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From Saturday January 9, to Tuesday January 12, 1790.

Whitehall, January 12.

THE King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable John Earl of Chatham, Richard Hopkins, Esq; the Right Honourable Charles George Lord Arden, and Samuel Lord Hood, both of the Kingdom of Ireland, the Right Honourable Robert Grosvenor, commonly called Lord Viscount Belgrave, the Honourable John Thomas Townshend, and Alan Gardner, Esq; to be His Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of High Admiral of the Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands and Territories thereunto belonging.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 12, 1790.

SUCH Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on next Monday, the 18th Instant, are requested to send their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office, on or before Friday the 15th, and to send for their Tickets the next Day (Saturday) between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon.

N. B. No Attendance will be given at this Office, on the Day of the Ball, after Two o'Clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 12, 1790.

TO prevent the Inconveniencies which have arisen from the Space before Their Majesties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requested, that those Ladies only who mean to dance will send for Dancers Tickets, and sit in those Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Vienna, December 26.

His Imperial Majesty, who has been for some Days indisposed, is now much better.

Last Wednesday-Evening Marshal Laudohn arrived in good Health at his Country House in this Neighbourhood.

Dresden, December 27.

Lieutenant-General Stutterheim, the Elector's Minister for Foreign Affairs, and of the War Department, died here the 23d Instant, in the 71st Year of his Age.

General Post-Office January 9, 1790.

THE Post-Boy bringing the Mail of Letters from Lynn of the 8th Instant for London, and also the Letters from Lynn for the North, was stopped between Seven and Eight o'Clock last Night by One or more Persons on Methwold Warren near Brandon, who knocked the Boy from his Seat, and drove the Horse and Cart away with the Mail.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person or Persons who committed the said Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS; or if any Person, whether an Accomplice in the Robbery or knowing thereof, shall make discovery whereby one or more of the Persons concerned therein may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party or Parties, be entitled to the same Reward, and will also receive His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Anth. Todd, Secretary

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place,
December 16, 1789.

WE, His Majesty's Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties, duly authorized by the Lord, Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, pursuant to an Act passed in the 27th Year of His present Majesty's Reign, to lett to Farm the Duties granted by "An Act of the 25th of His present Majesty on "Horses lett to Hire for travelling Post and by "Time," do hereby give Notice, that we intend to lett, at our Office in Somerset-Place, the said Duties to Farm on Tuesday the 19th of January next,

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