

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, 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 appertain.

*Jas. Buller*

*War-Office, April 13, 1816.*

*2d Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant John William Dunne, from 2d Dragoon Guards, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, vice Kenyon, who exchanges. Commission dated March 29, 1816.*

*36th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Vincent to be Captain of a Company, vice Douglas, deceased. Dated April 4, 1816.*

*Lieutenant the Honourable James Sinclair, from the 1st Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice Vincent. Dated April 4, 1816.*

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*46th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant-General Henry Wynyard, from 44th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Whyte, deceased. Dated April 1, 1816.*

*64th Ditto, Major-General Sir William Henry Pringle, K. C. B. from the Newfoundland Regiment, to be Colonel, vice Wynyard. Dated April 1, 1816.*

*Watteville's Regiment.*

*Brevet Major Lord John T. H. Somerset, from the 60th Foot, to be Major, without purchase, vice Winter, who retires. Dated February 22, 1816.*

GARRISONS.

*Major-General Hugh Mackey Gordon to be Lieutenant-Governor of Jersey, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Hilgrove Turner. Dated March 25, 1816.*

*Major-General Henry Bayly to be Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey, vice Lieutenant-General Sir John Doyle. Dated March 25, 1816.*

MEMORANDUM.

The date of Captain Hyde's appointment to the 1st West India Regiment, is altered to 29th December 1814.

*Whitehall, April 13, 1816.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Honourable and Reverend Hugh Percy, Master of Arts, the place and dignity of a Canon or Prebendary of the Metropolitan Church of Canterbury, void by the resignation of Doctor Henry Lewis Hobart.

*Whitehall, March 20, 1816.*

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the night of Monday the 18th instant, some evil-disposed person or persons maliciously set fire to two stacks of wheat, the property of Mr. George Palmer, of St. Leonard's, in the parish of Town Malling, in the county of Kent;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the atrocious act above mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said stacks of wheat), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the said George Palmer, and a further reward of FIFTY POUNDS is also hereby offered, to be paid by the said parish of Town Malling, to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover his,