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DISPATCH has been received at the East India-House from the Governor-General in Council at Fort-William, in Bengal, dated 7th April 1826; of which dispatch, and of its inclosures, the following are copies:

Copy of a Letter from the Governor General in Council at Fort William, in Bengal, to the Secret Committee of the Court of Directors of the East India Company, dated 7th April 1826.

HONOURABLE SIRS,

WE hasten to announce to your Honourable Committee, that the Enterprize steam vessel, having on board Major-General Sir Archibald Campbell and Mr. Robertson, the Civil Commissioner in Ava and Pegu, has arrived with the important and gratifying intelligence of the conclusion of peace with the King of Ava.

The ratified copy of the treaty, bearing date the 24th February, and executed at Yandaboo, within four days march of the capital, together with the first instalment of 25 lacks of rapees, was dispatched by Major-General Sir Archibald Campbell from Rangoon, in His Majesty's ship Alligator, on the 17th March, ten days before the departure of the steam vessel from that port, and may be hourly expected. A copy of the treaty having, however, been received from Sir Archibald Campbell, we now transmit it with this address to Bombay, for the purpose of being forwarded over land, and beg to offer our cordial congratulations on the honour- ! tor arrived this morning.

able and successful termination of the long and arduous contest in which we have been engaged.

The Alligator having been placed at our disposal by His Excellency Commodore Sir James Brisbane, and being also, we understand, appointed to return to England, we propose to dispatch her, immediately on her arrival, to England, committing a copy of the treaty to the charge of Captain Suodgrass, Military Secretary to Sir Ar-chibald Campbell, who will afford your Honourable Committee every information regarding the recent operations in Ava. In the mean time, it will be highly satisfactory to you to know, that the main body of the force in Ava had returned to Rangoon, and several regiments had been actually embarked on the transports then in the river, and sailed for this Presidency and Fort Saint George.

Major-General Sir Archibald Campbell, having. communicated personally with us on various points, will return in the Enterprize steam vessel to Rangoon, in the course of the ensuing week, to superintend the embarkation of the remaining troops, all of whom, it is expected, will be ready to leave the Burman territories by the time when the second instalment of 25 lacks falls due, namely, the 4th of June next.

We have, &c.

AMHERST. J. H. HARINGTON, W. B. BAYLEY.

P. S .- 9th April .- His Majesty's ship Alliga-