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WESTMINSTER—JULY 12, 1819.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, for declaring his Majesty's Royal Assent to several acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to grant to his Majesty certain duties of excise in Ireland on malt.

An act to repeal the annual excise duties upon malt, tobacco, and snuff, continued by an act in the present session of Parliament, and to grant other duties in lieu thereof, for the service of the year ending the 5th day of July 1820.

An act for raising the sum of sixteen millions five hundred thousand pounds, by Exchequer Bills, for the service of the year 1819.

An act for raising the sum of two millions, British currency, by Treasury-Bills in Ireland, for the service of the year 1819.

An act to explain and amend an act, passed in the 46th and 47th years of his present Majesty, concerning the disposition of certain real and personal property of his Majesty, his heirs, and successors.

An act to continue, until the 5th day of July 1820, certain laws of excise with regard to crown glass and flint, and phial glass, and to alter certain laws with regard to flint glass.

An act for granting to his Majesty an additional countervailing duty on spirits extracted in England or Ireland respectively, and imported into Scotland; and for repealing the additional duty on licences taken out by retailers of sweets in Great Britain; and for exempting from all countervailing duties the leather and glass of carriages brought by persons for private use from Ireland into Great Britain, or from Great Britain into Ireland.

An act to amend the several acts for securing the payment of the duties of Excise upon certain licenses, and regulating the issuing of such licences; and for securing the duties upon spirits distilled by licensed distillers in Ireland.

An act to continue, until the 10th day of October 1824,

an act made in the 57th year of his present Majesty, for suspending a part of the duties on sweets or made wines.

An act for the prevention of frauds in the duties on soap; for preserving the books or papers called Specimens, left by Officers of Excise on the premises of traders; and for requiring more speedy payment of the Excise duties on printed calicoes.

An act to repeal so much of an act, passed in the 55th year of his present Majesty, as relates to the postage and conveyance of letters to and from the Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, the Mauritius, and the East Indies, and to make other regulations respecting the postage of such letters and packets, and other letters and packets sent by the post.

An act to grant, until the 5th day of July 1821, an additional bounty on the exportation of certain silk manufactures of Great Britain.

An act for continuing the premiums allowed to ships employed in the Southern Whale Fishery.

An act to stay proceedings against any Governor or other persons concerned in imposing and levying duties in New South Wales, to continue, until the 1st day of January 1821, certain duties, and to empower the said Governor to levy a duty on spirits made in the said colony.

An act to extend the provisions of an act made in the 46th year of his Majesty's reign, intituled, "An act for the more speedy trial of offences committed in distant parts upon the seas," to the trial of offences committed in Africa against the laws for abolishing the slave trade.

An act to repeal the duties and drawbacks of Excise on plates or sheets of plate glass, and to impose other duties and allow other drawbacks in lieu thereof.

An act to defray the charge of the pay, clothing, and contingent expences of the disembodied militia in Great Britain, and for granting allowances in certain cases to subaltern officers, adjutants, quarter-masters, surgeons, surgeons mates, and serjeant-majors of militia, until the 25th day of March 1820.

An act to give relief in certain cases of assessment of taxes in Great Britain, and to persons compounding for their assessed taxes in Ireland from an annual assessment for three years, from the 6th day of January 1820.

An act to explain and amend an act, passed in the 31st year of his Majesty King George the Second, for the encouragement of seamen employed in the Royal Navy, as it relates to certain allowances to navy agents.

An act for establishing a registry of colonial slaves, in Great Britain, and for making further provision with respect to the removal of slaves from British colonies.

An act to make further regulations for the prevention of smuggling.

An act to permit vessels under a certain tonnage to trade between the United Kingdom and New South Wales.

An act to enlarge the powers of an act, passed in the 56th year of his present Majesty, relative to the transportation of offenders, to continue until the 1st day of May 1821.

An act to empower the Officers of the Customs in Great Britain to allow reports of vessels' cargoes to be amended to require goods which have been warehoused without payment of duties, or being prohibited, warehoused for exportation to be put on board vessels by persons licensed for that purpose, to direct that doquet and bond shall be required for slate and stone carried coastwise, and to empower Officers of the Customs to administer oaths.

An act for amending an act, made in the 43d year of the reign of his present Majesty, for regulating the vessels carrying passengers from the United Kingdom to his Majesty's plantations and settlements abroad, or to foreign parts, with respect to the number of such passengers, and for making further provision for that purpose.

An act to admit certain goods imported from the East Indies to entry and payment of duty without being warehoused, and to permit the exportation of certain East India goods to Guernsey and Jersey, and the removal of certain East India goods to Liverpool, Lancaster, Bristol, and Glasgow, for exportation.

An act to repeal so much of two acts as require certain accounts to be laid before Parliament, and to amend an act of the 26th year of his present Majesty, relative to laying an account before Parliament.

An act for giving additional facilities in applications to courts of equity, regarding the management of estates or funds belonging to charities.

An act for the further protection and encouragement of friendly societies, and for preventing frauds and abuses therein. And to several English, &c. acts, and four private bills.

ST. JAMES'S—JULY 13, 1819.

This day his Royal Highness the Prince Regent proceeded in state from St. James's Palace to the House of Lords, where he arrived at two o'clock; and, having alighted from the state coach, he was received at the portico by the Great Officers and others, and proceeded to the robing room in the usual manner: His Royal Highness was there robed, his hat on his head, and the procession moved into the house in the usual order.

His Royal Highness being seated on the throne, the Great Officers and others standing on the right and left, Sir Thomas Tyrwhitt, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from his Royal Highness to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, his Royal Highness, in the name and on the behalf

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