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TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1827.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 30th day of *April* 1827,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Most Noble William Spencer Duke of Devonshire, the Most Noble William Henry Duke of Portland, the Most Noble Henry William Marquess of Anglesey, the Right Honourable John William Viscount Dudley and Ward, the Right Honourable Anthony Hart, the Right Honourable William Lamb, and the Right Honourable Sir George Cockburn, were, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their respective places at the Board accordingly.

His Majesty in Council was this day pleased to deliver the Great Seal to the Right Honourable John Singleton Lord Lyndhurst, whereupon the Oath of Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain was, by His Majesty's command, administered to his Lordship, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

His Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Most Noble William Henry Duke of Portland, the Oath of Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Grace took his place at the Board accordingly.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John William Viscount Dudley and Ward, the Right Honourable Frederick John Viscount Goderich, and the Right Honourable William Sturges Bourne, to be three of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by His Majesty's command, sworn three of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

*St. James's-Palace, April 30, 1827.*

This day the Baron de Maltzahn, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Prussia, had a private audience of His Majesty, to deliver his letter of recall; and the Baron de Bulow, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Prussia, had also a private audience of His Majesty, to deliver his credentials; to which they were introduced by the Right Honourable George Canning, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

*Whitehall, April 30, 1827.*

The King has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for granting to General Henry William Marquess of Anglesey, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, the office of Master-General of His Majesty's Ordnance of the United Kingdom.

The King has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Sir John Leach, Knight, to the office of Master or Keeper of the Rolls and Records of the Court of Chancery, the same being vacant by the promotion of the Right Honourable Sir John Singleton Copley (now Lord Lyndhurst) to the office of High Chancellor of Great Britain.

*War-Office, 1st May 1827.*

The Right Honourable Lord Viscount Palmerston, His Majesty's Secretary at War, has appointed Lieutenant-General Sir Herbert Taylor, G. C. H. to be one of his Deputies.

*War-Office, 30th April 1827.*

*12th Regiment of Foot, Frederick Villebois, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Douglas, promoted. Dated 27th April 1827.*

MEMORANDUM.

Brevet Colonel Ralph Hamilton, Major upon half-pay of the Limerick Fencibles, has been allowed to dispose of his half-pay. Dated 27th April 1827.