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March 5<sup>th</sup>. 1762. Oliver Goldsmith.

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Notes: 1. Frank F. Moore, *The Life of Oliver Goldsmith* (New York, 1911), page 235: "He received [from publisher John Newbery] but fourteen guineas for the two hundred and thirty-four pages" of the *Life* of Nash.

2. Newbery's newspaper The Public Ledger beginning in 1760 ran Goldsmith's "Chinese Letters" for twenty months.

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