

Hanover, December 16, 1833.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Mr. George Clark to be one of the Surgeons to His Royal Highness's Household.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorises the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of William Papwell Brigstock, Esq. late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the eastern division of the county of Somerset, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said eastern division of the county of Somerset, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 4th day of January 1834,

CHARLES MANNERS SUTTON, Speaker.

THE Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act, 10th Geo. 4th, c. 27, sec. 1, that the actual Surplus Revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual Expenditure thereof, for the year ended 10th day of October 1833, amounted to the sum of £1,437,933 14s. 7½d.;

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of £359,483 8s. 7½d. (being one fourth part of the said surplus of £1,437,933 14s. 7½d.) will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, between the 7th day of January 1834 and the 5th day of April 1834, to the following purposes, viz.:

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| To repay the Bank of England, per 5th Geo. 4th, c. 45, the sums advanced by the Bank to pay the proprietors of £4 per Cent. Stock, who did not assent to receive £3 10s. per Cent. Stock in lieu thereof, | £. | s. | d. |
| To be applied to the purchase of Stock | 392 | 15 | 0 |
| | 359,090 | 13 | 7½ |
| | 359,483 | 8 | 7½ |
| Add Interest receivable on account of Donations and Bequests, to be applied to the purchase of Stock | 3,096 | 13 | 6 |
| | £362,580 | 2 | 1½ |

S. Higham, Comptroller General.
National Debt-Office, January 3, 1834.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
January 2, 1834.

HALF-PAY TO NAVAL OFFICERS AND OFFICERS OF THE ROYAL MARINES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the receipt in the Wages Department at the Admiralty-office, Somerset-place, of the affidavit required from each Officer by His Majesty's Orders in Council, a bill for the amount of the half-pay due will be made out in this Department, which will be payable by the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, on the following days, viz.

- On the 10th and 11th of January, to Masters, Surgeons, and Pursers, and their Attorneys.
- On the 13th, 14th, and 15th of January, to Lieutenants at 5s. a day and under, and their Attorneys.
- On the 16th and 17th of January, to Lieutenants at 7s and 6s. a day, and Chaplains, and their Attorneys.
- On the 20th, 21st, and 22d of January, to Admirals, Captains, Commanders and Retired Commanders, and their Attorneys.

Great inconvenience having been experienced by the claims of Officers, who have not chosen to receive their half-pay on the days fixed for their rank, being preferred on the days appointed for the payment of half-pay to Officers of different ranks; notice is hereby given, that no such claims can in future be attended to on the days not appointed for Officers of those ranks; but for the accommodation of such Officers, and also for the convenience of those who may not have transmitted their affidavit sufficiently early to admit payment on the above-mentioned days, a recall will take place on the 24th and 25th of January.

After which the half-pay will be payable on the first and third Wednesday in every month, excepting during the general payment of half-pay.

Officers residing in or near London, and wishing to receive their half-pay in person, are requested to deliver their affidavits into the Wages-office or the Admiralty, Somerset-place, or transmit them to the Secretary of the Admiralty, immediately on the expiration of each quarter; and those employing agents are also requested to furnish their agents with their affidavits, as promptly, for unless such documents are early delivered into this Office, delay in the payment must unavoidably ensue.

It sometimes happens that Officers apply personally for their half-pay, without having previously sent in their affidavits as required by the usual advertisements; any delay or inconvenience to which they might be subject by this oversight, it is in the power of the Officers themselves to prevent, by an adherence to the existing regulations.

Under the authority of the Statutes relating to the pay of the Navy, besides the above-mentioned mode, Officers may receive their half-pay in any of the following ways, viz.

- 1st. By drawing a bill for the amount, on a form to be transmitted from this Office.
- 2d. By a remittance bill, payable to them at or in the neighbourhood of their residence.
- 3d. By extract or permanent remittance bill,