

On the 5th instant, the enemy, with four thousand infantry and four hundred cavalry, and four pieces of artillery, attacked the pass of the Garriga where General Lacy was, decided to penetrate, and destroy the little Spanish force, which consisted of fifteen hundred infantry and two hundred cavalry, without artillery. The Spanish troops received the enemy with the greatest serenity, drove them back twice, caused them a great loss, and eventually obliged them to retire, pursued by the light troops, Brigadier Sarsfield following them to the neighbourhood of Hosterlich, after having made them sensible of his bayonets.

The enemy from the Ampurdan has retired to Gerona and Figueras, and the column of La Tour and the garrison of Barcelona have retired to that city, from whence it is not improbable that La Tour has marched to the relief of Tarragona, which is blockaded by Colonel O'Ryan's corps, consisting of about fifteen hundred men.

War-Office, February 1, 1812.

- 2d Regiment of Life Guards*, Captain Thomas Charretie, from the 46th Foot, to be Captain of a Troop, vice Langley, who exchanges.
- 4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant William Woods, from the 48th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without Purchase.
- 5th Ditto*, Lieutenant Stephen Gordon to be Captain of a Troop, by Purchase, vice Prescott, promoted.
- Frederick Hammersley, Gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Pattison, promoted.
- 4th Regiment of Dragoons*, Cornet Edward G. Cubbitt to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Fenton, promoted.
- Archibald James Hamilton, Gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Barrett, promoted.
- 8th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant Alexander Dickson to be Captain of a Troop, without purchase.
- Lieutenant Thornhill Warrington, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to be ditto.
- To be Lieutenants, without Purchase,
Cornet Thomas Pratt Barlow.
- Lieutenant the Honourable George Fortescue, from the 21st Light Dragoons.
- Cornet William Brett, from the 3d Dragoons.
- 12th Ditto*, Cornet John Edington to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clarke, promoted.
- 14th Ditto*, Lieutenant Archibald Douglas, from the 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Percy, who exchanges.
- 16th Ditto*, Lieutenant William Persse to be Captain of a Troop, without purchase, vice Hay, promoted.
- Cornet William Heary Snow to be Lieutenant, vice Persse.
- Frederick Chamberlaine, Gent. to be Cornet, without purchase.

22d Regiment of Light Dragoons.

- To be Captains of Troops, without purchase,
Lieutenant Joseph Vernon.
- Lieutenant George Bradshaw, from the 5th Dragoon Guards.
- To be Lieutenants, without Purchase,
Cornet and Adjutant William Bott to have the rank of Lieutenant.
- Cornet George John Moore.
- Cornet Mathew Smith, from the 25th Light Dragoons.
- To be Cornets, without Purchase,
Hodgson, Gent. vice Moore.
- Sir John Gordon, Bart.
- 24th Ditto*, Lieutenant John Tritton to be Captain of a Troop, without purchase.
- Lieutenant Anthony Alexander O'Reilly, from the 4th Dragoon Guards, to be ditto.
- Cornet Archdall Sharpin to be Lieutenant, vice Tritton.
- Francis Scrimis Pilcher, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Sharpin.
- 25th Ditto*, George Daun, Gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Smith, promoted in the 22d Light Dragoons.
- 3d Regiment of Foot Guards*, George Augustus Frederick Dawkins, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hawkins, promoted.
- 1st Regiment of Foot*, Ensign James Hamilton Wardrop to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Deuchar, promoted.
- Ensign George Green, from the Clare Militia, to be Ensign.
- 9th Ditto*, J. Syret, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice J. F. Cockburn, promoted.
- Lieutenant Badham Thornhill to be Adjutant, vice Woodham, promoted.
- 10th Ditto*, Robert Gardner Locke, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Loftus, promoted.
- 12th Ditto*, James O'Keeffe, Esq; to be Paymaster of the 1st Battalion, vice Jenkins, deceased.
- 24th Ditto*, Ensign Charles Jago to be Lieutenant, vice Graham, deceased.
- 26th Ditto*, Thomas Clubbe, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice J. A. Maxwell, promoted.
- 27th Ditto*, Lieutenant James Davidson to be Adjutant, vice Maclean, who resigns the Adjutancy only.
- 31st Ditto*, Gentleman Cadet Walter Forster Ker, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Butler, promoted.
- 34th Ditto*, Major John M. Everard to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Thornton, appointed to the Greek Light Infantry.
- Major Henry Worsley, from the 4th Garrison Battalion, to be Major, vice Everard.
- Quarter-Master-Serjeant Thomas Howe to be Quarter-Master, vice Russell, deceased.
- 36th Ditto.*
- To be Lieutenants, without purchase,
Lieutenant John Hall, from the 3d Garrison Battalion.
- Ensign John Charles, vice M'Dermott, superseded.
- Ensign William Tunstall, vice Blackwell, deceased.
- Ensign Noble Breton, vice Evans, deceased.
- Ensign John Baird, from the 53d Foot.