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Paris, January 12, N. S.

ON the 7th Instant Fifty Thousand Livres were carried to the Royal Treasury, for the Monthly Disbursement of the Annuities upon the Town-House, in Consequence of a late Ordinance published for that Purpose, and for erecting Monthly Lotteries. The Farmers General have procured the King's Order for seizing M. Goffelin, Receiver of the Salt Chamber at Dieppe. M. de Valcroissant, Major of the Queen's Regiment of Foot, is made Lieutenant-Colonel, in the Room of M. d'Affigny, deceased. A Boat coming hither from Rouen, richly laden with Sugar and other Merchandizes, was lost lately at the Pont de l'Arche; as have likewise two Dutch Vessels, the one going out and the other coming into the River of Nantz, with rich Effects on board belonging to the Merchants of that Place, who it is said have suffered extremely this last Year by the Loss of five Vessels belonging to that Town. The Duke of Pequigny's Marriage with Mademoiselle Courcillon, is to be celebrated the 17th Instant. M. Grimaldi, Envoy Extraordinary from the Republick of Genoa, is returned hither from London.

Trustees-Office, Broad-Street, Dec. 19, 1728.

The Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament for the Sale of the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others, give Notice, that they intend to expose to Sale by Cont or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea House, on Wednesday the 15th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the several Estates following, viz. Several Freehold Lands and Tenements at Putney, in the County of Surrey, late the Estate of Sir Theodore Janssen, Knight and Baronet, one of the said late Directors. The Mannor and Rectory of Henham, in the County of Essex, and a Freehold Farm called Broom Farm, in the same County; a Copyhold Estate in Ratcliffe, in the County of Middlesex; a Freehold

House in Angel-Court, St. Catherine's, in the same County; a Freehold Estate called the Downes, consisting of several Lands and Tenements at Rotherhithe, in the County of Surrey, late the Estates of Sir John Blunt, Baronet, one of the said late Directors. A Freehold Farm in the Isle of Thanet, in the County of Kent; a Freehold Farm in Romney Marsh in the same County; a Freehold Farm in the Parish of Woodchurch, in the same County; a Freehold House in the City of Canterbury, in the same County, late the Estates of Sir Harcourt Masters, one of the said late Directors. An Estate for Life in a Farm called Mathew's Farm, in the Parish of Bradfield, in the County of Berks, late the Estate of Mr. Robert Knight, late Cashire of the South-Sea Company. A Freehold Estate at Twinning and Myth, in the County of Gloucester, and several Houses in Lyme-Regis, in the County of Dorset, late the Estates of Mr. Robert Surman, late Deputy Cashire of the said Company. Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees said Office.

South-Sea-House, London, Jan. 10, 1728-9.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Threadneedle-street, on Friday the 17th Instant, at Eleven o' Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring the Dividend on the Capital Stock of the said Company for the Half Year ended at Christmas last.

Christ Hospital, London, 11 Jan. 1728.

Whereas Mrs. Frances West, Widow of Mr. John West, late of London, Scrivener, deceased, did by her last Will and Testament give and bequeath to the Governours of Christ Hospital, London, certain Sums of Money to be laid out and invested in a Purchase of Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments of Inheritance, in Fee Simple, for the Payment of Annuities or Pensions to poor Men and Women, 50 Years of Age at the least, living from time to time within the City of London, or Liberties thereof, and also for the harbouring, maintaining, and educating of a certain Number of poor Girls born in the said City of London, or Liberties thereof; and hath directed, that such poor Men, Women and Girls as are related by Consanguinity to her the said Frances West, or to her said Husband John West, shall have the Preference to such her Bequest: The said Governours of Christ Hospital do therefore hereby give Notice, that if any Person or Persons qualifi-

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