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GENERAL ORDERS.

Horse Guards, October 29, 1803.

HIS Royal Highness the Commander in Chief has received the King's Command to convey to the several Volunteer and Associated Corps which were reviewed in Hyde Park on the 26th and 28th Inst. His Majesty's highest Approbation of their Appearance, which has equalled His Majesty's utmost Expectation.

His Majesty perceives, with heartfelt Satisfaction, that the Spirit of Loyalty and Patriotism, on which the System of the Armed Volunteers throughout the Kingdom was originally founded, has risen with the Exigencies of the Times, and at this Moment forms such a Bulwark to the Constitution and Liberties of the Country, as will enable us, under the Protection of Providence, to bid Defiance to the unprovoked Malice of our Enemies, and to hurl back with becoming Indignation, the Threats which they have presumed to vent against our Independence, and even our Existence as a Nation.

His Majesty has observed with peculiar Pleasure that, amongst the unprecedented Exertions which the present Circumstances of the Country have called forth, those of the Capital of His United Kingdom have been eminently conspicuous; the Appearance of its numerous and well-regulated Volunteer Corps, which were reviewed on the 26th and 28th Inst. indicates a Degree of Attention and Emulation, both in Officers and Men, which can proceed only from a deep Sense of the important Objects for which they have enrolled themselves, a just Estimation of the Blessings We have so long enjoyed, and a firm and manly Determination to defend them like Britons, and transmit them unimpaired to our Posterity.

The Commander in Chief has the highest Satisfaction in discharging his Duty, by communicating these His Majesty's most gracious Sentiments, and requests that the Commanding Officers will have Recourse to the readiest Means of making the same known to their respective Corps.

FREDERICK, Commander in Chief.

GENERAL RETURN OF THE VOLUNTEER CORPS REVIEWED BY HIS MAJESTY IN HYDE-PARK

ON THE 26th AND 28th OCTOBER 1803.

On Wednesday the 26th October.

CORPS.	COMMANDERS.	Effective in the Field.
Loyal London Volunteer Cavalry	Lieutenant-Colonel Anderdon	217
Honorable Artillery Company	Colonel Paul Le Mesurier	994
1st Regiment Royal East India Volunteers	Colonel Sir Lionel Darell	640
2d Do. Do. Do.	Colonel Sir Hugh Inglis	636
3d Do. Do. Do.	Colonel John Roberts	585
1st Regiment Loyal London Volunteer Infantry,	Lieutenant-Colonel Birch	737
2d Do. Do. Do.	Lieutenant-Colonel John Smith	657