

quality of the country; and your sincere and persevering endeavours, in compliance with the wishes of your people, to form a strong and efficient administration. We trust that those servants whom you have called to your councils, will adopt such measures as the exigencies of the present eventful crisis require. That the resources of the country will be economically administered and wisely applied. That abuses will be temperately and effectually remedied; and, that the blessings of the constitution will be extended to our fellow subjects of every religious persuasion, in as far as may be found consistent with the safety and welfare of the empire at large. We rely with confidence upon the wisdom of Your Royal Highness, in concerting useful measures, and carrying them into effect; and the nation at large will feel, that Your Royal Highness has a right to expect the gratitude and cordial assistance of all who wish well to their country.

Signed in presence and by appointment of the Magistrates and Council, and the common seal of the Borough is hereto appended, at Wick, the 29th day of September. 1812.

George Sinclair, Provost.

[Transmitted by Geo. Sinclair, Esq. and presented by the Right Honourable Lord Viscount Sidmouth.]

War-Office; October 13, 1812.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant R. S. Dickson to be Captain of a Troop, by purchase, vice Ashworth, who retires.

M. L. Este, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice Paternoster, who retires.

2d Ditto.

To be Captains of Troops,

Captain the Honourable H. E. Irby, from the 24th Foot, without purchase.

Lieutenant J. P. M. Kenyon, without purchase.

To be Lieutenant, without purchase,

Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant ——— Mcares, vice Kenyon.

To be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, John Lowe, Gent. vice Bowen, who retires.

To be Assistant-Surgeon,

Samuel Broughton, Gent. from the Dorsetshire Militia, vice Gaillard, who resigns.

8d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Robert Mulhollen, Gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Monck, appointed to the 44th Foot.

12th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Joshua Healey Newsome, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Eddington, promoted.

21st Ditto.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase,

Cornet W. H. Boys, vice Dexter, appointed to the 4th Dragoon Guards.

Cornet Andrew Bond.

To be Cornet,

Robert Whaley, Gent. vice Boys.

22d Ditto, Lieutenant George Pemberton, from the 2d Life Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Arnold, who exchanges.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, Ensign and Adjutant C. A. F. Bentinck to have the rank of Lieutenant.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain John Clitherow to be Captain of a Company, by purchase, vice Peacocke, who retires.

Ensign Arnold Burrows to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clitherow.

Ensign and Adjutant Henry Robert Watson to have the rank of Lieutenant.

1st Regiment of Foot, Ensign G. C. Johnstone to be Lieutenant, vice Falck, dead of his wounds.

2d Ditto.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase,

Ensign William Hutton, vice Mathews, killed in action.

Ensign Charles Grant, vice Black, deceased.

Ensign W. D. Collingwood, vice Carney, promoted.

To be Ensigns, without purchase,

Gentleman Cadet G. W. Prosser, from the Royal Military College, vice Hutton.

Frederick William Frankland, Gent. vice Grant.

Henry Whosewood Greenwood, Gent. vice Collingwood.

4th Ditto, Ensign William Ramsden to be Lieutenant, vice Dane, dead of his wounds.

Serjeant-Major ——— Pickering to be Ensign, vice Ramsden.

5th Ditto, Lieutenant Henry White, from the 2d Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice Kershaw, who exchanges.

6th Ditto, Captain Lewis A. Denoe, from the 2d Ceylon Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, without purchase, vice Smith, appointed to the 15th Foot.

13th Ditto, F. W. Stehelin, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Ross, promoted in the 90th Foot.

15th Ditto, Captain John Maxwell to be Major, without purchase, vice Renny, appointed an Inspecting Field-Officer of Militia in America.

To be Captains of Companies, without purchase,

Lieutenant A. W. Cradock, vice West, deceased.

Captain Charles H. Smith, from the 6th Foot, vice Maxwell.

To be Lieutenant,

Ensign David Torrance, vice Cradock.

To be Ensign,

Edward Henry Herrick, Gent. vice Torrance.

18th Ditto, Ensign Constantine Bennison to be Lieutenant, vice Wilders, deceased.

Lewis C. Appellius, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Bennison.

20th Ditto.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase,

Ensign John Smith.

Ensign Thomas Edwards.

21st Ditto, Captain J. A. Whitaker to be Major, by purchase, vice Darrah, who retires.

22d Ditto, Serjeant-Major Thomas Edwards to be Adjutant (with the rank of Ensign), vice Kendall, who resigns the Adjutantcy only.

23d Ditto, Richard Julian, Esq. to be Paymaster, vice Bromley, who retires.