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AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 11th of *January* 1805,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty has received Information that the King of Spain has issued a Declaration of War against His Majesty, His Subjects, and People; His Majesty, therefore, being determined to take such Measures as are necessary for vindicating the Honor of His Crown, and for the vigorous Prosecution of the War in which He finds himself engaged, is pleased, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that General Reprisals be granted against the Ships, Goods, and Subjects of the King of Spain, so that as well His Majesty's Fleets and Ships, as also all other Ships and Vessels that shall be commissioned, by Letters of Marque, or General Reprisals, or otherwise, by His Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, shall and may lawfully seize all Ships, Vessels, and Goods belonging to the King of Spain, or his Subjects, or others inhabiting within the Territories of the King of Spain, and bring the same to Judgment in any of the Courts of Admiralty within His Majesty's Dominions; and, to that End, His Majesty's Advocate-General, with the Advocate of the Admiralty, are forthwith to prepare the Draft of a Commission, and present the same to His Majesty at this Board, authorizing the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral, or any Person or Persons by them empowered and appointed, to issue forth and grant Letters of Marque and Reprisals to any of His Majesty's Subjects, or others whom the said Commissioners shall deem fitly qualified in that Behalf, for the apprehending, seizing, and taking the Ships, Vessels, and Goods belonging to Spain, and the Vassals and Subjects of the King of Spain, or any inhabiting within His Countries, Territories, or Dominions; and that such Powers and Clauses be inserted in the said Com-

mission, as have been usual, and are according to former Precedents; and His Majesty's said Advocate-General, with the Advocate of the Admiralty, are also forthwith to prepare the Draft of a Commission, and present the same to His Majesty at this Board, authorizing the said Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral, to will and require the High Court of Admiralty of Great Britain, and the Lieutenant and Judge of the said Court, his Surrogate or Surrogates, as also the several Courts of Admiralty within His Majesty's Dominions, to take Cognizance of, and judicially proceed upon all and all Manner of Captures, Seizures, Prizes, and Reprisals of all Ships and Goods that are or shall be taken, and to hear and determine the same; and, according to the Course of Admiralty, and the Laws of Nations, to adjudge and condemn all such Ships, Vessels, and Goods as shall belong to Spain, or the Vassals and Subjects of the King of Spain, or to any others inhabiting within any of his Countries, Territories, and Dominions; and that such Powers and Clauses be inserted in the said Commission as have been usual, and are according to former Precedents; and they are likewise to prepare and lay before His Majesty at this Board a Draft of such Instructions as may be proper to be sent to the Courts of Admiralty in His Majesty's foreign Governments and Plantations, for their Guidance herein; as also another Draft of Instructions for such Ships as shall be commissioned for the Purposes afore-mentioned.

Eldon, C.
Montrose.
Camden.
Melville.
Sidmouth.
Castlereagh.
Mulgrave.
Hawkebury.
Ellenborough.
W. Pitt.
W. Grant.
Charles Morgan.
Evan Nepean.

AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 11th of
January 1805,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty having been pleased to appoint the
Right Honorable Henry Lord Mulgrave
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State,
he was this Day, by His Majesty's Command;
sworn One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries
of State accordingly.

By the KING.

A P R O C L A M A T I O N,

For a General Fast.

GEORGE R.

WE, taking into Our most serious Consideration
the just and necessary War in which We are
engaged, and putting Our Trust in Almighty God
that He will graciously bless Our Arms, both by
Sea and Land, have resolved, and do, by and with
the Advice of Our Privy Council, hereby command,
That a public Day of Fasting and Humiliation be
observed throughout those Parts of Our United
Kingdom called England and Ireland, on Wednes-
day the Twentieth Day of February next ensuing,
that so both We and Our People may humble Our-
selves before Almighty God, in order to obtain
Pardon of Our Sins, and in the most devout and
solemn Manner send up Our Prayers and Suppli-
cations to the Divine Majesty, for averting those
heavy Judgments which Our manifold Provocations
have most justly deserved; and for imploring His
Blessing and Assistance on our Arms for the Resto-
ration of Peace, and Prosperity to Us and Our Do-
minions: And We do strictly charge and command,
that the said Public Fast be reverently and devoutly
observed by all Our loving Subjects in England and
Ireland, as they tender the Favour of Almighty
God, and would avoid His Wrath and Indignation;
and upon Pain of such Punishment as We may justly
inflict on all such as contemn and neglect the Per-
formance of so religious and necessary a Duty: And,
for the better and more orderly solemnizing the
same, We have given Directions to the Most Re-
verend the Archbishops, and the Right Reverend
the Bishops of England and Ireland, to compose
a Form of Prayer suitable to this Occasion, to
be used in all Churches, Chapels, and Places of
Public Worship, and to take Care that the same
be timely dispersed throughout their respective
Dioceses.

