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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1825.

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

7 HEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the fifth day of January next; We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said fifth day of January: next, to Thursday the second day of February next; and We have given order to Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, to prepare a commission for proroguing the same accordingly; and We do further hereby, with the advice afore-said, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, that the said Parliament shall, on the said second day of February next, be held and sit for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs : And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said second day of February next.

Given at Our Court at Carlton-House, this twentieth day of December one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, and in the sixth year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

Carlton-House, December 20, 1825.

This day His Highness Prince Paul Esterbazy, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the Emperor of Austria, had a private audience of His Majesty to deliver his letter of recal; to

which he was introduced by the Right Honourable George Canning, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chéster, Knight, Master of the Ceremonies.

At the Court at Carlton-House, December 20, 1825,

The King, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, hath been pleased, by letters patent under His Royal Sign Manual, and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed with regard to installation; and to grant unto HIS MOST CHRISTIAN MAJESTY, CHARLES THE TENTH, KING OF FRANCE AND NAVARRE, Knight of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if His Most Christian Majesty had been formally installed; any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Foreign-Office, December 24, 1825.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John Lord Ponsonby, now Secretary to the Senate of the United State of the Ionian Islands, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United Provinces of the Rio de la Plata.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Alexander Cockburn; Esq late His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Wurtemberg, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republick of Colombia.