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Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 9, 1812.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton-House, on Friday next the 15th instant, at two o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 9, 1812.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at St. James's, on Thursday next the 14th instant.

AT the Council Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 17th of April 1812,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it hath been represented, that there is no longer any necessity for continuing the quarantine, which was laid by Order of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, bearing date the fourth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten, on all ships and vessels coming directly or circuitously from, or having touched at, the Havannah, or any other port in the Island of Cubas; it is therefore ordered, that the said Order in Council, of the fourth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten, be, and the same is hereby, revoked: And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, His Majesty's Secretary at War, and the Governors and Commanders in Chief for the time being of the Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Chetwynd.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Downing-Street, May 12, 1812.

A DISPATCH, of which the following is an extract, was received on Sunday evening at the Earl of Liverpool's Office, addressed to his Lordship by General the Earl of Wellington, dated Alfayates, April 24, 1812.

Alfayates, April 24, 1812.

THE army continued its march towards this quarter since I last addressed you, and the enemy retired before them.

The last of the enemy crossed the Agueda yesterday morning, and they are in full retreat towards the Tormes.

The rains which had fallen between the 13th and 19th inst. had carried away the bridge which they had constructed on the Agueda, immediately above Ciudad Rodrigo; but they have repaired it within these last three days, and the leading divisions of the army crossed by the Puente d'el Villar and the fords of the Upper Agueda; the rear only by the bridge near Ciudad Rodrigo.

When Marshal Marmont marched his troops upon Sabugal, General Bacellar ordered that the Portuguese militia, under Brigadier-Generals Trant and Wilson, should be concentrated upon Guarda.

Marshal Marmont moved upon this militia with a considerable force of cavalry, infantry, and artillery, on the 14th instant; and Brigadier-General Trant, who commanded, conceiving the enemy to be too strong for him, determined to retire across the Mondego.

The militia had made great progress in their retreat; but a battalion, which was covering

