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AT the Court at Kensington, the 8th Day of June, 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 Tenth of May 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, is near expiring: And where as 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 Seamen and Landmen respectively, who shall, on or before the Thirteenth Day of July 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 Thirteenth Day of July 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. Blair.

[ Price Four-Pence. ]

Westminster, June 28.

**T**HIS Day, the Lords being met, a Message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by Sir Henry Bellendine, Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by Virtue of His Majesty's Commission, for declaring His Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, and several other Lords, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to several publick and private Bills, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to,*

*An Act for granting to His Majesty several Rates and Duties upon Indentures, Leases, Bonds, and other Deeds, and upon News-Papers, Advertisements, and Almanacks, and upon Licences for retailing Wine, and upon Coals exported to Foreign Parts; and for applying, from a certain Time, the Sums of Money arising from the Surplus of the Duties on Licences for retailing Spirituous Liquors, and for raising the Sum of Three Millions by Annuities, to be charged on the said Rates, Duties, and Sums of Money; and for making perpetual, An Act made in the second Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act for the better Regulation of Attornies and Solicitors, and for enlarging the Time for filing Affidavits of the Execution of Contracts of Clerks to Attornies and Solicitors; and also the Time for Payment of the Duties omitted to be paid for the Indentures and Contracts of Clerks and Apprentices.*

*An Act for enabling His Majesty to raise the Sum of One Million for the Uses and Purposes therein mentioned.*

*An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money out of the Sinking Fund, and applying certain Monies remaining in the Exchequer,*

chequer, and the Savings out of the Monies granted in this Session of Parliament for the Pay of the Troops of Hanover for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven; and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament; and for Relief of Claud Johnson, with respect to a Bond entered into by him, for securing the Duties on Tobacco imported by George Buchanan and William Hamilton.

An Act for allowing a further Bounty on Vessels employed in the White Herring Fishery; for giving Liberty to alter the present Form and Size of the Nets used in the said Fishery; and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for the better Ordering of the Militia Forces in the several Counties of that Part of Great Britain called England.

An Act for the Relief and Encouragement of the Captors of Prizes, with respect to the Bringing and Landing Prize-Goods in this Kingdom.

An Act more effectually to prevent the Spreading of the Distemper now raging among the Horned Cattle in this Kingdom.

An Act for the more effectual Preservation and Improvement of the Spawn and Fry of Fish in the River of Thames and Waters of Medway, and for the better Regulating the Fishery thereof.

An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Persons who shall attain, or attempt to attain, Possession of Goods or Money by false or untrue Pretences, for preventing the unlawful Pawning of Goods, for the easy Redemption of Goods pawned, and for preventing Gaming in Publick Houses by Journeymen, Labourers, Servants, and Apprentices.

An Act to render more effectual the several Laws now in being, for the Amendment and Preservation of the Publick Highways and Turnpike Roads of this Kingdom.

An Act to explain and amend an Act made in the Eighteenth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, to prevent the Misbehaviour of the Drivers of Carts in the Streets in London, Westminster, and the Limits of the Weekly Bills of Mortality, and for other Purposes in this Act mentioned.

An Act to indemnify Persons who have been guilty of the unlawful Importing, Landing, or Running of prohibited, uncustomed, or other Goods or Merchandize, upon certain Terms therein mentioned.

An Act to enable the Commissioners for Building Westminster Bride, to widen the Street or Avenue leading from Cockspur Street, to the Passage in Spring Garden near St. James's Park.

An Act to explain, amend, and render more effectual an Act passed in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act to enable the Church-wardens, Overseers, and Inhabitants of the Parish of Saint Saviour in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry,

to hold a Market within the said Parish, not interfering with the High Street in the said Borough.

An Act for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands lying in the South-Level Part of the Great Level of the Fens, commonly called Bedford Level, between Brandon River and Sams's Cut-Drain; and for empowering the Governor, Bailiffs, and Commonalty of the Company of Conservators of the said Great Level, to sell certain Lands within the said Limits, commonly called invested Lands.

An Act for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands and Low Grounds in the several Parishes of Ramsey, Bury, Wislow, Warboys, Farceitt, Standground, and Water Newton, in the County of Huntingdon, and of Dodington in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge.

An Act for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands, Low Grounds and Commons in the Townships or Hamlets of March and Wimblington, and in the Parish of Upwell in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge.

An Act for draining and preserving certain Marsh and Fen Lands and Low Grounds, in the Parish of Wiggenhall St. Mary Magdalen in the County of Norfolk.

