

the Continent, and led to that combined effort which, under the blessing of Divine Providence, has dissolved the empire of oppression, and effected the liberation of the world.

*Will. Ford, Mayor.*

[Presented by Mr. Pocock and Mr. Astell, Members for the Borough.]

*Carlton-House, May 11, 1814.*

This day Monsieur de Psffel, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Bavaria; and the Count de Beroldingen, Major-General, Aide-de-Camp-General, and Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Wurtemberg, had their first private audiences of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; to which they were respectively introduced by the Earl of Liverpool, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

*Whitehall, May 14, 1814.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Viscount of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable George Lord Keith, Knight of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Keith.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Sir Edward Pellew, Bart. Vice-Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Exmouth, of Canonteign, in the county of Devon.

*Whitehall, May 14, 1814.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant to the Honourable William Cornwallis, Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, the offices or places of Vice-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, and also of Lieutenant of the Navies and Seas of the said United Kingdom, in the room of the Right Honourable Alexander Viscount Bridport, deceased.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant to William Young, Esq. Admiral of the White Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, the offices or places of Rear-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Admiralty thereof, and also of Rear-Admiral of the Navies and Seas of the said United Kingdom, in the room of Admiral the Honourable William Cornwallis.

*Carlton-House, May 7, 1814.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Archibald Campbell, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Brigadier-General in the Portuguese service, and Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

*Carlton-House, May 11, 1814.*

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 Richard Richards, Esq. late Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, and Chief Justice of Chester, upon his appointment as one of the Barons of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Samuel Shepherd, Esq. one of His Majesty's Serjeants at Law, and late Solicitor-General to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, upon his appointment as His Majesty's Solicitor-General.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on William Adams, Esq. Oculist Extraordinary to His Royal Highness, on presenting the official report of the Directors of Greenwich-Hospital of the superior success of his new and improved modes of effecting the cure of the various species of cataract, and the Egyptian ophthalmia.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Henry Bridges, Esq. late High Sheriff for the county of Surrey.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on William Gell, Esq. upon his return from the Ionian mission, under the patronage of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent.

*Foreign-Office, May 14, 1814.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the undermentioned persons to be Consuls for His Serene Highness the Prince of Orange Nassau, Sovereign Prince of the United Provinces of the Netherlands; viz.

Mr. William May to be Consul-General in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

Mr. Joseph Banfield to be Consul at Falmouth.

Mr. John Hawker to be Consul at Plymouth.

Mr. Francis William Cobb to be Consul at Margate.

Mr. Edward Spencer Curling to be Consul at Ramsgate and Deal.

Mr. George Aitchison to be Consul at Leith.