

Whitehall, May 3.

MR. Tims, One of His Majesty's Messengers, arrived this Morning, with a Letter from His Royal Highness the Duke of York to the Right Honorable Henry Dundas, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, dated Cateau, April 30, 1794, of which the following is a Copy.

S I R,

IT is with peculiar Satisfaction that I have the Pleasure to acquaint you with the Surrender of Landrecies.

At Ten o'Clock this Morning the Town offered to capitulate, and requested a Suspension of Arms for Forty-eight Hours, to arrange the Articles; but this was absolutely refused, and they were allowed only Half an Hour to come to a Determination, which, upon a Second Request, was extended to an Hour.— Before however this Time was elapsed, the Deputies of the Town came out, and, after a very short Conference, agreed to deliver up the Place this Evening at Five o'Clock, and that the Garrison should be Prisoners of War.

This fortunate Event, which was not expected to happen so soon, makes up for the disagreeable Intelligence which we received this Day of a Check, which General Clairfayt had had at Moudron.— This Post had been retaken from the Enemy by a Corps of Hanoverians, under the Command of Major-General Count Oenhafen, the Night before; but the Enemy having in a Manner surrounded it, General Clairfayt, who had joined the Hanoverians with Six Battalions of Austrians, was at last obliged to retreat, and had taken up a new Position, in order to cover the High Road from Tournai to Courtrai.

In consequence of this Intelligence, the Emperor has desired me to march this Evening, as quick as possible, to St. Amand, and from thence, if necessary, to Tournai, to the Assistance of General Clairfayt.

I am, Sir,

Your's,

FREDERICK.

Right Hon. Henry Dundas,
 &c. &c. &c.

AT the Court at St. James's, the 30th Day of April, 1794.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty having been pleased to appoint his Grace Thomas Pelham, Duke of Newcastle, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham, and of the Town of Nottingham and County of the same, his Grace this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

War-Office, May 2, 1794.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to appoint Colonel His Highness Prince William of Gloucester to be Colonel of a Regiment of Infantry to be forthwith raised.

Adjutant-General's Office, May 1, 1794.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, that all absent Officers belonging to Regiments of Militia in South Britain; (such only excepted as have Leave of Absence on Account of Sickness or other unavoidable Causes) do join their respective Corps by the 14th of this Month; so that their Names may be inserted, as present, in the Regimental Returns to be made up on that Day, as usual, and transmitted to the Adjutant-General's Office.

By Order of General Lord Amherst,
 William Fawcett, Adjutant-General.

*** The Military Promotions will be inserted in the next Gazette.

April 29, 1794.

Office for the Duty on Post Horses for the County of Surrey,

No. 4, London-Road, St. George's, Southwark.

PUrsuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-seventh Year of His present Majesty King George the Third, and by Order of the Commissioners for managing the Duties on stamped Vellum, Parchment, and Paper, Notice is hereby given, that the Post-Masters, Innkeepers, and other Persons licensed to let Horses to travel Post, &c. residing in the Borough of Southwark, in the County of Surrey, and within Five Miles of the Head Office for Stamps, or within the Bills of Mortality, are required to attend on Monday the 5th of May next, between the Hours of Nine in the Forenoon and Two in the Afternoon, to bring in and deliver at this Office their several Weekly Accounts to Saturday the 3d Day of May next, inclusive; and at the same Time to pass the said Accounts, and pay the Money due thereon.

Francis Searle, Farmer of the said Duties,
 District No. 11.

N. B. No Second Day of Collection will in future be allowed.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship La Nymphé, who were actually on Board the 30th of November last; at the Taking of the French Sloop L'Espeigle (in Company with the Circe Frigate) that they will be paid their respective Proportions of the said Prize and Head-Money, on Board the Arethusa, on Tuesday next; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled by Mess. Poulain and Keys, No. 48, Basinghall-Street, the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

J. Hunt, Esq;
 Sam. Pellew, Esq; } of London, Agents.

Mines-Royal; Mineral and Battery Works Societies.

THE Governors and Court of Assistants of these Corporations give Notice, that a General Court of these Societies will be held at their House in Budget-row, London, on Monday the 5th Day of May, 1794, at One o'Clock precisely, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy Governors, and Assistants under the Mines Royal Charter.

Robert George Spedding, Secretary.