

Commissions signed by His Majesty for the Army in Ireland, dated December 29, 1794, except otherwise mentioned.

- 105th Regiment of Foot, Mr. Augustus Knight to be Ensign, vice Gillespie, promoted in Colonel M'Donnell's Regiment.
 Mr. J. D. Stephens to be Ensign, vice Fox, promoted in Colonel Stratford's Regiment.
 118th Ditto, (Lieutenant Colonel Talbot's) Ensign — Hughes, from the Half-Pay of the 105th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Atkinson, exchanged.
 122d Ditto, (Lieutenant-Colonel Stratford's) Ensign — James, from the 83d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Fawcett, promoted.
 Ensign William Fox, from the 105th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Connor, resigned.

Sir Vere Hunt's Regiment.

- Lieutenant John Atkinson to be Captain, vice Cleg-horne, promoted in Colonel Rochfort's Regiment.
 Lieutenant John Atkinson, from the 112th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Staples, deceased. Dated December 26, 1794.
 Ensign Richard Mullens, from the 83d Foot, to be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant-Colonel M'Donnell's (late Lord Belvedere's) Regiment.

- Ensign F. P. Burton, from Colonel Cradock's Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Cheffire, promoted in Colonel Cradock's Regiment.
 Ensign Ros's Gillespie, from the 105th Foot, to be Lieutenant.
 Mr. Wade Rothwell to be Ensign, vice Barrington, promoted in the 83d Foot.

Waterford Regiment.

- Ensign W. A. Gordon, from Lord Donoughmore's Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Griffin, promoted.

Commission in the Dorset Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

- William Gerrard, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated April 2, 1795.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Sir Richard Synchias, of His Majesty's Ship Melampus, dated Grosvenor Bay, Jersey, May 11, 1795, to Ewan Nepean, Esq; Secretary of the Admiralty.

I Have the Honor to acquaint you, for their Lordship's Information, that Sir Sydney Smith, with the Ships under his Command, joined me on the 5th Instant at Noon. About Three o'Clock in the Morning of the 9th we discovered Thirteen Sail coming from the Northward along Shore. I made the Signal to weigh; the Squadron weighed and gave Chase, the Wind being off the Land, and the Enemy's Vessels running along Shore to the Southward. About Six o'Clock the Melampus got near enough to fire upon the headmost Vessels, but they all, except a Carter, which escaped round Cape Carteret, (our Gun-Boats not being arrived at the Rendezvous) got close in Shore, under a small Battery, protected by their Armed Vessels, a Brig and Lagger. I made the Signal for the Boats to assemble on Board this Ship for the Purpose of boarding them, and worked the Melampus in to cover the Attack, soon followed by the other Ships as they came up, firing upon the Enemy's Battery and Gun-Vessels

in Succession. The Enemy soon abandoned their Vessels, and the Boats of the Squadron boarded and got them all off, except One small Sloop, which was burnt, the Tide having left her. About this Time the Battery ceased to fire. I beg to take this Opportunity to acknowledge the Assistance I have received from the Zeal and Activity of the Captains under my Direction upon all Occasions, and particularly upon the present; and also to observe, that the Manner in which the Lieutenants of the different Ships boarded and brought off the Vessels of the Enemy does them infinite Honour as Officers, the First Lieutenant of the Melampus bearing a conspicuous Part; and the Boats Crews and different Ships Companies acted with their usual Courage.

The Accompanying is a List of the Killed and Wounded on Board the different Ships, and also a List of the Vessels of War and Convoy taken.

I have the Honor to be,

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Your most humble and obedient Servant,
 R. J. STRACHAN.

Return of Killed and Wounded.

- Melampus. 1 Petty Officer and 7 Seamen wounded.
 Diamond. 2 Seamen wounded.
 Hebe. Mr. John Leggatt (Surgeon,) and 2 Seamen, wounded.
 Niger. Mr. Long (2d Lieutenant,) and 1 Seaman, wounded.
 Syren. Mr. John M'Guffock (Midshipman,) and 1 Marine, killed; and 2 Seamen wounded.

List of Vessels and Prisoners taken.

- 1 Gun Brig; 3 Guns, 18 Poundsers.
 1 Gun Lagger; 3 Guns, 18 Poundsers.—Had 3 Men remaining on Board.

List of the Convoy.

Tons Burthen.	Cargo.
La Prosperité,	80 Cordage.
La Montagne,	200 { Timber, Lead, and Tin-Plates.
La Catharine	200 Ship Timber.
L'Hyronnelle,	220 Ship Timber and Pitch.
La Contente,	250 Powder.
La Nimphe,	120 Wood for Firing.
La Bonne Union,	150 —————
La Fantazie,	45 Coals.
L'Alexandre,	397 { Ship Timber, Cordage; Hemp and Cannon.
La Suint Neptune,	113 Ship Timber.

St. James's, May 16.

THE following Address has been transmitted by His Excellency Earl Camden, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, to His Grace the Duke of Portland, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has by him been presented to the King; which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,
 The humble Address of the Provost, Fellows and Scholars of the College of the Holy and Undivided Trinity of Queen Elizabeth, near Dublin.

May it please your Majesty,
 WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Provost, Fellows and Scholars of the College of the Holy and Undivided Trinity of Queen Elizabeth,