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**A**T the Court at St. James's, the 17th of December, 1716.

P R E S E N T,

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,  
Guardian of the Kingdom.

Sheriffs appointed.

Derby, John Bradshaw of Brampton, Esq;  
Gloucester, Edmund Bray, Esq;  
Northumb' Ralph Jenicon of Wiffington, Esq;  
Stafford, John Turton of Alrewas, Esq;

St. James's, December 17.

An humble Address to His Majesty from the Governour, Council, and Assembly of the Island of Jamaica, has been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, by Sir Gilbert Heathcote, Kt. introduced by the Right Honourable Paul Methuen, Esq; one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously.

Madrid, Nov. 7. The Marquess de Risbourg is not arrived here yet, though he set out from Corunna on the 16th of last Month; and 'tis rumoured, that he is fallen ill by the Way. Don Nicholas de Ynojosa is nominated Treasurer of War, in the Room of the Count de Moriana. Don Joseph Pedrajas is set out for Catalonia, of which Principality he is made Intendant: Don Joseph Patinno, who had that Employment, is sent for to Court; either, as some say, to be made President of the Hazienda (or Treasury) in the Room of the Bishop of Cadiz; or (as others) to go to Andalusia, there to act as Intendant of the Marine. Don Manuel Pintado, who commanded in chief the last Flota from New Spain, with the Title of General, is arrived at Court. Don Miguel Serrano, is appointed to command the Flo-

ta designed to sail the next Spring to the West-Indies, in the Quality of Commadore; the Court being determined to abolish the Title and Commission of General and Admiral, which have usually been given to those who have commanded the Flotas in chief.

Berlin, Dec. 15. The Prince of Wirtemberg sets out to Morrow for Stutgard, and will dine at Potsdam, whither the King of Prussia is already gone to receive him, and to shew him his Battallion of Great Grenadiers. His Prussian Majesty returns hither on the 17th, and will immediately go with the Prince of Anhalt, for a Week, to hunt the Wild Boar, at a Place six German Miles from hence. Sir Richard Vernon, His Britannick Majesty's Envoy to the King of Poland, went from hence on the 13th Instant for Dresden.

Amsterdam, Dec. 21. On the 17th between five and six a Clock at Night, the Czar arrived here, and has taken up his Lodgings in a private House. On the 18th in the Morning the Deputies of Holland and West-Friseland went to congratulate his Czarish Majesty on his Arrival, the Earl of Albemarle being chosen by the rest to make the Compliment: His Majesty received them in a very affable and obliging Manner. The Ruling Burgomasters of this City, and the Pensionary M. Buys, waited on him and made their Compliments likewise. He invited the Earl of Albemarle, M. de Reppelaer, M. Hooft, and M. Kinschot, the Deputies of the States of this Province, to dine with him: And Count Golofkin, Baron Saphirof, and the Princes Kourakin and Dolhorucki, dined the same Day with his Czarish Majesty. Yesterday his Majesty viewed the Stadhouse, and dined at Prince Kourakin's, with the Ruling Burgomasters, M. Buys, and other Persons of Distinction.

Whitchhall, Dec. 17. Yesterday came Advice, that on Friday last in the Afternoon, Admiral Aylmer, with the Yachts and Convoy, arrived in the Meuse.

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