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During the whole of this attack, our Allies, the Spaniards, have rivalled the conduct of the British and Portuguese troops; and General Cruz Murgueon, by his military talents and bravery, has principally contributed to the successful result of the day.

Inclosed is a return of the killed and wounded.

During last night a division of 7 or 8000 French troops passed by. Our attack has saved the city from the devastations and contributions with which it was threatened.

Captain Wynyard is the bearer of this dispatch, who will inform you of any further particulars you may require.

I have the honour, &c.

(Signed) J. B. SKERRETT.

To Major-General Cooke, &c. &c. &c.

P. S. A return of the guns and military stores taken, will be sent as soon as the quantity can be ascertained. Two of the field-pieces which the enemy advanced against us, fell into our hands.

Return of the Killed and Wounded of the Troops under the Command of Colonel Skerrett, at the Capture of the City of Seville by Assault, on the Morning of the 27th August 1812.

Royal Artillery—1 subaltern, 1 horse, killed; 1 rank and file wounded.

2d Hussars, King's German Legion—1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, 1 horse, killed; 1 rank and file wounded.

1st Foot Guards, 3d Batt.—4 rank and file wounded.

95th Rifle Corps, 2d Batt.—1 subaltern, 6 rank and file, 1 horse, wounded.

Total—1 subaltern, 1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, 2 horses, killed; 1 subaltern, 12 rank and file, 1 horse, wounded.

(Signed) W. CLINTON WYNYARD,
A. A. General.

Name of Officer killed.

Royal Artillery—First Lieutenant Brett.

Name of Officer wounded.

95th Rifle Corps—First Lieutenant Llewelyn, slightly.

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