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Admiralty-Office, September 3, 1805.

THE King has been pleased to appoint Sir Samuel Hood, Knight of the Bath, to be Colonel of the Woolwich Division of His Majesty's Royal Marine Forces.

Admiralty-Office, September 3, 1805.

Copy of a Letter from the Honorable William Cornwallis, Admiral of the White, &c. to William Marsden, Esq; dated on board the *Ville de Paris*, off Ushant, 30th August 1805.

SIR,

I HAVE much Satisfaction in sending the enclosed Letter to me, from Captain Barton, of the *Goliath*, to be laid before the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, giving an Account of his further Success in the Capture of the French National Corvette therein mentioned.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

W. CORNWALLIS.

*His Majesty's Ship Goliath,
August 18, 1805.*

SIR,

I BEG Leave to acquaint you, for the Information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, His Majesty's Ship under my Command, standing in for Cape Prior, in the Morning of the 16th Instant, Three Sail appeared in chace of us;—we tacked, and stood towards them, and proved the Ships named in the Margin of my Letter dated the 15th.

I have the Satisfaction to add, at Eight P. M. we captured La Torche French National Corvette of Eighteen Guns, One Hundred and Ninety-six Men, commanded by Monsieur Dehen, having on board Fifty-two of the late *Blanche's* Crew. Had they not separated, and Night coming on very tall, I am confident La Topaze would have been in my Possession also.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

R. BARTON.

*The Honorable Admiral Cornwallis, Commander
in Chief, &c. &c. &c.*

War-Office, September 3, 1805.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, John Cooper, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Down, who retires.

George Richards, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Terry, promoted.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Frederick James Horne to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.

Joseph M. Ward, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Aicken, promoted.

3d Regiment of Dragoons, Cornet William Henry Cooper to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.

4th Ditto, Captain William Onslow, from Half-Pay of the 11th Light Dragoons, to be Captain of a Troop, without Purchase, vice Gibson, deceased.

6th Ditto, Hoppinger M^cMahon, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice M^cKay, promoted.

9th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Cornet Frederick Ebhart, from the 23d Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Johnson, appointed to the 16th Light Dragoons.

18th Ditto, Cornet Richard Brooke to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.

George Ball, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Brooke.

5th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Lewis White, from Half-Pay of the 35th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bowskill, who exchanges.

10th Ditto, George Clowes, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Graham, promoted in the 95th Foot.

15th Ditto, Robert O'Hara, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Burcham, who resigns.

19th Ditto, Lieutenant Edmund Lockyer to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Oxtley, promoted in the 65th Foot.

25th Ditto, John Lock, Esq; (Captain in the Regiment,) to be Paymaster of the 2d Battalion.

35th Ditto, Assistant-Surgeon George C. MacAdam, from the 6th Dragoons, to be Surgeon.

40th Ditto, Ensign ——— Hoblyn to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.

James Johnson, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Hoblyn.

46th Ditto, Captain John Campbell, from Half-Pay of the Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice Douglas, who exchanges.

57th Ditto, Lieutenant George M^cGregor to be Captain of a Company, by Purchase, vice Brown, promoted in the 45th Foot.

60th Ditto, Joseph Van Konig, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Morphew, promoted in the 7th Foot.