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AT the Court at St. James's the 30th Day of March 1756,

P R E S E N T,

The Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council.

Whereas the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the 28th of February last, for paying the respective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and also to all Able-bodied Landmen, who should voluntarily enter themselves in His Majesty's Royal Navy; And likewise for paying the Rewards to Persons discovering Seamen who should conceal themselves, will expire upon the 31st Day of this Instant March.— And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given should be continued to be paid for some Time longer:— It is thereupon this Day Ordered in Council, that the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to such Seamen and Landmen respectively, who shall, on or before the 30th Day of April next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclamation of the 11th Day of November last. And likewise that the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Persons who shall, on or before the said 30th Day of April next, discover any Seaman or Seamen, who shall conceal themselves, so as such Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majesty's Service. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

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War-Office, April 15, 1756.

Whereas a Power is given to His Majesty in the Act for the speedy and effectual Recruiting of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, that when His Majesty shall be satisfied by the Returns of the Commissioners or otherwise, that a sufficient Number of Recruits in the Whole shall be raised for His present Service, He may be graciously pleased to suspend, or stop the further Execution of that Act, by Proclamation, or Order in Council, or other publick Notice in the London Gazette: And whereas the great Zeal of the Nobility and Gentry for His Majesty's Service hath almost compleated the Corps for which Impressed Men were intended, I am commanded by the King to give this publick Notice in the London Gazette, that His Majesty is graciously pleased to suspend and stop the further Execution of the said Act for the speedy and effectual Recruiting His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, from and after the first Day of May next, till further Notice.

BARRINGTON.

Admiralty Office, April 20:

His Majesty's Ship the Orford arrived at Plymouth the 16th Instant, being sent in by Sir Edward Hawke with two French Ships taken off Cape Ortegal by the Newcastle, one of them of 14 Guns and 57 Men, and having 183 Soldiers on board, bound to Cape Breton; the other a Schooner, bound to Quebec, with Wine, Musket Balls, and Flower.

Constantinople, March 16. Every Thing continues here in the utmost Quiet; the Disturbances among the Janizaries at Belgrade are so entirely settled, that there is no more Talk of that Revolt than if it had never happen'd. The Changes which have been so frequent for several Months past, seem at an End; the present Ministry gives general Content and Satisfaction, so that in all Probability it will be lasting. By the Prudence and Activity of the Vizir, a considerable

derable Supply of Corn has been brought from different Parts of the Empire, and more is daily expected. The Polish Minister Count Mnifzeck, who comes with a numerous Retinue to compliment the Sultan on his Accession to the Throne, is expected here in a few Days; and the Russian Envoy Prince Dolghorucky, who is charged with the like Commission, it is affured, will not be long after him. Preparations are making for their Reception.

Rome, March 27. On the 17th Instant, Cardinal Portocarrero had an Audience of the Pope, to acquaint him with the King of Spain's Nomination of the Archbishop of Seville for the approaching Promotion of Cardinals. The Pope has fixed the Promotion of Cardinals in Favour of the Nomination of the crowned Heads, for the 5th of next Month: They are to be only nine, including M. Archinto, the Governor of Rome. The Nomination of the Republick of Venice will be excluded in this Promotion, unless they should immediately repeal the Law which was made some Time ago to prohibit their Subjects to apply to the Court of Rome on any Occasion, without the Leave of a Magistrate appointed by the Republick for that Purpose. On the 23d the Chevalier Cappello, the Venetian Ambassador, dispatched a Courier to his Republick, to require Instructions for his Behaviour on that Occasion.

Naples, March 30. On Saturday last the Court returned from Bovino to Caserta. The King has lately appointed the Marchioness of Santo Marco to be principal Lady of the Bed Chamber to the Queen, in the room of the Princess of Colubrano, who died some Weeks ago. The Dutchess of Miranda Caraccioli has been named Governess to the Infants, in the room of the Marchioness of Santo Marco. A few Days ago died here the Marchioness of Montoro, Mother to the Prince della Riccia, Master of the Household to the Queen.

Florence, April 3. In Consequence of the Dispatches which Count Richcourt has received by a Courier from Vienna, with the Emperor's peremptory Commands for the immediate Demolition of the Works on the Lake of Bientina, which had occasioned so much Damage to the Lucchese State, an Express is sent to Pisa, with positive Orders for demolishing the said Works; by which Means the Disagreements which have been so long depending between this Government, and the Republick of Lucca, and in which the King of Sardinia, the Pope, and the Duke of Modena, have interfered in Favour of the latter, are at an End. On the 30th past, the Marquis Ginori, Governor of Leghorn, who a few Days ago arrived here from thence, took the Investiture of the County of Urbeck from the Hands of Count Richcourt; which County the Emperor, some Months ago, yielded to him in Exchange for the Marquisate of Cescina.

Vienna, April 3. Great Quantities of Materials of all Sorts are sending from hence upon the Danube, for the Repairing and Augmenting the Fortifications of several Places in Hungary. This Day the Baron de Fechenbach, Envoy from the Prince Bishop of Wurtzburg, received, from the Hands of the Emperor, the Investiture of the Temporalties belonging to the Prince Bishop his Master.

