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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 7th of December 1803,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Colony of Berbice has surrendered to His Majesty's Arms, and the Territories and Forts of the same are delivered up to His Majesty, and the said Colony of Berbice and its Dependencies are 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 Majesty's Subjects may lawfully trade to and from the said Colony, 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 the Growth, Produce, or Manufacture of the said Colony, 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. *W. Fozzaker.*

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 7th of December 1803,

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The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was graciously pleased, by His Royal Proclamation bearing

Date the Sixteenth Day of May last, to promise and declare, that the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, fit for His Majesty's Service, should be paid in the Manner thereby directed to every such Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who should, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June then following, enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels, or Officers employed on Shore for raising Men for the Service of the Royal Navy: And whereas His Majesty was also graciously pleased, by His said Proclamation, to declare, that all Able-bodied Landmen, not above the Age of Thirty-five nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who should so enter themselves as aforesaid, should receive the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man as His Majesty's Royal Bounty: And whereas His Majesty was also graciously pleased, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Seventh Day of March last, to promise and declare, that a Reward of Twenty Shillings for every Able and Ordinary Seaman, fit to serve on board His Majesty's Ships, should be paid to any Person who should discover any Seaman or Seamen, who might conceal him or themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's Service, by any of His Majesty's Sea-Officers employed for raising Men, on or before the Thirtieth Day of April then next: And whereas the Time limited by the said Proclamation for Payment of the said Bounties and Reward hath, by Order in Council, been prolonged and extended to the Thirty-first Day of this instant December; and it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the said Bounties and Reward should be continued to be paid for some Time longer, His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Pay-