

Whitehall, May 10, 1760.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that some evil-minded Person or Persons, did, some Time in the Night of the 25th of April last, maliciously cut to Pieces a Gate of a new Inclosure against Pilsd Field, the Property of Mr. Robert Barfoot, of the Parish of Bishop Waltham in the County of Southampton, and at the same Time left an incendiary Letter to him the said Robert Barfoot, to the Purport following, that is to say, that he, meaning the Farmer, if he had been at the Gate, he would have cut him to Pieces: And also did at the same Time, steal from the Sheepfold, which was in the Inclosure, one Iron Bar, and threw down the Hurdles, and let the Sheep out of the Fold where they were then penned. His Majesty for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Offender or Offenders therein, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein.

W. PITT.

And as a farther Encouragement, Mr. Robert Barfoot, does promise a Reward of Ten Guineas to any Person making such Discovery, to be paid upon the Conviction of any of the Offenders.

Whitehall Treasury Chamber, May 9, 1760.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give Notice, that they are ready to receive Proposals from any Person or Persons willing to supply Ammunition Bread, Bread Waggon with four Horses each, Forage, Wood for Firing, and Straw, for the Use of His Majesty's Troops to be encamped this Summer, and to be delivered at or near the several Places of Encampments; which Proposals are to be delivered, sealed up and directed to either of their Lordships Secretaries at the said Treasury Chambers, any Time on or before the 20th Instant.

Northampton, April 29, 1760.

The next General Meeting of the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, for carrying into further Execution the Militia Law now in Force, will be held at the George Inn in this Town, on Monday the 9th Day of June next, at which it is desired that the Gentlemen concerned will attend, as the amended Lists of all Persons liable to serve in the Militia for this County, will then and there be brought in: And as the Lists of Lieutenants and Ensigns in the said Militia are not yet full, all Gentlemen willing to accept the vacant Commissions, are desired to send in their Names to me, or the Clerk of the General Meetings, on or before the said next General Meeting.

Rogers, Clerk of the General Meetings. DUNK HALIFAX.

Salop, April 11, 1760.

Whereas an Act hath passed in this present Session of Parliament, to enable the Lord Lieutenant of those Counties, where the Militia Forces have not been raised, to summon a Meeting of all such Persons as are qualified and willing to serve as Officers in the Militia, notwithstanding the Suspension made in Pursuance of the Directions of the former Acts: And whereas at the Meeting of His Majesty's Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Salop, this Day held at the Talbot Inn in this Town, a sufficient Number of Gentlemen qualified to serve as Officers in the Militia for the said County, did not appear, or give in their Names in Writing for that Purpose: In order therefore that the Militia Acts may the more effectually be carried into Execution, His Majesty's said Lieutenant doth hereby give Notice, that another Meeting will be held at the Place aforesaid, on Tuesday the 20th Day of May next: And likewise desires that all Persons qualified to serve as Officers, and willing to accept Commissions, will attend the said Meeting, or deliver, or cause to be delivered, their Names in Writing to His Majesty's said Lieutenant, or such Person as shall be appointed to receive the same, specifying the Rank in which they are willing to serve.

POWIS.

General Post Office, April 12, 1760.

Public Notice is hereby given, That, for the Time to come, no Person whatsoever will be permitted to pass from England, in any of the King's Packet Boats, stationed at Harwich or Dover, without first obtaining a Passport from one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

All Persons, intending to return to England in the said Packet Boats, are in like Manner to produce a Passport from His Majesty's Minister at the Hague, or from His Majesty's Consul or Vice-Consul at Flushing, before they can be received on Board.

By Command of the Post master General,
Henry Potts, Secretary.

Visualling Office, April 11, 1760.

The Commissioners for Visualling His Majesty's Navy, do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 23d of May next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for furnishing such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels with Provisions as shall touch at Jamaica, and be in want thereof. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office, at the Visualling Office, London.

Visualling Office, May 7, 1760.

The Commissioners for Visualling His Majesty's Navy, do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 21st Instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for Oxen, for Fresh Meat, for His Majesty's Ships at Portsmouth, to commence the 1st of June next, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Custom House, London, May 9, 1760.

The Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs gives Notice, that he shall be ready on the 19th Day of May Instant, and the Four following usual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn Debentures that became due between the 28th of February 1760, exclusive, and the 5th of March following inclusive, without Interest.

The said Receiver General gives this further Notice, that in Case any of the said Debentures shall remain unpaid for want of being tendered for Payment on one of the five Days above-mentioned, that no Interest will be paid thereon.

May 8, 1760.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the Trustees of Wade's Mill Turnpike Roads, in the County of Hertford, are appointed to meet at the George Inn at Puckridge in the said County, on Friday the 30th Day of this Instant May, at Ten in the Forenoon.

Bot. Toller, Clerk to the said Trustees.

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