mark Lane, the first Wednesday of every Month for three Years to come.

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THIS is to give Notice, that his Majesty hath been graciously pleased to give the Sum of One Hundred Guineas to be run for by Horses, Mares or Geldings this Season as usual, at each of the following Places, (viz.) Newmarket, Salisbury, Ipswich, Guildford, Nottingham, Winchester, Lincoln, Hambleton, York, Lewes, Berham Downs, and Litchfield. The particular Days of Running at the above Places will be notified in the London Gazette at proper Times, by Order of his Grace the Duke of Richmond, &c. Master of the Horse.

One Hundred Guineas in Specie given by his Majesty, will be run for at Newmarket round the Heat's Course, on Thursday the 19th of April next 1750, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, being no more than Six Years old the Grass before, as must be certified under the Hands of the Breeder, carrying Twelve Stone, Three Heats round the Heat's House, Starting and Running every Heat the same Way as they do the first Heat (viz.) Leaving all the Posts on the Right Hand in every Heat. Also One Hundred Guineas in Specie, given by his Majesty, will be run for at Newmarket, round the Heat's Course, on Friday the 20th of April next 1750, by Mares, being no more than Five Years old the Grass before, as must be certified under the Hand of the Breeder, carrying Ten Stone, one Heat round the Heat's Course. To be shewn and entered at his Majesty's Stables at Newmarket, the Day before they run, between the Hours of One and Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, with the Mark, Name, and Name of the Owner: And if any Difference arise, either in their Entering or Running, the same to be determined by his Grace the Duke of Richmond, &c. Master of the Horse, or whom he shall appoint, according to such his Majesty's Rules and Orders as will be there produced.

Master of the Rolls.

Thursday the 8th Day of February, in the Twenty-third Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, 1749. between John Gravenor, Plaintiff; Daniel Bayley, Thomas Adams, Esq; and Jane Gravenor, Defendants.

FORASMUCH as this Court was this present Day informed by Mr. Wilbraham, being of the Plaintiff's Council, That the Plaintiff on the 13th Day of March last filed his Bill in this Court against the Defendants, as by the Six Clerks Certificate appears, and took out Process of Subpoena returnable the 12th Day of April last, to compel the Defendant Jane Gravenor to appear to and answer the same; but the said Defendant hath not appeared thereto, and upon Enquiry at her usual Place of her Abode, she is not to be found so as to be served with such Process, but she absconds to avoid being served therewith, as by the Affidavit of John Gravenor the Husband of the Defendant Jane Gravenor and Christopher Toomes appears; and the said Certificate and Affidavit being now read, this Court doth order, That the said Defendant Jane Gravenor do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first Day of the next Term.

King's Remembrancer's Office.

Hillary Term, in the 23d Year of the Reign of King George the Second. Saturday the 10th Day of February 1749. Between Mary Maguenis, Plaintiff, and Mary Hogan, and others, Defendants. By Bill.

UPON the Motion of Mr. Rooke, of Council with the Plaintiff, and upon reading the joint Affidavit of Farmer Kirke and Elizabeth Wormwell, and the joint Affidavit of Benjamin Tonibes and John Foster, it is ordered by the Court, that the said Defendant Mary Hogan do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first Day of next Easter Term next. W. fit Pearce for Plaintiff a poor Woman.

By Order of the Deputy Remembrancer.

TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, to the best Purchaser or Purchasers, on Monday the 26th Day of this Instant February, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Leasehold Messuage or Tenement, called & known by the Name of the George Inn in Trowbridge in the County of Wilts, together with Eleven Acres of Arable Land, Meadow and Pasture, thereunto belonging, held by Lease of his Grace the Duke of Kingston for 99 Years, determinable on two Lives, under the yearly Rent of 3 l. 5 s. 4 d. As also another Messuage or Tenement and Garden, situate in the Back-street in Trowbridge aforesaid, held by Lease of his Grace the Duke of Somerset, for the Remainder of a Term of 99 Years, determinable on two Lives, under the reserved Yearly Rent of Five Shillings and Six-pence, late the Estates of William Macey, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Masters Chambers.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of his Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Westminster, to the best bidder, on Thursday the 1st Day of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, before Charles Taylor, Esq; Deputy Remembrancer of the said Court, at the King's Remembrancer's Office in the King's Bench Walks in the Inner Temple, London, A Freehold Estate consisting of a Messuage or Tenement and Farm, situate and being in the Parish of Eardisley in the County of Hereford, commonly called or known by the Name of Nether Welson, otherwise Kerry's Land, A Particular whereof is left with the said Deputy.

