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Madrid, December 31, N. S.

**T**HE Duke of Ripperda having taken Possession of his new Office in the Palace as Secretary of State, goes thither twice a Day for the Dispatch of Business. Their Catholick Majesties have fixed the 6th of next Month for going to the Pardo, where they design to pass some Weeks. The Count de Miranda, a Grandee of Spain, died some Days ago in the 70th Year of his Age, and is succeeded in his Titles and Estate by his eldest Son. Letters from Barcelona advise, that Count Konigseck the Emperour's Ambassadour to this Court, arrived there on the 22d Instant; where he designed to stay for some Days, and afterwards proceed hither.

Turin, Jan. 2, N. S. On the 31st past, the Count de Cambise Ambassadour from the most Christian King, made his Entry into this City, with a numerous Train of the King's Coaches, his own, and those of the Principal Nobility, and with a splendid Retinue; and Yesterday his Excellency had his publick Audience of the King and Queen.

St. James's, January 15.

This Day Sig. Claudio Re, Minister from the Duke of Parma, had his first private Audience of His Majesty, to which he was introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

The Commissioners for Hackney Coaches hereby give Notice, That the Moieties of several Fines set on Coachmen, which could not be recovered till long after the respective Convictions, are now recovered and remaining in the Hands of their Officer, ready to be paid to the Persons that prosecuted the Complaints, if they will call for the same any Monday or Thursday, between Ten and Two, at their Office in Surrey-street.

Trustees Office South-Sea-House, Dec. 17, 1725.

The Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament for raising Money out of the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, That they intend to expose to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Wednesday the 26th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the several Estates following, viz. A Freehold Farm in Norwood Park in the County of Somerset, late the Estate of Sir Robert Chaplin, Bar. (one of the said late Directors :) The Perpetual Allowance of the Church of Mottisfont in the County of Southampton, late the Estate of Edward Gibbon, Esq; (one of the said late Directors :) A Freehold House at Enfield in the County of Middlesex, late the Estate of Ambrose Page, Esq; (one of the said late Directors :) The Manor of Marston Abbots in the County of Warwick, with the Lands and Tenements thereto belonging; a Farm called Abloas's-Court-Farm in the County of Gloucester; Two Freehold Farms at Pitchcomb and Downhatchberley in the said County; and a Freehold House and Land at Sandherst in the said County; late the Estates of Mr. Robert Surman, late Deputy Cashier of the said Company. Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees said Office.

Whitehall, Feb. 3, 1724.

Whereas His Majesty's Exchequer was broke open between Monday Noon and this Morning, and a considerable Sum of Money was taken out of the Office of the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet: This is to give Notice, That if any Person concerned in the said Felony, or being any ways privy thereto, by advising or contriving the same, will surrender himself and make a free Discovery of his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they or any one of them shall be apprehended and convicted for the same, such Person, whether concerned in the said Felony, or in advising, contriving or being privy thereto, shall have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon; and as a further Encouragement shall have a Reward of One Thousand Pounds, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury. And if any other Person or Persons shall discover, apprehend, and convict any Person or Persons concerned in