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Copenhagen, November 22.

YESTERDAY the Queen Dowager, accompanied by the Princess of Culmbach her Niece, returned hither from Hirschholm, and has taken up her Residence in the Palace of Christiansbourg, as usual, for the Winter.

Dublin, December 2.

Sunday last, being the Anniversary of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales's Birthday, the Great Guns were fired in the Phoenix Park, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments in Garrison, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks. And Yesterday at Noon there was a splendid Appearance of the Nobility, and other Persons of Distinction, at the Castle, to compliment his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant upon this Occasion. In the Evening a Play was given by his Excellency for the Entertainment of the Ladies, and a Ball at the Castle; and the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

General Post-Office, London, Oct. 24, 1755.

Whereas a Number of Pacquet-Boats are provided and established, at Falmouth, for carrying on a regular Monthly Correspondence between these Kingdoms and His Majesty's Islands in the West-Indies; and also to and from the several Colonies on the Continent of North-America;

Public Notice is hereby given to all Merchants, and others, whom it may concern, That Letters and Packets for the said Islands, and Colonies on the Continent of North-America, will be taken in and received, at this Office, from the Date hereof, upon their being paid for, after the Rates, settled by Act of Parliament, as under-mentioned, viz.

	s. d.
From London to the Islands of Barbadoes Antegoa, Mountferrat, Nevis, St. Christophers and Jamaica,	For a Single Letter 1 6 a Double Letter 3 0 a Treble Letter 4 6 an Ounce — 6 6
	s. d.
From London to New-York, New-England, Virginia, Maryland, and all the other Colonies on the Continent of North-America,	For a Single Letter 1 0 a Double Letter 2 0 a Treble Letter 3 6 an Ounce — 4 0

The first Mail of Letters, for the several Islands in the West-Indies, will be made up, and dispatched from this Office, upon Saturday the 8th Day of November next, and be continued on the First Saturday of every Month following.

The first Mail of Letters, by the way of New-York, for the several Colonies on the Continent of North-America, will be made up and dispatched from this

Office, upon the 15th of the said Month of November next, and so be continued on the Second Saturday of every Month throughout the Year.

The full Postage of the above Letters and Packets must be paid at the Time of their Delivery into this Office, or at the Receiving-Houses in Town; And all such as are put into the several Post-Houses in Great-Britain and Ireland, must, over and above the said Rates, pay also the full Inland Postage to London, without which they cannot be forwarded from hence.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, Tower of London,
Nov. 13, 1755.

The Principal Officers of his Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that whosoever will discover to them any Fire Arms concealed in any Part of Great Britain, so as the same may be properly secured till his Majesty's Pleasure shall be known therein, the Name or Names of the Person or Persons who shall make such Discovery shall be concealed, if required, and he or they shall receive, as a Reward for the same, after the Rate of Twenty Five Pounds for every 100 Arms, and so in Proportion to the Number more or less.

By Order of the Board,
William Bogdanl.

Navy Office, December 4, 1755.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That there is in the Hands of the Treasurer of the Navy, Money to pay off all Bills register'd on the Course of the Navy in the Month of June 1755, in order that the Proprietors of, or such Persons as are legally empower'd to receive the said Bills, may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment accordingly.

East India House, London, Nov. 19, 1755.

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 for the East India Annuities at 3 1/2 per Cent. will be shut on Monday the 15th of December, and for the Annuities at 3 per Cent. on Tuesday the 16th of December, in order to ascertain the respective Sums standing in the Names of the Annuitants, in Conformity to the Act of Parliament of the 23d of His present Majesty, which directs that the Interest of the Annuities at 3 1/2 per Cent. per Annum should determine and cease at Christmas 1755, and from that Time should commence at 3 per Cent. per Annum. The Transfer Books for which will be opened on the 15th of January next.

And they further give Notice, that Warrants for 2 s. 6 d. per Cent. on the 3 1/2 per Cent. Annuities (being the Difference between 3 per Cent. and 3 1/2 per Cent. Annuities for the Quarter due at Christmas next Old Style) will be made out to the Proprietors thereof, and be delivered and paid the 29th of January next.