Given at Our Court, at the *Queen's Palace*, this
Second Day of January One thousand eight
hundred and five, in the Forty-fifth Year of
Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

By the KING.

A P R O C L A M A T I O N,

For a General Fast.

GEORGE R.

WE, taking into Our most serious Consideration
the just and necessary War in which We are

engaged, and putting Our Trust in Almighty God
that He will graciously bless Our Arms, both by
Sea and Land, have resolved, and do, by and with
the Advice of Our Privy Council, hereby command,
That a public Day of Fasting and Humiliation be
observed throughout that Part of Our Kingdom of
Great Britain called Scotland, on Thursday the
Twenty-first Day of February next ensuing, that so
both We and Our People may humble Ourselves
before Almighty God, in order to obtain Pardon of
Our Sins, and, in the most devout and solemn Man-
ner, send up Our Prayers and Supplications to the
Divine Majesty, for averting those heavy Judgments
which Our manifold Provocations have most justly
deserved; and for imploring His Blessing and As-
sistance on Our Arms, for the Restoration of Peace,
and Prosperity to Us and Our Dominions; And We
do strictly charge and command, That the said pub-
lic Fast be reverently and devoutly observed by all
Our loving Subjects in Scotland, as they tender, the
Favour of Almighty God, and would avoid His
Wrath and Indignation; and upon Pain of such
Punishment as We may justly inflict on all such as
contemn and neglect the Performance of so religious
and necessary a Duty; Our Will is, therefore, and
We charge, That this Our Proclamation seen, ye
forthwith proceed to the Market Cross of Edin-
burgh, and all other Places needful, and there, in
Our Name and Authority, make Publication hereof,
that none pretend Ignorance: And Our Will and
Pleasure is, That Our Solicitor do cause printed
Copies hereof to be sent to the Sheriffs of the several
Shires, Stewarts of Stewartries, and Bailiffs of Re-
galities, and their Clerks, whom We ordain to see
the same published; and We do appoint them to
send Copies hereof to the several Parish Churches
within their Bounds, and that, upon the Lord's Day
immediately preceding the Day above-mentioned,
the same may be published and read from the Pulpits
immediately after Divine Service.

Given at Our Court, at the *Queen's Palace*, this
Second Day of January One thousand eight
hundred and five, in the Forty-fifth Year of
Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 12, 1805.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there will be a
Levee at St. James's on Wednesday the 16th, and
a Drawing Room on Friday the 18th Instant.

Whitehall, January 12, 1805.

The King has been pleased to grant the Dignity
of a Viscount of the United Kingdom of Great Bri-
tain and Ireland unto the Right Honorable Henry
Addington, and the Heirs Male of his Body law-
fully begotten, by the Name, Style, and Title of
Viscount Sidmouth, of Sidmouth, in the County of
Devon.

War-Office, January 1, 1805.

HIS MAJESTY has been pleased to appoint
MAJOR-GENERALS

Philip Martin,
William Borthwick,

Sir Eyre Coote, K. B.
 Harry Burrard,
 Charles Lennox,
 John Adolphus Harris,
 Arthur Ormsby,
 Henry Read,
 William John Arabin,
 George Don,
 Sir John Francis Craddock, K. B.
 Lord Charles Fitzroy,
 Napier Christie Burton,
 Richard Rich Wilford,
 Edward Morrison,
 Sir Charles A'Gill, Bart.
 Thomas Garth,
 Vaughan Lloyd,
 Pierre Count de Meuron,
 Sir James St. Clair Erskine, Bart.
 Lucius Barber,

To be LIEUTENANT-GENERALS in the Army.

COLONELS

Henry Viscount Gage, on Half-Pay of the 93d Foot,
 Charles William Este, of the 65th Foot,
 Roger Aytoun, on Half-Pay of the late 72d Foot,
 George Rochfort, of the Royal Invalid Artillery,
 James Webber, on Half-Pay of unattached Officers,
 Colonel Francis Grose, of the New South Wales Corps,
 Henry Richmond Gale, on Half-Pay of the late 20th Light Dragoons,
 John Spens, on Half-Pay of the late 95th Foot,
 George Earl of Craufurd, on Half-Pay of the late 92d Foot,
 William Scott, on Half-Pay of the late 80th Foot,
 Robert Tipping, on Ditto,
 Archibald Campbell, on Half-Pay of the late Breadalbane Fencibles,
 Alexander Trotter, on Half-Pay of the late 73d Foot,
 Francis Fuller, of the 59th Foot,
 James Affleck, of the 16th Light Dragoons,
 George Vaughan Hart, of the 75th Foot,
 John Robinson, of the 7th Garrison Battalion,
 George Warde, of the late Horse Grenadier Guards,
 The Honorable Thomas Maitland, of the 5th Garrison Battalion,
 Richard Bright, of the Royal Marines,
 William Ramsay, of the Ceylon Regiment,
 James Campbell, on Half-Pay of unattached Officers,
 John Skerrett, of the Newfoundland Fencibles,
 Hildebrand Oakes, of the 1st Garrison Battalion,
 Colin Campbell, of the 6th Foot,
 George Prevost, of the 60th Foot,
 Stair-Park Dalrymple, of the 71st Foot,
 William Waller, of the 3d Dragoons,
 Mervyn Archdall, of the 12th Light Dragoons,
 John Coape Sherbrooke, of the 4th Garrison Battalion,
 Sir William Clarke, Bart. of the 84th Foot,
 Gordon Drummond, of the 8th Foot,
 James Hale, of the 21st Light Dragoons,
 William Payne, of the 3d Dragoon Guards,
 The Honorable Edward Bligh, Aide-de-Camp to the King,
 William Earl Craven, of the 9th Garrison Battalion,
 Lord William Bentinck, Aide-de-Camp to the King,

