

War-Office, March 31, 1778.
 9th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Alexander Richardson to be Lieutenant, vice James Wright.
Ditto, Adjutant Isaac Fielding to be Ensign, vice Alexander Richardson.
Ditto, Serjeant Major George Leslie to be Ensign, vice Joseph Moore.
 20th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Richard Bateman to be Lieutenant, vice John Cooke.
Ditto, Ensign Daniel O'Meara to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Lucas.
Ditto, Ensign Joseph Moore, from 9th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Michael Obins.
Ditto, Ensign Henry May, from Royal Highland Emigrants, to be Ensign, vice Richard Bateman.
Ditto, Ensign — Jones, of the Provincials, to be Ensign, vice Daniel O'Meara.
 21st Regiment of Foot, Second Lieutenant David Ross to be First Lieutenant, vice Samuel Currie.
Ditto, Second Lieutenant John Dalgleish to be First Lieutenant, vice John Don.
Ditto, Ensign Mungo Noble, from 47th Regiment, to be First Lieutenant, vice Kenneth M'Kenzie.
Ditto, Serjeant Major James Peddie to be Second Lieutenant, vice David Ross.
Ditto, Charles Darragh, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice John Dalgleish.
Ditto, Robert Maffey, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Alexander Robertson.
Ditto, Abraham Gordon, from Half Pay, to be Second Lieutenant, vice George Turnbull.
Ditto, Captain Lieutenant Michael Kirkman to be Captain, vice James Bethune.
Ditto, First Lieutenant William Featherstone to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Michael Kirkman.
Ditto, Second Lieutenant William Cox, from the Artillery, to be First Lieutenant, vice William Featherstone.
 24th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Richard Beecroft to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Thomas Scott.
Ditto, Ensign Quin John Freeman to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Beecroft.
Ditto, — De Chambault, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Quin John Freeman.
Ditto, Major Alexander Earl of Balcarras, from the 53d Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Simon Fraser.
 53d Regiment of Foot, Captain William Hughes to be Major, vice Alexander Earl of Balcarras.
Ditto, Captain Lieutenant Richard Davies to be Captain, vice William Hughes.
Ditto, Lieutenant Simeon Lord to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Richard Davies.
Ditto, Ensign Thomas Hughes to be Lieutenant, vice Simeon Lord.
Ditto, John Rhind, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Thomas Hughes.
Ditto, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Scott, from 24th Regiment, to be Captain, vice John Wright.
 62d Regiment of Foot, Ensign Alexander Hay to be Lieutenant, vice Stephen Harvey.
Ditto, Ensign Richard James to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Reynell.
Ditto, Ensign Henry Blacker to be Lieutenant, vice Archibald Stewart.
Ditto, Launcelot Weir, Gent. to be Ensign, vice George Taylor.
Ditto, George Williams, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Crosby Phillips.
Ditto, St. Leger Beville, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Henry Young.
Ditto, Jones Parker, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Alexander Hay.
Ditto, Serjeant Major — Green to be Ensign, vice Richard James.
Ditto, Philip Anstruther, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Henry Blacker.
Ditto, Lieutenant George Valancy to be Adjutant, vice George Fitzgerald.

Dublin Castle, March 24, 1778.

This Day his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the House of Peers with the usual Solemnity, and the Commons being sent for, gave the Royal Assent to the following Bills:

An Act for Licensing Hawkers and Pedlars, and for the Encouragement of English Protestant Schools.

An Act to continue an Act, entitled, an Act to amend an Act passed in the Third Year of His present Majesty, entitled, an Act for continuing the Encouragement given by former Acts of Parliament to the Flaxen and Hempen Manufactures.

Dublin Castle, March 25, 1778.

Whereas it hath been represented to his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, that there are at this Time in Ireland several Deserters from the different Corps of His Majesty's Army in this Kingdom, who, by an Offer of His Majesty's gracious Pardon, may be induced to return to their Duty, his Excellency is hereby pleased to promise His Majesty's most gracious Pardon to all such Deserters as shall, on or before the First Day of May next, surrender themselves to the Regiments from which they have respectively deserted, or to some other Corps in His Majesty's Service in this Kingdom, or to any Recruiting Party in Great Britain or Ireland, belonging to any of the said Corps.

By his Excellency's Command,
 R. I. HERON.

Middlesex Militia.

*H*aving received His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, ordering me to draw out and embody the Militia of the County of Middlesex, with all convenient Speed; I do hereby give Notice to the several Officers and Private Men belonging to the Three Regiments of the said Militia, That they do assemble on Friday the 3d Day of April next, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the following Places, viz.

The Western Regiment, commanded by George John Cooke, Esq; at the Market-House, Uxbridge:

The Eastern Regiment, commanded by George Forster Tufnell, Esq; at the Storehouse, opposite White-Hart Lane, in Tottenham: And

The Westminster Regiment, commanded by James Chauwell, Esq; at the Storehouse, Hounslow.

There to receive such further Orders as the Colonel or Commanding Officer in each Regiment respectively shall give unto them.

March 30, NORTHUMBERLAND.
 1778.

Northumberland Militia.

*H*AVING received His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, ordering me to draw out and embody the Militia of the County of Northumberland and Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne, with all convenient Speed; I do hereby give Notice to the several Officers and Private Men belonging to the said Militia, that they do assemble at Alnwick in the said County on Monday the 13th Day of April next, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, there to receive such further Orders as the Colonel or Commanding Officer shall give unto them.

March 30, NORTHUMBERLAND.
 1778.

March 31, 1778.

*H*IS Majesty having ordered the Militia for the County of Lancaster to be drawn out and embodied with all convenient Speed, I think it my Duty to acquaint the Gentlemen of the County, that there are some Lieutenants and all the Ensigns wanting to compleat the Establishment of the Regiment; and to desire that those Gentlemen, whose Zeal for the Service of their Country at this critical Crisis, may lead them to accept of any of the above Commissions, will signify their Intentions to me, in Grosvenor-square.

D E R B Y, Lord Lieutenant.

Hertfordshire Militia.

*H*aving received His Majesty's Orders to draw out and embody the Militia of the County of Hertford with all convenient Speed, I think it a Duty incumbent on me to acquaint the Gentlemen of the County, that there are several vacant Commissions now in the Regiment; and at this important Crisis flatter myself I shall meet with the Concurrence and Assistance of a sufficient Number of Gentlemen, legally qualified, to fill up the Deficiencies. Such Gentlemen as may be inclined to accept Commissions are desired to send their Names to me in Stratford-Place, or Mr. Rook's, Clerk to the General Meetings, at Hertford, specifying the Rank in which they are willing to serve.

Stratford-place, CRANBORNE.
 March 31 1778.