N. B. The Transfer-Days for the Stock will be on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; and Annuities on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.



Victualling Office, December 4, 1755.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That there is Money in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, to pay Interest and Non-Interest Bills register'd on the Course of the Victualling in the Month of June 1755, in order that the Proprietors of, or such Persons as are legally empowered to receive the said Bills, may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment.

Victualling-Office, December 8, 1755.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 20th Instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they shall be ready to Treat for Hogs, for Sea Store, for the Port of London, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy, to commence Killing from the 31st Instant, and the Hogs not to Weigh less than Eighty-four Pounds each Carcass.

Trinity-House, London, December 6, 1755.

Whereas a certain Information is received, that a Fire has happen'd at the Edystone Lighthouse, which has greatly damaged the same, and prevented the Exhibition of the Light therein; Notice is hereby given, that a further Advertisement concerning the same will be given, when a more particular Account is received.

Advertisements.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Elizabeth Turner, late of Bedford Row in the County of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their several Debts, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane; or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

ANY Person or Persons that have any lawful Claim or Demands upon the Ship or Vessel called The Owner's Good Will, Anwick-Owlston, of Scarborough, deceased, late Owner, by applying to Mr. Richard Noreliffe or Mr. Richard Eggelston, in Hull, on or before the 2d of February 1756, will be satisfied for the same, otherwise after that Time, and after Payment of the Claims already made upon her, the remaining Part of the Money she was sold for, will be distributed amongst the Creditors of the said Anwick Owlston, for their general Benefit.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Chorley, now or late of Warrington in the County of Lancaster, Tanner 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 Days of December Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, and on the 20th Day of January next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the same Day, at the House of Katherine Marshall, Widow, known by the Name of the George Inn, situate in Warrington 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. Lloyd, Attorney, in Warrington aforesaid.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Solomon Jacobs, late of Norwich, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of January next, at the House of James Cornwall, being a Public House or Tavern in Norwich, called the Gatehouse, 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.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Tolly Lamb, late of the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne, Woollen Draper, intend to meet on the 21st Day of December Instant, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. George Hewbank, Inn Keeper, situate in Phoenix Street, in Newcastle upon Tyne aforesaid, 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 Noah Chandler, late of the Parish of Randwicke in the County of Gloucester, Clothier, have certified to the Rt. Honourable Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Noah Chandler 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 30th of December instant.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Johnston, late of Newgate-street, London, Wine Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Johnston 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 30th of December instant.

THE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

Pursuant to the late Act of Parliament, made in the Twenty Eighth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, I hereby give Notice, that I intend at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held in and for the County of Surry, which shall happen next after Twenty Days from the Publication hereof, or at an Adjournment thereof, to compel Jonas Jsrack, late of Houndsditch in the Parish of St. Botolph Aldgate, in the City of London, Dealer and Chapman, who on the 1st Day of January 1755, was a Prisoner in the Poultry Compter, London, and still is a Prisoner for Debt at my Suit, in the King's Bench Prison in Southwark, to deliver in and subscribe upon Oath, a Schedule of his Estate and Effects, for the Benefit of all his Creditors. Dated the 8th of December, 1755. Ashur Mack Levy.

First Notice.

Richard Bidlake, formerly of Shinley in the County of Hertford, late of Hampstead in the County of Middlesex. Whereas I was, on the First Day of January 1755, a Prisoner for Debt in the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, and did advertise, in Three London Gazettes, that I intended to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors: And I was moved by Habeas Corpus to his Majesty's Goal of Newgate in the County of Middlesex, before the Sessions for the County of Surry: Now this is to give Notice, that I intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Middlesex, or any Adjournment thereof, or for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from this Publication.

The following Persons being Prisoners for Debt in his Majesty's Goal the Castle of Lancaster, in and for the County Palatine of Lancaster, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the

Second

Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County of Lancaster, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

First Notice.

William Levesley, formerly of Spalding in the Parish of Spalding in the County of Lincoln, late of Spotland in the Parish of Roachdale in the County of Lancaster, Baker.

Gilbert Gregson, of Preston in the County of Lancaster, late of Altringham in the County of Chester, Breeches-maker and Leather-feller.

