

Extract of a Letter from Mr. John Potter to William Belchier, Esq; dated at Gamberon in Persia, December 30, 1754.

**O**UR Officers, as well as the Ship's Company, have had repeated Illness. Intermitting Fevers are very frequent here, and the Factory Gentlemen, as well as the Seamen, are liable to it. They are seldom two Months without taking the Bark, and very often take it one Month, and have a Return the next. It seizes us either at the Full or Change of the Moon. May and November are reckoned bad as they are, are healthy in Comparison of this Place, the most unhealthy Months, though I cannot say there are any healthy ones; for Guiney and Madagascar, June, July, August, and September are called the Heats, and indeed they are intolerable; we are gasping for Breath in the Day Time, and at Night obliged to lie on the Terras on the Top of the Factory. Were we to lie in our Apartments we should not be able to breathe. I was seized with a Fever the Beginning of February; in April, finding no Relief by any Thing that I took, and being reduced to a very weak State, I went for change of Air to Assize, a Country Seat at about Nine or Ten Miles Distance, belonging to the Hon. Company. The Captain was so obliging as to bear the Company. We staid there a Fortnight, but finding no Benefit, and that the Fever terminated in a slow one, I resolved to try Dr. James's Powder. The first Time I took half a Paper, the next Morning a whole one, and the third Morning another; each Time I drank plentifully of Milk and Water. It removed my Disorder, and, I thank God, I soon recovered, and continued in Health all the Heats. I gave three Papers of the Powder to a Gentleman of the Factory who had the same Complaint, and it cured him."

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\* See a Dissertation on Fevers, and other Inflammatory Distempers, sold at the Place above-mentioned. Price 6d.

**T**HE several Creditors of Edward Reynolds, late of Shrewsbury in the County of Salop, Linnen Draper and Haberdasher, lately discharged out of the Fleet Prison, are desired to meet at the Half Moon Tavern in Cheapside, on Monday the 22d Instant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, for the choosing one or more Assignee or Assignees of his Estate and Effects.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Richard Blackburn, Michael Cope Hopton, and William Swann, of Wood-street, London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on Friday the 19th Day of December Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

**P**ursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Christopher Whytell, late of Gilmant in the County of York, Esq; deceased, and such of his younger Children as are intitled to any Portions which remain unsatisfied, or those claiming under them, are to come in and prove their Debts, and claim such Portions, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Wednesday the 11th of February next, between Five and Six in the Afternoon, A Freehold Estate called High Trewhitt, consisting of a good Farm House, with the Appurtenances, and several Closes of Land, Meadow and Pasture Ground, containing upwards of 400 Acres, lett to Oswald and Amos Dötchen, at 9 l. a Year, situate in the Parish of Rothbury in Northumberland, the Estate of Edward Bell, late of Newcastle upon Tyne, Barber Surgeon, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

**A**N Y Person or Persons that have any lawful Claim or Demands upon the Ship or Vessel called The Owner's Good Will, Anwick Owston, of Starbrough, 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 Owston, for their general Benefit.

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**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Lewis Combrune, of Aldersgate-street, London, 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 22d and 30th Days of this Instant, December, and on the 27th Day of January next, 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. Blackman, in Clifford's Inn, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Hatchman, of Frittlewell near Rochford in the County of Essex, Shoemaker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th of January next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and