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*St. James's, January 18.*

**T**HIS Day being appointed for the Celebration of the Anniversary of the Queen's Birth-Day, there was a very numerous and splendid Appearance of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, to compliment Their Majesties on the Occasion. The Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired at One o'Clock. In the Evening there was a Ball at Court; and Illuminations and other Public Demonstrations of Joy in London and Westminster.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 20.*

Notice is hereby given, that there will be a Drawing-Room on Thursday next the 26th Instant, and will continue every Thursday till further Orders.

*Whitehall, January 21.*

The King has been pleased to approve the Appointment of John Dampe, Esq; to be His Danish Majesty's Consul in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

The King has also been pleased to approve the Appointment of George Eskildsen, Esq; to be His Danish Majesty's Consul in Ireland.

*Commissions in the Devonshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.*

*East Regiment, Arthur Champernown, Esq; to be Captain, vice Nathaniel Perkins Pine, Esq; resigned. Dated January 6, 1792.*

*Nathaniel Perkins Pine, Esq; to be Lieutenant. Dated January 7, 1792.*

*Constantinople, December 12, 1791.*

The Plague has, in the Course of the last Week, made an alarming Progress in every Quarter of this City and it's Suburbs. Many Accidents of that Distemper happen daily in Pera and Galata.

[ Price Eight-pence. ]

## STATE LOTTERY.

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place, Jan. 12, 1792.

**H**IS Majesty's Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties think it necessary, at this Period, thus publicly to caution all Persons against buying or selling any Shares of Tickets in the ensuing State Lottery, other than such as are legally stamped, or PUBLISHING, IN ANY MANNER, PROPOSALS for such Purpose; the Act having prohibited, under large Penalties, the dealing in CHANCES, under any Pretence or Device whatsoever, which may depend on the Contingency of drawing the said Tickets; and a recent Judgment, in the Court of King's Bench, having determined, that the Prohibition against PUBLISHING ILLEGAL PROPOSALS applies not only to the Projectors of them, but extends also to the Publishers of Newspapers, of Hand-Bills, or any other Communication of such Proposals.

By Order of the Commissioners,  
John Brettell, Secretary.

*Navy-Office, January 11, 1792.*

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 24th of this Month, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's several Yards with Copper Sheets of an improved Manufacture, and some of the common Sort; also with Copper and mixed Metal Nails. The Contract for the Copper Sheets to commence the 20th of March next, and that for the Nails the 27th of the same Month.

Specimens of the improved Copper Sheets, and Forms of the Tender, may be seen in the Lobby here.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock on the Day of Treaty; nor will any be regarded as such, unless the Party, or some Person for him, attends.

Sierra Leone Company.

**N**otice is hereby given, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at the London Tavern, in Bishopsgate-street, on Wednesday the 8th Day of February next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, for the Purpose of balloting for new Members, and on other Affairs. Dated January 21, 1792.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
John Williams, Solicitor and Secretary.