Edmund Earl of Cork, of the 16th Garrison Battalion,
 Coote Manningham, of the 95th Foot,
 Henry George Grey, Aide-de-Camp to the King,
 The Honorable Edward Paget, Ditto,
 Arthur Whetham, Ditto,
 Brent Spencer, Ditto,

To be MAJOR-GENERALS in the Army.

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS

William Grant, of the Royal Invalid Artillery,
 James Croker, on Half-Pay of unattached Officers,
 Lewis Bayly Wallis, on Half-Pay of the 95th Foot,
 John Hope, of the 60th Foot,
 John O'Toole, on Half-Pay of the late Irish Brigade,
 Count Sutton Clonare, on Ditto,
 George Meyrick, on Half-Pay of the 130th Foot,
 Sir Montagu Burgoyne, Bart. on Half-Pay of the 21st Light Dragoons,
 Robert Uniacke, on Half-Pay,
 Alan Cameron, of the 79th Foot,
 Andrew Lord Blayney, of the 89th Foot,
 The Honorable Stephen Mahon, of the 7th Dragoon Guards,
 Daniel Hoghton, of the 8th Foot,
 John Sullivan Wood, of the 8th Light Dragoons,
 Daniel O'Meara, on Half-Pay of the late 12th West India Regiment,
 The Honorable George Craufurd, of the 64th Foot,
 James Phillips Lloyd, of the 86th Foot,
 Francis Baron Rottenburg, of the 60th Foot,
 James Mercer, of the 22d Foot,
 John Robert Napier, on Half-Pay of the 95th Foot,
 The Honorable Charles Colville, of the 13th Foot,
 Frederick Charles White, of the 1st Foot Guards,
 Thomas Brinley, of the 4th Foot,
 Henry De Berniere, of the 9th Foot,
 Gore Browne, of the 40th Foot,
 Lewis Lindenthal, of the Queen's German Regiment,
 Barnard Foord Bowes, of the 6th Foot,
 Roger Coghlan, of the 82d Foot,

To be COLONELS in the Army.

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS

Henry Fane, of the 1st Dragoon Guards,
 Robert Bolton, of the 13th Light Dragoons,
 Robert Cheney, of the 1st Foot Guards,
 The Honorable William Monson, of the 76th Foot,
 George Anson, of the 15th Light Dragoons,
 Kenneth Alexander Howard, of the Coldstream Foot Guards,

To be AIDES DE CAMP to the King.

MAJORS

Nathaniel Kirkman, of the 31st Foot,
 James Campoell, of the 94th Foot,
 John Gordon, of the 92d Foot,
 Sir Edward Michael Ryan, Kut. of the 2d Garrison Battalion,
 William Kelly, of the 24th Foot,
 John Campbell, of the 1st Dragoon Guards,
 John Macleod, of the 5th Garrison Battalion,
 Hercules Scott, of the 78th Foot,
 The Honorable William Collyear, on Half-Pay of the late 28th Light Dragoons,

Percy Groves, of the 3d Foot,
 Henry Elliott, of the 70th Foot,
 Robert Kelso, of the 22d Foot,
 Nicholas Förster, of the 5th West India Regiment,
 Overington Blunden, of the 12th Light Dragoons,
 John Nugent Smyth, of the 55th Foot,
 John Lamont, of the 92d Foot,
 William Fuller, of the 10th Light Dragoons,
 William Howe De Lancey, Assistant Quarter-Master-General,
 William Froome, of the 48th Foot,
 Peter Kington, of the 6th Dragoon Guards,
 Henry Torrens, of the 86th Foot,
 Benjamin D'Urban, of the 89th Foot,
 Daniel White, of the 29th Foot,
 William Spread, of the 37th Foot,
 John Locke, of the 24th Light Dragoons,
 William Carter, of the 8th West India Regiment,
 To be LIEUTENANT-COLONELS in the Army.

