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Publication of the *Correspondance générale de Napoléon*

Volume III : « Les Pacifications », 1800-1802

The third volume of the *Correspondance générale de Napoléon* published by the Fondation Napoléon with Editions Fayard will be in bookshops from 24 May, 2006.

This volume, subtitled « Pacifications », covers the period from 1 January, 1800 to 31 December, 1802. It contains 2,567 annotated letters and a preface by Professeur Jean Tulard, member of the Institute. Edited by Thierry Lentz, with the assistance of Gabriel Madec, the book furthermore comprises four detailed essays, a selection of maps, a detailed timeline, and three indices.

This project to publish Napoleon's correspondence has been spearheaded by the Fondation since 2001 and is supported by the Archives de France and the Fondation La Poste. The project committee is headed by Victor-André Masséna, President of the Fondation Napoléon, and the project itself has mobilised some of the best specialists in Napoleonic history (namely, Jean Tulard, Jean-Claude Casanova, Jacques-Olivier Boudon, Thierry Lentz, Jacques Jourquin, David Chanteranne, André Palluel, Michel Kerautret, etc.), many of the world's principal archival institutions, not to mention nearly two hundred volunteers, all keen connoisseurs of the history of the Revolution and the Empire.

Twelve volumes are planned by Editions Fayard, the last appearing in 2010. In total, 36 000 letters by Napoleon (more than a third of which never previously published) will see the light of day.

<p>Napoléon Bonaparte, <i>Correspondance générale. III. Pacifications (1800-1802)</i>, preface by Jean Tulard, volume edited by Thierry Lentz with the assistance of Gabriel Madec, Émilie Barthet, Irène Delage and François Houdecek, Fayard, 1408 pages, 52 euros.</p>
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