

To be First Lieutenants,

Second Lieutenant Robert Stone, vice Birnie, promoted. Dated as above.
 Second Lieutenant John Holroyd, vice Lawrie, resigned. Dated as above.
 Second Lieutenant Nathaniel Hadley, vice Parker, promoted. Dated as above.

To be Second Lieutenants,

James Alexander Wolfe, Gent. vice Stone, promoted. Dated as above.
 Charles Harrison, Gent. vice Holroyd, promoted. Dated as above.
 Ssmuel Taylor, Gent. vice Hadley, promoted. Dated as above.

St. Pancras Volunteers.

James Wadmore, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated February 20, 1806.

Royal York Mary-le-Bone Volunteers.

Bazett Doveton, Gent. to be Third Lieutenant, vice Heyer, promoted. Dated March 24, 1806.

Whitehall, April 5, 1806.

The King has been pleased to grant the Dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto John Lubbock, of Lamas, in the County of Norfolk, Esq; and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten; with Remainder to John William Lubbock, of Lamas, in the County of Norfolk aforesaid, Esq; Nephew of the said John Lubbock, Esq; and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, March 27, 1806.

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Mackinnon, of the Island of Tobago, Esq; eldest Son, and to James Mackinnon, of Greenock, in the County of Renfrew, in Scotland, second Son of John Mackinnon, Clerk, Minister of the Parish of Kilmodan, in the District of Cowall, in the County of Argyll, (by Elizabeth his Wife, Daughter and Heir of John Campbell, of Ormaig, in the said County of Argyll, Brother of the Half-Blood to James Campbell, late of the said Island of Tobago, Esq; and sometime President of the Council in the said Island, deceased,) His Royal Licence and Authority that they and their Issue may take and use the Surname of Campbell, in Addition to that of Mackinnon, and also bear the Arms of Campbell in compliance with a Condition in the last Will and Testament of the said James Campbell, Esq; bearing Date the 9th of April 1794; such Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office:

And also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in His College of Arms.

Admiralty-Office, April 5, 1806.

Copy of a Letter from the Earl of St. Vincent, K. B. Admiral and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Fleet employed in the Channel, Soundings, &c. to William Marsden, Esq; dated on board the Hibernia, off Ushant, the 30th March 1806.

SIR,

I HAVE great Pleasure in forwarding to you, for the Information of the Admiralty, the very modest Relation of a neat Action performed by Cap-

tain Loring, of the Niobe, who has just joined with the Corvette his Prize; and as the Crescent has many Defects which require looking into, I have directed Captain Carthew to receive the Prisoners on board that Ship, and to proceed with the Prize to Plymouth Sound.

I am, &c. ST. VINCENT.

*His Majesty's Ship Niobe,
 March 30, 1806; at Sea.*

MY LORD,
 HIS Majesty's Frigate under my Command, on the 28th Instant, at Ten in the Morning, gave Chace to Three French Frigates and a Brig standing out of L'Orient, in the Hopes of getting an Opportunity of attacking some of them separately, and at Ten at Night came up with, and took Possession of the Sternmost, the National Corvette Le Nêarque, of Sixteen Guns and Ninety-seven Men; had sailed from L'Orient, on the same Morning, victualled and stored for Five Months.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

J. W. LORING.

The Earl of St. Vincent; K. B. &c. &c. &c.

St. James's, April 2, 1806.

THE following Address having been transmitted to the Right Honorable Earl Spencer, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been by his Lordship presented to the King; which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

The Address of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Norfolk.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Freeholders, and other the Inhabitants of the County of Norfolk, approach your Majesty's Throne with our Tribute of grateful Acknowledgment of your Majesty's paternal Condescension to the Wishes of your People, in calling to your Councils Men in whose Talents, Integrity, and Attachment to your Majesty's Person and our excellent Constitution the Nation feels an entire Confidence. At this critical Period it is a Cause of the highest Satisfaction to every faithful Subject of your Majesty, that the Management of Affairs is no longer entrusted to those Persons, under whose inauspicious Administration the Power of our inveterate Enemy has been fostered and elevated to a Height that gives Alarms (the justest and best founded,) for the Repose and Liberty of Europe. Heavily burthened as are your faithful Subjects with an increasing Load of Taxes, we are yet ready cheerfully to sacrifice a larger Portion of our Comforts to the Necessities of the Times, in the full Expectation, that a Period is at last arriving to those accumulated Abuses under which the Country has so long laboured.

Zealous for the Honour of your Majesty's Crown, for the Character of Britain among the Nations of Europe, and feelingly alive to the Miseries that impend over a large Portion of Mankind from the grasping Hand of uncontrouled Ambition; we trust that by judicious Efforts of Economy, and by forming an effective Military Force, (wherein Discipline and Subordination may co-operate with the Abi-