War-Office, January 12, 1805.

- 7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Charles Barwell Coles, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice O'Keefe, who retires.
- 1st Regiment of Dragoons, Paymaster George Robertson, from Half-Pay of the 20th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Harrison, who exchanges.
- 14th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Cornet Robert Knipe to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- 15th Ditto, Cornet John Butler to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Dalrymple, promoted in the 46th Foot.
- 20th Ditto, Captain Richard Bingham Newland, from the 10th Garrison Battalion, to be Captain of a Troop, vice Rennells, who exchanges.
- Cornet Edward Sankey to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Newland, promoted in the 10th Garrison Battalion.
- 1st Regiment of Foot, Charles Fortnum, Esq; to be Paymaster to the 2d Battalion, vice Gordon, appointed to a Recruiting District.
- 5th Ditto, Captain Clerk Caldwell, from Half-Pay of the 59th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Bourke, who exchanges.
- 7th Ditto, Philip Staunton, Esq; to be Paymaster to the 2d Battalion.
- 8th Ditto, Ensign Henry Brewster, from the 8th Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- John Raymond, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Arden, who resigns.
- Quarter-Master Mark Hodgson to be Paymaster to the 2d Battalion.
- 11th Ditto, Hospital-Mate William Beard to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Freeman, promoted in the 4th West India Regiment.
- 17th Ditto, Lieutenant Thomas Andrews, from Half Pay of the 62d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice James, who exchanges.
- 19th Ditto, Henry Sapte, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Lockyer, promoted.
- 21st Ditto, Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Adam, from the 5th Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Wilson, who exchanges.
- 23d Ditto, Lieutenant Colin Macdonald, from the 63d Foot, to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase.
- Lieutenant John B. Colthurst, from the 95th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase.
- 24th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Benjamin Adams to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Gubbins, promoted.
- 26th Ditto, Lieutenant Edward Witty to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Sir James Dalryell, who retires.
- Lieutenant John Martin, from Half-Pay of the 28th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Parker, who exchanges.
- Ensign John Clark to be Lieutenant, vice Whitty.
- 27th Ditto, Ensign Samuel Murphy, from the 2d Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- 28th Ditto, Captain Robert Nixon to be Major, by Purchase, vice Gough, who retires.
- 31st Ditto, James Heywood, Gent. to be Adjutant, (with the Rank of Ensign,) vice Huthwaite, promoted.
- 38th Ditto, Ensign William Willshire to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- Donnellan, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Willshire.
- 39th Ditto, Lieutenant Donald Macpherson to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase, vice Meade, promoted in the Maltese Corps.
- Ensign Honorable Michael De Courcy Meade to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Courteney, promoted in the 40th Foot.
- Francis Hart, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Meade.
- Surgeon John Kidd, from the 11th Garrison Battalion, to be Surgeon, vice Thompson, who exchanges.
- 43d Ditto, Ensign Stephen Bradley to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Bontien, promoted in the 92d Foot.
- 46th Ditto, Henry Pickering, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Huntley, who retires.
- 47th Ditto.
- To be Lieutenants,
- Ensign and Adjutant Richard Tatton.
- Ensign Ponsonby Mathews, without Purchase, vice Kent, appointed to the 21st Light Dragoons.
- Ensign and Adjutant James Pickard.
- Ensign John Rose, vice Smith, appointed to the 96th Foot.
- To be Ensigns,
- Henry Doyle, Gent. without Purchase, vice Gardiner, promoted in the 50th Foot.
- Ryan, Gent. vice Mathews.
- 48th Ditto, Ensign George Mackay to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Temple, promoted in the 38th Foot.
- Ensign John Allman to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice M'Neale, promoted in the 8th Foot.
- To be Ensigns,
- Alexander M'Intosh, Gent. vice Mackay.
- James Williamson, Gent. vice Allman.
- Thomas Joslin Conolly, without Purchase, vice Peacock, promoted in the 72d Foot.
- 50th Ditto, Ensign James Ballard Gardiner, from the 47th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- 53d Ditto, Lieutenant Robert Westron to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Hobson, promoted in the 85th Foot.



Surgeon William Hacket, from the North Downshire Militia, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Burmeister, promoted in the 2d Division of Light Infantry of Militia.

56th Regiment of Foot, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Brooke, from Half-Pay of the 96th Foot, to be Major, vice Armitrong, who exchanges.

58th Ditto, Ensign Michael Foley to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice M'Dermott, superseded.

Ensign Simon Newport to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Cowell, promoted in the Maltese Corps.

Warner Lewis, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Foley.

Philip Athy Fallon, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Newport.

59th Ditto, Lieutenant F. W. Hoysted, from the 14th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase.

