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From Tuesday, October 6, to Saturday, October 10, 1812.

A T the Court at Carlion-House, the 29th of September 1812,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

THEREAS His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, was pleased, by His Order in Council, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, bearing date the twenty-eighth of February one thousand eight hundred and eleven, to direct that certain questions, in addition to the preliminary questions directed by His Majesty's general Order in Council of the fifth of April one thousand eight hundred and five, touching the performance of quarantine, should be put to the commander, master, or other person having the charge of any ships or vessels coming from or having touched at any port or place on the continent of America, or the islands adjacent thereto, or coming from, or having touched at, any of the ports in the West Indies; and whereas it is deemed expedient that the following question should be placed at the head of the several questions so directed to be put by the Order in Council of the twenty-eighth of February one thousand eight hundred and eleven, viz.

" In the course of your voyage have any persons on board suffered from sickness of any kind; what was the nature of such sickness; and when did it prevail? How many persons were affected by it? And have any of them died in the course of the voyage?"

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent is thereupon pleased to order, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, that the question

above set forth be placed at the head of the several questions directed to be put by the aforementioned Order in Council of the twenty-eighth of February one thousand eight hundred and eleven, to the commanders, masters, or other persons having charge of ships or vessels coming from, or having touched at any port or place on the Continent of America, or the islands adjacent thereto, or coming from, or having touched at, any of the ports in the West Indies; 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 such commanders, masters, or other persons having charge of such ships or vessels, shall, upon such question being put by the Superintendant of Quarantine, or his assistant, or principal officer or other officer of the Customs, authorized by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, or any four or more of them, to act in that behalf, give a true answer to the same in writing, or otherwise, and upon oath, or not upon oath, according as he shall be required by such superintendant or his assistant, or principal officer or other officer of the Customs, authorized as aforesaid, under such pains and penalties as are inflicted by an Act passed in the forty-fifth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act for making further Provision for the ef-" fectual Performance of Quarantine;" 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 Sccretary at War, and the Governors and Commanders in Chief for the time being of the isles of Guernsey, Jersey,