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At the Court at *St. James's*, the 5th of April, 1797.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Island of Trinidad in the West Indies has been surrendered to His Majesty's Arms, and the Territory and Forts of the same are delivered up to His Majesty, and the said Island is now in His Majesty's Possession: His Majesty is thereupon pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that all his loving Subjects may lawfully trade to and from the said Island of Trinidad; subject, nevertheless, to the same Duties, Rules, Regulations, Conditions, Restrictions, Penalties and Forfeitures, to which the Trade to and from His Majesty's Colonies, Plantations and Islands in the West Indies is or shall be subject by Law. And His Majesty is further pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that all Commodities, being of the Growth, Produce or Manufacture of the said Island of Trinidad, being in His Majesty's Possession, shall be permitted to be imported into any of the Ports of this Kingdom, in British Ships, owned by His Majesty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law, subject to the same Duties, Rules, Regulations, Restrictions, Conditions, Penalties and Forfeitures as Articles of the like Sort are subject to, coming from His Majesty's Colonies, Plantations or Islands in the West Indies.—And the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

Downing-Street, April 15.

BY Accounts received from Colonel Graham, dated at the Head Quarters of the Archduke Charles at Clagenfurt, March 27th, it appears, that on the 22d an Engagement had taken Place at Tarvis, be-

tween the French, under General Massena, and Four Battalions of Austrians, commanded by Major-General Gontreuil. The Numbers of the French are said to have been from 12 to 15000 Men.

The Archduke Charles having travelled off from Leybach, arrived at Tarvis during the Affair, and immediately mounting a Prisoner's Horse, during the Remainder of the Day, encouraged the Troops by his Example, displaying the most signal Proofs of personal Bravery and Exertion. In the Afternoon the great Superiority of the Enemy's Numbers prevailed. General Gontreuil and Count Wratillaw His Royal Highness's First Aide-de-Camp were severely wounded, and the Loss of Men was considerable.

By Accounts from Vienna, dated April 1st, it appears, that Letters of the 30th Ult. had been received there from Clagenfurt, where the Head Quarters of the Archduke Charles still were on that Day. Nothing had happened in that Quarter since the Affair of Tarvis.

Office of Ordnance, April 12, 1797.

Corps of Royal Engineers. Lieutenant-Colonel F. Mulcaster to be Colonel, vice Archer, struck off the acting Corps. Dated March 3, 1797.
 Lieutenant-Colonel A. Mercer to be Colonel, vice Deblieg, struck off the acting Corps. Dated as above.
 Captain H. Rudyerd to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Mulcaster, promoted. Dated as above.
 Captain B. Fisher to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hartcup, struck off the acting Corps. Dated as above.
 Captain-Lieutenant R. D'Arcy to be Captain, vice Rudyerd, promoted. Dated as above.
 Captain-Lieutenant L. Hay to be Captain, vice Fisher, promoted. Dated as above.
 First Lieutenant A. Debutts to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice D'Arcy, promoted. Dated as above.
 First Lieutenant W. Fenwick to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Bridges, promoted. Dated as above.

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