'More Birthdays! We Are Not Amused' Vocabulary

What do the following words from the article mean? Can you figure out their meaning from the text or do you need to use a dictionary? (The main words are taken directly from the article while the words in brackets are the more likely word choice to be found in a dictionary.)

Commonwealth: monarch: reign: escorted (escort): mount: Julian calendar: Regimental Colour: operational:





sovereign:		
statute:		
proclaim:		
Head of State:		
territory:		
phenomena:		
sloth:		



