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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 31st of July  
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P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS His Majesty hath received Information, that great Numbers of ill disposed and disorderly Persons, dwelling in or near the Forest of Kingswood in the County of Gloucester, did, on Monday the Twenty First, and on Friday the Twenty Fifth Days of May last, in a Riotous and Tumultuous Manner, assemble themselves near to the City of Bristol, and armed with Clubs, Pitchforks, and other offensive Weapons; and with a Drum beating before them, did, on both the said Days, proceed to the said City, and did there commit many great and enormous Outrages, in open Defiance of all Law, and to the Terror of His Majesty's good Subjects—And whereas it appears by Informations taken on Oath, and this Day laid before His Majesty in Council, That Sampson Phips, Samuel Britten, John Woody otherwise Wordy, and John Summers, Coalminers, and also Hezekiah Hunt, Cordwainer, were very active in one or both of the said Riots, and were principal Leaders therein; which said Sampson Phips, Samuel Britten, John Woody otherwise Wordy, John Summers, and Hezekiah Hunt, are fled from Justice: To the End therefore that the said Offenders, and every of them, may be brought to condign Punishment—His Majesty is pleased to order, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, that the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds shall be paid to such Person or Persons as shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, the said Sampson Phips, so as he may be convicted of the said Offence; and that the Sum of One Hundred Pounds shall in like Manner be paid to such Person or Persons as shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, either of them the said Samuel Britten, John Woody otherwise Wordy, John Summers, and Hezekiah Hunt, so as they, or

either of them, may be convicted of the said Offence: Which said respective Sums the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are hereby directed and required to pay accordingly.—And his Majesty doth hereby strictly charge and command, all Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Bailiffs, Constables, and other Peace Officers, and all His loving Subjects, that they do use their utmost Diligence, by all lawful Ways and Means, in and about the apprehending the said Offenders and every of them.

*W. Sharpe.*

*Algiers, June 15.* Though the Plague continues to make a great Havock amongst the Inhabitants of this Place, it don't lessen in the least the Activity of the Corsairs, who are actually equipping several Chebecks; and other Warlike Vessels, to carry on their Piracies.

*Constantinople, June 16.* The Porte is very vigilant to prevent any interior Disorders. We have had no Fires of late. The Heads of several Highwaymen have been brought hither from Asia.

*Moscow, June 28.* The Empress is again returned to the Country, where her Imperial Majesty intends to stay a Fortnight or three Weeks. The Troops that are to form a Camp on the Frontiers of Livonia, by her Imperial Majesty's Orders, are already drawn together at their general Rendezvous, 2 or 3000 Hussars, and 8000 Donith Cossacks, only excepted.

*Madrid, July 5.* The King has been pleased to grant the Place of Corrigidor of the City of Benabarra, to Don Angelo de Figueroa. His Majesty has given Orders to build a Fort at Jonquiera, in the Province of Catalonia, similar to that which is building at Figuiera, for the greater Security of that Province. Two eminent Physicians are set out from hence for St. Ildefonsa, on account of the Queen Dowager being indisposed at that Place.

*Naples, July 5.* We hear from Civitella, in the ulterior Abbruzzo, that at the latter End of last Month, they had felt, for several Days together, at the Rising and Setting of the Sun, very strong Earthquakes, some Shocks of which had

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had lasted five or six Minutes, but without being attended with any Damage.

*Genoa, July 9.* The late Insurrection at St. Remo is entirely quelled, the Inhabitants having paid 200000 Livres in ready Money, and about 90000 in Oyl; they are now to build a Castle to contain 200 Men, with a Governor and Officers. Letters from Bastia of the 2d Instant advise, that the Deputies from Corsica were to assemble at Corti, in order to receive their Instructions, and then to go to Bastia to treat with the Republick's Commissary General for an Accommodation.

