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AT the Court at St. James's the 9th Day of April, 1757.

P R E S E N T,  
The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th of October last, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of this Instant April.---And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the same should be continued for some longer Time—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy-Council, hereby order, require, prohibit and command, That no Person or Persons whatsoever, (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the said 29th of this Instant April, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ship or lade any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same into any Parts beyond the Seas; or carrying the same Coastwise, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy-Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the Twenty-ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Saltpetre, and to enforce the Law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and Ammunition; and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition." — And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, The Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, The Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, The Master General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

*W. Shurpe.*

[ Price Two-Pence. ]

AT the Court at St. James's the 9th Day of April, 1757.

P R E S E N T,  
The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council, of the First of March 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 Twelfth Day of this Instant April: 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; His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, 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 Seaman and Landman respectively, who shall, on or before the Twelfth Day of May next, enter themselves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majesty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January 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 Twelfth Day of May 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. Shurpe.*

*Rome, March 26.* A Notification has been put up at the usual Places in this City, to invite People to undertake the digging of the Canal of Porto d'Anzio, upon the Conditions therein proposed, agreeable to the Plan formed some Time ago by M. Marechal, a French Enginier. On the 15th Instant died, of the Gout in his Stomach, M. Lercari, Secretary de Propaganda Fide.



Fide, in which Post M. Antonelli succeeds him. A Palace is preparing here, by Order of the Cardinal Archbishop of Sens, who designs to take a Journey into Italy, and to pass some Time in this City. On the 20th died, after a lingering Illness, Cardinal Lercari, aged 81 Years. He has appointed M. Lercari his Heir, after whose Decease the Inheritance devolves to the Propaganda Fide. By the last Dispatches from Vienna, the Secretary of State received Notice of the Decease of Cardinal Trauthson, by whose Death there is a Vacancy of ten Hats in the College of Cardinals, which the Pope shews no Inclination to dispose of.

*Turin, March 30.* Friday last, the 25th Instant, being the Anniversary of the Birth of her Royal Highness Madams Louise, the same was observed at Court as usual. M. Corsini, whose great Uncle was the late Pope Clement the Twelfth, is now here in his Return from Portugal, where he went to carry a Red Cap to the Cardinal Saldanha, who was raised to that Dignity in the last Promotion.

*Dresden, April 10.* The Countess of Bruhl set out on Tuesday last for Warsaw, with the greatest Part of her Retinue. On Wednesday a Regiment of Prussian Militians entered this Town, but marched off next Morning for Pirna. On Friday the Regiment of Fusiliers of General Reht arrived here, whereupon the Regiment of Manteuffel marched off Yesterday Morning; and in the Afternoon the Regiment of Gend-arms also arrived here. The Suitsers, who guarded the Queen of Poland's Palace, are sent home, and the Prussians now alone guard it. Last Night several more Prussian Regiments, as well Horse as Foot, arrived here, so that this Town is now entirely filled with Soldiers. Notwithstanding the numerous Prussian Garrison, that have been quartered here the whole Winter, and the continual Marching to and fro of different Regiments, the Prussian Discipline has been so strict, that no Burglary or other considerable Theft has been heard of. On the contrary, even the Roman Catholics, fearing least the Austrians should soon become Masters of this City, begin seriously to think of securing their most valuable Effects.

*Brussels, April 15.* The French Corps that have marched through this Place since last Tuesday, are the two remaining Battalions of the Grenadiers de France, and four Squadrons of the Regiment of Dragoons of Orleans.

*Whitehall, April 19.*

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable William Earl of Home, to be His Majesty's Lieutenant in the Shire of Berwick in North Britain.

Treasury Chambers, March 15, 1757.

Several Persons having been prosecuted, by the Order of the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, (of which Order Notice was given in the London Gazette of Saturday the 23d of October last) for selling several Tickets, called Irish Tickets, to be determined by the drawing of the last State Lottery, in Defiance of the Laws made against such Practices, two of which Persons, viz. Mr. John McCarrick and Mr. Henry Luna, were, on Tuesday the Eighth of March Instant, convicted of the said Offence, before the Right

Honourable the Lord Mayor, and Sir Robert Ladbroke, Knight, one of the Aldermen of the City of London, on the Statute made in the Eighth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, Chap. 2. Sect. 36. which inflicts a Penalty of 500 l. and one Year's Imprisonment in the County Goal, without Bail or Mainprize, on every Person so convicted.

