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PEACE WITH THE TURKS.

Paris, October 18.
At noon this day a salute of 62 guns
announced the signature of preliminaries
of peace between the French Republic
and the Ottoman Porte.
*Preliminary Articles of Peace between the
French Republic and the Ottoman Porte.*
The First Consul of the French
Republic, in the name of the French
people, and the Sublime Ottoman
Porte, wishing to put an end to the war
which divide the two states, and to
restore the ancient connections which
united them, have nominated for that
purpose their ministers plenipotentiary,
as follow—

The First Consul of the French Re-
public, in the name of the French people
has appointed Citizen Charles Maurice
Talleyrand, minister of foreign affairs;
and the Sublime Porte its former am-
bassador, Basch Muhassée, and the am-
bassador Effendy Aly Effendi, who, after
exchanging their full powers, agreed to
the following articles;

Art. 1. There shall be peace & friend-
ship between the French Republic and
the Sublime Ottoman Porte; in con-
sequence of which hostilities shall
cease, between the two powers from
the date of the ratifications of the present
preliminary articles, immediately after
which exchange the whole province of
Egypt shall be evacuated by the French
army, and restored to the Sublime Ot-
toman Porte, whose territory and possessions
in them shall be maintained in their
integrity, and the same manner that they
stood before the present war.

It is understood, that after the eva-
cuation, the concessions which may be
made in Egypt to other powers, shall be
common to the French.

II. The French Republic recog-
nizes the constitution of the Republic
of the Seven Islands and the ex-Venetian
Territory, situated on the continent. It
guarantees the maintenance of their
constitution. The Sublime Ottoman
Porte, in that respect, is to guarantee the
French Republic, as well as that of Russia.

III. Definitive arrangements shall be
made between the French Republic and
the Sublime Ottoman Porte, respecting
the goods or property of the respective
subjects confiscated or sequestered in the
course of the war. The political and
commercial agents and the prisoners of
war of all ranks, shall be set at liberty
immediately after the signing of the
preliminary articles.

IV. The treaties which existed between
France and the Sublime Ottoman Porte
are renewed in their full extent, in con-
sequence of which the French Republic
shall fully enjoy in the states of his
highness the same rights of trade and
navigation which it possessed heretofore,
and those which the most favored nations
may hereafter possess.

The ratifications shall be exchanged at
Paris in the space of 23 days.

LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY.
Drawing direct, Oct. 21.

A dispatch of which the following is a copy,
was this day received (in duplicate) at
the office of the right honorable lord Hobart
one of his majesty's principal secretaries of
state.

Head quarters, camp before
Alexandria, Sept. 5.

My Lord,

I have now the satisfaction to inform your
lordship that the forts and town of Alexan-
dria have surrendered to his majesty's troops,
who on the 2d instant took possession of the
entrenched camp on the heights above Pompey's
pillar, the redoubt Ehrbrain, and the fort Tri-
angular. By the capitulation the garrison
are to be embarked for France in the course
of ten days, provided the shipping is in a state
of preparation to receive them.

The operations against the enemy's works,
commenced on the 17th August.

Major gen. Coote embarked with a strong
corps on the inundation in the night between
the 16 and 17th of August. He effected his
landing to the westward of Alexandria, with
little or no opposition, and immediately in-
vested the strong castle of Marabout, situated at
the entrance of the western harbor of Alexan-
dria.

