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Florence, December 17.

IN Consequence of the Orders from Vienna, a Mourning has been notified here for the late Archdutchess Isabella, which is to last Three Months; and Preparations are making to celebrate the Funeral Obsequies in the Beginning of January.

In the last Week Count Woronzow arrived here with his Lady, Daughter, Nephew, and a very numerous Suite, consisting in all of near Forty People.

Paris, January 2. At a Chapter of the Order of the Holy Ghost, which was held Yesterday, M. de Chatelet, M. de Sault, M. d'Estaing, and M. de Mouy, were nominated to fill the Vacancies therein.

Hague, January 3. The Hereditary Prince of Brunswick sets out To-morrow to embark for England, though the Wind is still contrary, in order to take Advantage of the first favourable Wind.

Cumberland House, January 3.

This Day his Excellency the Count de Seilern, Ambassador Extraordinary from the Emperor and Empress Queen, had his first private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland.

Custom-house, London, January 7, 1764.

F O R S A L E,

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-house, on Thursday the 26th of January, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

Sugars, Ginger, Aloes Epatica, and Cotton in Time.

The Goods to be viewed at the New Warehouses at the Custom-house, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday before the Time of Sale.

Whitehall, November 21, 1763.

The Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations having received Information, that many Persons are desirous of Grants of Land in His Majesty's Provinces of East Florida and West Florida in America, in Order to the Cultivation of the same for the raising of Silk, Cotton, Wine, Oyl, Indigo, Cochineal, and other Commodities to which the said Lands are adapted: Their Lordships therefore, to avoid any Delay in the making of such Settlements, do, by His Majesty's Command give public Notice, that His Majesty has been pleased to direct, that the Lands in His Majesty's said Provinces of East Florida and West Florida shall be surveyed and laid out into Townships, not exceeding Twenty Thousand

Acres each, for the Convenience and Accommodation Settlers; and that these Townships, or any Proportions thereof, will be granted, upon the same moderate Conditions of Quit-Rent and Cultivation as are required in other Colonies, to such Persons as shall be willing to enter into reasonable Engagements to settle the Lands, within a limited Time, and at their own Expence, with a proper Number of useful and industrious Protestant Inhabitants, either from His Majesty's other Colonies, or from Foreign Parts; and all Persons who may be willing to obtain such Grants, are desired to send their Proposals in Writing to John Pownall, Esq; Secretary to the said Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations.

By Order of their Lordships,
J. Pownall, Secretary.

General Post office, January 7, 1764.

His Majesty's Post-master General having been pleased to establish Three Packet-Boats, at Falmouth, of 140 Tons and 18 Hands each, for the Conveyance of Mail, Expresses and Passengers, to Barbadoes, Grenada, St. Christopher's, Jamaica, Pensacola, St. Augustine, Savanna, Charles-Town, and back to Falmouth.

The first Mail will be dispatched from this Office on the 23d of February next; the second on the 12th of April; the third on the 14th of June; and upon the Return of every Packet, Notice will be given, when the next Mail is to be dispatched from hence, which is calculated for once in two Months, or thereabout.

The Postage of all Letters and Packets sent from London, must be paid upon their Delivery into this Office; the Inland Postage to London, from all Places in Great Britain or Ireland, must also be paid, over and above the said Rates.

The Postage from London to His Majesty's Islands in the West-Indies, is at the Rate of 1 s. 6 d. for a single Letter; to the whole Continent of America, including Florida, at 1 s. per Letter, the double, treble and Ounce Letters and Packets in Proportion; the like Rates will be charged in Return, at this Office, upon the Letters and Packets coming from those Places respectively.

All Letters for any of His Majesty's Islands in the West Indies, not herein mentioned, may be directed by the Way of Barbadoes, Grenada, or St. Christopher's; and if not so directed, they will be left at St. Christopher's, to be forwarded from thence as Occasion may offer.

By Command of the Postmaster General,
Antn. Todá, Secretary.

[Price Three pence.]