An Act for building a Bridge or Bridges cross the River of Thames, from a certain Place in Old Brentford, in the Parish of Ealing in the County of Middlesex, known by the Name of Smith or Smith's Hill, to the opposite Shore in the County of Surry.

An Act for cleansing, paving and lightening the Streets of the City of Bath and Liberties thereof; and for regulating the Chairmen; and also for the keeping a sufficient and well regulated Watch in the Night Time in the said City and Liberties; and to oblige all Owners of Houses, and other Buildings within the said City and Liberties, to bring down the Water from the Roofs of their Houses, and other Buildings, by proper Pipes down the Sides or Walls of such Houses and Buildings; and also to oblige all Coal Carriages to pass by the Borough Walls of the said City during the Night Season.

An Act for enlarging the Terms and Powers granted by an Act passed in the twelfth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty for repairing and enlarging the Highways between the Top of Kingsdown Hill and the City of Bath, and for amending several other Highways therein mentioned leading to the said City; and also for repairing several other Roads therein mentioned.

An Act for amending, widening and keeping in Repair the Roads from the Town of Wrexham in the County of Denbigh, to Pentre Bridge in the County of Flint, and from the Town of Mold to Northop, Holywell, and Rhuddlan, in the same County, and from thence to the Ferry House opposite the Town of Conway in the County of Carnarvon,

narvon, and from Ruthin to the said Town of Mold.

An Act for repairing and widening the Roads leading from Spalding High Bridge through Littleworth, and by Frognall and over James Deeping Stone Bridge in the County of Lincoln, to Maxey Outgang in the County of Northampton, adjoining to the High Road there.

An Act to explain, amend and render more effectual an Act made in the last Session of Parliament for repairing and widening several Roads leading from a Gate called Poole Gate in the Town and County of Peole.

An Act for enlarging the Terms and Powers granted by two Acts of Parliament of the first and seventeenth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty for repairing and amending several Roads leading to and from the Borough of Evesham in the County of Worcester, and for explaining and making more effectual the said Acts; and also for amending, widening and keeping in Repair several other Roads in the Counties of Worcester, Warwick and Gloucester.

An Act for enlarging the Times for the first Meetings of Commissioners or Trustees for putting in Execution certain Acts of this Session of Parliament.

An Act for enlarging the Times limited for executing and performing several Provisions, Powers and Directions in certain Acts of this Session of Parliament.

And to six private Bills.

Camp before Prague, June 8. Last Thursday the two Bridges which had been carried away by the Floods in the River were repair'd, and the Communication between the two Armies is now open. On Friday Morning early one of the Fore Posts (a small Redoute with 80 Men and three Pieces of Cannon) was surprized by a Party of Austrian Grenadiers, supported by 200 Pandours: They threw their Grenades into the Fort, put the Men into Confusion, and, before Assistance came, the Pandours carried away the Cannon; the Loss of Men was inconsiderable, about 12 or 15 on each Side. Deserters say that the Garrison of Prague have been amused with Signals being made from the Steeples for Count Daun's Army to advance, however he is at too great a Distance to return any of them. Since last Friday to this present Time the Austrians have attempted nothing, but our Men have been kept constantly alert, and the Guards in all the Out Forts have been reinforced; another Precaution likewise has been made use of, viz. Chevaux de Frise have been placed on the Edge of the Fossé of those Redoutes, which will make any Attempt to surprize them more difficult. Besides the four former Batteries, in which there are both Mortars and Cannon, two new ones of Cannon only, have been raised on the other

Side of the River. Till Monday last our Batteries played incessantly, and kept the Town on Fire Night and Day in several Places. Since that Time the Fire of the Batteries has abated; but they still continue firing, especially in the Night, and there is hardly a Shot fired from the Town. The Out Guards of Pandours at every Gate, receive a Reward for each Deforter they take. Two Deserters, who came in last Night, say that even the Subaltern Officers have no Meat given them; and that two Days ago the Garrison in Prague began to kill their Horses, of which a certain Number is distributed daily among the Troops. Last Monday came an Account, that, upon a Motion made by the Prince of Bevern, Count Daun's Army had quitted a very strong Post on the High Grounds near Kuttenberg, and encamped in the Plain, with the Right at Czasslau, and the Left at Malechaw: This Day we have Notice that they have left that Camp, and are retiring to Teutsch-Brod, towards Moravia: That the Prince of Bevern has taken Possession of Czasslau, where he found four Days Provision for his whole Corps; that he is following them in their Retreat, and had taken about 80 Prisoners, and killed 40 or 50 Men. Lieutenant Colonel Meyer continues his Operations with Success; and though his original Force did not exceed 1200 Men, he has raised a new Battalion of Deserters, which makes him about 2000 strong, and advanced within three Miles of Nuenberg, where the Senate immediately met, and, after two Days Deliberation, have sent a Deputation to the King of Prussia, to desire a Neutrality. It is hoped that the whole Circle of Franconia will follow this Example, notwithstanding the Efforts made by the Margrave of Anspach to the contrary.