*Ratisbon, July 14.* The Ministers of the Protestant Princes of the Empire have again held a great Assembly for some Days, in which, amongst other Deliberations, they have agreed to take more efficacious Measures than those they have as yet made use of, in order to get Redress of the Grievances of which several Protestant Communities have already made their Complaints, at several Times to the Aulick Council of the Empire, without the desired Success. According to our Advices from Bohemia, great Preparations were continued in that Kingdom for the several Camps of Imperial Troops which are to be formed there in the Course of next Month.

*Berlin, July 18.* The Queen continues the Use of the Mineral Waters with great Success at Schonhausen, where the Princess Consort of his Royal Highness the Prince of Prussia waited on her Majesty last Saturday. The same Day arrived here from Glatz, the Baron La Mothe-Fouquet, Lieutenant General of Foot, and Commandant of that Place, who went the next Day to Potzdam, where he was to receive some particular Orders from the King. The Marquis of Castromonte, a Spanish Nobleman of great Distinction by his Birth, who is visiting the principal Courts of Europe, arrived here some Days ago from Hanover, and has already had the Honour to be presented to the Queens, and to the Princes and Princesses of the Royal Family.

*Berlin, July 21.* Some Days ago a considerable Number of Troopers, belonging to his Royal Highness the Prince of Prussia's Regiment, mutinied against one of their Officers; they pretended that he had killed one of their Comrades by severe Usage, and in Consequence thereof refused to attend the Burial of the deceased. This Disobedience has been severely punished, as contrary to the Military Discipline, so strictly observed amongst the Prussian Troops. Every one of the Mutineers was arrested, and a Council of War being held, eight of them were sentenced to be hanged, and were immediately executed; the others, less guilty, have ran the Gauntlet two successive Days.

*Compiègne, July 18.* The King has disposed of the late Count Egmont's Regiment of Dra-

goons in Favour of M. de Marboeuf, Lieutenant Colonel of the Dauphin Regiment of Horse, and of a Brigade in the Life-Guards, vacant by the Chevalier de Sommetry's retiring from the Service, in Favour of the Chevalier de St. Sauveur, Brigadier of Dragoons. Lieutenant General Gourdon de Legliriere, Director of the Fortifications of the Towns and Ports in Normandy, died at Paris last Saturday, in the 67th Year of his Age.

*Fränckfort, July 19.* It appears by several Advices which we have lately received from Alsatia, that there is no Likelyhood of a Camp to be formed there this Year.

*Copenhägen, July 21.* Two of the four Danish Frigates which were sent out at different Times to the Coast of Barbary, are now returned hither, the third is hourly expected with Colonel Longueville on board, a Treaty of Peace and Commerce having been concluded between Denmark and the Emperor of Morocco, in Consequence whereof that Minister and his Followers are redeemed; but the fourth Frigate, called the Falster, a Forty Gun Ship, had the Misfortune, on the very Day of Rejoycing for the Conclusion of the Peace, and the Delivery of the Captives, to take Fire and blow up. The Captain, who assisted at the Entertainment given on that Occasion by the Commodore, escaped, with 186 of his Men, but the Remainder, being above 100, perished, except about 20, who got to shore near Saffy, where this Accident happen'd, and are as yet in the Hands of the Moors; 'tis hoped, however, that their Liberty may be obtained without Ransom. One of the aforesaid Frigates having been at Tunis, has brought a Present of Animals from the Rey of that Place: They both lie in the Road at some Distance from hence performing Quarantine.

*Hague, July 21.* Their Serene Highnesses the Prince Stadholder and the Princess Carolina took a few Days ago an Airing to Ryfwyck, where they were entertained with a magnificent Colation by Count Golbskin, the Russian Ambassador.

*Hague, July 24.* Count Charles Bentink, is returned hither from Overysseel.

