

that the said Articles have been duly landed at the Places for which they were entered Outwards. 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, and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Fawkener.

St. James's, January 15.

THIS Day Their Majesties, with Their Royal Highnesses the Princesses, removed from Windsor to the Queen's Palace to reside during the Winter.

St. James's, January 18.

This Day being appointed for the Celebration of the Anniversary of the Queen's Birth-Day, there was a very numerous and splendid Appearance of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, to compliment Their Majesties on the Occasion. The Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired at One o'Clock. In the Evening there will be a Ball at Court, and Illuminations and other Public Demonstrations of Joy in London and Westminster.

St. James's, January 15.

This Day the Marquis de Circello, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of the Two Sicilies, had a Private Audience of His Majesty, to deliver his Credentials:

To which he was introduced by the Right Honourable Lord Grenville, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, January 18.

DISPATCHES, of which the following are Extracts, have been received over Land from India by the Honorable Court of Directors for Affairs of the Honorable United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies.

Extract of a Letter from the Governor and Council at Bengal, in their Political Department, to the Court of Directors, dated Bengal, August 1, 1793.

ON the 11th of June we received from the Governor in Council at Fort St. George, by the Drake Cruizer, which had arrived there from Suez on the 21st, Copies of Dispatches, dated the 10th of April, from Mr. Baldwin, His Majesty's Consul at Alexandria, with a Detail of Intelligence from Europe, notifying, in positive Terms, that the French had declared War against England and Holland on the 1st of February, 1793. We therefore issued Orders, which were effected without Resistance, for the taking Possession of Chandernagore and the several French Factories in this Country, and seizing the Vessels here that carried the French Flag.

The Government of Madras immediately commenced the necessary Preparation for the Siege of Pondicherry, where Colonel Floyd, with a Detach-

ment, arrived on the 11th of July, to blockade it on the Land Side, while the Commodore, with His Majesty's Frigate the Minerva, and Three of our China Ships, the Triton, Warley and Royal Charlotte, were employed to prevent Supplies from being imported by Sea; and the French Factories of Karikal and Yanam have been taken Possession of by the Officers of the Madras Government.

Extract of a Letter from the Governor and Council at Bombay, in their Political Department, to the Court of Directors, dated Bombay, September 3, 1793.

HAVING authentic Intelligence, by the Drake Cruizer from Suez, that Hostilities had actually commenced between Great Britain and France, we issued the necessary Orders for reducing the Fort of Mahé, and taking Possession of their Factory at Surat, which we have the Pleasure to acquaint you have been effected without Resistance.

Whitehall, January 18.

The King has been pleased to grant to Sir Benjamin Thompson, Knt. Privy Counsellor, Lieutenant-General, and Commander in Chief of the General Staff of the Army of His Most Serene Highness the Elector Palatine Duke of Bavaria, and Colonel Proprietor of His Highness's Regiment of Artillery, His Royal Licence and Authority to accept the Title and Dignity of a Count of the Holy Roman Empire, by the Title and Title of Count of Rumford; which hath been conferred upon him, expressly as a Reward for his Public Services, by his said Highness the Elector, in the Month of May, 1792, when His Most Serene Highness was in the Exercise of the Powers of a Vicar of the Empire.

His Majesty has likewise been pleased to grant to the said Sir Benjamin Thompson, Count of Rumford, His Royal Permission to wear the Royal Military Order of Saint Stanislaus, and the most Ancient and Royal Order of the White Eagle of Poland; both of which have been conferred upon him, the former in the Month of July, 1785, and the latter in the Month of August, 1789, by His Majesty the King of Poland:

And also to order that these His Majesty's Concessions and Declarations be registered in His College of Arms.

War-Office, January 18.

7th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Terence O'Bryan O'Loghlin, from the 1st Life Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Pine, who exchanges.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain David Cunyng-hame to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Stead, who retires.

2d Battalion of the Royals, Ensign John Gordon, from the 6th Regiment of Fencibles, to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Barnes, promoted.

Ditto, John Law, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice St. Paul, promoted.

4th Regiment of Foot, Robert Nassau Sutton, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Porter, promoted.

20th Regiment of Foot, Captain-Lieutenant Edward Hadden to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase, vice Farquhar, deceased.

Ditto, Lieutenant George Williams to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Hadden.

Ditto, Ensign John Dalton to be Lieutenant, vice Williams.

Ditto, Murdoch Maclean, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Dalton.

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