

Manner in which the said Ministers shall be Treated by the Princes of the Blood, the King having ordered, that greater Honours be paid to them by the said Ministers than has been formerly practised.

*Hague, Dec. 29.* The States-General have sent the Tariff, lately concluded with France, to the Provinces, in order to it's being published. Monsieur Odyk is returned hither from Zealand.

*Paris, Dec. 30. N. S.* The Count of Zinzendorf, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor, having on the 21st Instant received Advice by an Express from Vienna, of the Birth of the young Princess, Daughter to the King of the Romans; he had Audience the next day of the King at Versailles, to whom he notified the same; as he did in like manner to the Dauphin, and the Duke of Burgundy. The Venetian Ambassador's Lady had Audience the same day of the Dutchess of Burgundy, being introduced by Monsieur de Saintot, Introducer of Ambassadors, with the usual Ceremonies. The Marquis de Cascaes, Ambassador from the King of Portugal, has had Audience of Leave of the Duke and Dutchess of Orleans and of the Duke de Chartres, and intends in few days to return home. The Dutchess of Lorraine dined with the King at Marli on Saturday last, and having taken her Leave of him, and of the Princes and Princesses of the Blood, she returned the same day to this Place, and set out from hence on Monday morning on her Journey to Barr, where the Duke of Lorraine is at present. The Cardinal d'Estrees is preparing for his Journey to Rome, which he intends to begin on the 15th of the next Month, and it's said, Cardinal Fassen will be going thither about the same time. Mr. Stanhope, His Majesty of Great-Britain's late Envoy Extraordinary at the Court of Spain, arrived here the 21st Instant. The Countess of Manchester had Audience last Saturday of the Dutchess of Orleans at the Palace Royal in this City with the usual Ceremonies. Our Letters from Lyons give an Account, that the Count de Briort is arrived in that City in his way hither from Turin, where he resided as Ambassador from this Crown. They write from Strasburgh of the 20th Instant, that the Elector Palatine had given Orders for the 4th Payment of the Money he is to make to the Dutchess of Orleans according to the Treaty of Ryswick, till her Pretensions on the Palatinate be adjusted; In order whereunto, the Conferences are continued between the French and Palatine Commissioners. Our last Advices from Rome say, the Pope continues very ill, and that his Memory begins to fail him.

*Portsmouth, Dec. 22.* Yesterday sailed from hence, His Majesty's Ships the *Advice*, and the *Shoram*, for the *West-Indies*; The same day came in here, His Majesty's Ships the *Portland*, and the *Mary Galley*. The Dutch outward-bound *St. Tubes* Fleet, which put in here some time ago, are failed in order to continue their Voyage.

*Whitehall, Dec. 20.* The Baron of Tettau, Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of Brandenburg, had Publick Audience this day of their Royal Highnesses the Princess and Prince of Denmark, and of his Highness the Duke of Gloucester, being introduced by Sir Charles Corfield, Master of the Ceremonies, in the usual manner.

*These are to give notice, That the English Company Trading to the East-Indies, will on or after the 10th of January next take Money at Interest upon their Common Seal, for 6 Months, after the Rate of 6 per Cent. per Annum, to compleat the 15 per Cent. ordered by a General Court of the said Company to be borrowed.*

*The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy, having read a Letter directed to one of them, dated the 19th Instant, and signed J. G. wherein 'tis said, That the Person who sent it can discover the Imbezelmens of His Majesty's Stores, to the Value of 300 l. a Year; Do hereby give Notice, That if the aforesaid Person will come to their Office, and make out what is proposed, a fitting Encouragement shall be given.*

*Whereas Affidavit has been made before one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, That certain ill-deserving Persons have, at two several times, viz. on the 13th of February and the 31st of August last, maliciously and wilfully attempted to set on fire a House at Brentford in Middlesex in several Places, to the great Terror and Danger of the Neighbourhood; His Majesty is pleased to Declare and Promise His Gracious Pardon to any Person concerned in the said Crime, who shall Discover and Convince any of the Offenders.*

