

Royal Garrison Battalion, Lieutenant John Constable, from the Royal Cornwall Militia, to be Ensign, vice Bedward, promoted in the Invalids.
Thomas Herbert O'Sullivan, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Johnstone, promoted in the Invalids.

Colonel Hay's Regiment of Fencible Infantry.
Ensign Thomas Moyles to be Lieutenant, vice Harris, who is superfeded, being absent without Leave.
Volunteer John Barmingham to be Ensign, vice Moyles.

The Loyal Tarbert Regiment of Fencible Infantry.
Ensign Michael Lynch to be Lieutenant, vice Wilkinson, appointed to the 2d Battalion Royals.
Adjutant James Wilson to be Ensign, vice Lynch.
Lieutenant William Langrish Crowther, from the Exminster Volunteers, to be Ensign, vice Johnston, who resigns.

The Prince of Wales's own Regiment of Fencible Infantry.
Captain Charles John O'Hara, of the late Loyal British Fencibles, to be Captain, vice Mahon, deceased.

MEMORANDUM.

Major John George Ogilvie, of Colonel Hay's Regiment of Fencible Infantry, is superfeded, being absent without Leave.

The Appointment of Lieutenant Richard Dyas, from the Half-Pay of the Royal Irish Artillery, to be Lieutenant in the 77th Regiment of Foot, vice Bellasis, who exchanges, as stated in the Gazette of the 2d Instant, has not taken place.

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

The Right Honorable Lord Berwick to be Colonel, vice the Earl of Powis, deceased. Dated May 26, 1801.

Admiralty-Office, May 30, 1801.

Copy of a Letter from Captain Ricketts, Commander of His Majesty's Ship *Naiad*, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated at Plymouth, the 24th Instant.

SIR,
I Enclose, for the Information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a Copy of my Letter to Admiral the Honorable William Cornwallis. I am, Sir, &c. &c. &c.

W. H. RICKETTS.

Naiad, in Pontevedra Bay, May 17, 1801.

SIR,
THE Boats belonging to the *Naiad* and *Phæton*, manned by Volunteer Officers, Seamen, and Marines, under the Direction of Lieutenant Marshall, (1st) of the *Naiad*, highly distinguished themselves on the Night of the 16th by the Capture of La Alcudia, and Demolition of El Raposo Armed Spanish Corunna Packets, in the Port of Marin, near the Town of Pontevedra, under the Protection of a Five Gun Battery, Twenty-four Pounders, prepared to receive them. La Alcudia, the largest, commanded by Don Jean Antonio Barbuto, a very old Lieutenant in His Catholic Majesty's Service, was moored Stem and Stern close to the Fort, and her Sails were sent on Shore the preceding Day.

This Service was undertaken from Information that she was a Corvette of Twenty-two Guns. I am happy to state that Four Men only, belonging to the Two Ships, were wounded.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

W. H. RICKETTS.

P. S. I was under the Necessity of setting Fire to La Alcudia soon after she was towed out by the Boats, the Wind setting in strong at S. W.

Honorable Admiral Cornwallis,
Esq. Esq. Esq.

Dublin-Castle, May 25, 1801.

The Earl of Hardwicke, who embarked at Holyhead Yesterday Evening at Eight o'Clock, on board His Majesty's Yacht the *Dorset*, arrived in this Harbour at Six o'Clock this Morning. His Lordship, on his Arrival in Dublin, was received by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Commons of the City of Dublin. His Lordship, attended by a Squadron of Dragoons, proceeded to the Castle, and upon his Arrival there at Twelve o'Clock, was introduced in Form to His Excellency the Marquis Cornwallis, who received him sitting under the Canopy of State in the Presence Chamber, from whence a Procession was made, in the usual State, to the Council Chamber: the Council sitting, his Lordship's Commission was read, and the Oath being administered to him, his Excellency was invested with the Collar of the Most Illustrious Order of St. Patrick, and received the Sword of State from the Marquis Cornwallis. His Excellency afterwards repaired to the Presence Chamber, and received the Compliments of the Nobility, and other Persons of Distinction, upon his safe Arrival, and taking upon him the Government of Ireland.

War-Office, Dublin-Castle, May 22, 1801.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions in the Army on this Establishment:

Royal Irish Invalid Artillery, Serjeant-Major William Walker to be Second Lieutenant, vice Wilford, promoted. Dated April 7, 1801.

6th Dragoon Guards, Marcus Blake to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Clifford, resigned. Dated April 7, 1801.

22d Light Dragoons, Robert Ashworth to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice George, resigned. Dated April 10, 1801.

Surgeon's-Mate Thomas Cooke, from Northampton Fencibles, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated March 3, 1801.

1st Battalion of the 15th Foot, Captain Pomeroy D'Arcy, from Half-Pay of the late 103d Foot, to be Captain, vice Henry, exchanged. Dated April 7, 1801.

2d Battalion of 46th Foot, William Tyler, Esq; to be Paymaster.

Princess Charlotte of Wales's, or M-Leod's Fencible Infantry.

Ensign James Fullerton to be Lieutenant, vice Donaldson, resigned. Dated April 7, 1801.