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AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 1st of *October* 1806.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it hath been represented to His Majesty, that, over and above the Royal Duties, and the Consulate or Municipal Duties, payable upon divers Articles exported from the City, Town, and Fortrefs of Buenos Ayres, and its Dependencies, including therein all and every the Territories belonging to, or forming a Part of, the Government of the same, a Duty of Two Reals upon each Ox Hide, and of One Real upon each Horse Hide, exported, was levied and paid during the Time the said City, Town, and Fortrefs of Buenos Ayres, and its Dependencies, were under the Spanish Government: And whereas the Commander of His Majesty's Forces, to whom the said City, Town, and Fortrefs have surrendered, has thought fit, until His Majesty's Pleasure should be known, to reduce the said additional Duty to One Real upon each Ox Hide, and to make a proportionate Reduction of the Duty payable upon each Horse Hide exported; His Majesty is thereupon pleased to order and declare, that the said Reduced Duties, and no other, shall, until the further Signification of His Majesty's Pleasure, continue to be paid upon each Ox Hide and Horse Hide exported as aforesaid, in British Ships, owned by His Majesty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law; or in Ships *bonâ fide* belonging to any of the Subjects or Native Inhabitants of the said City, Town, and Territories, such Native Inhabitants being peaceably resident within the same, and under the Obedience of His Majesty's Government there:—And the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Fawkener.

AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 1st of *October* 1806.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this Day ordered by His Majesty, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, that Horses, Mules, Asses, Neat Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Poultry, and every other Species of Live Stock and Live Provisions, be added to the Articles which His Majesty, by His Order in Council of the Seventeenth of last Month, has authorized the Governors and Lieutenant-Governors of His Majesty's Islands and Colonies in the West Indies, (in which Description the Bahama Islands, and the Bermuda or Somer's Islands, are included,) and of any Lands or Territories on the Continent of South America to His Majesty belonging, to permit to be imported into the said Islands, Colonies, Lands, and Territories respectively; and that the said additional Articles be accordingly permitted to be so imported, in the Manner, for the Time, and under the Terms and Conditions mentioned in the said Order.

W. Fawkener.

Admiralty-Office, October 4, 1806.

Copy of a Letter from Sir Charles Cotton, Bart. Vice-Admiral of the Red, to William Marsden, Esq; dated on board His Majesty's Ship *San Josef*, off *Ushant*, September 30, 1806.

S I R,

I HAVE the Honor to transmit you, for the Information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a Copy of a Letter I have just received from Rear-Admiral Sir Thomas Louis, informing me of the Capture of the French Frigate *Le President*, by the Ships of that Squadron.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

(Signed) CHARLES COTTON.

S I R, *Canopus*, at *Sea*, Sept. 29, 1806.

I HAVE to inform you with my falling in with the French Frigate *Le President*, of Forty-four Guns, Three Hundred and Thirty Men, com-