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Paris, February 11, N. S.

**T**HE Dutchesse de Sforce, Lady of Honour to her Royal Highness the Dutchesse of Orleans, is lately dead, as is likewise the Count de la Chaux, one of the Gentlemen of the Duke of Orleans's Chamber, and is succeeded by his Nephew M. de Montauban. The Marchioness de la Farre is likewise dead. On the 7th Instant the Duke of Lorraine supped at Marly, the same Night he lay at Versailles, and the next Day viewed the King's Stables. The Secretariship of the Marine, possessed by the late M. Valincour, is divided: M. l'Enfant has the Western Seas and the Coasts of Brittany, M. d'Hericourt the Levant.

Hague, Feb. 14, N. S. After many Conferences, which still continue to be held, between the Deputies of the States and Don Louis d'Acunha, Minister from the King of Portugal, a Project has been agreed upon, which has been sent by the States to the respective Provinces for the common Consideration, and by the said Minister to his Court, proposing to leave the Differences relating to the Commerce of Guinea, for three Years in *Statu quo*, and in the mean Time to name Commissaries to adjust the same; and in case they should not be able to settle that Matter within the Time prescribed in the said Project, then to refer it to the Arbitration of some third Power. M. de Dieu, whom the States General have appointed their Minister to the Czar, having received his Instructions, and taken his Leave of their High Mightinesses, set out for Amsterdam the 12th, in order to proceed to Muscovy.

Whitehall, Feb. 7.

Duplicates of the King of Spain's Cedula for the Re-stitution of Prizes, &c. pursuant to the late Treaty, being forthwith to be sent to the West-Indies; publick Notice is given of it, That any Persons who have Claims in those Parts from the Spaniards, may, if they think fit, make use of that Opportunity of transmitting them hither for which Purpose they will apply to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

Whitehall, Feb. 4, 1729-30.

Whereas William Warners Gardiner so Ambrose Phillips of Gwenton, in the County of Leicester, Esq, was on the Fourteenth Day of January last past, about Seven in the Evening, most barbarously murdered, in his return Home through the Park: His Majesty,

for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Murder, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of the Criminals, who shall discover one or more of his Accomplices, so as he or they be apprehended and convicted thereof, except the Person by whose Hand the said Murder was actually committed.

TOWNSHEND.

And as a further Encouragement to any Person or Persons who shall make such Discovery, as aforesaid, so as any one or more of the said Criminals be convicted of the same, such Person or Persons shall upon such Conviction receive as a Reward the Sum of Fifty Pounds of the said Ambrose Phillips by the Hands of

John Phillips

Whitehall, Feb. 6.

Whereas on or about the 27th Day of December last, John Newton, late of the Parish of St. John at Hackney, in the County of Middlesex, was robbed, and murdered by the Discharge of a Pistol, on the Highway, between Kingsland and Stoke Newington, in the Parish aforesaid, by three Men, viz, two on Horseback and one on Foot: His Majesty, for the better Discovery of the Murderers, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of his Accomplices, who shall discover the Person that actually shot and killed the said John Newton, so as he may be apprehended and convicted of the said Crime.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE

And as a further Encouragement for such Discovery, the Inhabitants of the Parish of St. John at Hackney, do hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds to each Accomplice, or any other Person that shall make the same, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Criminal that committed the said Murder.

Middx. N. Notice is hereby given, That a Committee of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex, will be ready at George's Coffee-house at the upper End of the Hay-market, on Thursday next, being the 12th Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, to receive Proposals in Writing from any Pavior or Paviors, who shall be willing to enter into a Contract with the Justices of the Peace of the County of Middlesex in their Quarter Sessions assembled, (in whom the Toll of the Hay-market is vested by Act of Parliament,) for the making one entire new Pavement of the Hay-market, in the Parishes of St. Martin in the Fields, and St. James Westminster, lying within the Toll Posts describing the Limits of the said Hay-market, as lately set up by Order of the said Committee of Justices, by new paving with Pebbles the East Side from the Dentor Stone, making use of such Pebbles as are now therein, and new paving the West Side of the said Hay-market with large Rags, using all the large Rags which are now in the Hay-market to make good the West Side, and throwing out all the small Rags, and for keeping and maintaining the same when so paved, in good and substantial Repairs for the Term of Twenty one Years from Easter Day next, and lea-