

is blocked up, and there is not an Austrian to be found in all Silesia, except that Garrison.

At Breslau, 144,000 Florins were found in the Austrian Military Chest, and the Magazines were well stocked. The 37 Pieces of Prussian Cannon, which are retaken, are those which were lost in the Action of the 22d of November; besides which we found in the Town all the Artillery belonging to the Place, and 44 Pieces of Austrian Cannon.

Admiralty Office, January 17.

Plymouth, Jan. 13. Yesterday the Alcide sent in here a St. Domingo Ship, which she took the 9th Instant. The Lieutenant who commands her says, he parted from the Vanguard, Biddeford, and Dolphin, two Days since, which had just then taken a Privateer of 22 Guns, belonging to Bayonne, and the Day before a Prize from St. Domingo.

Portsmouth, Jan. 14. Last Night arrived here a Privateer of 12 Carriage Guns and 70 Men, taken by the Chichester. Three other Prizes also came in at the same Time, taken by the Dunkirk; two of them from Rochelle, bound to Louisbourg with Provisions; the third from Port Louis, bound to St. Domingo, laden with Wine, Oyl, Soap, and some India Goods.

Whitehall Treasury Chambers, Dec. 1, 1757.

WHEREAS adhering to the King's Enemies, by giving to them Aid or Comfort, either within his Realm, or elsewhere, is High Treason, and the Concealment thereof is Misprision of Treason;

And Whereas the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have received Information, That a Loan of Money for that Purpose is at this Time negotiating in this Kingdom; Their Lordships do hereby promise a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds to any Person, by whose Discovery any Subject of His Majesty, or any Person residing within this Realm, shall be convicted of lending or advancing directly or indirectly, or of causing or procuring to be so lent or advanced, or of subscribing for, or contributing to, or of soliciting or contracting for or remitting, either in Coin or Bullion, or by Bill or Bills of Exchange, or by any other Means whatsoever, any Sum or Sums of Money, to or for the Use or Purpose aforesaid. The said Reward to be paid immediately on the Conviction of every such Offender, by the Solicitor of the Treasury, without Deduction, their Lordships having given Directions for the immediate Prosecution of such Offenders.

Whitehall, January 13, 1758.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that the House of Thomas Mould, Farmer, at Maryland Point in the Parish of Westham, in the County of Essex, was, on Saturday last, the 5th Instant, at Night, forcibly entered by five or more Men, armed, who attempted to murder the said Thomas Mould and his Family, but meeting with such Resistance from him, and one of his Servants, as defeated that Design, wounded both of them in a desperate Manner; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons guilty of the said wicked Crimes, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover the rest of his Accomplices in the said Facts, so that they, or any one of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLDERNESSE.

And as a further Encouragement, the said Thomas Mould does hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds

to the Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by him upon the Conviction of any two or more of the Offenders.

Tho. Mould.

And the Church Wardens of the Parish of Westham do likewise hereby promise a still farther Reward of Thirty Pounds, to the Person making the aforesaid Discovery, to be also paid by them upon the Convictions of any two or more of the Offenders abovementioned.

Robert Rake.

John Thompson.

War Office, January 12, 1758.

Whereas, notwithstanding the King's Orders that all Ensigns lately appointed, should immediately repair to the Head Quarters of their respective Regiments, several of the said Ensigns have not as yet appeared there; This is to give publick Notice, that every Ensign appointed before the 24th of December last, who shall not have joined his Regiment, or presented himself to be examined and approved of by the Colonel or Commanding Officer of his Regiment, on the 24th Day of February next, shall be superseded.

By His Majesty's Command,

BARRINGTON.

Custom House, London, November 13, 1757.

Whereas on Tuesday the 30th Instant, at Night, John Miles and William Dodd, Officers of the Customs, belonging to the Port of Arundell in Sussex, with four Dragoons, fell in with a large Gang of Smugglers, to the Number of Fifty or upwards, who were loading a great Number of Horses with Tea, and upon the Officers attempting to seize the same, a Signal was given by the Smugglers to a Cutter lying near the Shore, belonging to Selsey near Chichester, commanded by one Thomas Green, as represented by the Account transmitted to the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, from which Cutter the said Tea was brought and landed, as there is great Reason to believe; And whereas thereupon a great Quantity of Fire Arms and other offensive Weapons were brought from the Cutter to the Smugglers on the Shore, with which they (the Smugglers) fired upon the Officers and Dragoons, and shot one Thomas Cole, a Dragoon of the Wiltshire Regiment, commanded by the Honourable Lieutenant General Chelmondley, who is since dead, and also dangerously wounded another Dragoon, and violently beat and abused one of the Officers of the Customs, and rescued from the Officers much the greatest Part of the said Tea. The Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in order to bring the Offenders to Justice, and the more effectually to put a Stop to such illegal, violent, and outrageous Proceedings, do hereby promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons who shall apprehend the said Offenders, or any or either of them, so that they may be dealt with according to Law, to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs, on Conviction of each of the said Offenders.

And any of the Persons who were concerned in the Rescue of the Goods aforesaid, who shall, within three Months after such Offence, discover two or more of their Accomplices, so as they be convicted thereof, will be intitled to a Reward of Fifty Pounds; and every such Person so discovering, will be clearly acquitted and discharged of his Offence aforesaid, by the Act of the 9th of His present Majesty.

By Order of the said Commissioners,

William Wood, Secretary.

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