Camp before Prague, June 12. Last Wednesday Night the Town was again set on fire by the Battery on this Side the Moldau, and burnt violently all Night; the next Day they continued firing all Day from the same Battery. The Deserters that come in from Prague, say that it is now 10 Days since they began to kill their Horses; that Forty are given daily to the Troops; that Horse-Flesh is sold at two Grosch, about four Pence, per Pound; that they still continue to brew, but the Price of Beer is considerably raised; that there is no Want of Flour, and that Reports are constantly spread of the Approach of Count Daun's Army, and of the French. By our last Accounts the Prince of Bevern continues at Czasslau, and probably will not stir till he receives the Reinforcement from Silesia, which is said to be in full March, and is considerable. Count Daun remains at Teutsch-Brod towards the Frontiers of Moravia.

Vienna, June 8. Count Coloredo, General of Foot, set out from hence last Monday for Marshal Daun's Army.

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*Vienna, June 11.* It is the general Opinion here, that however scarce other Provisions may be in Prague, that they have Meal sufficient for the Garrison for yet a considerable Time. On Sunday last an Order was read from all the Pulpits in the Town, forbidding all Persons whatever, under severe Penalties, to talk of Politicks, War, &c.

*Hague, June 17.* By our last Advices from Bohemia, the Prussian Army, under the Command of the Duke of Bevern, had approached nearer to Marshal Daun, upon his left Flank, which made it be imagined that an Action might happen, unless the latter retired backward to Moravia, which it is supposed he will do.

Capt. Hyde Parker, of his Britannick Majesty's Ship the Squirrel, is arrived at Embden, where he has stopt all the Forage which was carried that Way to the French Army.

*Hague, June 24.* We have Letters from the Head Quarters of the Army upon the Weser, dated at Holtzhausen the 18th, which bring an Account, that from the 14th to the 16th Instant his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland had marched to the Weser, and passed that River without any Interruption, notwithstanding an Attack on the Rear Guard at Bielefeld and Hervord, in which the Enemy was repulsed with considerable Loss. The Loss on the Side of the Allied Army consisted of 44 Men, killed, wounded, and Prisoners, of which Number, one Officer is killed, and two wounded. The French themselves own, that they gained no Advantage over the Rear Guard of the Allied Army; and that they suffered considerably in the Attack.

*Cologne, June 20.* This Day the first Division of the Palatine Troops are to move from Derendorff to Mittman, To-morrow to Elverfeldt. They will be 15 Days before they arrive at Arefenberg, where they are to join the Corps under M. de Chevert. The Elector of Mentz, the Margrave of Anspach, and the Bishop of Wurtzburg, have wrote to the Elector of Cologne, in the most pressing Terms, to furnish his Contingent of Troops to the Circle. The Elector has accordingly encamped the two Regiments of the Electorate, and ordered new Levies to be made with the greatest Expedition; but it is believed the Troops will not be in a Hurry to march from hence. The Siege of Gueldre was begun last Wednesday. M. de Courten has the Command of the Troops employed in it. The Cavalry that remain'd at Ruremonde are march'd to Wesel.

*Brussels, June 24.* Yesterday arrived here from Valenciennes the two Battalions of Militia of Du Mont and Daney, each of 650 Men, being the first Division of the 6000 Militia that are going to garrison the Places in Westphalia, which are in the Possession of the French.

To-morrow two more Battalions, One of Grenadiers, and the other of St. Pré, are likewise expected here from Lille. Our last Advices from Marshal d'Estrees's Army are of the 21st, but contain nothing of Moment since their Arrival at Bielefeld.