WHEREAS

WHEREAS one John Nesfield, of Matterdale near Penrith in Cumberland, aged near Forty, bred up to Country Business only, went away from the Place of his Habitation near seven Years ago, and has not been heard of since, This is therefore to inform him, (if living) that a Customary Estate is fallen to him, at Matterdale aforesaid, his Mother Anne Nesfield being dead; and also that if he the said John Nesfield should also be dead, any Person properly certifying the same to Miles Dent, Merchant, in Penrith aforesaid, or to Mr. Nathaniel Bayes, Grocer, on Snow-hill, London, shall be gratefully rewarded for their Trouble and Expence. N. B. If the said John Nesfield does not appear in Person, or by Attorney, before the next Court to be held at Greystock, another Tenant will then be admitted.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or separate, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curfitor's-street, on Thursday the 8th of March next, between Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, Four Leasehold Houses in Greek-street and Church-street St. Ann's Westminster, in Possession of Mess. Guichard, Darlington, Gee and Goddard; and the Reversion of a Leasehold House called the Black Horse in New Bond-street, late the Estate of Joseph Barber, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's.

TO be sold peremptorily, 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, to the best Purchaser or Purchasers, on Wednesday the 14th of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, a Messuage, with Barns, Garden and Orchard thereunto belonging, and diverse Parcels of Freehold Lands lying at Braceby, Aconesby and Croston in the County of Lincoln, and at Dykeleak in the County of Stafford, being together of the yearly Value of 87 l. or thereabouts, late the Estate of John Burslem, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Monday the 12th Day of March next, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, The Fee Simple and Inheritance of the Moiety of the Manor of Slapton, consisting of One hundred and twenty Tenements, all except one or two out in Lease for Years determinable on Life or Lives, reserving small yearly Rents or Herriots; also of the third Part of the Manors of Paington and Goodrington in the Parish of Paington, Westerland in the Parish of Marldon, Little Hempson and Little Inglebourne in the Parish of Harberton; and also of the Manor and Barton of Ludbrooke in the Parishes of Ermington and Modbury; and of a Moiety and third Part of divers Tenements in the several Parishes of Broadhempson, Harberton, Ashprington, and Totnes, late the Estate of Sir Henry Northcote, Bart. deceased; all situated in the Southams in the County of Devon. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq, one of the Masters of the said Court, The Leasehold Estates late of Andrew Card, Esq; and Dorothy Card his late Wife, both deceased, consisting of Messuages in Bedford Row, Great James-street, and Brook-street, in the Parish of St. Andrew Holbourn, with divers Coach-houses and Stables; also Chambers in Gray's-Inn; and one undivided third Part of divers Ground-Rents, and improved Rents of Messuages in Cock and Pye-fields St. Giles's, the Leases whereof expire in four or five Years; and 36 Shares in Merchants Waterworks. Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers in Chancery-lane.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Mathew Smales the younger, and Francis Smales, late of Aldbrough in the County of York, Esqrs. deceased, are 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.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Crawford, of the Town and County of Haverford-West, Mercer, are desired to meet the surviving Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on the 30th Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mary Corfield, Widow, being the Talbot Inn at the Cross in the City of Worcester, to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing and prosecuting one or more Suits in Equity, for the Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate, and also to their compounding any Debts due to the said Bankrupt's Estate, or submitting to Arbitration, or agreeing any Matters in Dispute relating thereunto, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Maty Chester, of Egham in the County of Surry, Widow and Innholder, and she being declared a Bank-

rupt, is hereby required to surrender herself to the Commissioner in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them on the 23d of February Instant, and on the 2d and 31st of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of her 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 her Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of her Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Crawford, Attorney, on St. Mary at Hill, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Benton, of Gainsborough in the County of Lincoln, Tobaccoist 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 26th of February instant, and on the 5th and 31st of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. Jonathan Wilson, being the Sign of the Blackmoor's Head in Gainsborough aforesaid, 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 the said Mr. Jonathan Wilson at Gainsborough aforesaid.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Shephard, of Plymouth Dock, within the Parish of Stoke Damerell, in the County of Devon, Merchant, 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 26th of February Instant, and on the 12th and 31st of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of John Pewsey, Innkeeper, known by the Sign of the White Hart, in the Borough of Plymouth in the County aforesaid, 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. Thomas Mangles, Attorney, in Plymouth Dock aforesaid.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Bullock, late of the City of Worcester, Skinner and Merchant, intend to meet on the 16th Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, at the House of Thomas Rogers, being the Sign of the Bell and Unicorn in the Broad-street in the City of Worcester, 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Philip Davies, of the Town of Llandgadock in the County of Carmarthen, Mercer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Philip Davies 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 10th of March next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Alexander Campbell, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Taylor and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Alexander Campbell 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 10th of March next.