John Norbury, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, late of Southampton, Barber, Perriwig-maker, and Innholder.

John Barlow, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, late of Tottington in the County aforesaid, Weaver and Chapman.

William Marsden, of Standish in the County of Lancaster, Dyer and Innholder.

Edward Cranage, of Lancaster, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Pott Painter.

Thomas Holme, of Garstang in the County of Lancaster, late of Lancaster, Surgeon and Apothecary.

George Higson, of Salford in the County of Lancaster, late of Pendleton in the County aforesaid, Innholder.

James Leach, from Hundersfield, late in Castleton, both in the Parish of Roachdale and County of Lancaster, Yeoman.

The following Persons being Prisoners for Debt in his Majesty's Goal the Castle of York, in the County of York, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held at the Castle of York, for the West Riding of the County of York, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

First Notice.

William Major, late of Doncaster in the West Riding of the County of York, Baker.

Thomas Emmot, formerly of Dockroyde, in the Parish of Keighley, late of High Pole, in the Parish of Kilwicke, in the West Riding of the County of York, Worsted Weaver.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1755; and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

First Notice.

Joseph Cash, late of the Parish of Christ Church Spittle Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Silk Thrower.

Edward Wake, late of Selborne in Hampshire, Farmer and Malster.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1755, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, he hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

First Notice.

George Dawson, formerly of Farringdon in the County of Berks, late of Marlborough in the County of Wilts, Staymaker.

Thomas Ramser, formerly of Mitcham in the County of Surry, late of West Ham in the County of Essex, Pattern Drawer.

Robert Taylor, late of St. George's in the County of Middlesex, Mariner.

Daniel Lencake, of the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields, late of Bandyleg Walk Southwark, Paper-Stainer.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Goal for the City of Chester, called the Northgate Goal, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said City of Chester and County of the same City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

William Tellet, formerly of Bromborough in Cheshire, late of Castle Town, Isle of Man, Gent.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first Day of January 1755, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Rothwell Goal in and for the Liberty of the Honour of Pontefract in the said County of York, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Wakefield, in and for the West Riding of the said County of York, on Thursday in the first Week after the Epiphany; or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

John Shawe, formerly of Hanley Green, in the Parish of Stooke upon Trent in the County of Stafford, late of Houghton, in the Parish of Castleford and County of York, Pot-maker.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1755, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Prison of the Sheriff of the County of Devon, in the Parish of St. Thomas the Apostle in

in the County aforesaid, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Devon, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

Richard Ball, late of West Teignmouth, in the County of Devon, Apothecary.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January, 1755, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Goal for the City of Worcester, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of Worcester, in and for the said City of Worcester, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

John Cartwright, formerly of the Parish of Kidderminster, late of the City of Worcester, Mariner.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first Day of January 1755, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Second Notice.

Philip Ross, late of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaster, Mariner.

William Grimmitt, formerly of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey, in the County of Surry, late of Deptford in the County of Kent, Shipwright.

Third Notice.

John Kent, formerly of Winterflow, late of Salisbury in the County of Wilts, Gentleman.

James Fryer, formerly of Swafham in the County of Norfolk, Innholder, and last of Greenwich in the County of Kent, Gentleman.

The following Persons being Prisoners for Debt in the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Ma-

jesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Third Notice.

John Constable, late of James Street near the Hay-Market, in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Victualler.

John Roberts, formerly of Clement Lane, in the Parish of St. Clement Dane, in the Liberty of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer and Victualler.

John Ormerod, formerly of Water Barn in the Parish of Rochdale, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, late of New Church in the Forest of Rosendale and County aforesaid, Dealer and Chapman.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the 1st Day of January 1755, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Marshalsea Prison in Southwark, in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Third Notice.

William Hall, late of Poplar in the County of Middlesex, Sawyer.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1755, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter in the City of London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the said City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the last General or Quarter Sessions, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Third Notice.

William Allen, formerly of the Maze, in the Parish of St. Olave Southwark, late of White Cross Street, London, Mariner.

Benjamin Coates, formerly of Goodman's Yard in the Parish of St. Mary Whitechapel, late of the City of Worcester, Baker.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.