Turin, April 3. This Week the Abbé Morelli was presented to the King of Sardinia, as charged with the Affairs of the Pope.

Hague, April 15. Yesterday the States of Holland and Westfrizeland opened their Assembly. M. Kervel is appointed Solicitor to the Council of State, in the room of his Father, who has resigned that Employment.

General Post Office, April 5, 1756.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the Packet Boat hitherto employed between Port Mahon and Marsoilles, will, for the future, be stationed between Port Mahon and Leghorn; and that all Letters for His Majesty's Island of Minorca will be forwarded by Way of Leghorn, upon paying the Foreign Postage at this Office, of One Shilling for every single Letter, and for Double, Treble, and Ounce Letters in Proportion.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

Stamp Office, April 17, 1756.

The Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that from and after the 15th Instant, every Person who shall vend, sell, or expose to sale any Playing Cards in any Part of Great Britain, the same not being inclosed in Paper and Thread, stamped and marked as the Law directs, forfeits the Sum of 20 l. for every Pack so vendd, sold, or exposed to sale, one Half whereof to the Informer with full Costs of Suit.

Stamp-Office, April 17, 1756.

The Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that from and after the 18th Instant, no Licence is to be granted for selling Ale or Beer without being first Stamped with the additional Duty of 20 s. of which all Justices, Mayors, Town Clerks, and all other Persons whom it may concern are to take Notice.

Advertisements.

Notice is hereby given to all Persons, who have any Securities or Lyings upon the Real Estate of Edward Chapman, late of Harpole in the County of Northampton, who married Elizabeth my late Daughter, deceased, that I have contracted and agreed with him and his Trustees for the absolute Purchase of the Freehold and Inheritance thereof; and that the Conveyances will be executed, and the Purchase-Money paid, at the Town of Northampton, on Monday the 3d Day of May next; when and where, all such Persons are desired to be present, to receive Satisfaction for such their just Debts and Demands.
Northampton,
April 17, 1756.

W. DICKEY.

April

April 20, 1756.

Notice is hereby given, (pursuant to an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Amendment of the Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry) That Thomas Mountford, of Dog-Croft in the County of Stafford, Yeoman, on Friday the 2d Day of April instant, between the Hours of Eleven and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon of the same Day, was robbed by two Persons in the High way, between a certain Village called Keel and a certain Village called Wryenhill, both within the Hundred of Pirehill in the said County of Stafford one of them being a low, lusty young Man, about Twenty or Twenty one Years of Age, marked on the Face with the Small Pox, wearing his own Hair of a Black Colour, and having on a Brown close Bodied Coat and a Black Waistcoat; the other a middle aged Man, tall and lusty, and of a brownish or swarthy Complexion, wearing his own Hair of a brownish Colour, and pretty much curled, and having on a Blue close Bodied Coat, an old Red Waistcoat and Darkish colour'd Breeches: Which Persons took from the said Thomas Mountford the Sum of Seventy-five Pounds, which was all in Gold, (except the Sum of Three Pounds and some few Shillings in Silver) and the Gold mostly in Portugal Pieces; and also a white Parchment covered Pocket Book, with the Land Tax and Window Tax Assessments therein, for the Year of our Lord 1755, for the Parish of Norton in the Moors in the said County of Stafford, and the Liberty of Sneyd Hamlet in the said County; and likewise two Receipts in the said Pocket Book, for the Payment of the Land Tax and Window Tax, due at Midsummer last past, for the said Parish of Norton in the Moors and the Liberty of Sneyd Hamlet aforesaid, and then made off.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission against John Stott, late of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday next, at Randal's Coffee House in Lombard Street, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing one or more Suits or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and also to the compounding, agreeing, or referring any Matter or Thing relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate; and upon other special Affairs.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Mitford Flower, of Sunderland near the Sea in the County of Durham, Merchant 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 25th and 26th Days of May next, and on the 1st Day of June following, betwixt Ten and Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Edward Dagnia, Innkeeper, being the Sign of the King's Arms in Sunderland 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. Christopher Harrison, Attorney, in Sunderland aforesaid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Weekes otherwise Weeks, of Ortery Saint Mary in the County of Devon, Serge-maker, Mercer 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 27th Day of April instant, and the 6th Day of May next, and on

the 1st Day of June following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of John Swale, called Swale's Coffee-house, situate in the Serge Market in the City of Exon; 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. William Williams, Attorney, in Exon.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Isaac Parker, of Drury Lane in the Parish of Saint Clement Duns in the County of Middlesex, Hoher, 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 27th of April instant, on the 5th of May next, and on the 1st of June following, at Four of the Clock 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. Beard, Attorney, in Wood Street, Cheap-side, London.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Kempson, then or late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Burton-maker and Chapman, (Copartner with Michael Alcock) have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Kempson 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 11th of May next.

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 his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, 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 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.

Peter Thomas Croke, formerly of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middlesex, late of Tower Street in the City of London, Mariner.