On the east side of the town two attacks
were made to get possession of some heights
in front of the entrenched positions of the en-
emy. I entrusted the conduct of the attack
against their right to major gen. Cradock, and
that against their left to major gen. Moore.
These two officers perfectly executed my in-
structions, and performed the service committed

to their care with much precision and ability.
The action was neither obstinate or severe,
and our loss is but small, but it afforded us
more opportunity to display the promptness of
British officers, and the heroism of British
soldiers. A part of gen. Doyle's brigade,
30th regiment (but under the immediate
command of colonel Spencer) had taken pos-
session of a hill in front of the enemy's right.
General Menou who was in person in that
part of the French entrenched camp, directly
opposite our post, ordered about 600 men to
make a sortie to drive us from our position.
The enemy advanced in columns with fixed
bayonets and without firing a shot, till they
got very close to the 30th regiment, to whom
col. Spencer gave immediate orders to charge,
though they did not consist of more than 200
men; he was obeyed with spirit and de-
termination worthy the highest panegyric. The
enemy were driven back to the entrench-
ments with the greatest confusion. They had
many killed and wounded, and several taken
prisoners.

On the night between the 18th, and 19th,
major gen. Coote opened the batteries against
the castle of Marabout; an attack was also
made from the sea by several Turkish cor-
vettes, and the launches and boats of the fleet
under the guidance of the hon. Captain
Cochrane; great perseverance and exertions
were required to get in heavy guns through a
difficult and almost impracticable country;
but the troops executed this painful and ardu-
ous service with such zeal and continued firm-
ness, that the fort capitulated in the night of
the 21st; the garrison consisted of about one
hundred and eighty men, and were coman-
ded by a chief de brigade.

On the morning of the 22d, major general
Coote marched from Marabout to a creek
strongly fortified in his front, in order to
cover the approach to Alexandria, the man-
agement of that excellent officer appears to
have been able and judicious, and was atten-
ded with the most complete success; he drove
the enemy every where, though strongly pos-
sessed, & in a country which opposed uncommon
obstacles to the progress of troops. The
French suffered extremely in the action, and
retreated in much confusion, leaving their
wounded and seven cannon behind them.
On the 24th, batteries were opened against
the Redoubt de Bain; and on the 25th, at
night, major gen. Coote surprised the enemy's
advanced post, when seven officers and fifty
men were taken prisoner; this service was
gallantly performed by lieutenant col. Smith, with
the first battalion of the 20th regiment, and a
small detachment of dragoons under the or-
ders of lieutenant Kelly, of the 26th. The enemy
endeavored to regain possession of the ground
from which they had been driven, but were
repulsed with loss.

On the morning of the 26th we opened
four batteries on each side of the town against
the entrenched camp of the French, which
soon silenced their fire, and induced them to
withdraw many of their guns.

On the 27th, in the evening, gen. Menou
sent an aid de camp to request an armistice
for three days, in order to give time to pre-
pare a capitulation, which, after some diffi-
culties and delays, was signed on the 2d of
September.

I have the honor to inclose you a copy
of the capitulation and a list of the number
of persons for whom the enemy have required
shipping; by this it appears that the total of the
garrison of Alexandria consisted of upwards
of 8000 soldiers, and 1300 sailors.

This arduous and important service has at
length been brought to a conclusion.—The
exertions of individuals have been splendid
and meritorious. I regret that the bounds of
a dispatch will not allow me to specify the
whole, or to mention the name of every person
who has distinguished himself in the public
service. I have received the great support
and assistance from the general officers of the
army. The conduct of troops of every de-
scription has been exemplary in the highest de-
gree; there has been much to applaud, and
nothing to reprehend; their order and regu-
larity in the camp, have been as conspicu-
ous as their courage in the field. To the
quarter-master-general, lieutenant col. Ansell,
I owe much to his unwearied industry and
zeal in the public service, and for the aid,
advice and co-operation, which he has at all
times afforded me.—Brigadier gen. Lawson,
who commanded the artillery, and captain
Bryce, the chief engineer, have both great
merit in their different departments. The lo-
cal situation of Egypt presents obstacles of a
most serious kind to military operations on an
extended scale. The skill and perseverance
of two officers have overcome difficulties
which at first appeared almost insurmount-
able.

Lieut. col. Lindenthall, who has always ac-
ted with the Turks, deserves my utmost ac-
knowledgments; his activity and diligence
have been unremitting, and he has introduced
amongst them an order and regularity which
does him the highest honour.