60th Ditto, Captain Francis St. Mart to be Major, by Purchase, vice Drummond, promoted.

61st Ditto, Ensign William Brownrigg to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Monday, promoted in the 3th Foot.

Bradshaw, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Brownrigg.

67th Ditto, George Rea, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice John Rea, who resigns.

81st Ditto, Lieutenant John Charles M'Kay, from the 18th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase, vice Gordon, appointed to the 52d Foot.

82d Ditto, Lieutenant Robert Carew to be Captain of a Company, without Purchase.

Ensign Richard Langley, from Half-Pay of the late Cape Regiment, to be Ensign, vice Beavis, who exchanges.

83d Ditto, Joseph Glover, Esq; to be Paymaster to the 2d Battalion.

84th Ditto, John Salisbury Jones, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Dyson, promoted.

90th Ditto, John Rowe, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Swift, who resigns.

96th Ditto, Ensign Edward Ludlow to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Harris, appointed to the 25th Foot.

Joseph Otway, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Ludlow.

4th West-India Regiment, Assistant-Surgeon John Freeman, from the 11th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Walker, appointed to the 70th Foot.

8th Ditto, Captain Robert Fwaddell, from the 1st Life Guards, to be Captain of a Company, vice Heavyside, who exchanges.

Colonel Ramsay's Regiment, Captain Clement Edwards, from the 48th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Kerr, promoted.

Maltese Corps, Captain John Philip Perry, from the 32d Foot, to be Captain of a Company.

Lieutenant James Brickell, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain of a Company.

Henry Perry, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase.

Royal Waggon Train, Quarter-Master Charles Morrison to be Cornet, vice Smith, appointed Lieutenant-Commissary of the Royal Artillery.

5th Garrison Battalion, Lieutenant-Colonel John Wilson, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Adam, who exchanges.

10th Ditto, Captain Henry Remells, from the 20th

Light Dragoons, to be Captain of a Company, vice Newland, who exchanges.

11th Ditto, Surgeon Frederick Thompson, from the 39th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Kidd, who exchanges.

5th Royal Veteran Battalion, Serjeant John Lamb, from the 3d Regiment of Foot Guards, to be Ensign, vice M'Kenzie, promoted in the 78th Foot.

8th Ditto, Brevet Major Charles Flood, from the 1st Veteran Battalion, to be Captain of a Company. Adjutant N. Ashurst, from the 1st Somerset Militia, to be Adjutant, with the Rank of Lieutenant.

The King's German Legion.

1st Battalion of Light Infantry, Major Ernest Leonhart to be Lieutenant-Colonel, with temporary Rank, vice Alten, promoted.

1st Battalion of the Line, Major Christian Baron Ompteda to be Lieutenant-Colonel, with temporary Rank, vice Langwerth, promoted.

2d Ditto, Major Charles Baron Bennigsen to be Lieutenant-Colonel, with temporary Rank, vice Barffe, promoted.

Captain William de Ulmenstein to be Major, with temporary Rank, vice Bennigsen.

S T A F F.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Wilson, of the 5th Garrison Battalion, to be Deputy Quarter-Master-General to the Troops serving in the Island of Ceylon.

MEMORANDUM.

Ensign Joseph S. Rann, of the 48th Foot, is superseded.

Commissions in the Royal London Regiments of Militia, signed by His Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the said City.

East Regiment.

Ensign John Ceely Pearce to be Lieutenant, vice Butler, resigned. Dated December 12, 1804.

Thomas Gowland, jun. Gent. to be Ensign, vice Buckley, promoted. Dated December 13, 1804.

West Regiment.

Villaroy Russell, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Hartmas, resigned. Dated December 12, 1804.

Commissions in Volunteer Corps, signed by His Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the City of London.

Third Regiment of Loyal London Volunteers.

William Key, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated November 9, 1804.

7th Ditto.

Stephen Ponder, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Rae, resigned. Dated November 30, 1804.

Henry Newton, jun. Gent. to be Ensign, vice Ponder, promoted. Dated as above.

Heathfield Tregonwell Frampton to be Surgeon, vice Blizard, resigned. Dated as above.

Samuel H. Israel to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Gibbon, resigned. Dated as above.

10th Ditto.

Major Augustus Robert Hankey to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Powell, resigned. Dated November 9, 1804.

Second Major James Bourdieu, jun. to be First Major, vice Hankey, promoted. Dated as above.

Captain James Esdaile Hammet to be Second Major, vice Bourdieu, promoted. Dated as above.
 Lieutenant Stephen Lee to be Captain, vice Hammet, promoted. Dated as above.
 Ensign William Webb to be Lieutenant, vice Lee, promoted. Dated as above.
 Henry Ginger, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Webb, promoted. Dated as above.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Regiment of Surrey Volunteers.
 Ensign Samuel Burns to be First Lieutenant, vice Hatton, promoted. Dated October 27, 1804.
 Joseph Messenger, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated as above.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk.