*General Post-Office, December 20, 1756.*

Whereas 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. *Camden, Chipping-Norton, Eversham, Burford, Whitney, Woodstock, Oxford, Ludlow, Bromyard, Worcester, Tbame, Southall, Gerrard's Cross, Uxbridge, High Wickham, and Baconsfeld.*

*Note,* The following Bags in the said Mail were unopened, viz. *Shipstun, Enston, and Tenbury*; 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 indorsed the Name of James Wilson thereon, to several Innkeepers 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 Roylton, Ware, and Enfield to London, where he was set 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 Shetwocke, Secretary.*

*General*

*General Post-Office, March 21, 1757.*

**W**HEREAS 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 untrap 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, Ibsford, 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 Kiding Coat, with a plain Hat—He rode a brown or dark coloured little Horse, with a swish 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 Shelwocke, Secretary.*

*Stamp Office, June 28, 1757.*

**W**HEREAS by an Act of this Session of Parliament it is enacted, that for every Piece of Vellom or Parchment, or Sheet or Piece of Paper, on which shall be ingrossed, written, or printed, any Licence for retailing of Wine, to be granted to any Person who shall not take out either a Licence for retailing of Spirituous Liquors, or a Licence for retailing of Beer, Ale, or other excisable Liquors, over and above all other Rates and Duties payable by Virtue of any former Act or Acts of Parliament imposing any Duties on Stamp Vellom, Parchment and Paper, an additional Duty of Five Pounds for every Piece of Vellom or Parchment, or Sheet or Piece of Paper, on which shall be ingrossed, written, or printed, any Licence for retailing Wine, to be granted to any Person who shall take out a Licence for retailing Beer, Ale, and other excisable Liquors, but shall not take out a Licence for retailing of Spirituous Liquors, over and above all other Rates and Duties payable by Virtue of any former Act or Acts of Parliament, imposing any Duties on stamped Vellom, Parchment and Paper, an additional Duty of Four Pounds. And for every Piece of Vellom or Parchment, or Sheet or Piece of Paper, on which shall be engraffed, written or printed, any Licence for retailing of Wine, to be granted to any Person who shall also take out a Licence for retailing of Spirituous Li-

quors, over and above all other Rates and Duties payable by Virtue of any former Act or Acts of Parliament, imposing any Duties on stamped Vellom, Parchment and Paper, an additional Duty of Forty Shillings.

And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted; that from and after the 5th Day of July 1757, no Person whatsoever, unless he or she shall be authorised and enabled by Licence under the Hand and Seal of two or more of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Stamp Duties, shall sell or utter Wine by Retail, that is by the Pint, Quart, Pottle or Gallon, or by any other greater or less retail Measure, or in Bottles in any less Quantity than shall be equal to the Measure of the Cask or Vessel in which the same shall have been or may lawfully be imported, any kind of Wine or Wines, or any Liquor called or reputed Wine, upon pain to forfeit for every Offence the Sum of 100*l.* one Half to any Person who will inform for the same.

The Commissioners do therefore give Notice, that (in pursuance of the said Act) they are ready to grant Licences, under their Hands and Seals; to such Persons who shall by themselves or Agents apply to them for the same, at their Office in Lincoln's Inn, London; every Person applying for such Wine Licence, producing their Licence to sell Ale, and also to sell Spirituous Liquors, if they have any such Licences.

*Excise Office, London, June 15, 1757.*

Whereas by an Act passed in the 29th Year of His Majesty, [entitled, "An Act for granting to His Majesty several Rates and Duties payable by all Persons, and Bodies Politick or Corporate, having certain Quantities of Silver Plate,"] all Persons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, were required to give Notice, and make true Entry in Writing, at the several Offices of Excise in England, Wales, and the Town of Berwick upon Tweed, of their owning, using, having, or keeping Silver Plate, and of the Number of Ounces of such Plate chargeable by the said Act, with the Rates and Duties therein mentioned, whereforever the same or any Part thereof shall be kept, and of the Parish or Place, or Parishes or Places where such Persons shall respectively inhabit, or where such Bodies Politick or Corporate shall respectively be situate, distinguishing in such Notice, whether the same be on their own Account, or on the Account of any other, and what Person or Persons, or Body or Bodies Politick or Corporate.

And whereas by the said Act, all Persons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, who did give, or were obliged to give such Notice as aforesaid, are required to give, within Thirty Days next after the Commencement of each Year, for which the said Rates and Duties shall be payable, a fresh Notice in Manner aforesaid, and pay down the respective Annual Rates and Duties mentioned in the said Act, according to the Number of Ounces of Silver Plate chargeable thereby, which they shall then respectively own, use, have, or keep, as long as they shall respectively continue to own, use, have, or keep any Quantity of Silver Plate chargeable thereby.

