

Captain-Lieutenant William Logan.
Lieutenant John Schedde.
Lieutenant Walter A. Burke.

To be Captain-Lieutenants,

Lieutenant Eyre Smith, vice Buckworth.
Lieutenant Richard Folkes, vice Logan.

To be Lieutenants, without Purchase,

Ensign Thomas D. Lord, vice Schedde.
Ensign L. G. Cowell, vice Burke.
Ensign Henry Macnamara, vice Smith.
Ensign Richard Andrews, vice Folkes.
Ensign William Johnson.
Ensign George Hockings.
Ensign James O'Brien.

91st *Ditto*, Lieutenant R. Rochfort, from the 8th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Baumgardt, who exchanges.

4th *West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Jonathan Yates, from the 50th Foot, to be Captain, by Purchase, vice Wheeler, promoted.

Loyal Nottingham Pencil Infantry.

Colonel the Honorable Alexander Hope, from the 14th Foot, to be Colonel, vice O'Connor, deceased.

Melville Volunteers.

First Lieutenant James Thomson to be Captain, vice Johnston, promoted.

Plympton Maurice Volunteers.

Captain Paul Treby Treby to be Major.

Plympton St. Mary Volunteers.

Captain John Woolecombe to be Major.

MEMORANDUM.

The Exchange between Lieutenant Anderson, of the 40th Foot, and Lieutenant M^r Andrew, of the 60th Regiment, as stated in the Gazette of the 26th September last, has not taken place.

Ensign Graham, of the 83d Foot, who was superseded in the Gazette of the 13th October last, is reinstated in his Rank.

Ensign Packington Edgeworth, and Assistant-Surgeon Henry Lewin, of the 9th Regiment of Foot, are superseded.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of the 5th September 1801.

15th Regiment of Light Dragoons.

For ——— Dalton, Gent. to be Cornet, without Purchase, vice Hyde, who resigns,
Read Albert D'Alton, Gent. to be Cornet, without Purchase, vice Hyde, who resigns.

Admiralty-Office, December 19, 1801.

Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant Wooldridge, commanding the *Pasley* Hired Brig, to Ewan Nepean, Esq; dated at Gibraltar, the 31st of October 1801.

SIR,

I Beg Leave to enclose, for their Lordships' Information, the Copy of a Letter to my Lord Keith, giving an Account of an Action and Capture of a Spanish Privateer Ship by His Majesty's Brig under my Command; and have the Honor of being, Sir, &c. &c. &c. W. WOOLDRIDGE.

*His Majesty's Armed Brig
Pasley, Gibraltar.*

MY LORD,

I Have the Honor of informing you, that, in Execution of your Orders, on Wednesday the 23th Instant, Cape de Gat bearing W. N. W. Twenty Leagues, I fell in with a Polacca Ship, who immediately gave Chase, and, from her being to Windward, we very soon neared each other and commenced the Action, which continued for an Hour, when, finding her Guns much too heavy, and the Gaffs, most of the Stays and Main Rigging shot away, the only Alternative was to lie her on board, which was done by running across her Hawse, and lashing her Bowspit to the Capstern: The Contest now became severe; but, from the Intrepidity of the *Pasley's* Ship's Company, notwithstanding the very great Superiority of Numbers on board the Enemy, she was carried in about a Quarter of an Hour, and proved the Spanish Ship Privateer *El Virgine del Rosario*, pierced for Twenty Guns, but only Ten mounted, viz. Two long Twenty-four-Pounders, and Eight long Twelves, with a Complement of Ninety-four Men, belonging to Malaga, on a Cruize, out Twenty Days, but had taken nothing.

I beg to enclose a List of the Killed and Wounded; and am, &c. W. WOOLDRIDGE.

Admiral Lord Keith, K. B.

Sc. Sc. Sc.

Officers and Seamen killed on board the Pasley.

Mr. James Pooke, Gunner.
Two Seamen.

Officers and Men wounded.

Lieutenant W. Wooldridge, Commander, shot through the Left Shoulder.
Mr. Ambrose Lions, Master, wounded dangerously in the Head.
Mr. George Davie, First Mate, shot through the Thigh.
Five Seamen.

Officers and Seamen killed and wounded on board the Enemy.

First and Second Captain, Second Lieutenant, Two Prize-Masters, the Gunner, and Fifteen Seamen, killed.
Thirteen Officers and Seamen, wounded:

Navy-Office, December 7, 1801.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 23^d of this Month, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, Commissioner Sir Charles Saxton, Bart. will expose to Sale at the Pay-Office, in His Majesty's Yard, near Portsmouth, several Lots of Old Stores, consisting of

Old Canvas in Paper Stuff,
Old Hammocks with Clews,
Old Colours with Tabling,
Junk in Paper Stuff,
Old Rope in Ditto,
Lashing,
Rounding, &c.
White Ocham, and
Shakings,

lying in the said Yard; where any Persons, wishing to become Purchasers, may have the Liberty of viewing