Aylsham Volunteer Infantry.
 Fisher Colman Negus, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated September 1, 1804.

North Walsham Volunteer Infantry.
 Robert Chalker, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated October 1, 1804.
 Second Lieutenant Payne to be First Lieutenant. Dated at above.

5th Battalion of Norfolk Volunteer Infantry.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Hulton to be Colonel. Dated October 11, 1804.

Loddon Volunteer Infantry.
 John Cook, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Merry. Dated October 27, 1804.

Heydon Volunteer Light Infantry.
 Thomas Beales, Esq; to be Captain, vice Copland. Dated November 11, 1804.
 Robert Fountain Elwin, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Ireland. Dated as above.
 — Suffield, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Mayo. Dated as above.

South Greenhoe Yeomanry Cavalry.
 Edward Vincent Eyre, Esq; to be Cornet. Dated December 4, 1804.

Old Buckenham Volunteer Infantry.
 Lieutenant Palmer to be Captain. Dated December 11, 1804.
 Ensign Roper to be Lieutenant, vice Palmer. Dated as above.

Norwich Regiment of Volunteer Infantry.
 Lieutenant Amyot to be Captain, vice Pitchford. Dated December 22, 1804.
 Lieutenant Scott to be Captain, vice Wright. Dated January 4, 1805.

Commissions signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.
 Captain-Lieutenant William Keen to be Major. Dated December 21, 1804.
 Lieutenant Henry Crockett to be Captain of a Troop, vice Lord Bradford, appointed Colonel of the Shropshire Militia. Dated July 31, 1804.
 Lieutenant Edward Grove to be Captain. Dated December 21, 1804.

To be Lieutenants.
 Cornet Richard Crockett, vice Henry Crockett, promoted. Dated July 31, 1804.
 R. Baddeley, Gent. in Captain Simpson's Troop. Dated October 7, 1804.
 Cornet William Lycett. Dated December 21, 1804.
 Cornet Henry Case. Dated as above.

To be Cornets.
 — Careless, Gent. vice Richard Crockett, promoted. Dated July 31, 1804.
 E. Keeling, Gent. Dated October 7, 1804.
 Quarter-Master William Lathbury. Dated December 21, 1804.

Bilston Yeomanry Cavalry.
 Lieutenant William Smith Bickley to be Captain, vice Pearson, resigned. Dated November 6, 1804.

Stone and Eccleshall Yeomanry Cavalry.
 James Astbury, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated June 4, 1804.
 John Jackson, Gent. to be Ditto. Dated as above.
 John Aston, Gent. to be Cornet. Dated as above.

Berkswich Volunteer Infantry.
 John Hart, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated November 10, 1804.

Bilston Volunteer Infantry.
 William Rylands, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated November 6, 1804.

Betley, Audley, and Balterley Volunteer Infantry.
 Ensign Samuel Barker to be Lieutenant. Dated September 18, 1804.
 George Keys, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Eurton upon Trent Volunteer Infantry.
 William Ashton, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated June 19, 1804.

Caverswall Volunteer Infantry.
 William Ball, Esq; to be Captain. Dated September 24, 1804.
 Anthony James, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated November 6, 1804.
 Thomas Heath, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Clough Hall Volunteer Infantry.
 John Gilbert, Esq; to be Captain-Commandant. Dated August 20, 1803.

Robert Cox, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.
 James Cox, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated as above.
 James Gibbons, Gent. to be Ditto. Dated November 26, 1803.
 Richard Ledward, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated August 20, 1803.

Hanley and Shelton Volunteer Infantry.
 James Whitehead, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated June 1, 1804.
 John Yates, Esq; to be Major. Dated June 19, 1804.
 William Yates, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.
 Edmund J. Birch, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.
 John Hollins, Esq; to be Captain. Dated as above.

To be Lieutenants.
 John Marc, Gent. Dated June 19, 1804.
 Christopher Whitehead, Gent. Dated as above.
 John Yates, Gent. Dated as above.

Thomas Taylor, Gent. Dated June 19, 1804.
John Wilde, Gent. Dated as above.

To be Ensigns,

Thomas Mayer, Gent. Dated June 19, 1804.
Joseph Carmichael, Gent. Dated as above.

To be Adjutant,

John Ellifon Poole, Gent. with the Brevet Rank of Captain. Dated June 19, 1804.

To be Surgeon,

William Smallwood, Gent. Dated June 19, 1804.

Leek Volunteer Infantry.

Arthur Godwin, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated June 21, 1804.

Litchfield Volunteer Infantry.

Henry Brooke Walton, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated November 26, 1803.

Moorland Volunteer Infantry.

Jacob Milner, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated May 24, 1804.

