

Means which have been taken to repel the Enemy, as to manifest their Sense of the Blessings they enjoy and r their present Constitution, and their Zeal and Attachment to the Cause of their Holy Religion.

The Utility and meritorious Services of the Yeomanry Corps have not escaped His Majesty's Notice, and are considered by Him as deserving an equal Share of the Applause and Thanks which His Regular and Militia Forces have entitled themselves to, by their unexampled Alacrity and the Steadiness of their Conduct; and His Majesty is firmly persuaded, from a Review of all these Circumstances, that if the Enemy had attempted to land, the Event would have reflected additional Honor on the Courage and Loyalty of his People of Ireland.

It gives His Majesty great Satisfaction to learn, that it is the Determination of his faithful Commons that their future Measures of Defence shall keep Pace with the daring Efforts of our desperate Enemies; and he desires them to be assured, that they may rely on his parental Care for a Continuance of every possible Exertion on his Part to afford them the most effectual Protection by Sea and Land; and that every necessary Assistance will be cheerfully furnished by Great Britain for the Defence of a Country, the Welfare and Safety of which are so intimately and inseparably connected with her own.

The grateful Terms in which His Majesty's faithful Commons express their Opinion of the Vigor and Wisdom which have been displayed by the Earl Camden on the late trying Occasion are highly pleasing to His Majesty, and fully justify the Confidence which His Majesty has invariably reposed in him.

Downing-Street, January 30, 1797.

OFFICIAL Accounts have this Day been received from Mr. Robert Craufurd of the Surrender of Kehl, on the 10th Instant, to the Austrians, after a Siege of Forty-nine Days. It appears, that from the 31st of December to the 7th of January several Attacks had been made by the Austrians upon the Enemy's principal Outworks, in all of which the former were completely successful.

Mr. R. Craufurd speaks in the highest Terms of the Skill and Perseverance of His Royal Highness the Archduke Charles, the Gallantry and good Conduct of Prince Frederic of Orange, and of the Patience and Chearfulness with which the Troops submitted to the greatest Hardships.

Admiralty-Office, January 31, 1797.

Copy of a Letter from Richard Onslow, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the Red, to Mr. Nepean, dated on Board His Majesty's Ship Nassau, Yarmouth Roads, January 29, 1797.

S I R,

BE pleased to inform my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that His Majesty's hired Armed Cutter Griffin anchored in these Roads Yesterday Morning, at Ten o'Clock, with the French Privateer Lugger La Liberté, her Prize, carrying Three Carriage Guns, Four Swivels, and Eighteen Men: She was taken at the Entrance of the Ship-Wash, after a Chace of Three Hours and an Half. This is one of the Vessels that has infested the Coast for some Time past. I am, Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servant,
R. ONSLOW.

Whitehall, January 30, 1797.

The King has been pleased to grant the Dignity of a Baronet of the Kingdom of Great Britain to John Macnamara Hayes, of Old Burlington-Street, in the Parish of St. James, Westminster, Doctor of Physick, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten.

Downing-Street, January 28.

The King has been pleased to appoint James Talbot, Esq; to be His Majesty's Secretary of Legation to the Swiss Cantons.

Berlin, January 15, 1797.

Her Majesty the Queen Dowager of Prussia died here on the Evening of the 13th Instant.

Whitehall, January 28, 1797.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that a threatening Letter, signed A Republican, was received, through the Post Office at Derby, by Mr. Hudson, Overseer of the Poor of the Parish of St. Michael, in the said Town, of which the following is a Copy: viz.

Hudson,

As you were so very officious in enrolling our Names for the Militia and has since denied us the Opportunity to insure against the Ballot. tho' I myself am not possess'd of sufficient either to provide a Substitute or pay the Fine yet if the Ballot falls on me I am possess'd of sufficient Malace to take ample Vengeance on that officious Fool that introduced me on the Tyrannical List I am so much an Enemy to our present Government that I will sacrifice my Life in defence of my own Liberty much sooner than take any Oath to support our Tyrants, as you are the first Minister of their Tyranny to me you shall be the first Object of my Revenge if I am balloted you must not expect to long survive for I shall be your executioner if I can't do it privately I will do it if it be at noon day in the public Street so I remain wishing success to the French

Yours,

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Republican

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sending the Letter above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

As a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

PORTLAND.

And, as a still further Encouragement, a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby:

And also the additional Sum of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid by the Treasurer of the County of Derby on the Part of the said County.

Daniel Parker Coke.