

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 for 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, or 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 territories contiguous to Fiume, and in the Peninsula of Istria, and it appearing by such advices, that all vessels from suspected places have been forced to quit the Neapolitan harbours, and will in all probability take shelter in French or Spanish ports where they will evade the quarantine laws; it is thereupon ordered in Council, that all ships or vessels coming from and through the Mediterranean, within the Streights 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 pertain.

*Jus. Buller.*

*War Office, March 9, 1816.*

- Royal Regiment of Horse Guards*, Edwin Dashwood, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Heathcote, promoted. Commission dated February 22, 1816.
- 4th Regiment of Dragoons*, Lieutenant Norcliffe Norcliffe to be Captain of a Troop, by purchase, vice Carleton, who retires. Dated February 29, 1816.
- Cornet Michael Kirby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Norcliffe. Dated February 29, 1816.
- 14th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Cornet Thomas Walker, from the 19th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Simpson, who retires. Dated February 29, 1816.
- 15th Ditto*, Edward Studd; Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Finch, promoted. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 18th Ditto*, Cornet Charles John Peshall, from the 19th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gordon, who retires. Dated February 22, 1816.
- Staff Corps of Cavalry*, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir George Scovell, K. C. B. to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated February 22, 1816.
- To be Captains of Troops, without purchase*, Lieutenant W. B. Hook. Dated February 21, 1816.
- Lieutenant Charles Hesse, from the 18th Light Dragoons. Dated February 22, 1816.
- To be Lieutenant, without purchase*, Lieutenant John C. Green, from the 6th Dragoons. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 12th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Vincent, from the 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. P. Walsh, who retires upon the half-pay of the 15th Foot. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 19th Ditto*, Lieutenant W. D. Robertson to be Captain of a Company, vice FitzGerald, deceased. Dated February 22, 1816.
- To be Lieutenants*, Lieutenant Charles Forbes, from the 4th Ceylon Regiment, vice Gardiner, deceased. Dated June 3, 1815.
- Lieutenant W. Lewis, from the 4th Ceylon Regiment; vice Robertson. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 34th Ditto*, Lieutenant H. G. Black, from half-pay of the 23d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Faunt, who exchanges. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 36th Ditto*, Captain Mildmay Fane, from the 44th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Wingfield, who retires upon half-pay of the 44th Foot. Dated February 22, 1816.
- 38th Ditto*, Volunteer Charles Lennox Stretch to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Oliver, superseded. Dated February 29, 1816.
- 44th Ditto*, Lieutenant George Newberry to be Captain of a Company, by purchase, vice Cruice, who retires. Dated February 24, 1816.
- 53d Ditto*, Captain J. F. Wall, from the 72d Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Mackay, who retires upon half-pay of the 72d Foot. Dated February 25, 1816.