During the course of the long service on
which we have been engaged, lord Keith has
at all times, given the most able assistance and
counsel. The labour and fatigue of the Na-
vy, have been continued and excellent;—it
has not been of one day or of one week, but
for months together. In the Bay of Aboukir

on the new foundation, and on the Nile, for
160 miles, they have been employed without
intermission, and have submitted to many pri-
vations with a cheerfulness highly creditable
to them, and advantageous to the public ser-
vice.

Sir S. Smith had originally the command
of the fleet who landed from the fleet; he
continued on shore till after the capture of
Roula, and remained on board Le Tygre, a
short time before the appearance of Admiral
Cantraine's Squadron on the coast. He
was present in the three actions of the 8th,
13th, and 21st of March, when he displayed
that ardor of mind for the service of his coun-
try, and that noble intrepidity, for which he
has been ever so conspicuous. Capt. Steven-
son, of the Europa, succeeded him, and I
have every reason to be satisfied with his zeal
and conduct. The crews of the gun boats
displayed great gallantry, under his guidance
in the new Inundation; and much approbation
is also due to the naval officers who acted un-
der his orders.

Captain Preissland, of the Regulars, has
had the direction for many months past of all
Greek ships in our employment, and of those
belonging to the commissaries. He has been
active, zealous and indefatigable, and merits
my warmest approbation. I must therefore
beg leave particularly to recommend this old
and meritorious officer to your lordship's pro-
tection.

Allow me to express a humble hope, that
the army in Egypt have gratified the warm
wishes and expectations of their country.—To
them every thing is due, and to me nothing.
It was my fate to succeed a man who created
such a spirit, and established such a discipline
amongst them, that little has been left for
me to perform, except to follow his maxims,
and to endeavor to imitate his conduct.

This dispatch will be delivered to your
lordship by Col. Abercrombie, an officer of
considerable ability, and worthy of the great
name he bears. He will one day, I truly e-
stimate the virtue and talents of his never suc-
cessfully to be lamented father.

I have the honor to be, &c.

J. HELY HUTCHINSON,
Lieutenant-General.

The Right Hon. Lord
HOBART, &c.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 31.

On Thursday evening last, CARLETON
VALKER, Esq. Naval officer of this
Port, was married to Miss MARIAH
MOSELEY.

The Legislature of this State have a-
dopted the Amendments to the Federal
Constitution, relative to the election of
Electors of President & Vice-President of
the U. States, proposed by the Legisla-
ture of Maryland.

A Charleston paper of the 10th instant says
—"We feel no small degree of satisfaction
in assuring the public that the mail directed
for the northward the 2d inst. and supposed
to be robbed, is found without any loss, and
forwarded by the postmaster; the intention of
the villains, who took it from the post-riders,
is not easily fathomed. It was cut open,
thoroughly searched, left in the woods within
four miles of town, and nothing taken from
it except a small ozonburg bag, used for the
Peterburg (V) letters."

A great number of French troops are to be
sent to St. Domingo to assist the interests of
the French Republic. If necessary the French
government is to be allowed to charter the
number of 70 English vessels to carry out the
troops without delay, because it may be of
great importance to execute the plan before
Toussaint has the least information of the
Peace. The force will be at least 20,000
men. General Rochambeau is spoken of as
the commander.

Port of Wilmington.

Entered since our last.

Sch'r. Friendship, Lawray, Charleston.
—Betsey, M'Henry, do
Brig Apollo, Lee, Montego Bay.

Cleared.

Sloop Laurel, Canton, Bermuda.
Brig Charlotte, Hudgins, Barbadoes.
Sch'r. Betsey, To his, Martinique.
Sloop Sally, Hefleman, Charleston.
Sch'r. Three Brothers, Bell, New-York.
Ship Martha, Beatha, St. Croix.

