

Commissions in the Norfolk Regiment of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Eastern Regiment.

Richard Midgley, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated December 29, 1798.

Western Regiment.

Ensign Simon Goodwin Hewitt to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant Hawkes, resigned. Dated March 21, 1799.

Major George Nelthorpe to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Gurdon, resigned. Dated April 3, 1799.

Commissions in the Northumberland Supplementary Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

George Dalton Shafto to be Lieutenant. Dated August 6, 1798.

Edward Nicholson to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Commissions in the 1st Battalion of Northumberland Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

William Davison, Esq; to be First Major. Dated September 14, 1798.

William Dent, Esq; to be Second Ditto. Dated as above.

George Carr, Esq; to be Captain. Dated September 27, 1798.

Commissions in the 1st Battalion of Northumberland Militia, signed by the Lieutenant.

Charles Bacon Forster, Esq; to be Captain, vice Richmond, resigned. Dated March 12, 1799.

Ensign George Sinklair, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Carr, promoted. Dated as above.

Commissions in the Cardiganshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Rice Williams to be Lieutenant. Dated May 10, 1793.

William Harries to be Ditto. March 28, 1799.

Commissions in the Cardiganshire Supplementary Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Edward Warren Jones to be Captain. Dated May 1, 1797.

William Cobb Gilbertson to be Ditto. Dated as above.

George Price to be Ditto. Dated June 1, 1798.

David Davies to be Captain-Lieutenant. Dated as above.

John Smith Bonsfall to be Lieutenant. Dated May 1, 1797.

Commissions in the Second Royal Regiment of Tower-Hamlets Militia, signed by the Deputy-Lieutenants.

Dated April 3, 1799.

Frederic Thomas, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Mason, promoted.

James Gubbins, Gent. to be Ditto, vice Nicholas Wilard, promoted.

John Nathaniel Ivory, Gent. to be Ensign, vice William Weaver, resigned.

Commissions in the Ratcliffe Volunteer Association, in the Tower-Hamlets, signed by His Majesty.

Dated April 8, 1799.

John Paulin, Gent. to be Ensign.
John Johnson, Gent. to be Ditto.
John Harkness, Gent. to be Surgeon.

Commissions in the Bromley Volunteer Association; in the Tower-Hamlets, signed by His Majesty.
Dated April 8, 1799.

Lieutenant Nathaniel Stonard to be Captain, vice Currie, resigned.

Samuel Jones Vachell, Gent. to be Lieutenant.
Daniel Some Hewson, Gent. to be Ensign:

Admiralty-Office, April 13, 1799.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Honorable Lord Bridport, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated on board His Majesty's Ship Royal George, at St. Helens, the 10th Instant.

S I R,

HERewith you will receive a Copy of a Letter from Captain Keats, of His Majesty's Ship Boadicea, stating the Capture of the French Brig Privateer L'Utile; which is transmitted for their Lordships' Information.

I have the Honor to be, Sir, &c.

BRIDPORT.

My Lord, *Boadicea at Sea, April 1, 1799.*

I Have the Honor to inform your Lordship of the Capture of a Third Privateer this Cruize, by the Boadicea, viz. L'Utile, a very fine Brig of Sixteen Guns, Eight-Pounders, Ten of which are Brads, and One Hundred and Twenty Men, quite new, and Three Weeks from Bourdeaux.

I have the Honor to be, &c. &c. &c.

R. G. KEATS.

The Right Honorable Lord Bridport, K. B. &c.

Downing-Street, April 13, 1799.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Elgin to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary at the Sublime Porte.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Thomas Jackson, Esq; to be His Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Sardinia.

The King has also been pleased to appoint James Talbot, Esq; to be His Majesty's Secretary of Legation at the Court of Stockholm.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Justinian Casamajor, Esq; to be His Majesty's Secretary of Legation at the Court of Peterburgh.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Anthony Merry, Esq; to be His Majesty's Consul General in the Dominions of the King of Denmark, the King of Sweden, and the King of Prussia.

Hamburg, April 5th, 1799.

According to the most recent Accounts from the Austrian Army it appears, that after the Action of the 21st Ultimo, General Jourdan retreated in the Night, between the 21st and 22d, to Stockach and Engen. He then occupied the Line from Shaffousen through Engen to Dutlingen; in the Neighbourhood of which last Place, he assembled the principal Part of his Army. The Archduke advanced towards him on the 25th, when General Jourdan attacked the Austrians. His Left Wing was at first successful; but his Centre and Right having been defeated, he was obliged to retreat with his whole Army in great Disorder; his Right Wing to-