

fore, and We charge, that this Our Proclamation seen, ye forthwith pass to the Market-Cross of Edinburgh, and all other places needful, and there, in His Majesty's name and authority, make publication thereof, that none pretend ignorance: And Our will and pleasure is, that His Majesty's Solicitor do cause printed copies hereof to be sent to the Sheriffs of the several Shires, Stewarts of Stewartries, and Bailiffs of Regalities, and their Clerks, whom we ordain to see the same published: And We appoint them to send copies thereof to the several parish churches within their bounds, that, upon the Lord's Day immediately preceding the day above-mentioned, the same may be published and read from the pulpits immediately after divine service.

Given at the Court at Carlton-House, the seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, in the fifty-fourth year of His Majesty's Reign.

GOD save the KING.

AT the Court at Carlton-House, the 13th of December 1813.

PRESENT,
His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS the ancient relations of Peace and Amity between His Majesty and the United Provinces of the Netherlands, have been happily re-established; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent is 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 declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared;

1st. That all hostilities against the United Provinces of the Netherlands, (save and except such ports or places as may be still in the possession, or under the controul of France) on the part of His Majesty shall immediately cease.

2dly. That the blockade of all the ports and places of the said United Provinces, (save and except such ports and places as before excepted) and all other restrictions thereon imposed by any Order in Council relating thereto, shall forthwith cease and be discontinued.

3dly. That all ships and vessels belonging to the said United Provinces (save and except vessels coming from, or proceeding to, any ports or places in the possession or under the controul of France) shall have free admission into His Majesty's ports, and be permitted to carry on any trade, now lawfully carried on in the ships of States in amity with His Majesty.

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 Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, and the Judges of the Courts of Vice-Admiralty, are to take the necessary measures herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Chetwynd.

AT the Court at Carlton-House, the 13th of December 1813,

PRESENT,
His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS it appears by the latest advices from the coast of the Adriatic, that the port of Trieste, and the other ports and places between Trieste and the southern extremity of Dalmatia, are, for the most part, no longer in the possession or under the controul of France: His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that the blockade of Trieste and the ports and places aforesaid inclusively (save and except such as are still occupied by the enemy), and all restrictions imposed thereon by any Order in Council relating thereto, shall forthwith cease and be discontinued.

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 Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, and the Judges of the Courts of Vice-Admiralty, are to take the necessary measures herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Chetwynd.

Foreign-Office, December 25, 1813.

COPY of a dispatch from his Excellency Sir Henry Wellesley to Viscount Castlereagh, dated

My LORD, Chiclana, November 30, 1813.

THE Cortes closed their Sessions at the Isla yesterday, and have fixed the 15th of January for their meeting at Madrid.

I understand that the Regency will commence their journey for the capital about the middle of December.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed)

H. WELLESLEY.

Viscount Castlereagh, &c. &c. &c.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Downing-Street, December 23, 1813.

MAJOR Alexander Macdonald has addressed to Earl Bathurst a letter and its inclosure, of which the following are copies, dated

Oliva, near Danzick,

December 1, 1813.

My LORD,

MY letter of the 21st ultimo will have informed your Lordship that the batteries of the first parallel, containing seventy-four pieces of ordnance, of various calibres, were opened against the works of the Bischof's-berg on the 17th, and that nearly the whole of the granaries of that part of Danzick called the Speicher Island, containing, it is supposed, from a thousand to twelve hundred lasts of corn