

was pleased to make some Promotions. His Excellency M. du Reventlau, lately promoted to the Post of Grand Chamberlain, received the Honor of the Blue Ribband, belonging to the Order of the Elephant. The White Ribband of the Order of Danbrogg was conferred on the Five following Persons: M. de Schack, the Danish Minister at Stockholm; M. de Reventlau, Master of the Queen-Mother's Court; General Fink; Lieutenant-General Arnstedt; and M. de Moltke, lately Marshal to his Royal Highness the Prince. The Key of Chamberlain was also given to Count Holck, who had been Gentleman of the Bedchamber to his Danish Majesty while Prince Royal; and to M. de Plessen, M. de Holstein, and M. de Rantzau, who were Gentlemen of the Bedchamber to the late King.

Florence, February 1. Count Rosenberg arrived here two Days ago from Vienna, and is lodged in the Palace: He has brought with him the Grand Ducal Crown and Robes, which the late Emperor carried with him to Vienna: The Crown is very rich, and made Part of the Jewels of the State.

Hamburg, February 7. This City and Lubeck have named Syndick Faber and Senator Wagener to go to Vienna, to compliment the Emperor upon his Accession to the Imperial Throne.

The Frost is set in again with such Severity, that the Elbe, which was open, is shut up a Second Time.

Berlin, February 8. Last Sunday the King of Prussia returned to Potsdam; and, a few Days after, the Prince Royal of Prussia, together with the Princess his Consort, young Prince Henry, and the two Princes of Brunswick in this Service, likewise set out from hence for that Place.

St. James's, February 18.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, containing a Grant unto John Blunden, Esq; one of the Representatives in the Parliament of Ireland of the City of Kilkenny, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, the Dignity of a Baron of the said Kingdom.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, containing a Grant unto Richard St. George, Esq; one of the Representatives in the Parliament of Ireland of the Borough of Athlone in the County of Westmeath, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, the Dignity of a Baron of the said Kingdom.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, containing a Grant unto the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Shannon, of the Office and Place of Master General of the Ordnance, Arms, Armories, and other Habilitaments of War in the said Kingdom.

York-House, February 16.

This Day Count Bothmar, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, had a private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke of York.

And afterwards of his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester at Leicester House.

To both which he was introduced by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, February 3, 1766.

Whereas I have received Information from his Excellency the Earl of Hertford, His Majesty's Lieutenant General and General Governor of the Kingdom of Ireland, That Part of the Cargo and Treasure of the Ship Earl of Sandwich, whereof John Cochran was late Commander, (who in his Voyage in her, from Teneriff to London, was, together with Captain Glass, his Wife and Daughter, Passengers, and some others belonging to the said Ship, barbarously murdered by Part of the Crew thereof) having been found on the Coast of Ireland, is now properly secured in that Kingdom by his Excellency's Order; I give this Publick Notice thereof, to the End, that all Persons concerned in the Treasure and Cargo of the said Ship, so found and secured as above-mentioned, may, without Loss of Time, authorize proper Persons to lay in their Claims, in the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland's Chief Secretary's Office in Dublin Castle, and agree upon a Method for settling and ascertaining their respective Properties and Proportions.

H. S. CONWAY.

St. James's, February 15, 1766.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Sunday the 2d Day of this instant February, about Seven o'Clock in the Evening of the same Day, an anonymous threatening Letter, or Writing, directed for Mr. Chambers, Surgeon, Beccles, was brought to the Dwelling-house of John Chambers, in the Town of Beccles in the County of Suffolk, Surgeon, Portreeve of Beccles Fenn; which said anonymous Letter, or Writing, he the said John Chambers was informed, by the Person who brought the same to him, was found, the same Evening, in the Street near the Market-Place, in Beccles aforesaid, at some considerable Distance from his said Dwelling-House:

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said Letter, so found and brought to the said John Chambers as aforesaid, is, hereby, pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the same) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Fact, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

H. S. CONWAY.

St. James's, January 3, 1766.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That a Draft has been passed on the Bank, under the Signature of Sir Joshua Van Neck and Co. for 4500 l. dated the 21st of October last, payable to the Honorable Thomas Walpole, Esq; and the said Draft has been exchanged for sundry Bank Notes, payable to the aforementioned Thomas Walpole, which have been paid, in Cash, on or about the 28th, 29th, and 30th of the said Month; and that there is Reason to suspect that the said Draft was forged:

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing and Forging the