William Fletcher, Gent. to be Adjutant. Dated July 7, 1804.

Newcastle under Lyme Volunteer Infantry.

Peter Walthall, Esq; to be Captain. Dated February 11, 1804.

Edward Ford, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated as above.

James Alcock, Gent. to be Ditto. Dated as above.
Samuel Timmis, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

John Bowyer Edensor, Gent. to be Adjutant. Dated November 26, 1803.

Stoke, Penkhull, and Fenton Volunteer Infantry.

Robert Beavor, Gent. to be Lieutenant and Surgeon. Dated August 20, 1803.

Thomas Henry Murcott to be Adjutant, with the Brevet Rank of Captain. Dated as above.

Stafford Volunteer Infantry.

Edward Horton, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated September 3, 1804.

Henry Taylor, Gent. to be Ditto. Dated October 23, 1804.

Edward Worsley, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated September 3, 1804.

Uttoxeter Volunteer Infantry.

Thomas Sneyd, Esq; to be Captain-Commandant. Dated August 12, 1803.

James Blair, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated as above.

Thomas Madeley, Gent. to be Ditto. Dated as above.

Hugh Malabar Clewley, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

Chesterfield Battalion of Volunteer Infantry.

Joshua Jebb, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated September 30, 1803.

Bernard Lucas, Esq; to be Major. Dated December 24, 1804.

To be Captains,

Joseph Gratton, Esq. Dated September 30, 1803.

Thomas Bower, Esq. Dated October 31, 1803.

John Charge, Esq. Dated as above.

Joseph Hind, Esq. Dated December 24, 1804.

To be Lieutenants,

Joseph Gratton, jun. Gent. Dated September 30, 1803.

Mark Hewitt, Gent. Dated October 31, 1803.

Richard Hutchinson, Gent. Dated as above.

William Burgoyne Fernell, Gent. Dated as above.

William Smith, Gent. Dated May 17, 1804.

George Ruggleston, Gent. Dated December 24, 1804.

Isaac Cundy, Gent. Dated as above.

William Outrain, Gent. Dated as above.

To be Ensigns,

Robert Bright, Gent. Dated as above.

William Smith, Gent. Dated as above.

John Walton, Gent. Dated as above.

To be Surgeon,

John Cartledge, Gent. Dated December 31, 1804.

Chatsworth Regiment of Volunteer Infantry.

Philip Heacock, Esq; to be Captain. Dated December 31, 1804.

Commissions in the South Wilts Battalion of Volunteer Infantry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

John Baily, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated May 18, 1804.

John Seagrim, Esq; to be Major. Dated as above.

To be Captains,

Thomas King, Esq. Dated October 15, 1803.

James Baily, Esq. Dated November 15, 1803.

William Seagrim, Esq. Dated May 18, 1804.

John Cheyney, Esq. Dated May 19, 1804.

John Swayne, Esq. Dated May 21, 1804.

To be Lieutenants,

John Reeves, Gent. Dated November 15, 1803.

John Rebbeck, Gent. Dated February 28, 1804.

Richard Baily Sidford, Gent. Dated May 18, 1804.

John Baily, jun. Gent. Dated May 19, 1804.

Henry Ford, Gent. Dated May 21, 1804.

John Rogers, Gent. Dated May 22, 1804.

Henry Rooke, Gent. Dated May 23, 1804.

To be Ensigns,

William Thring, Gent. Dated May 18, 1804.

Joseph Gelliman, Gent. Dated May 19, 1804.

Thomas Parham, Gent. Dated May 21, 1804.

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

Robert Crisp, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated October 26, 1804.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Percy Tenantry Volunteer Riflemen.

John Hasswell, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated December 14, 1804.

Admiralty-Office, January 12, 1805.

Copy of a Letter from Sir J. T. Duckworth, K. B. Vice-Admiral of the Blue, &c. &c. to William Marsden, Esq; dated on board the Shark, Port Royal, Jamaica, the 4th of November 1804.

S I R,

YOU will receive herewith a Copy of three Letters, respecting the Capture of Privateers, by Echo, Blancho, and Supericure, which I request

you will lay before the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

I am Sir, J. T. DUCKWORTH.

*His Majesty's Ship Echo, 1st October 1804,
off the Island of Bonaire.*

SIR, HAVING delivered the Dispatches, you did me the Honor to entrust for Admiral Dacres, on board the Surveillante, obedient to your Orders I proceeded off Curaçoa, and having made the N.W. End of the Island of Bonaire, on the 30th September, I fell in with a French Lugger, which, after a Chase of Two Hours, run on Shore; I immediately dispatched the Boats, under the Command of Lieutenant Jones, who has much credit in his Exertions, in bringing her off with little Damage.—She proves to be the Hazard, commanded by Citizen Lambart, pierced for 16 Guns, but only Ten 4-Pounders mounted, and 50 Men, a new Vessel and sails fast; out of Gaudaloupe Ten Days, and had only made one Capture of the Brig Hawk from Trinidad. 11a ft, the Master of which I have retaken, with Two of her Crew, and have given him Charge of the Lugger, to conduct her to Jamaica.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

(Signed) E. BOGER.

