

respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of salt-petre, and to enforce the law for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying coastwise of salt-petre, gunpowder, or any sort of arms or ammunition;" and also by an Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His Majesty's reign, cap. 2, intituled "An Act to enable His Majesty to restrain the exportation of naval stores, and more effectually to prevent the exportation of salt-petre, arms, and ammunition, when prohibited by Proclamation or Order in Council."

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain. *Chetwynd.*

*Carlton-House, November 26, 1819.*

This day His Excellency the Duke of San Carlos, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Catholic Majesty, Ferdinand the Seventh of Spain, had a private audience of the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, announcing His Catholic Majesty's marriage with Her Royal Highness the Princess Maria Josepha Amelia, niece to His Majesty the King of Saxony; and also a letter from Her Majesty the Duchess of Lucca, congratulating the Prince Regent upon the birth of a Prince to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland. His Excellency the Marquess de Latour Maubourg, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty, had likewise a private audience of the Prince Regent, to deliver his letter of recall. To which audiences their Excellencies were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

*At the Court at Carlton-House, Thursday, November 25, 1819.*

A CHAPTER of the Most Noble Order of the Garter having been summoned for this day, the Knights Companions, in their mantles and collars, with the Officers of the Order hereafter mentioned, in their mantles, chains, and badges, attended His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in his own apartment soon after four o'clock; and, being called over by Black Rod (in the absence of Garter Principal King of Arms), a procession was made to the Chapter-Room in the following order:

Marquess of Anglesey. Earl Bathurst.

Earl of Liverpool.

Duke of Wellington.

Duke of Montrose.

Marquess of Hertford.

Marquess of Stafford. Earl of Winchilsea.

Earl of Pembroke. Duke of Beaufort.

Earl of Hardwicke. Duke of Rutland.

Marquess Camden.

Earl of Westmorland.

Marquess of Salisbury.

His Royal Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe-Cobourg.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Clarence. His Royal Highness the Duke of York.

Sir Thomas Tyrwhitt, Knt. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

The Lord Bishop of Salisbury, Chancellor of the Order.

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The Prince Regent and the Knights Companions being seated, the Chancellor signified to the Chapter the pleasure of His Royal Highness, in the name and on the behalf of the Sovereign, for filling the vacant stall in the Royal Chapel of St. George at Windsor: and, as by the statutes none but a Knight can be elected, Black Rod was commanded to introduce the Duke of Northumberland, who was knighted by the Prince Regent with the sword of state, and thereupon withdrew.

The suffrages were then collected by the Chancellor, beginning with the Junior Knight Companion, and presented to the Prince Regent, who commanded his Lordship to declare the Most Noble Hugh Duke of Northumberland duly elected a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

His Grace was, thereupon, received at the door of the Chapter-Room by the Earl Bathurst and the Marquess of Anglesey, the two Junior Knights Companions, and conducted between them to the Prince Regent, preceded by Black Rod, bearing (in the absence of Garter) the ensigns of the Order on a crimson velvet cushion.

The Duke kneeling near the Prince Regent, and Black Rod presenting, on his knee, the Garter, His Royal Highness, assisted by their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of York and Clarence, the two Senior Knights Companions, buckled it on his Grace's left leg; the Chancellor pronouncing the admonition.

Black Rod then presented the ribband with the George; and His Royal Highness, with the assistance of the said two Senior Knights Companions, put the same over his Grace's left shoulder; the Chancellor pronouncing the admonition.

The Duke, having kissed the Prince Regent's hand, and made the usual salutations to the Knights Companions (bowing only to those of the Blood Royal), withdrew.

The Chapter ended, Black Rod, by the command of the Prince Regent, called over the Knights