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WAR DEPARTMENT.

Downing-Street, January 30, 1814.

A DISPATCH, of which the following is an extract, has been received by Earl Bathurst, addressed to his Lordship by Field Marshal the Marquess of Wellington, K.G. dated St. Jean de Luz, 16th January 1814:

SINCE the army passed the Nive on the 9th of December, General Mina has had three battalions of the troops under his command at Bidarray, on the left of that river, and at St. Etienne de Baygorey, in observation of the enemy's movements from St. Jean Pied de Port.

The inhabitants of Baygorey were noted in the late war, for their opposition to the Spanish troops, and they are the only persons who in the present war have manifested any disposition to oppose the allies; and I was in hopes that the measures which I had adopted would have induced them to remain quiet.

With the aid of the inhabitants of Bidarray and Baygorey, and General Paris's division of the army of Catalonia, and such troops as he could collect belonging to the garrison of St. Jean Pied de Port, General D'Harispe moved upon the troops of General Mina's division on the 12th instant, and obliged them to retire into the valley of the Aldudes.

No movement has since been made on that side.

My last accounts from Catalonia are of the 31st ultimo, at which period there was no alteration in the situation of the troops in that quarter.

AT the Court at Carlton-House, the 21st of January 1814,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS the time limited by the Order of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council of the fifteenth day of July last, for prohibiting the exportation out of this kingdom, or carrying coastwise, gunpowder or salt petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, will expire on the eighth day of February next; and whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's service, and the safety of this kingdom, that the said prohibition should be continued for some time longer; His Royal Highness, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, doth therefore hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no person or persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's service) do, at any time during the space of six months, to commence from the said eighth day of February next, presume to transport into any parts out of this kingdom, or carry coastwise, any gunpowder or salt petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, or ship or lade any gunpowder or salt petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, on board any ship or vessel, in order to transporting the same into any parts beyond the seas, or carrying the same coastwise, without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of salt petre, and to enforce the law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying coastwise of salt petre, gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition:" But is it His Royal Highness's pleasure, that nothing in this