For the preventing other Persons being guilty of the like Offences, Notice is hereby given, that all Persons, offending against the said Act, will be prosecuted forthwith, the Solicitor of His Majesty's Treasury having received Orders for that Purpose.

A General Meeting of Trustees for repairing and amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surrey and Suffex, is appointed to be held on Saturday the 30th Instant, at the Fox and Hounds in Croysden, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to choose Trustees in the Room of those who are dead, removed, or refuse to act, and on other Affairs relating to the Trust.

Roger Peck, Clerk.

River Dee Office, April 15, 1757.

The Committee of the Company of Proprietors of the Undertaking for Recovering and Preserving the Navigation of the River DEE, do hereby give Notice, that they will on Thursday the 19th of May next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, proceed to sell by Auction, as their Office in White Hart Court, Lombard-street, London, to the best Purchaser or Purchasers who shall bid for the same, so much of the Stock or Stocks of the Person or Persons who have made Default in paying the Call of Three per Cent. pursuant to the Resolutions of the General Court held on the 11th of February 1756, as will satisfy and pay the Sums due from the respective Defaulters to the said Call. By Order of the Committee,

Thomas Lane, Secretary.

N. B. Further Particulars may be had of the Company's Secretary at their said Office.

General Post-Office, March 21, 1757.

Whereas the Post-Boy bringing the Norwich Mail from Epping, to this Office, was, this Morning about Four o'Clock, attacked and robbed on the Road, by the Obelisk, or High Stone, near Laytonstone, in the County of Essex, by a single Highwayman on Horseback, who presented a Pistol to the Post-Boy, at the same Time ordering him to deliver him the Mail, otherwise he would blow his Brains out, which obliged the Post-Boy to unstrap the Mail, and deliver it to the Highwayman, who took the whole Norwich Mail before him upon his Horse, and rode away with it full Speed towards Epping.

N. B. The Norwich Mail contains the following Bags, viz. Norwich, Swaffham, Attleborough, Windham, Thetford, Lynn, Stoke, Bury St. Edmunds, New Market, Saffron-Walden, Cambridge, Bishop Stortford, Sawbridgeworth, Downham, Epping, Ongar and Ely.

The Man who committed this Robbery is described to be a middle-sized Man, and had on a white or very light coloured Riding Coat, with a plain Hat—He rode a brown or dark coloured little Horse, with a swift Tail.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person or Persons, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be entitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post Master General,  
George Shelvoche, Secretary.

General Post-Office, December 20, 1756.

**W**hereas the Post Boy carrying the Worcester Mail from hence to Southall, was, on Sunday Morning the 12th instant, between the Hours of Four and Five of the Clock, attacked and robbed on the Road near Shepherds Bush, by a Footpad, who laid hold of the Bridle of the Post Boy's Horse, and bid him dismount, and afterwards led the said Horse into a Lane near the great Road, and from thence into a Field adjoining, and there near to a Hay Rick took off the Mail from the Horse, opened it, and afterwards the Letters contained in the following Bags, viz. *Campden, Chipping-Norton, Evesham, Burford, Whitney, Woodstock, Oxford, Ludlow, Bromyard, Worcester, Thame, Southall, Gerrard's Cross, Uxbridge, High Wickham, and Baconsfield.*

*Note,* The following Bags in the said Mail were unopened, viz. *Shipston, Enston, and Tebury*; and the said Foot-pad, after detaining the Post-Boy upwards of two Hours, mounted the said Post-Boy's Horse, and rode off with the same towards Acton, which Horse was found the same Morning about Eight o'Clock near the Turnpike at Hyde Park Corner.