ACTS passed during the session of the General As-
sembly of North-Carolina, in the year 1800.

AN ACT to amend the first section of an act passed
1799, entitled "an act to amend an act entitled
an act for appointing an additional judge of the superior
court of Morgan district, and for the relief of persons
who have, or may hereafter forfeit their recognizances
in the superior and county courts." 1. To repeal
part of the second section of an act entitled "an act
to authorize Carey Pittard of Montgomery county,
to establish a ferry." 2. To amend an act passed at
the last session of the general assembly, entitled "an
act to call to account the receivers of public money in
and for the county of Greene, and to complete pay-
ment of such balances as may appear to be due in
their hands, and for other purposes therein mention-
ed." 3. For the better regulation of the town of
Waynesborough. 4. To amend an act entitled "an

act to secure to certain persons therein mentioned,
such property as they may hereafter acquire," passed
the last general assembly, to far as respects Daniel
Sawyer, wife of William Sawyer, of Camden county.
5. For the limitation of writs of error. 6. To re-
peal an act passed last session, entitled "an act to
clear and keep open the navigation of White Oak riv-
er." 7. To divide the seventh brigade in the fourth
division, into two separate and distinct brigades.
8. To divide the second brigade of the first division
into two separate and distinct brigades. 9. To open
and make navigable Fishing creek, from the mouth
thereof, as far as may be practicable. 10. To grant
to the inhabitants of the east end of Carteret county,
a separate general muster. 11. Making compensation
to the jurors of Johnston county. 12. To re-
peal the first section of an act entitled "an act for ap-
pointing commissioners to extend the boundary line
of this state and the state of S. Carolina," passed in
1796. 13. To amend an act establishing the town of
Charlotte, in Mecklenburg county. 14. For the regu-
lation of the town of Stateville in the county of
Iredell. 15. To authorize the county courts of John-
ston, Wayne, Lenoir and Greene, to appoint some
proper persons to provide books and transcribe cer-
tain old records now in the county of Lenoir. 16.
To empower the county courts of Wilkes, Moore,
and Ashe, to lay a tax for the purpose of destroying
Wolves in said counties. 17. To establish a separate
election in the county of Nash. 18. For regulating
ordinaries and retailers of spirituous liquors by the
final measure, in the town of Tabor, and to repeal
part of an act entitled "an act to amend an act en-
titled an act for the better regulation of the town of
Tabor," passed in the year 1791. 19. To estab-
lish a town at or near Wood's ferry on Haw river,
in Orange county, and other purposes therein men-
tioned. 20. To confirm the name of Willis Watson,
of the county of Johnston. 21. To establish an in-
pection of Tobacco on Dan river, on the land of col.
Abraham Boslick, in Stokes county. 22. To au-
thorize the administrators of Malcolm M'weir, esq. late
sheriff of Moore county, dec. to finish the collection
of the public and other taxes of the said county, for
the years '98 and '99. 23. For the relief of Andrew
Murdock, late sheriff of Orange county. 24. Making
compensation to the jurors of Craven county court.
25. For the further regulation of the towns of Ed-
mon and Wilmington. 26. To re-establish the sep-
arate battalion muster at the plantation of James Atkins
in Cumberland county. 27. To authorize the war-
dens of Duplin county to lay a tax for the purposes
therein mentioned. 28. To repeal an act entitled
"an act to improve the navigation of Great Oconee
creek, passed at Raleigh, in the year 1790." 29.
Respecting retailing spirituous liquors in the counties
therein mentioned. 30. To receive and continue in
force an act passed last session of the general assembly
making compensation to the jurors of Rowan and
Carteret, so far as relates to the county of Rowan.
31. To amend the several acts of the General As-
sembly of this State, to prevent excessive gaming.
32. To empower the county court of Chowan to
apportion the duties of the Inspectors of merchan-
dise commodities of said county. 33. To empower
the county court of Franklin to appoint a proper
