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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 17, 1785.*

**O**R DERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next the 22d Instant, for his late Most Serene Highness the Duke of Mecklenburgh Schwerin, viz.

The Ladies to wear Black Silk, Fringed or Plain Linen, White Gloves, Necklaces and Earrings; Black or White Shoes, Fans and Tippetts.

Undress, White or Grey Lustrings, Tabbies or Damasks.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed; Fringed or Plain Linen, Black Swords and Buckles.

Undress, Grey Frocks.

*Carlton House, May 14.*

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint William Birch and William Wilson, Esqrs. to be Gentlemen Ushers to His Royal Highness.

*War-Office, May 17, 1785.*

2d Troop of Horse Guards, Exempt and Captain John Tempest is appointed to be Guidon and Major, vice William John Arabin.

Ditto, Brigadier and Lieutenant Henry Clinton Villetes to be Exempt and Captain, vice John Tempest.

Ditto, Sub-Brigadier and Cornet Collett Mawhood to be Brigadier and Lieutenant, vice Henry Clinton Villetes.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet William Dod to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Hall Green.

Ditto, Lord Charles Henry Somerset to be Cornet, vice William Dod.

7th Regiment of Foot, David Markham, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice William Gossip.

23d Regiment of Foot, Charles Baliol Julian, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Samuel Holworthy.

60th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William Gossip, from the 7th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Jeffery Amherst.

70th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Nicholas Burnell, from the Half-Pay of the 74th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Zachary Hall.

*Navy-Office, May 14, 1785.*

**T**HE Honourable House of Commons having, on the 10th Instant, come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That all Persons interested in or entitled unto any Bills payable in Course of the Navy or Victualling Offices, or for Transports, which were dated on or before the 30th Day of June, 1783, who shall, on or before the 5th Day of June, 1785, carry the same (after having had the Interest due thereupon computed up to the 5th Day of July, 1785, and marked upon the said Bills at the Navy or Victualling Offices respectively) to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, shall have, in Ex-

change for the same, from such Treasurer, or his Paymaster or Cashier, a Certificate to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, for the Amount of the Principal and Interest computed thereupon; and the Persons who shall be possessed of such Certificates, upon the Delivery thereof to the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England, shall be entitled, in respect of the same, to One Hundred and Eleven Pounds Eight Shillings Capital Stock for every One Hundred Pounds contained in such Certificates, and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Sum; such Capital Stock to be attended with Annuities after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum, to commence from the 5th Day of July, 1785, payable Half-yearly, in lieu of all other Interest; the said Annuities to be irredeemable until Twenty-five Millions of the Public Debt, bearing Interest at the Rate of either Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, or Four Pounds per Centum per Annum; shall have been redeemed or paid off; and that all Persons interested in or entitled unto such Navy, Victualling, or Transport Bills, made out between the said 30th Day of June, 1783, and the 1st Day of January, 1785, who shall, on or before the 5th Day of June, 1785, carry the same, (after having had the Interest due upon such of the said Bills as now bear an Interest computed and marked upon the said Bills to the 5th Day of July, 1785, at the Navy and Victualling Offices respectively) to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, shall have, in Exchange for the same, from such Treasurer, or his Paymaster or Cashier, a Certificate to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, for the Amount of the Principal and Interest computed thereupon, after deducting therefrom a Sum, at the Rate of Five Shillings per Centum, upon the Amount of such Principal and Interest, for every Month, between the 1st Day of July, 1783, and the Day on which such Bill was made out; and the Persons who shall be possessed of such Certificates, upon Delivery thereof to the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England, shall be entitled, in respect of the same, to One Hundred and Eleven Pounds Eight Shillings Capital Stock for every One Hundred Pounds contained in such Certificates, and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Sum; such Capital Stock to be attended with Annuities, after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum, to commence from the 5th Day of July, 1785, payable Half-yearly, in lieu of all Interest; the said Annuities to be irredeemable until Twenty-five Millions of the Public Debt, bearing Interest at the Rate of either Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, or Four Pounds per Centum per Annum, shall have been redeemed or paid off. The Whole of the said Annuities to be charged upon a Fund to be established in this Session of Parliament, and for which