This is therefore to remind all Persons, Bodies Politick and Corporate, that the Time for making the said fresh Entries and paying the said Duties for the subsequent Year, will commence on the 5th Day of July next ensuing; when, or within Thirty Days after, all Persons, Bodies Politick and Corporate, are obliged by the said Act

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under the Penalties therein set forth, to give such fresh Notices, and pay the respective Duties chargeable by the said Act on the Silver Plate, which they shall then respectively own, use, have, or keep.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
Bendall Martyn, Secretary.

**Commissioners of Annexed Estates Office,  
Edinburgh, April 16, 1757.**

Whereas the Commissioners of His Majesty's Forfeited Annexed Estates in Scotland have been informed, That there are divers Appearances on the said Estates of Mines and Minerals; All Persons skilful in searching for Mines, upon Trials and Discoveries by them made, are desired to send in their Proposals, sealed up, to the Secretary to the Commission at Edinburgh: And thereupon the said Discoveries and Proposals will be taken by the said Commissioners into Consideration, in order to their granting Leases upon reasonable Terms.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
Stamp Brooksbank, Secretary.

**Office for Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for exchanging Prisoners of War, June 25, 1757.**

The Commissioners for taking Care of His Majesty's Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for exchanging Prisoners of War, do hereby give Notice, that on Thursday the 14th Day of July next, they will be ready to treat with such Person or Persons as may be willing to contract for subsisting, &c. of Prisoners of War on the Islands of Jamaica, Barbados and Antigua, while in Health, as also for the Victualling, Cure, &c. of such of them as may be sick; and all Persons who are desirous of carrying on these Services, are to send or deliver into the said Office distinct Tenders for each, and for the different Places, at or before the abovementioned Time, specifying the lowest Terms on which they would contract, and distinguishing in the Tender for the well Prisoners at what Rates they would furnish them with Provisions, Bedding, and Places for their Accommodation, or with Provisions and Bedding only.

Conditions of the abovementioned Contract may be seen by applying to the Secretary of the said Office; of Henry Dampier, Esq; Agent for Prisoners of War at Bristol; or of Mr. Langdon, Agent for Prisoners of War at Liverpool.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Tartar, who were actually on board at the taking of the French Privateer, Le Grand Gedeon, that they or their lawful Attorneys will be paid their respective Shares of the said Prize on board the Tartar, the next Time she returns into Plymouth Sound. The Recalls will be on the first Monday of every Month for three Years, at Mr. Thomas Hills, the Sign of the White Hart upon Plymouth Dock.

*Advertisements.*

HIS most Excellent Majesty hath, by his Letters Patents, bearing Date at Westminster the 12th Day of March last, granted unto Isaac Wilkinson, of Barham Furnace, in the Parish of Wrexham in the County of Denbigh, (the Inventor) his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, (the Term of Fourteen Years from the Date thereof, the sole Purchase of making, using, exercising and vending in England, Wales, Berwick upon Tweed, and in His Majesty's Colonies in America, a new Machine or Kind of Bellows Forge, blowing of Furnaces or Forges at any Distance, to be wrought or put in Motion by Water or Fire Engines.

On the 1st of July will be published,

(Illustrated with Copper Plates)

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The Whole will be compris'd in twenty Volumes, one of which will be publish'd the first Day of every Month, without Interruption, till the Work is completed.

At the End of this Volume are added two Dissertations, never before printed; I. Concerning Queen Ann Bollen. II. Of the Birth of Edw. VI. with some Remarks on Sir John Hayward's Life of that Prince.

On Friday next will be published,

In One Large Volume Quarto,

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By **JOHN RUTTY, M. D.**

N. B. Particular Waters minutely treated of in this Work, are these following:

Aston	Jeffop's Well.
Aix la Chapelle	Ilkington
Alford	Knareborough
Aponus Baths	Lacus Asphaltites, or the Lake of Sodom
Aquæ Bollenæ	Loch Ness
A trope	Lough Neagh
Baden Baths	Mallow Warm Water
Balaruc Baths	Matlock
Balamurta	Maudsley
Bally spellan	Moffat
Barages Bathe	Nevillholt
Barnet	North-hall
Bourbon Baths	Oily Well (Edinburgh)
Bath, Somersetshire	Pancras
Bristol	Passi
Buxton	Pyrmont
Caldas Baths	Scarborough
Caroline Baths	Spa
Cheltenham	Schwalbacanæ Aquæ
Cleves	Shadwell
Cronebaun	Shapmoor
Deddington	Stretham
Dog and Duck	Sydenham Common
Dulwich	Swadlingbar
Dunse	Thetford
Dublin purging Springs	Tilbury
Egra	Tralee
Epsum	Tunbridge
Fonsanche	Thermæ
Forges	De Vichy Baths.
Geronsferre	Villa Baths
Hartfell	Upminster
Harrigate.	Wisbadenæs
Holt	And above 170 more
Jamaica Hot Waters	

