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Cambray, February 1, N. S.

ON the 26th past all the Ambassadors met at the Town-House about Noon, and opened the Congress in Form. The King of Sardinia's Demand, relating to the Artillery which was taken away by the Spaniards at their evacuating that Island, was adjusted and settled between the Spanish Plenipotentiaries and Count Provana the Sardinian Minister, preliminarily to the Opening of the Congress. This Day at Noon, the Spanish Plenipotentiaries having desired a Conference with the British and French Plenipotentiaries, communicated to them a Letter of the 17th past (which they had just received) from Don John Baptist Orendain the new Secretary of State at Madrid for foreign Affairs, in which he acquaints them that the young King Lewis had taken upon him the Government on his Father's Renunciation, confirms in the Name of the said young King his Master all the Orders and Instructions they had before received relating to the Affairs of the Congress, and directs them to assure all the Ministers at the said Congress, that the Alteration in the Government of Spain shall make no manner of Change in the Measures already taken, and that the King will follow his Father's Steps in cultivating the most strict and intimate Union with the Crowns of Great Britain and France. The Count de Santistevan, first Plenipotentiary of the Crown of Spain at the Congress, has also received Advice, that he is appointed to be one of the seven Cabinet-Counsellours to the young King; that he is likewise made President of all the military Orders in Spain; and that his Office of Master of the Horse to the Prince of Asturias, is continued to him under the present King, in Reversion after the Duke d'Arco. The said Count de Santistevan is not to return to Madrid, to take Possession of those new Employments, till after the Congress here shall be brought to a Conclusion.

Paris, Feb. 2, N. S. On the 24th past the King returned to Versailles from Trianon,

whither he retired the 2d of that Month, when it was apprehended the Infanta-Queen's Indisposition might be the Small-Pox, but it proved to be the Measles, of which she is perfectly recovered. The Marshal de Tessé set out from hence the 26th past for the Court of Spain. M. d'Argenson being made a Counsellour of State, has resigned the Office of Lieutenant de Police of this City, which Office is conferred on M. d'Ombreval. Don Patricio Laules the Spanish Minister has received Credentials for continuing his Residence at this Court from the new King of Spain; who has likewise sent his full Powers to the Spanish Plenipotentiaries at Cambray.

Whitehall, Jan. 27. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Dr. Nicolas Craggett to be Dean of Rochester, in the Room of Dr. Samuel Prat deceased.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, Jan. 10, 1723.

The Trustees for Raising Money on the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, that on Wednesday 12th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, will be exposed to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, the several Estates following, viz. The Mannor of Neatherhall, in the Parishes of Moreton and Shelley, and a Copyhold Messuage with the Lands and Tenements thereto belonging, in the Parish of Chinkford in the County of Essex, late the Estates of Ambrose Page, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) The Freehold Estate late of William Astell, Esq; (one of the said late Directors) in the Parish of Eaton Secon, in the County of Bedford. One third Part of the Mannor of Peppysball, in the County of Hertford, late the Estate of William Morley, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) And the late Dwelling-House of Mr. Robert Knight, (late Cashire of the said Company) with the Lands and Tenements thereto belonging, in the Parish of Chigwell, in the County of Essex. Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees said Office.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, Jan. 24, 1723.

The Trustees for Raising Money on the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, that on Wednesday the 5th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, will be exposed to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, the several Estates following, viz. An Equity of Redemption in the Mannor of Shalford,