Sir J. T. Duckworth, &c. &c. &c.

*His Majesty's Ship Blanche off Aliavella,
2d October 1804.*

SIR, I BEG leave to acquaint you, at Two this Morning I captured La Gracieuse French Schooner, pierced and equipped for 14 Guns, and had on board 55 Men from St. Jago de Cuba, to St. Domingo, with Troops and Dispatches, which I was fortunate enough to save.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ZACHARY MUDGE.

To Sir John Thomas Duckworth, K. B.

&c. &c. &c.

*His Majesty's Schooner La Supérieure,
off Monto Christ, Oct. 22, 1804.*

SIR, I HAVE the Honor to inform you, that His Majesty's Schooner under my Command fell in with this Day, and, after a Chase of Four Hours, captured Le Chasseur French Privateer, of Five Guns and Sixty-six Men, Pilot-boat built; had been out only Three Days, and had not taken any Thing.

She has just had a thorough Refit at Jago, and is one of the fastest sailing Cruizers out of Gaudaloupe, from whence she is commissioned. They defended her from a long Twelve-pounder as we came up, and succeeded in cutting away One Square-sail Yard, Lower Studdensails, slightly wounded the Foremast and Fore-Yard, and in cutting our Sails and Running Rigging. The Enemy had Five wounded, One of which is since dead.

I have, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) W. C. FROMOW,
Lieut. commanding.

To Sir John Thomas Duckworth, K. B.

Commander in Chief, &c. &c. &c.

Jamaica.

War-Office, December 15, 1804.

HIS MAJESTY doth hereby direct and require, that all the Private Men on the Out-Pension of Chelsea-Hospital, residing in South Britain, ex-

clusive of Wales, whether discharged from the Regular Cavalry, Foot Guards, or Infantry of the Line, or from the Militia or Fencibles, (those resident in London, or within Twenty-five Miles thereof, who are to attend at Chelsea on such Days as the Commissioners of the said Hospital shall appoint, the Out-Pensioners from the late Horse Guards and Horse Grenadier Guards, the Life Guards, and Royal Regiment of Horse Guards; such Men as, by the Hospital Books, are now more than Fifty-five Years of Age, or had served Twenty-five Years in the Army previously to their Discharges; those who have lost a Limb, or their Eyesight, or are Cripples, or who received a Certificate of their total Unfitness for further Service from any of the Officers employed at the General Examination of Out-Pensioners in the Month of December 1802, excepted,) do personally appear at the Places and on the Days hereinafter mentioned, in order that such of them as, on Examination, shall be found fit, may be appointed to a ROYAL VETERAN BATTALION;

Kenil and Surrey (more than Twenty-five Miles from London)—Maidstone or Winchester, 14th and 15th of January 1805.

Suffex—Lewes or Winchester, 14th and 15th of January.

Hampshire—Winchester, 14th and 15th of January.

Berkshire and Oxfordshire—Oxford, 19th and 21st of January.

Somersetshire—Wells, 14th and 15th of January.

Gloucestershire and Worcestershire—Bristol, 18th and 19th of January; or Gloucester, 23d and 24th of January.

Wiltshire—Devizes, 14th and 15th of January.

Dorsetshire—Blandford, 18th and 19th of January.

Devonshire—Exeter, 14th and 15th of January; or Barnstaple, 18th and 19th of January.

Cornwall—Launceston, 14th and 15th of January; or Truro, 18th and 19th of January.

Herefordshire and Monmouthshire—Hereford, 14th and 15th of January; or Cardiff, 18th and 19th of January.

Norfolk—Norwich, 14th and 15th of January.

Suffolk—Norwich, 14th and 15th of January; or Ipswich, 18th and 19th of January.

Essex (more than Twenty-five Miles from London)—Braintree, 23d and 24th of January.

Bedford, Bucks and Herts (more than Twenty-five Miles from London)—Dunstable, 14th and 15th of January; or Oxford, 19th and 21st of January.

Northamptonshire and Huntingdonshire—Kettering, 18th and 19th of January.

Cambridge and Isle of Ely—Cambridge, 14th and 15th of January.

Lancashire—Manchester, 14th and 15th of January; or Lancaster, 18th and 19th of January.

Cheeshire—Manchester, 14th and 15th of January; or Chester, 18th and 19th of January.

Shropshire—Shrewsbury, 14th and 15th of January.

Cumberland and Westmoreland—Penrith, 14th and

