

Remarkable fine Ships, of large Dimensions, mounting Twenty-eight French Eighteen-Pounders on their Main Decks; Thirty-Pounder Carronades on their Quarter Decks and Forecastles; and about Six Hundred and Fifty Men (including Troops) in each Ship, full of Stores, Arms, Ammunition, and Provisions, &c.

- La Themis, of 44 Guns, old—Escaped.
- La Sylph, of 18 Guns, new—Escaped.
- La Lynx, of 18 Guns, new—Escaped.

Whitehall, October 4, 1806.

The King has been pleased to grant to the Reverend Joseph Allen, Clerk, Master of Arts, and Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, the Place and Dignity of a Canonry or Prebend of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter, Westminster, void by the Death of Doctor William Cole, late one of the Prebendaries thereof.

War-Office, September 30, 1806.

Notice is hereby given to all Officers now on the Half-Pay of the Land Forces or Marines, or receiving Allowances as reduced Adjutants of Militia; as well as to all Persons who, having formerly held Commissions in His Majesty's Army, Marines, or Militia, have since retired, that, upon tendering their Services to His Royal Highness the Commander in Chief, such of them as are approved, and whose Services shall be thought necessary, will be allowed to engage in the Recruiting Service upon the Terms of receiving a certain Sum, in full of all Expences, for every Man whom they shall bring, and who shall be accepted; and of their rendering themselves liable to the Observance of all such Rules and Regulations as His Majesty shall think fit to prescribe.

All Persons of either of the above Descriptions, who shall be willing to engage in the Service here proposed, will apply forthwith to His Royal Highness's Military Secretary, specifying their Age, Place of Abode, the Military Situations (if any) in which they are at present acting, together with all the Particulars of their former Service. The like Account is required from all Officers on the Half-Pay of the Land Forces, whether desirous of engaging in the present Service or not.

By His Majesty's Command,
RICH. FITZPATRICK.

War-Office, October 4, 1806.

S T A F F.

Brigadier-General Alexander Wood, from the Home Staff, to be a Brigadier-General to the Forces serving in the Windward and Leeward Charibbee Island Station, vice Sir Richard Ballett, deceased.

To be Assistant-Commissionaries of Stores, Provisions, and Forage to the Forces.

- Peter Turguand, Gent.
- Thomas Hopton Powell, Gent.
- David Elliott, Gent.
- William Poppleton, Gent.
- Alexander William Young, Gent.
- Thomas Maxwell, Gent.
- William Brown, Gent.

BARRACKS.

William Hanmer, Gent. (late an Ensign in the 2d Battalion Royals,) to be a Barrack-Master in Great Britain, vice Page.

Ordnance-Office, October 3, 1806.

Medical Establishment for the Military Departments of the Ordnance.

Supernumerary Assistant-Surgeon Matthew Slinger to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Blackstone, appointed Resident Surgeon at Chatham. Dated October 1, 1806.

Commission in the Berwickshire Gentlemen and Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

John Swinton, Esq; to be Captain, vice Anderson, retired. Dated May 2, 1806.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of Hants. Christchurch Volunteer Infantry.

George Henry Rose, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Walcot, resigned. Dated September 30, 1806.

Titchfield Company of Volunteer Infantry.

John Knight, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

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

Ensign Jos. Starley to be Lieutenant, vice Young, resigned. Dated September 18, 1806.

Ensign John Vesie to be ditto, vice Carr, resigned. Dated September 19, 1806.

Henry Edward Addison, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Starley, promoted. Dated September 18, 1806.

Matthias Andrews, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Vesie, promoted. Dated September 19, 1806.

Notice is hereby given, that Application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next Session, for Leave to bring in a Bill for making and maintaining a Railway, with all proper Works and Conveniences, for the Passage of Waggon, Carts, and other Carriages, properly constructed, from the Termination of the Chester Canal, in the Parish of Acton, near Nantwich, in the County of Chester, to the Canal of Sir Nigel Bowyer Gresley, Bart. at or near a Place called Dales Pool, in the Parishes of Audley and Woolstanton, or one of them, in the County of Stafford; and also for making a Collateral Branch from the said Railway at or near a Place called Boughey's Mill, in the said Parish of Audley; to or near a Place called Silver Dale, in the Parish of Keel, in the said County of Stafford, and from thence to a certain Part of the Newcastle-under-Lyme Canal, being in the Parishes of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Trentham, and Stoke-upon-Trent, in the said County of Stafford, some or one of them; and likewise for making another Collateral Branch, from the said first-mentioned Collateral Branch, at or near a Place called Halmer End, in the said Parish of Audley, to or near a Place called Red Hall, in the said Parish of Audley; and that such Railway and Collateral Branches are intended to be made and pass through, or within, the several Townships of Acton, Nantwich, Willatton, Stapeley, Wybunbury, Hough, Shavington cum Gresley, Chorlton,