Lord Chamberlain's-Office, January 1, 1836.

POTICE is hereby given, that the Drawing-Room to be held at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday the 24th of February next, being for the celebration of Her Majesty's Birth-day, the Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars.

Foreign-Office, January 5, 1836.

The King has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint the Honourable George Sulyarde Stafford Jerningham, now Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at the Hague, to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Turin.

The King has also been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Sir Alexander Malet, Bart. now Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Turin, to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at the Hague.

Foreign-Office, January 5, 1836.

The King has been graciously pleased to approve of M. de la Boutraye as Consul at Dublin for His Majesty the King of the French.

Crown-Office, January 5, 1836.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Gloucester.

Western Division.

Robert Blagden Hale, Esq. of Alderley, in the room of Henry Somerset, commonly called the Marquess of Worcester, now Duke of Beaufort.

Whitehall, December 28, 1835.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend George Burnside to the church and parish of Orr, alias Urr, in the stewartry of Kirkcudbright and presbytery of Dumfries, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend William Wallace Duncan.

Office of Ordnance, 4th January 1836.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Daniel Thorndike to be Second Captain, vice Molesworth, retired on half-pay. Dated 28th December 1835.

Second Lieutenant Robert Miller Mundy to be First Lieutenant, vice Thorndike. Dated 28th December 1835.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick E. Chapman to be Second Lieutenant, with temporary rank. Dated 18th June 1835.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Fenwick to be ditto-Dated 18th June 1835.

Gentleman Cadet Theodosius Webb to be ditto-Dated 18th June 1835.

Whiteliall, December 24, 1835.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto James Dawkins, of Over Norton, in the county of Oxford, and of Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Esq. eldest son and heir of Henry Dawkins, of Standlinch, in the county of Wilts, Esq. by Lady Juliana, daughter of the Right Honourable Charles Colyear, second Earl of Portmore in Scotland, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Thistle, deceased, His royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may (in order to testify his respect for the memory of his honoured mother's family) henceforth take and use the surname of Colyear, in addition to and before his present surname of Dawkins, and also bear the arms of Colyear, quarterly in the second quarter, with those of his own family; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in His Ma-

jesty's College of Arms.

THE Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act, 10th Geo. 4th, c. 27, sec. I, that the actual Surplus Revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual Expenditure thereof, for the year ended 10th day of October 1835, amounted to the sum of £1,541,904 0s. $9\frac{1}{2}d$.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of £385,476 0s. 2d. (being one fourth part of the said surplus of £1,541,904 0s. $9\frac{1}{2}$ d.) will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, between the 7th day of January 1836 and the 5th day of April 1836, to the following purposes, viz.:

To be applied to the purchase of \$\mathcal{L}\$. \$s. \$d.\$
Stock - - - 385,476 0 2

Add Interest receivable on account of Donations and Bequests, to be applied to the purchase of Stock - 3,241 15 5

£388,717 15 7

S. Higham, Comptroller General.

National Debt-Office, January 4, 1836.