The Person who committed this Robbery has since put off several of the Bank Notes, and indorset the Name of James Wilson thereon, to several Inn-keepers on the Road to Caxton, by travelling Post in Post-Chaises with four Horses, by the Way of Barnet, Hatfield, Stevenage, and Bugden, and returning from Caxton by Way of Royston, Ware, and Enfield to London, where he was let down at Gray's Inn Gate in Gray's Inn Lane, about Twelve o'Clock at Noon, on Tuesday the 14th instant. This Person is described to be rather above the Middle-size, of a brown Complexion, very thin Visage and Body, with an effeminate Voice; he had on a Silver-laced Hat with a Cockade, blue Surtout Coat with Brass Buttons, a dark brown close-bodied Coat underneath, a Pair of Breeches with Silver Gartering at the Knees, his Wig or Hair, or both mixed was a dark brown, and tied behind with a Ribbon.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of *Two Hundred Pounds*, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen; or if any Person or Persons, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby the Person who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be entitled to the same Reward of *Two Hundred Pounds*, and also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

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

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**N**OTICE is hereby given to all Persons who are any Ways indebted to the Estate of William Griffith, late of Symmond's Inn Celler, Chancery Lane, Cyder Merchant, deceased, to pay their respective Debts to Mr. William Jones, at the Turk's Head Bagnio in Chancery Lane aforesaid, one of his Executors, on or before the 4th of May next, otherwise they

will be sued for the same. And all Persons who have any Claims on the same Estate, and have not yet brought their Accounts, are hereby required to bring in the same to the said Mr. William Jones, on or before the 4th of May, or they will be excluded from any Dividend of the said Estate. A Dividend thereof will be made the 20th of June next, at Symmond's Inn Celler aforesaid, at Four in the Afternoon.

**H**IS Majesty hath been graciously pleased to grant unto John Ladd, of Trowbridge in the County of Wilt, his Royal Letters Patent, dated the 9th of April 1757, For the sole making and vending his new Method of constructing, on mechanical Principles, Waggon, Wains, Carts, Rollers, Coaches, Chariots, &c. either for Pleasure or Hire, which, without Horses or other Cattle, and with a very moderate human Force, will move and carry, from Place to Place, great Weights, where there are not steep Ascents, with the usual Celerity; And with the Addition of a much lesser Number of Horses or other Cattle than are now used, will remove and carry the like Weights in all publick Roads and Highways, even where there are great and steep Ascents.

**W**HEREAS William Archdeacon, Esq; of the City of Bruges in Flanders, Merchant, as Syndick of the Bankruptcy of Mr. Henry Haydon, late a Merchant in said City, has, since the Payment of the last Dividend of 3 per Cent. and closing the Account of said Bankrupt, recovered Four Hundred and Fifty Guilders Exchange, of Debts that were deemed 60, which amount to 2 per Cent. Dividend now due to his Creditors in England, who upon clearing their Title thereto, and giving proper procurations to their Correspondents in said City (the said Mr. Archdeacon excepted) may receive the same any Time in the Space and Term of one Year from the Date thereof, otherwise it will be applied for the Use and Relief of a Poor and only Daughter of said Haydon, deceased and now living in Bruges. And as said Dividend is very trifling, and not worth the trouble of proving and making out Powers to receive it, it is hoped the Creditors will abandon their Claim, and suffer the Money to be converted to said Charity, and God will Reward them for it. N. B. In last Saturday's Gazette, in this Advertisement, for exclusive read Exchange.

April 16, 1757.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Rivers, of Winmill Hill in the Parish of Saint Luke in the County of Middlesex, Cloth-worker, Dealer 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 22d Day of April instant, and on the 10th and 31st Days of May next, 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 shew 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 to appear or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. James Green, Attorney, in Tottenhouf-Yard, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Blydesteyn and Abraham Blydesteyn, of London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 26th Day of May next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a final Dividend of the said Bankrupts 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. And all Persons who have made any Claims are to come and prove the same, otherwise they will be disallowed.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Hutcheson, late of the City of Bristol, Merchant, intend to meet on the 12th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mrs. Mary Elliot, Widow, known by the Name of the Customhouse Coffee-house in Queen-square, Bristol, in order to make a second 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Birritt, of Wacton in the County of Norfolk, Chairmaker, Wheelwright, and Blacksmith, intend to meet on the 7th of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Robert Storey, being the Sign of the Star, situate in the Parish of St. Peter of Manscroft in the City of Norwich, 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.

In last Saturday's Gazette, in the Commission of Bankruptcy against Sewell Roades, for the 1st of April instant read the 218.

