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Given at our Court at the Queen's Palace, the Sixth Day of January, One thousand eight hundred and eight, in the Forty-eighth Year of Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 6th of *January* 1808,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it is expedient in the present State of the Subjects of Her Most Faithful Majesty, and during the Interruption in Commercial Correspondence between Great Britain and Portugal, that Claims should be permitted to be given for Portuguese Property brought in and detained by His Majesty's Ships of War and Privateers; His Majesty is pleased, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that Claims for Portuguese Property, given by Persons duly authorized by the Owners, or by the Consul or other Person authorized by the Portuguese Minister resident at this Court, shall be admitted in the High Court of Admiralty; and it is further ordered, that immediate Restitution shall pass of all such Property as shall appear by the Bills of Lading or other Documents found on board Portuguese Ships, coming from Portuguese Settlements to the Ports of Portugal, to belong to Her Most Faithful Majesty, or to any of Her Subjects residing at the Date of this Order, in the Brazils, or in any Foreign Settlement belonging to Her Crown, or in England, or in any Country in Amity with His Majesty, upon a general Claim for every such Ship and Goods, given by the Consul under the Authority aforesaid: And it is further ordered, that the Property of the Subjects of Her Most Faithful Majesty, at the Date of this Order, residing in Portugal, either belonging to them separately, or jointly with Subjects residing in the Brazils, or other Places beforementioned, shall be pronounced to belong as claimed, upon a general Claim given for the same on board such Portuguese Ships as aforesaid: And it is further ordered, that the Property last-mentioned, as well as all other Property, under private Claims already given or to be given, and pronounced to be Portuguese Property, and belonging to Persons resident in Portugal at the Date of this Order, shall remain subject to His Majesty's further Orders; and, in the mean Time, shall be put into the Joint Custody of Agents to be named on Behalf of His Majesty, and on Behalf of the Portuguese Minister resident at this Court, or of any Claimant; and that such Parts thereof as are perishable, or which it may be otherwise expedient to sell, shall be sold by the aforesaid Agents, under Commissions to be issued by the High Court of Admiralty, and the Proceeds thereof deposited in the said Court: — And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and the Judges of the High Court of Admiralty and Courts of Vice-Admiralty, are to take the necessary Measures herein as to them shall respectively appertain.

*W. Faulkner.*

*Whitehall, January 26, 1808.*

The King has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Carlisle to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the Translation of the Most Reverend Father in God Doctor Edward Venables Vernon to the Archbishopric of York; and His Majesty has also been pleased by His Royal Sign Manual to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter Samuel Goodenough, Clerk, Doctor of Laws, Dean of Rochester, to be by them elected Bishop of that See.

The King has also been pleased to grant to the Reverend Walker King, Clerk, Doctor in Divinity, the Place and Dignity of a Prebendary of the Collegiate Church of Saint Peter, Westminster, the same being void by the Death of Doctor Nathan Wetherall.

*Whitehall, January 23, 1808.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Edward Erastus Deacon, of Congleton, in the County Palatine of Cheller, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

*War-Office, January 26, 1808.*

8th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Cornet Thomas Price to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Bland, who retires.

Henry Johnson, Gent. to be Cornet, without Purchase, vice Price.

11th Ditto, Thomas Binney, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Temple, who retires.

1st Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain William Miller to be Adjutant, vice Cooke, appointed Major of Brigade to the First Brigade of Guards.

7th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William John Erasmus Adlam, from the Suffex Militia, to be Lieutenant.

8th Ditto.

To be Lieutenants,

Lieutenant Samuel Barber, from the 8th Garrison Battalion.

Ensign Charles Barstow.

Ensign Peter Smith.

Ensign Charles Ince.

Ensign Daniel M'Pherson.

Ensign William Compton.

Ensign John Ivers.

Ensign William Collis.

To be Ensigns,

Ensign Marshall M'Dermott, from the 7th Garrison Battalion, vice Barstow.

Thomas Frazer, Gent. vice Smith.

Charles Levinge, Gent. vice Ince.

Gonville Bromhead, Gent. vice M'Pherson.

Alexander Ross, Gent. vice Compton.

—— Ruddock, Gent. vice Ivers.

20th Ditto, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Ross to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without Purchase, vice Champagné, appointed to the Command of the 8th Garrison Battalion.

Captain John Colbourne to be Major, vice Ross.

Lieutenant William Russell to be Captain of a Company, vice Colbourne.

23d Ditto, Second Lieutenant —— Feltham to