

Ditto, 3d Battalion Skinner's, 1 Captain, 1 Rank and File, killed; 2 Rank and File wounded.

Hessian Regiment of Welwarth, 2 Rank and File wounded.

Total of the Detachment, 2 Captains, 5 Rank and File, killed; 1 Subaltern, 1 Drummer, 17 Rank and File, wounded.

Names and Rank of Officers killed and wounded.

Captain Charles Cameron, 1st Battalion, 71st Regiment, and Captain Campbell, 3d Battalion Skinner's, killed.

Lieutenant French, Delancy's, wounded.

Arch. Campbell, Lieut. Col. 71st Reg.

Return of Prisoners of War taken in Action, the 29th of December, 1778, by His Majesty's Forces under the Command of Lieutenant-Colonel Archibald Campbell, of the 71st Regiment.

First Battalion Georgia, 1 Major, 3 Captains, 1 Lieutenant, 3 Serjeants, 1 Drummer, 10 Rank and File.

Second Battalion Ditto, 1 Major, 3 Captains, 4 Lieutenants, 1 Surgeon, 1 Mate, 12 Serjeants, 5 Drummers, 5 Fifes, 105 Rank and File.

Third Battalion Ditto, 2 Lieutenants, 1 Chaplain, 1 Surgeon, 3 Serjeants, 37 Rank and File.

Fourth Battalion Ditto, 1 Major, 3 Captains, 1 Lieutenant, 7 Serjeants, 32 Rank and File.

Artillery Ditto, 1 Captain, 2 Lieutenants, 1 Serjeant, 13 Rank and File.

Light Dragons Ditto, 1 Quarter-master, 1 Serjeant, 4 Rank and File.

Militia Ditto, 1 Colonel, 2 Commissaries, 1 Muster-master, 50 Rank and File.

Third Battalion South Carolina, 4 Lieutenants, 4 Serjeants, 59 Rank and File.

Fifth Battalion Ditto, 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, 1 Serjeant, 51 Rank and File.

Artillery Ditto, 1 Serjeant, 1 Drummer, 9 Rank and File.

Total. 1 Colonel, 3 Majors, 11 Captains, 15 Lieutenants, 1 Chaplain, 1 Quarter-master, 2 Surgeons, 1 Mate, 2 Commissaries, 1 Muster-master, 33 Serjeants, 7 Drummers, 5 Fifes, 370 Rank and File.

Arch. Campbell, Lieut. Col. 71st Reg.

By Hyde Parker, jun. Esq; Commodore of a Squadron of His Majesty's Ships of War, and Lieutenant-Colonel Archibald Campbell, commanding a Detachment of the Royal Army, sent for the Relief of His Majesty's faithful Subjects in North and South Carolina and Georgia,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

WHEREAS the Blessings of Peace, Freedom and Protection, most graciously tendered by His Majesty to His deluded Subjects of America, have been treated by Congress with repeated Marks of studied Disrespect; and to the Disgrace of human Nature have had no Effect in reclaiming them from the bloody Persecutions of their Fellow Citizens; Be it therefore known to all His Majesty's faithful Subjects of the Southern Provinces, that a Fleet and Army, under our Orders, are actually arrived in Georgia for their Protection, to which they are desired to repair without Loss of Time, and by uniting their Force under the Royal Standard, rescue their Friends from Oppression, themselves from Slavery, and obtain for both the most ample Satisfaction for the manifold Injuries sustained.

To all other well-disposed Inhabitants, who, from a just Regard to the Blessings of Peace, reprobate the Idea of supporting a French League, infidiously framed to prolong the Calamities of War, and who, with His Majesty's faithful Subjects, wish to embrace the happy Occasion of cementing a firm and perpetual Coalition with the Parent State, free from the Imposition of Tax by the Parliament of Great Britain, and secured in the irrevocable Enjoyment of every Privilege consistent with that Union of Interests and Force, on which their mutual Advantage, Religion and Liberties depend; We offer the most ample Protection in their Persons, Families and Effects; on Condition they shall immediately return to the Class of peaceful Citi-

zens, acknowledge their just Allegiance to the Crown, and with their Arms support it

To those who shall attempt to oppose the Re-establishment of legal Government, or who shall presume to injure such whom the Dictates of Reason, Honor, and Conscience prompt to embrace it, we lament the Necessity of exhibiting the Rigours of War, and call God and the World to Witness, that they only shall be answerable for all the Miseries which may ensue.

Deserters of every Description, who, from a due Sense of their Error, wish to return to their Colours, have also our Pardon, provided they return within the Space of Three Months from the Date of this Proclamation.

Given at Head Quarters at Savannah this 4th Day of January, 1779, and in the Nineteenth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

(Signed)

Hyde Parker.

Archibald Campbell.

G O D Save the K I N G.

I do solemnly swear, That I will bear true and faithful Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Third, my lawful Sovereign; and that I will, at all Risks, stand forth in Support of His Person and Government: And I do solemnly disclaim and renounce that unlawful and iniquitous Confederacy called the General Continental Congress; also the Claim set up by them to Independency, and all Obedience to them, and all subordinate Jurisdictions assumed by or under their Authority.—All this I do sincerely promise, without Equivocation or Mental Reservation whatever. So help me God.

THE Bearer, having complied with the Terms of the Proclamation issued by the Commanders of His Majesty's Sea and Land Forces in this Province, dated 4th of January, 1779, has Permission to remain on Plantation, and enjoy His Majesty's Protection for Family and Effects of every Kind; has also Permission to pass and repass to and from Savannah, with Provisions and all other Necessaries for the Use of the Town and Garrison, unmolested; and the Guards at the Out-Posts are hereby required and directed to give every Assistance that may be necessary.

Given at Savannah this _____ Day of _____ One thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine.

To all Officers, Civil and Military.

By Archibald Campbell, Esq; Commanding His Majesty's Forces in Georgia,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

WHEREAS Information has been received, that many Ringleaders of Sedition, and some skulking Parties from the Rebels of Carolina, do still continue to infest this Country, and under Colour of the Night, have the Audacity to rob and otherwise ill-treat those true and faithful Subjects of His Majesty, whom they have not been able to seduce from their Allegiance. And whereas the aiding or concealing any Person or Persons acting in injudicial or illegal Capacities, or who may yet hold out in Arms against the Authority of The King, must be highly prejudicial to the Tranquillity and Interests of the loyal Inhabitants of Georgia;

The Commandant of the Troops hereby directs, that all His Majesty's faithful Subjects shall guard themselves against the Dangers of such secret, wicked and destructive Enemies; and he doth hereby command them, in His Majesty's Name, to make diligent Search and Enquiry after all such notorious Offenders, that their lurking Places, as well as those of their wicked Confederates, may be instantly made known.

Any Person or Persons knowing or suspecting the Concealment of such public Offenders are strictly commanded, on Pain of the severest Punishment and Confiscation, to repair immediately to Head Quarters, or to the next Military Post, and make
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