

may be lawful for the Lords and others of His Majesty's Privy Council, or any three or more of them, to make such Order as they shall see necessary and expedient upon any unforeseen emergency, or in any particular case or cases with respect to any ship or ships, vessel or vessels arriving and having any infectious disease or distemper on board, or on board of which any infectious disease or distemper may have appeared in the course of the voyage, or arriving under any other alarming or suspicious circumstances as to infection, although such ship or ships, vessel or vessels, shall not have come from any place or places from which His Majesty, His heirs or successors, by and with the advice of His or Their Privy Council, may have adjudged and declared it probable that the plague or any such infectious disease or distemper may be brought; and also with respect to the persons, goods, wares, and merchandise on board the same, and all such Orders so made by the Lords and others of the Privy Council, or any three or more of them as aforesaid, shall be as good, valid, and effectual to all intents and purposes (as well with respect to the Commander, Master, or other person having the charge of any such ship or vessel, and all other persons on board the same, as with respect to any other persons having any intercourse or communication with them, and to the penalties, forfeitures, and punishments to which they may respectively become liable) as any Order or Orders made by His Majesty, His heirs or successors, by and with the advice of His or Their Privy Council concerning quarantine, and the prevention of infection as aforesaid, and notified by Proclamation, as published in the London Gazette:

And whereas advices have been received that the plague has made its appearance at Noya and along the Coast of the Adriatic, and at Corfu and the islands contiguous to Rome, and in the Peninsula of Sicily, and it appearing by such advices, that all vessels from suspected places have been ordered to quit the Neapolitan harbours, and will in all probability take shelter in French or Spanish ports where they will evade the quarantine laws, His Majesty's Council, that all ships arriving from and through the Mediterranean, within the Straights of Gibraltar (although furnished with clean bills of health), shall, on arrival at any of the ports of the United Kingdom, be treated as vessels arriving with suspected bills, and shall be subject to all the rules, regulations, and restrictions, pains, penalties, forfeitures, and punishments contained in His Majesty's Order in Council, bearing date the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and five, with respect to vessels arriving with suspected bills of health: 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 or 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.

Jus. Butler.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 22, 1816.

The Prince Regent has been pleased to appoint Charles Bankhead, Esq. Master of Arts, of Lower Grosvenor Street, to be Physician Extraordinary to His Royal Highness.

The Prince Regent has also been pleased to appoint James Perchard Tupper, Esq. Member of the College of Surgeons, Fellow of the Lincæan Society, to be Surgeon Extraordinary to His Royal Highness.

Commission in the King's Own Regiment of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Ensign William Haig to be Lieutenant, vice Talbot, promoted. Dated February 7, 1816.

Crown-Office, February 24, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Wobley.

The Right Honourable Frederick Cavendish Bentinck, commonly called Lord Frederick Cavendish Bentinck, in the room of the Honourable William Leppock Bathurst, Esq. has been appointed to the office of one of the Deputy Tellers of His Majesty's Exchequer.

Office of Ordnance, February 9, 1816.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give notice, that proposals will be received at their Office in Pall Mall, on or before Monday the 26th instant, from such persons as may be willing to undertake the supply of

Hosiery Articles

for service of this Department for a period of three years, determinable after the expiration of the first year, upon notice of three months, at the option of either party.

Patterns of the articles may be viewed upon application at the Principal Storekeeper's Office in the Tower; and further particulars, together with the terms and conditions of the contract, may be known at the Secretary's Office in Pall Mall aforesaid, any day between the hours of ten and four o'clock, where the proposals must be delivered, sealed up, and indorsed "Proposals for Hosiery Articles;" but no proposal can be admitted after the said 26th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, of the same day; neither will any tender be noticed, unless the party making the same is present, in his behalf, shall attend.

By order of the Board, R. H. Cress, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, February 14, 1816.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give notice, that proposals will be received at their Office in Pall Mall, on