*And for a further Encouragement to such Person, Richard Merriwether, of Brentford, Esq; does hereby by Promise to pay him the Reward of Twenty Pounds.*

#### Advertisements.

**L**ost the 21st Instant, a Pocket-Book, wherein were 4 Polish Diamonds weighing about 65 Grains, 3 Bills of Exchange drawn at Dantzick, payable at London, one of 600 l. one of 200 l. and one of 20 l. with Lottery Tickets, and several Receipts. Whoever gives notice of them to Mr. Clay at the Three Tuns near Fleet-bridge, shall have 20 Guineas Reward, or proportionable for any part.

**D**ivers Merchants and others concerned in the Lading of the Cloudy Galley, William Suckley Master, have appointed to meet at the Sun Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, London, on the 15th of February next, at 3 in the afternoon, to enquire after what manner the said Ship came to be burnt in her Voyage from Cadiz to Leghorne: All Persons either in England or foreign Parts, who can give Information concerning the same, are desired to acquaint therewith Mr. John Newman in Abchurch-lane in Lombard-street, London, there being reason to suspect the said Galley was wilfully l-ft.

**W**hereas Henry Walron, a tall slender Man, long Visag'd, having a Tooth or two out before, late Inhabitant in the Garden-house in the Inner-Temple, London; and Thomas Bland, a tall Man, black Hair'd, lately run out of the Troop of Horse-Granadiers for Misdemeanor, and dwelling in St. Joans's; did contrive the Perforating one Ephraim Crow, and forge a Bond, Warrant of Attorney, and Release of Eiron, for 300 l. and enter'd Judgment thereupon, and are since absconded. Whoever apprehends them, and gives notice to the said Ephraim Crow near Child's Coffee-house in S. Paul's Church-yard, so as they may be secured, shall have two Guineas Reward for each.

**W**illiam Carew, middle-sized, a Scar on his Face, pleasant look'd, with a brown short Wig, a whitish Cloth Coat, a Cinnamon-colour'd Waistcoat, flower'd Plush Breeches, black Stockings, his Right-hand Little-Finger wanting; Richard Nicholls, tall and slender, long Faced, with a brown Wig, a dark Fric Coat double Button'd; Henry Dilham, middle-sized, a Scar on the right side of his Nose, and one on his Forehead, with a Cinnamon-colour Coat, a grey Cloth Waistcoat with black Trimming, red Spag Breeches, light-colour Stockings; and Edw. Cumberland, tall and slim, his own Hair, long Visag'd, a flat Nose, with a Cinnamon-colour'd Coat and Waistcoat, Cloth Breeches, and black Stockings: Which Persons broke out of St. Albans Liberty-Gaol in Hertfordshire the 21st Instant. Whoever secures them, and gives notice to the Gaoler of St. Albans aforesaid, shall have 5 l. Reward.

**J**ohn Ashby, aged about 30 years, middle-sized, curled brown Hair, a fresh Complexion, his Teeth broken out before, has had the Small-pox, in a grey Coat with black Buttons, red Breeches with black Stripes, and black Stockings; made his Escape from John Colver, of Little-Hadham in Hertfordshire, Constable, the 15th Instant. Whoever secures him, shall have a Guinea Reward, giving notice to John Colver aforesaid.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against James Shadford Senior, late of the County of Middlesex, Salefishan, intend to meet the 15th of January next, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and all Creditors concerned are then to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they will be excluded the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Robert Cooper, late of London, Mercer, intend to meet on Tuesday the 16th of January next, at 3 in the afternoon, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and all Creditors concerned are then to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, otherwise they will be excluded the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against John Reit, late of Norwich, Wool-comber, intend to sit on Thursday the 17th of January next, at 10 in the forenoon, at A. Curtis's at the Kings Arms in the Parish of St. Michael's at the in Norwich; And all Creditors of the said Reit as have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-money, are then and there to do the same, or they will be excluded.