

jesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 29, 1825.

CEREMONIAL of the Investiture of Major-General Sir James Campbell with the Ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By His Majesty's command, Major-General Sir James Campbell was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Majesty, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to His Majesty, and the Major-General, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Majesty's hand.

Then Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order, having received from the Officer of Arms, the ribband and badge of a Knight Commander, presented them to the Sovereign, and His Majesty was graciously pleased to invest Sir James Campbell with the same. The Major-General having again had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and having received from His Majesty the star of a Knight Commander, withdrew.

Carlton-House, June 29, 1825.

CEREMONIAL of the Investiture of Rear-Admiral Sir Thomas-Masterman Hardy; Baronet, Major Generals Sir Edward Blakeney, Sir John Maclean, Sir Richard-Downes Jackson, Sir Henry-Frederick Bouverie, and Lord Fitzroy-James-Henry Somerset, Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, with the Star of the Second Class of the Order.

By His Majesty's command, Rear-Admiral Sir Thomas-Masterman Hardy was introduced into the Presence with the usual reverences, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion the star appropriated to the Second Class of the Order.

Then His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order, having received from the Officer of Arms the Star of a Knight Commander, presented it to the Sovereign, and His Majesty was graciously pleased to invest Sir Thomas-Masterman Hardy with the same.

The Rear-Admiral being thus invested had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand and withdrew.

Major-Generals Sir Edward Blakeney, Sir John Maclean, Sir Richard-Downes Jackson, Sir Henry-Frederick Bouverie, and Lord Fitzroy-James-Henry Somerset, were then severally introduced and invested with the star of the Second Class with the same Ceremonies.

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Upon this occasion Major-Generals Sir Edward Blakeney and Lord Fitzroy-James-Henry Somerset received the honour of Knighthood, but the other Officers were not knighted, having previously received that honour.

Whitehall, June 30, 1825.

The King has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom unto Major-General Sir Thomas Munro, K. C. B. Governor of Madras, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, June 30, 1825.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend James Bissett to the church and parish of Bourtie, in the presbytery of Garcock and county of Aberdeen, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Smith.

St. James's-Palace, June 29, 1825.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Gilbert Elliot to be one of His Royal Highness's Domestic Chaplains.

St. James's-Palace, July 1, 1825.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Doctor Whympster to be one of His Royal Highness's Physicians.

War-Office, 1st July 1825.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Michael Daintry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Scarlett, promoted. Dated 9th June 1825.

To be Cornets, by purchase.

Henry Jones, Gent. vice Porter, promoted. Dated 9th June 1825.

Thomas Ponsonby, Gent. vice Daintry. Dated 10th June 1825.

1st Regiment of Dragoons, Lieutenant Townshend Richard Keily to be Captain, by purchase, vice Clark, promoted in the 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 26th May 1825.

Cornet William Eccles to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Keily. Dated 26th May 1825.

Henry Josias Stracey, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Eccles. Dated 26th May 1825.

9th Regiment of Light Dragoons, George Vesey, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Knox, promoted. Dated 15th June 1825.

15th Ditto, Robert Gill, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dundas, promoted. Dated 16th June 1825.