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ST. JAMES'S PALACE, May 13, 1835.

THIS day had audience of His Majesty, M. de Moraes Sarmiento, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Portugal and the Algarves, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign;

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

At the Court at St. James's, May 13, 1835.

CEREMONIAL of the Investiture of Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir Edward Stopford with the Ensigns of a Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath; and of Major-General the Honourable Sir Henry King with the Ensigns of a Knight Commander of the said Most Honourable Military Order.

The following Knights Grand Crosses, in their mantles and collars of the Order, assembled at St. James's-Palace, viz. His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland; Lord Howden; his Grace the Duke of Wellington; Lord Viscount Strangford; Lord Viscount Beresford; Lord Hill; Lord Stuart de Rothsay; the Honourable Sir Galbraith Lowry Cole; the Right Honourable Sir George Murray; Sir William-Henry Clinton; the Honourable Sir Charles Colville; the Right Honourable Sir James Kempt; Sir Gordon Drummond; Sir George-Townsend Walker, Bart.; Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart.; the Earl of Rosslyn; his Grace the Duke of Gordon; Lord Farnborough; Sir George Martin; the Earl Granville; the Right Honour-

able Sir Stratford Canning; Sir Thomas Byam Martin; Sir James-Hawkins Whitshed, Bart.; Sir Philip Charles Henderson Durham; Sir Edward Barnes; Lord Strafford; the Honourable Sir Robert Stopford; the Honourable Sir William Lumley; Sir James Willoughby Gordon, Bart.; Sir Thomas-Masterman Hardy, Bart.; Lord Viscount Palmerston; Sir Pulteney Malcolm; Sir George Anson; Sir Thomas Dallas; Lord Viscount Canterbury; Sir Herbert Taylor; the Earl of Minto; Lord Robert-Edward-Henry Somerset; and Sir William-Henry Pringle; attended by the under-named Officers of the Order, in their mantles, chains, and badges, viz. Walter Aston Blount, Esq. (Chester Herald), Genealogist; Algernon Greville, Esq. Bath King of Arms, Sir William Woods (Clarenceux King of Arms), Deputy Register and Secretary; and George-Frederick Beltz, Esq. (Lancaster Herald), Gentleman Usher of the Order.

At two o'clock the Knights Grand Crosses were called over, and, with the Officers of the Order, proceeded into the presence of the Sovereign in the Throne-room, with the usual reverences.

Then, by His Majesty's command, Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir Edward Stopford was introduced into the Royal Presence, between the two Junior Knights Grand Crosses, preceded by Bath King of Arms, bearing the ribband, badge, and star of a Knight Grand Cross of the Order, upon a crimson velvet cushion, and by the Gentleman Usher of the Order.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland having thereupon received from Bath King of Arms, the ribband and badge, presented them to the Sovereign, and Sir Edward Stopford, kneeling,

His Majesty was graciously pleased to put the same over the Lieutenant-General's right shoulder; Sir Edward Stopford, rising, had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and, having received from His Majesty the star of the Order, withdrew.

Then, by His Majesty's command, Major-General the Honourable Sir Henry King was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Majesty, preceded by Sir William Woods (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion, the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state being thereupon delivered to His Majesty by His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, Sir Henry King, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Majesty's hand.

Then the Officer of Arms, on his knee, presenting to the Sovereign the ribband and badge of a Knight Commander, the King was pleased to invest Sir Henry King with the same.

The Major-General having again had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and, having received from His Majesty the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

The Knights Grand Crosses were then again called over, and, with the Officers of the Order, withdrew from the presence of the Sovereign, with the usual reverences.

ST. JAMES'S-PALACE, May 6, 1835.

The King was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Robert Monsey Rolfe, Esq. His Majesty's Solicitor-General.