

AT the Council Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 17th of April 1812,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it hath been represented, that there is no longer any necessity for continuing the quarantine, which was laid by Order of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, bearing date the fourth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten, on all ships and vessels coming directly or circuitously from, or having touched at, the Havannah, or any other port in the Island of Cubas; it is therefore ordered, that the said Order in Council, of the fourth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten, be, and the same is hereby, revoked: And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, His Majesty's Secretary at War, and the Governors and Commanders in Chief for the time being of the Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Chetwynd.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 4, 1812.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton-House, on Friday next the 8th instant, at two o'clock.

THE following Address has been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Magistrates and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Selkirk, in Council assembled, embrace this opportunity of approaching the throne with our most dutiful and sincere professions of unalterable loyalty and affectionate attachment to your Royal Highness's sacred person, family, and government.

We deeply deplore the melancholy cause which deprives these kingdoms of the benevolent exertions of our most illustrious and beloved Sovereign; and with unfeigned sorrow we sympathize with your Royal Highness for the severe indisposition with which the best and most virtuous of Kings is now afflicted. We do, however, assure your Royal Highness, that if any thing could yield consolation to a loyal and an afflicted people, it must be the pleasure which they feel in reflecting, that the Heir of His Majesty's crown inherits the virtues of His Royal Father; virtues, which every part of your Royal Highness's conduct, during the present me-

lancholy, and trying occasion, has placed in the most conspicuous and dignified point of view. It would be presumptuous in us to particularize what we most admire; but we trust we shall be allowed to express our humble and unqualified approbation of your Royal Highness's government, and to mention the cordial satisfaction which it affords, that your Royal Highness should travel in the footsteps of your father; should be actuated by the principles, and emulate the virtues, which have secured to His Majesty the affections of his people for upwards of half a century.

We do most earnestly pray, that His Majesty may soon be enabled to attend the urgent concerns of his kingdoms, and personally to exercise his royal authority; and, at this eventful period, we ardently implore, that every blessing may attend your Royal Highness's person and government.

Signed by us, in name and by appointment of the Town Council; and the seal of the Burgh hereto appended, this 21st day of April 1812 years,

Jno. Anderson, Chief Magistrate; John Paterson, Bailie; Geo. Young, D. G.; and Wm. Lamb, Treasurer.

[Transmitted by His Grace the Duke of Buccleuch, and presented by the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Ryder.]

Whitehall, May 4, 1812.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been graciously pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto the under-mentioned Officers, His Majesty's royal licence and authority that they may respectively accept the rank and wear the insignia of a Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, and that they may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; the said Order having been conferred upon them by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal, in testimony of his royal regard and esteem, and of the sense His Royal Highness entertains of their highly distinguished conduct and meritorious services on various important occasions: And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to command, that the respective royal concessions and declarations be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

The Honourable Edward Paget, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's forces, Colonel of the 80th Regiment of Foot (or Staffordshire Volunteers), and Representative in Parliament for Milbourn-Port, in the county of Somerset.

Sir Brent Spencer, Knight of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's forces, and Colonel-Commandant of the 95th Regiment of Foot.

Sir Rowland Hill, Knight of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's forces, Colonel of the 94th Regiment of Foot, and Governor of Blaokness Castle.

War-Office, May 4, 1812.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, has been