

value, each, of one-third part of a shilling; and whereas, pursuant to Our said Order, and in virtue of the power given by the said Act, a coinage of the said groats or fourpences, at the rate and of the standard aforesaid, has been made, and every such groat or fourpence has for the obverse impression, Our Effigy, with the inscription, "Gulielmus III. D. G. Britanniar. Rex F. D." and for the reverse, a figure of Britannia, holding the Trident with one hand, and having the other hand placed upon a shield, bearing the Union Cross, with the words "Four Pence" round the figure, and the date of the year in the exergue, and with a milled graining round the edge; and whereas, pieces of silver money of the above description have been coined at Our Mint, and will be coined there, in pursuance of Orders issued, and to be issued, by Us; We have, therefore, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, thought fit to issue this Our Royal Proclamation; and we do hereby ordain, declare, and command that the said pieces of money so coined, and to be coined, shall be current and lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and shall pass and be received as current and lawful money of the United Kingdom, by the names aforesaid, and at the value hereinbefore assigned to them.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's, this third day February, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and in the sixth year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

WHEREAS the Chairman of the Select Committee appointed by the House of Commons to try and determine the merits of the petition of Robert King and others, complaining of an undue election and return for the city of Dublin, did, on the 16th of April, A. D. 1835, inform the House, that the said Select Committee had made an order for the nomination and appointment of Commissioners to examine evidence in Ireland respecting certain facts, allegations, matters, and things referred to the said Commissioners and specially assigned and limited in the said order;

And whereas I have this day received a copy of the minutes of the proceedings of the said Commissioners, under their hands and seals;

Now I do hereby, and by virtue of an Act, passed in the forty-second year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for regulating the trial of controverted elections or returns of Members to serve in the United Parliament for Ireland," direct the aforesaid Select Committee to reassemble and meet again upon Monday the 29th day of February instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, to take the proceedings of the said Commissioners into consideration.

For which this shall be to the aforesaid Select Committee a sufficient warrant.

Given under my hand, this 9th day of February 1836, J. ABERCROMBY, Speaker.

Whitehall, February 10, 1836.

The King having taken into His Royal consideration, that upon the decease, in the month of November 1834, of Philip Earl of Hardwicke, the title and dignity of Earl of Hardwicke devolved upon Charles-Philip now Earl of Hardwicke, as eldest son and heir of the late Sir Joseph-Sydney Yorke, Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, and Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, younger and next brother, that left issue, of the said Philip late Earl of Hardwicke; and that, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the younger brothers and sister of the said Charles-Philip now Earl of Hardwicke cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their late father, the said Sir Joseph-Sydney Yorke, had survived the said Philip Earl of Hardwicke, and thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Hardwicke; His Majesty hath been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Henry-Reginald Yorke, Clerk, Eliot-Thomas Yorke, Esq., Grantham-Muntor Yorke, Clerk, and Agneta-Elizabeth Yorke, Spinster, the younger brothers and sister of the said Charles-Philip now Earl of Hardwicke, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence, as if their father, the said Sir Joseph-Sydney Yorke, had survived the said Philip Earl of Hardwicke and thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Hardwicke:

And His Majesty hath been further pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in His College of Arms.

War-Office, 12th February 1836.

3d Regiment of Light Dragoons, Richard A. Moore, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ponsonby, who retires. Dated 12th February 1836.

9th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Lieutenant William Hankey to be Captain, by purchase, vice Trower, who retires. Dated 12th February 1836.

Cornet James Johnston to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hankey. Dated 12th February 1836.

John Anstruther Thomson, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Johnston. Dated 12th February 1836.

Staff-Surgeon Anthony Cæsar Colclough to be Surgeon, vice Melin, deceased. Dated 12th February 1836.

10th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Lieutenant George Augustus Frederick Quentin to be Captain, by purchase, vice Foster, who retires. Dated 12th February 1836.

Cornet Robert Blucher Wood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Quentin. Dated 12th February 1836.

Honourable Alfred Assheton Harbord to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Wood. Dated 12th February 1836.

12th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Surgeon Charles Hamilton, from the 54th Regiment, to be Surgeon, vice Kenny, appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th February 1836.