

Offence, forfeit and pay the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds: And whereas by His Majesty's Order in Council, bearing Date the Fifth of April One thousand eight hundred and five, it is directed that a separate and distinct Place shall be appointed and marked out with Yellow Buoys, for the Performance of Quarantine at the Motherbank by certain Vessels therein described, having clean Bills of Health, and by all Ships of War, Transports, and other Ships in the actual Service of Government, under the Command of commissioned Officers of His Majesty's Navy, coming from the Places therein in that Behalf mentioned, and not being furnished with clean Bills of Health, which Place was appointed and marked out with Yellow Buoys accordingly: And whereas His Majesty, in pursuance of the Powers vested in him by the said Act, was pleased, by his Order in Council of the Twenty-first of July One thousand eight hundred and six, to order, and it was thereby ordered, that no Persons, Ships, Vessels, or Boats whatsoever, other than the Vessels or Boats belonging to the Superintendent of Quarantine or his Assistant, or other Boats regularly employed under the Authority of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs in the Quarantine Service, should go under any Pretence whatsoever within the Limits of the Place so marked out, except in Cases of special Necessity and Emergency, and with Permission first had and obtained from the Superintendent of Quarantine at the Motherbank, or his Assistant; and it was thereby further ordered, that all Ships and Vessels, being furnished with clean Bills of Health, and Boats liable to Quarantine, which might be ordered to perform the same at the Motherbank, should come to Anchor within the Compass of the said Buoys, in such Place or Places as should be directed by the Superintendent of Quarantine or his Assistant, and should be kept separate and apart from His Majesty's Ships of War, Transports, and Vessels in the Service of Government, and not having clean Bills of Health, which might be performing Quarantine as aforesaid within the Compass of the said Yellow Buoys: And whereas it hath been represented that the Space so marked out on the Motherbank, within which Ships under Quarantine are to be moored, was more extensive than was necessary for any Number of Ships which it was probable would have occasion to be there at one Time, and that the Extent of the Space so marked out rendered it extremely difficult, with the Wind at certain Points of the Compass, for Vessels which might not be subject to Quarantine to avoid passing through Parts of that Space, and thereby subjecting the Commander of such Vessels to the Penalties provided by the before-mentioned Act passed in the Forty-sixth Year of His Majesty's Reign, and that it would therefore be expedient that a Reduction should take place in the Limits of the Quarantine Ground at the Motherbank, by the Removal of the West Buoys placed there to the Eastward of Wotton Creek, so that Boats and other Craft may pass without going through the said Grounds, and that the Two North or Outer Buoys should be shifted nearer to the Isle of Wight, and that, in addition to the Buoys already laid down, one should be put Midway between the East and West Inner Buoys, in order to form a more conspicuous and better Line for small Vessels to pass

and repass; and that another Buoy (painted Red) should be placed as a Mark for a Burying Ground between the Two Outer Buoys; and whereas such Yellow Buoys have been fixed in the Places last abovementioned, for the Purpose of reducing the said Quarantine Station accordingly; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent is thereupon pleased, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the Advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Quarantine Station so appointed and marked out as last aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be the Station for Performance of Quarantine at the Motherbank, within the true Intent and Meaning of the hereinbefore recited Order in Council of the Fifth of April One thousand eight hundred and five; and His Royal Highness is further pleased to order, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the Advice aforesaid, that no Persons, Ships, Vessels, or Boats whatsoever, other than the Vessels or Boats belonging to the Superintendent of Quarantine or his Assistant, or other Boats regularly employed under the Authority of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs in the Quarantine Service, should go under any Pretence whatever within the Limits of the Place so marked out as last aforesaid, except in Cases of special Necessity and Emergency, and with Permission first had and obtained from the Superintendent of Quarantine, at the Motherbank, or his Assistant; and it is hereby further ordered, that all Ships and Vessels being furnished with clean Bills of Health and Boats liable to Quarantine, which may be ordered to perform the same at the Motherbank, shall come to Anchor within the Compass of the Buoys as herein described in such Place or Places as shall be directed by the Superintendent of Quarantine or his Assistant, and shall be kept separate and apart from His Majesty's Ships of War, Transports, and Vessels in the Service of Government, and not having clean Bills of Health which may be performing Quarantine as aforesaid, within the Compass of the said Buoys; and the Right Honourable 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. *Chetwynd.*

*Downing-Street, September 17, 1811.*

A DISPATCH, of which the following is an Extract, was Yesterday received at the Office of the Earl of Liverpool, addressed to His Lordship by General Lord Viscount Wellington, dated Fuente Guinaldo, 31st August 1811.

THE Enemy have made no Movement of any Importance since I addressed Your Lordship on the 14th. On that Evening a Detachment, consisting of about One Thousand Two Hundred Infantry and Cavalry, arrived at Gata, which is on the South Side of the Mountains which separate Castille from Estremadura; and on the following Morning they surprised a small Picquet in St. Martin de Trebejo, under Lieutenant Wood, of the 11th Light Dragoons, whom they made Prisoner with Ten Men, and went off that Evening to Moralego, and on the next Morning to Monte Hermoso.