

Westminster, April 1, 1813.

**T**HIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised 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 for raising the sum of five millions by Exchequer Bills for the service of Great Britain, for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

An Act for raising the sum of one million five hundred thousand pounds by Exchequer Bills, for the service of Great Britain, for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

An Act for further continuing until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, certain bounties and drawbacks on the exportation of sugar from Great Britain, and for suspending the countervailing duties and bounties on sugar, when the duties imposed by an Act of the Forty-ninth Year of His present Majesty shall be suspended.

An Act to continue until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, an Act for regulating the drawbacks and bounties on the exportation of sugar from Ireland.

An Act to allow a bounty on the exportation of the manufactures of refuse or waste silk.

An Act to explain and amend an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, for amending the laws relating to the Local Militia in England.

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An Act for making and maintaining a navigable canal to unite the Rivers Wey and Arun, in the Counties of Surrey and Sussex.

An Act for enlarging the Powers of an Act of His present Majesty, for supplying with water the towns of Manchester and Salford, in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for altering and amending Two Acts of the seventeenth and forty-second years of His present Majesty, for the better relief and employment of the poor of the Parish of Saint Mary, Islington, in the County of Middlesex, and for building a workhouse for the said Parish.

An Act for making a road from Beachdown near Battle to Heathfield, and from Robertsbridge to Hoods Corner, all in the County of Sussex.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of Two Acts of His present Majesty, for repairing the Roads from Market Harborough to Loughborough, and from Filling Gate to the Melton Mowbray Turnpike Road in the County of Leicester.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of an Act of His present Majesty, for repairing the Roads leading from the Parishes of Yoxford, Saxmundham, and Benhall, in the County of Suffolk, to the Town of Aldeburgh in the said County.

An Act for continuing and amending an Act of His present Majesty, for repairing the Roads leading from Bowes, in the County of York, through Barnard Castle and Bishop Auckland, to join the Great North Road near Sunderland Bridge, in the County of Durham.

An Act for altering and enlarging the term and powers of an Act of the forty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for repairing the Roads leading from Tavistock to Old Town Gate, in the Borough of Plymouth, and from Manadon Gate to the Old Pound near Plymouth Ddck, in the County of Devon.

An Act for continuing and amending Five Acts passed for repairing the several roads leading from the Towns of Hertford and Ware, and other places, in the County of Hertford.

And thirteen private Acts.

Carlton-House, April 2, 1813.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was this day pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Captain Robert Kerr Porter (a Knight of Sweden).

Whitehall, March 20, 1813.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto John Milley Doyle, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel in the army, and Colonel in the Portuguese service, His Majesty's royal license and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has honoured him, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the distinguished courage and intrepidity displayed by the said John Milley Doyle in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula: Provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these Realms.

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to order that the said royal concession and declaration, together with the relative documents, be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 24, 1813.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto William Mac Bean, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the army, and Colonel commanding the twenty-fourth regiment of infantry in the Portuguese service, His Majesty's royal