*Hague, July 26.* Her Royal Highness the Princess Governante came this Morning here from the Palace-in the Wood, in order to view the Repairs which are making to the Prince Stadholder's Apartments at Court. Her Royal Highness intends to set out next Saturday with their Serene Highnesses the Prince Stadholder and Princess Carolina, for Soefeldyck, where the Court will remain for Part of the Summer. The Detachments of Life-Guards, who are to escort their Highnesses to the said Country-Palace, have already been ordered to set out for their respective Posts.

London,

London, March 17, 1753.

General Post-Office.

Whereas a Person of about Six Feet high, Fifty Years of Age, of a Swarthy Complexion, much pitted with the Small Pox, and wore a darkish coloured Coat, and a brown Bob Wig, came last Night, about Six of the Clock, to the Shop of Mr. Thomas Harding, Goldsmith, in the Minories, and bought of him a straight bodied Silver Tankard, Weight 25 oz. 18 dwt. with the Letters C. D. marked, by his Desire, on the Handle thereof; and the said Person having given, in Payment, for the said Tankard, a Bank Post Bill, which was taken out of the Cirencester Mail, which was robbed on the 18th of April, 1751, and indorsed the said Bank Post Bill by the Name of Charles Dew.

This is therefore to give Notice to all Goldsmiths and others, to whom the said Tankard may be offered in Sale, that whoever apprehends, or causes to be apprehended the Person above described, who is strongly suspected of having been a Principal, or an Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,  
George Shelvocke, Secretary.

General Post-Office, July 6, 1753.

These are to give Notice, That the Post will go every Night, (Sundays excepted) from London to Tunbridge Wells, and from Tunbridge Wells to London, to begin this Night and to continue, during the Summer Season, as usual.

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

Advertisements.

THIS is to give Notice, That the Copartnership between Joseph Joyce the Elder and Joseph Joyce the Younger, both of the Parish of St. Ann within the Liberty of Westminster in the County of Middlesex, for the carrying on the Trade of a Goldsmith, was dissolved and determined on the 26th Day of July instant: And all Persons, having Demands upon the said late Copartners, are desired to send Accounts thereof to the said Joseph Joyce the Elder, at his House in Greek-street, Soho, in order to their being paid the same. And all Persons indebted to the said late Copartners, are desired to pay their respective Debts to the said Joseph Joyce the Elder, who continues to carry on the Trade.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Williams, of Friday-street, London, Haberdasher, intend to meet on the 7th Day of August next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, under the joint Commission against the said William Williams and William Gwillim, are to come prepared to prove their Debts under the separate Commission against the said William Williams.

WHEREAS Turner Vaudrey, of Dunham-Massey in the County of Chester, Clerk, departed this Life on the 17th of July 1753; having by his Will bequeathed to such of the Children and Grand-Children of his late Uncle Robert Vaudrey, as should be living at the Time of his Decease, the Sum of Forty Pounds, to be equally divided amongst them; and in Case none of them, after a proper Publication in the Publick Papers, should apply for the same to his Executors within a Year and a Day after such Publication, then the same shall sink and not be paid. And appointed Thomas Walton and George Massey, both of Dunham aforesaid, Gentlemen, and Isaac Shaw, of Altringham in the said County, Gentleman, his Executors: Now in Pursuance of the Direction in the said Will, they do hereby give Notice, That if any Children or Grand-Children of the said Robert Vaudrey are living, they may receive the said Legacy of the said Executors, or their Agent Mr. Thomas Strickland, of Curfitors-street, London, on making out their Kindred and Claim thereto.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Isaac Chaloner, of the City of Bristol, Shipwright, intend to meet on the 30th of August next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Rummer Tavern in All Saints Lane, Bristol, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; 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.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Charles Watkins, late of New York, but now of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Charles Watkins 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 21st of August next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Magson, of Knaves Acre, in the Parish of St. James Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Baker, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Robert Magson 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 21st of August next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Lovejoy, of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey, in the County of Surry, Woolstapler, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Lovejoy 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 21st of August next.

