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Berlin, November 26.

THE King of Prussia continues at Sans Souci, and is greatly affected for the Death of his Sister, the late Margravine of Schwedt. Orders have been given, that all Servants belonging to the Royal Household, should be put into deep Mourning; that all the Officers of a certain Rank, holding Civil Employments, should likewise put themselves into Mourning; and the General Officers of the Army are ordered to wear black Waistcoats and Breeches, and the Subaltern Officers to have a black Crape Scarf round the Arm.

The publick Entertainments and Diversions, usual here during the Time of the Carnival, are, by express Order from the King of Prussia, put off till the 14th of January next.

St. James's, December 3.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Sir George Bridges Rodney, Bart. to be Master of His Majesty's Hospital at Greenwich in the County of Kent, and also one of the Commissioners, or Governors thereof, in the Room of Isaac Townsend, Esq; deceased.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 5, 1765.

Orders for the Court's into Mourning on Sunday next the 8th Instant, for her Royal Highness the Margravine of Schwedt deceased, Sister to the King of Prussia, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, fringed or plain Linen, black or white Fans, and white Gloves.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, fringed or plain Linen, black Swords and Buckles.

Admiralty Office, December 4, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty Sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, That on the 30th past, the Ship Neptune, of London, Burthen about 240 Tons, John Slightholm, Master, bound from Newcastle to London, laden with Coals, struck on the Cockle Sand off Caister on the Coast of Norfolk, where she sunk, and is, with all her Cargo, entirely lost.

Pb. Stephens.

December 7, 1765.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank, on Thursday next the 12th Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

F O R S A L E,

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Third Year of King George the Third) on Monday the 16th, Tuesday the 17th, Wednesday the 18th, and Thursday the 19th Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers in those Commodities, viz.

Several Parcels of Borea and Green Teas, Coffee Raw and Roasted Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack; Hungary and Cordial Waters, Spruce Beer, Wooden Clocks, and Tobacco Pipes. Clear of all Duties.

The above Goods to be seen and tasted at the King's Warehouse at the Custom House, London, and the Tobacco Pipes at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe, on Thursday the 12th, Friday the 13th, and Saturday the 14th of December, from Nine to One in the Forenoons of the said Days, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

General Post-Office, December 7, 1765.

His Majesty's Postmaster General, for the Improvement of Correspondence, having been pleased to establish a Packet-Boat between Whitehaven and the Isle of Man, to sail to and from the said Island, once in every Fortnight; Publick Notice is hereby given, that this Regulation will commence the 5th of January next, and that all Letters by this Conveyance, will, over and above the Inland Rates, be charged Two Pence each Single Letter, for Packet-Postage, and so in Proportion.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Hen. Potts, Secretary.

Victualling-Office, November 27, 1765.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 1st of January next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to contract for furnishing such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels with Sea 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 Victualling-Office, London.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office,

London, November 27, 1765.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, that the Annual General Court, appointed by their Charter, will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday the 18th of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; and that a Dividend will be considered of at the said Court.

Royal Exchange Assurance-Office,

London, December 4, 1765.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company do hereby give Notice, that their Transfer Books will be put from Tuesday the 17th of December instant to Thursday the 9th of January next.