person to copy the Register's books of said county.
34. To alter the time of holding the election in the
county of Duplin. 35. To alter the time of hold-
ing the several elections in the county of Halifax.
36. To amend an act, entitled "an act directing the
method of electing members of the General Assem-
bly, & other purposes," passed in the year 1777. 37.
To repeal a part of the Inspection laws now in force
in this State. 38. An act to improve the navigation
of Catawba river, from the South-Carolina line, as
far up as the same may be practicable. 39. To al-
ter the mode of raising money to defray the expence
of jurors from the county of Burke to the Superior
and County Courts, and other purp. for therein men-
tioned. 40. To amend the 19th section of an act,
entitled "an act for the better care of orphan, and
security and management of their estates." 41. For
transferring certain records in the county of Per-
quimans. 42. To empower and authorize the war-
dens of the County of Wilmington, to lay a tax suf-
ficient for the support of the poor of said county.
43. To fix a uniform time for taking the list of tax-
able property throughout the State, and for enfor-
cing the collection of taxes. 44. To appoint and
empower commissioners to contract with Philip Hood-
ensley and John Bernard, for certain improvements
on the warm Spring Roads. 45. To amend the
act passed the last General Assembly held at Raleigh,
in the year 1800, granting to the inhabitants of the
north and western parts of Edgecombe county, sep-
arate elections and general musters. 46. To establish
two separate elections and a general muster in the
county of Bladen. 47. To empower Abijah Bell,
late Sheriff of Carteret county, to collect the arrear-
ages of taxes due him. 48. Granting additional el-
ections in the county of New-Haven and for other
purposes. 49. To compel the clerk of the county
court of Ashe, to keep his office at the court-house
or within three miles thereof. 50. To empower the
wardens of the poor of the county of Franklin to
lay an additional tax for the support of the poor of
said county. 51. To authorize and empower the
Trustees of the Newbern Academy to raise by way of
lottery, a sum of money for the purpose of building
an Academy on the above house lots in the town
of Newbern. 52. To annex part of Pitt county to
Edgecombe. 53. To promote justice in the coun-
ty of Rockingham. 54. For establishing an acad-
emy in the county of Duplin. 55. To amend an act
passed at Hillsborough, in 1799, for establishing
courts of Equity, and to regulate the proceedings of
Appeals from the several courts of P. as and Quar-
ter Sessions, to the Superior courts of law. 56. To
continue in force for a longer time, an act, entitled
"an act for the relief of non-commissioned officers
and soldiers of the continental line and militia of
this State," &c. passed 1800. 57. To empower
the few cities of James Blount, late Sheriff of Beau-
fort county, to collect arrearages of taxes. 58. To
quiet in the possession of John Bonnell certain lands
therein mentioned. 59. To annex part of Tyrone to
Wilmington county. 60. To compel the clerk of
Granville county court to keep his office at or with-
in two miles of the court-house. 61. To compel
the clerk of Rockingham county court to keep his
office at the court-house, or within two miles thereof.
62. To compel persons who are permitted to have
their slaves liberated, to give bond and security for
keeping such slaves from becoming a public bur-
den, and for other purposes. 63. To ex-
tend the mode of appropriating certain fines, forfeit-
ures and embezzlements. 64. An act to authorize and
render capable in law Mary Roberts, wife of Wil-
liam R. Roberts, by her husband, and Edward, Lydia
Sullivan, Henry, Margaret and Sarah Bennett, chil-
dren, and heirs at law of William Bonner, deceased,
by their guardian or guardians to sell and convey,
under the direction of the county court of Chowan,
certain real estate therein mentioned. 65. To quiet
in the possession of Mary Y. and the right of cer-
tain lands therein mentioned. 66. To amend the third
section of an act, entitled "an act granting a sep-
arate election to the inhabitants of the county of St. An-
drew, passed last session of the General Assembly." 67. For the bet-
ter regulation of the town of Winton, in Bertie county.