be Quarter-Master

Laurence Taaffe, Efq; late a Lieutenant in the Regiment, to be Paymaster to the 2d Battalion, vice Babbington, who refigns.

- Taylor, from the Car-5th Ditto, Lieutenant narvon Militia, to be Enfign, without Purchase, vice Fluker, whose Appointment in this Regiment does not take place.

Captain Henry Gother, from the Shorwell Volunteers, to be Enfign, without Purchase, vice

Worsley, promoted in the 52d Foot. 9th Ditto, Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Houston, from the Lochaber Fencibles, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Crew, who exchanges.

Enfign J. O'Donoghue, from the 63d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Blair, deceased.

Lieutenant Henry Coxwell, from the 2d Surrey Militia, to be Ensign, vice French, deceased. 31/1 Ditto, Lieutenant John Stafford to be Captain,

by Purchase, vice Smyth, who retires.

42d Ditto, Lieutenant Simon Fraser, sen. to be Ad-

jutant, vice John Fraser, who refigns. 52d Ditto, Ensign Pierce Aylward, from the 9th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice

Archibald, removed to the 4th Foot.

Enfign Henry Worsley, from the 5th Foot, to be
Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Vale, superfeded.

68th Ditto, Enfign Frederick Ashworth to be Lieu-

tenant, by Purchase, vice Thomas, who retires. 73d Ditto, George Francis William Fluker, Gent. to be Enfign, without Purchase, vice Rowan, promoted in the 52d Foot.

76th Ditto, Brevet Major Edward Baynes, from the 32d Foot, to be Major, by Purchase, vice Symes, promoted.

83d Ditto, Enfign Frederick Strawbenzie to be Lieutenant, vice Lewis, deceafed.

85th Ditto.

To be Lieutenants, without Purchase,

Enfigh John Naish. Enfign John A. Amiel. Enfign William Norton.

88th Ditto, William Adair M'Dougall, Gent. to be Enfign, by Purchase, vice Hunter, whose Appointment does not take place.

INVALIDS.

Lieutenant James Ford, from the Invalids at Portsmouth, to be Lieutenant in Colonel Anstruther's Independent Company of Invalids at Guernsey, vice Wood, deceased.

Quarter-Master James Hudson, late of the 86th Foot, to be Lieutenaut in Captain Lyman's Independent Company of Invalids at Portsmouth, vice Ford removed to Guernfey:

Colonel Lord Macdonald's Regiment of Fencible In-

Captain Alexander Macdonald to be Major, vice John Macdonald, who refigns. Captain-Lieutenant Kenith Campbell to be Captain,

vice Alexander Macdonald.

Lieutenant John Macdonald to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Campbell.

Enfign Donald Macdonald to be Lieutenant, vice John Macdonald.

Berjeant Jonathan Taylor, from the 28th Foot, to | Alexander Macdonald, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Donald Macdonald.

> Honorable Colonel Edwards's Regiment of Fencible Infantry.

Lieutenant Donald Stewart, of the late Perthshire Fencibles, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Connell, appointed to the 35th Foot.

Colonel Hay's Regiment of Fencible Infantry. Enfign John Hunter to be Lieutenant, vice Cooper, who refigns.

David Lawrie, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Hunter. Captain David Williamson, from the late 2d Battalion of Breadalbane Fencibles, to be Quarter-Mafter, vice Cooper, who refigns.

Colonel M'Neill's Regiment of Fencible Infantry. George Westbury, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Buckley, who refigns.

Suffex Gentlemen and Yeomanny Cavalry. Thomas Compton, Gent. to be Cornet in Captain Sewell's Troop, vice Reynolds, who refigns.

Auchterderran Volunteers. John Beath, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Peat, who refigns.

Ist Battalion of the 2d Regiment of the Royal Edinburgh Volunteers.

William Fordyce Stewart, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Shearer, who refigns.

Loyal Ringwood Volunteers. John Early, Gent. to be Enfign. Anthony Daw, Gent. to be Enligh. Reverend Henry Davies to be Chaplain. John Viney, Gent. to be Adjutant. Edward Vailey, Gent. to be Surgeon.

Ruabon Volunteers. Moses Levingston, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant and Adjutant.

Admiralty-Office, April 29, 1800. Copy of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Dickson, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels in Yarmouth Roads, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated the 27th April 1800.

SIR, **B**E pleafed to acquaint my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that His Majesty's Hired Armed Lugger Lark, commanded by Lieutenant Wilson, arrived Yesterday in these Roads, and brought with him the Impregnable French Cutter Privateer of Fourteen Guns, which he boarded and took after an Hour's Action: while the Cutter was on Shore she was supported by the Fire of about One Hundred of the Enemy's Troops from behind-Sand Banks.

I enclose, for their Lordships' Information, Lieutenant Wilson's Letter to me on the Subject. Activity and Zeal of this Officer has destroyed one of the greatest Pells that infested this Coast; the Impregnable had been particularly successful during her former Cruises. ARCHIBALD DICKSON.

His Majefly's Hired Armed Lugger Lark, SIR, Tarmouth-Roads, April 26, 1800. Have the Honor to acquaint you, that I anchored in these Roads this Day with His Majesty's Armed Lugger Lark under my Command, with a French Cutter Privateer her Prize.