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By the KING.

## A PROCLAMATION, GEORGE R.

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament which We summoned to meet at Westminster upon Tuesday the Thirty first Day of August last, stands prorogued to Tuesday the Fifth Day of October next; We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do, for divers weighty Reasons, hereby publish and declare, That the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said Fifth Day of October next to Tuesday the Sixteenth Day of November next: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of that Part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain to prepare a Writ Patent, under Our Great Seal, for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do further hereby, with the Advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Sixteenth Day of November next, be held and sit for the Dispatch of divers urgent and important Affairs. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their Attendance accordingly at Westminster on the said Sixteenth Day of November next.

Given at Our Court at Windsor the Eighteenth Day of September One thousand eight hundred and two, in the Forty-second Year of Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

**A**T the Court at Windsor, the 18th of September 1802,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS Information hath been received, that a malignant Fever is now raging in the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and at Baltimore, in Maryland, within the United States of America; His Majesty, deeming the said Fever to be probably infectious, doth, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, deem it expedient to declare, and by this His Order doth declare, that

the said Fever is probably infectious, within the Meaning of the Act passed in the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Years of His Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act for erecting a Lazaret on Chetney-Hill, in the County of Kent; and for reducing into one Act the Laws relating to Quarantine, and for making further Provision therein:" And His Majesty doth hereby order, That all Ships, Vessels, Persons, Goods, Wares, and Merchandise, now arrived, or which may hereafter arrive in any of the Ports of this Kingdom, or the Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, from any of the Ports of Pennsylvania or of Maryland, and shall have cleared out from any of the said Ports of Pennsylvania or Maryland, subsequent to the First Day of July last, (not having any Person or Persons on board the same, actually ill of the said Fever,) do perform a Quarantine of Fourteen Days at the several Places appointed, and according to the Rules prescribed by His Majesty's Order in Council of the Twenty-ninth of July One thousand eight hundred, for Performance of Quarantine by all Ships and Vessels coming from or through the Mediterranean, or from the West Barbary on the Atlantic Ocean, and arriving with clean Bills of Health; but in case any of the Crew or Passengers on board any such Ship or Vessel, which shall have cleared out from any of the Ports of Pennsylvania or Maryland subsequent to the said First Day of July, and shall have arrived, and may hereafter arrive in any of the Ports of this Kingdom, or the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, from any of the said Ports of Pennsylvania, or of Maryland, shall have died of the said Fever during the Course of the Voyage, the Clothes, and all personal Effects which are susceptible of Infection, worn by, or belonging to such Person, shall be forthwith burned or sunk in deep Water: And if such Clothes, and Effects, shall not be so burned, or destroyed, the said Ship, or Vessel, with the whole of her Cargo, shall not be permitted to perform Quarantine at any Port or Place, except at Standgate Creek; and shall be compelled to depart from any other Port or Place at which the same has arrived, or shall arrive, as aforesaid; and shall repair to Standgate Creek, and there perform Quarantine, and not elsewhere: And His Majesty is further pleased to order, with the Advice aforesaid, and it is hereby ordered, That if it shall