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## WHEREAS His Majesty King GEORGE

the Second has been graciously pleased to grant His Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date the 9th Day of September 1756, unto Charles Ard, for the sole Use and Benefit of his new Method of manufacturing of Salt, according to his said Invention, within that Part of Great Britain called England, His Majesty's Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, with special Licence, full Power, sole Privilege and Authority to him the said Charles Ard, his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, that he and they, by him and themselves, or by his or their Deputies, Servants, or Agents, or such others as he the said Charles Ard, his Executors, Administrators and Assigns should agree with, and no others, from Time to Time, and at all Times thereafter, during the Term of 14 Years therein expressed, should, and lawfully might make, use, exercise and vend his said Invention within that Part of His Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain called England, his Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, in such Manner as to him the said Charles Ard, his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, or any of them should in their Direction seem meet: And that he and they should and lawfully might have and enjoy the whole Profits, Benefit, Commodity and Advantages from Time to Time coming, growing, accruing and arising by Reason of the said Invention, for and during the Term of Years mentioned: Whoever therefore shall either directly or indirectly make use of, or put in Practice the said Invention, or any Part of the same, or in any ways counterfeit, imitate or resemble the same, or make, or cause to be made any Addition thereto, or Substraction from the same, whereby to pretend himself or themselves the Inventor or Inventors, Devisor or Devisors thereof, shall be prosecuted with the utmost Rigour of the Law.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, A Leasehold House with the Appurtenances, situate in Dartmouth Street, Westminster, late in the Possession of Lewis Ferron, Watchmaker, held of the Earl of Dartmouth, for a Term of 31 Years, commencing at Michaelmas 1751, subject to a Ground Rent of 6 l. 4 s. a Year.

**P**ursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing Date the 9th Day of this Instant June, the Commissioners in the joint Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against William Buttar and John Crawford, of Cateaton Street, London, Merchants and Partners, Bankrupts, intend to meet on the 5th Day of July next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, where the separate Creditors of each of the said Bankrupts are to be at Liberty to prove their separate Debts due and owing to them from the said Bankrupts respectively.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London, The Real Estate of the Honourable Charles Roper, deceased, either entire, or in the three following Lots, at the Option of the Bidders, viz.

Lot N<sup>o</sup> 1. Containing the Manors of Sturry and Haugh, with the Rectory of Sturry; and divers Farms, Lands, and Tenements situate in the Parishes of Sturry, Westbeere, Hearn, and Chiffert, near Canterbury, in the County of Kent, being together of the yearly Value of 484 l. or thereabouts.

Lot N<sup>o</sup> 2. Containing the Manor of Ashford, and divers Messuages, Lands and Tenements situate at Ashford in the same County, being together of the yearly Value of 160 l. or thereabouts. And

Lot N<sup>o</sup> 3. Containing several Farms, Lands, Tenements, and Salt Works in the Isle of Graine in the same County, being to-

gether of the yearly Value of 248 l. or thereabouts. Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the said Master's Chambers

**T**HE Creditors of Mr. Samuel Mason, formerly of Connecticut in New England in America, but late of London, deceased, are desired to send an Account of their respective Debts, to Mess. Astley and Dagge, in Walbrook, London.

**W**hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Wilding, of the Parish of St. Mary Abchurch, London, Vintner, 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 2d and 15th of July next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on the 9th Day of August following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, 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. Burman, Attorney, in Lincoln's Inn New Square, London.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Ryle, late of Stockport in the County of Chester, Mercer, intend to meet on the 10th Day of August next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at William Ellison's, at the Sign of the White Lion in Stockport aforesaid, (instead of the 27th Day of July next) 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Hopley, late of the Great Minories, in the Parish of St. Botolph Aldgate, London, Haberdasher, intend to meet on the 19th of July next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Mathew Blaguier, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 20th of July next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

**W**hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Williams, of the Parish of St. Clement Dane, in the County of Middlesex, Undertaker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir John Willes, Knt. Sir Sidney Stafford Smythe, Knt, and Sir John Eardley Wilmot, Knt. Lords Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Samuel Williams hath in all Things confirmed 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, their Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 19th of July next.

