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WHITEHALL, April 15.

A dispatch, of which the following is a copy, was this day received, by an overland conveyance, at the East India House, from the Governor and Council at Bombay :

To the Secret Committee of the Honourable Court of Directors for the affairs of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, London.

HONOURABLE SIRS,

1. In addition to the information communicated in our last overland dispatch, on the subject of the events of the war with Jeshwant Row Holkar, we take this occasion to report, that we have since been advised of an attack made by a division of Holkar's infantry and artillery on the city of Delhi, on the 8th ult. Lieutenant-Colonel Burn, the officer in command of the British troops at that station, reporting that, during the whole of that day, the enemy continued a very heavy cannonade ; and that on the 9th they advanced and erected a four gun battery, very near to the south east bastion of the city wall, where their shot had great effect. To check their progress in that quarter a fortie was determined on. The party employed, consisting of about three hundred and fifty men, under the command of Lieutenant Rose, of which number fifty, with a six-pounder, composed the reserve, under Lieutenant Dickson.—The whole are stated to have been speedily and well conducted to the enemy's battery, and to have soon got possession of their guns, and spiked them ; the party then returning under a heavy discharge of shot and grape. Lieutenant Rose, who led the detachment, and the whole of the officers, are reported to have executed that duty to the entire satisfaction of Lieutenant-Colonel Burn, who also mentions in favourable terms Captain Carnegie and Lieutenant

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Woodville, of Captain Harriott's battalion, and Lieutenant Evans, Heathcote, and Lockett, of the 2d battalion 14th regiment, besides some others, whose names he adverts to as having been reported to the Commander in Chief, in a former dispatch, which has not reached us.

2. On the 14th the enemy attempted an assault on the town of Delhi, but were repulsed with considerable loss. The details of the assault had not been received up to the date of our latest advices from Calcutta, but in a dispatch from the Commander in Chief to his Excellency the Governor-General, he thus adverts to the spirit and gallantry of the troops at Delhi : "The meritorious conduct of our troops, on both of the above-mentioned occasions, reflects on their courage and perseverance the highest credit. My letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Auchterlony, the acting Resident, speaks in the highest terms of the conduct of the troops under his orders. I beg to assure your Excellency that the arrangements made by that officer merit my warmest praise and approbation ; on which I shall have the honour more fully to report hereafter."

3. Official advices had been received at Fort William, in a letter from the Commander in Chief, dated Serie, the 16th of October, stating that the troops of Jeshwant Row Holkar had made a precipitate retreat on the morning of the 15th, from their position near the town of Delhi.

4. Since taking possession of Chandore, Dhoorp, and Galna, the force employed in the Deekan, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Wallace, has been advancing towards the river Taptie. According to the latest accounts from that officer, a party of the Peishwa's troops detached from Galna had obtained possession of the town of Nunderbar, and of the greater part of that district, without meeting with any oppo-

sition. As soon as the Peishwa's officers should be in possession of the tract west of his position on the river Panja, and south of the Taptie, Lieutenant-Colonel Wallace intended to move to Borenair. Holkar's retainers in Candeish appear now to be reduced to two or three inconsiderable chiefs, with but few followers.

We have the honour to be, &c. &c. &c.

JON. DUNCAN.
O. NICHOLLS.
L. COCKRAN.
THO. LECHMERE.

Bombay-Castle, November 26, 1804.

WAR-OFFICE, March 23.

88th Foot—Ensign Henry G. Buller to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice M'Dougall, promoted. Ensign J. M'Donald to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Wm. Mackie to be Ensign, vice M'Donald. — Rogers (Lieutenant from the 2d garrison battalion) to be Paymaster, vice Campbell, who resigns. Duncan Campbell to be Paymaster of the 2d battalion.

89th Ditto—Ensign Stephen Grier, from the 1st West India regiment, to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Ensign Francis Richard Rowe, from the 85th foot, to be ditto.

96th Ditto—Captain Thomas Ware, from the York rangers, to be Captain of a company, vice Webster, who retires on the half-pay of the York rangers. Lieut. Henry Wilson, from the 98th foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase.

96th Ditto—Lieut. Thomas Wetherall Smith to be Captain of a company, without purchase.

98th Ditto—Lieut. Henry Langley, from the 3d foot, to be Captain of a company. Hyacinth Daly to be Ensign.

99th Ditto—Major Henry C. Darling, from the half-pay of the late 12th West India regiment, to be Major, vice M'Donald, who exchanges.

100th Ditto—Major John Murray, from the 39th foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

New South Wales Corps—Ensign William Minchin to be Lieutenant, vice M'Kellar, deceased. Christian Wilson to be Ensign, vice Minchin. Samuel Laycock to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Wilson, promoted in the 99th foot.

1st West India Regiment—Michael Finucane to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Grier, promoted in the 89th foot.



3d Ditto—Ensign Hyacinth Fallon, from the 5th West India regiment, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Bremner, appointed to the 8th royal veteran battalion.

5th Ditto—Sutherland to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Fallon, promoted in the 3d West India regiment.

6th Ditto—Major John Dickson, from the York rangers, to be Major, vice Lucas, who retires on half-pay of the York rangers.

Royal African Corps—Lieut Peter O'Shaughnessy, from the 36th foot, to be Captain of a company, without purchase, vice Lee, appointed to the Royals. Captain Christopher T. Roberts, from the York rangers, to be Captain of a company, vice Ryan, deceased.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase—Ensign Lewis Bird, from ditto; Ensign John Ware, from ditto; Ensign R. W. McDonald, from ditto.

Major General Ramsay's Regiment—Lieut. William Cleather, from the 7th foot, to be First Lieutenant.

Royal Regiment of Malta—Lieut. Charles de Haviland, from the 20th foot, to be Captain of a company without purchase, vice South, appointed to the 20th foot. Ensign E. F. C. Richter, from the 60th foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Kagenack, appointed to the 60th foot. Ensign N. N. Clofius, from ditto to be ditto.

Dillon's Regiment—Charles Duquénay to be Ensign, vice La Riviere, who resigns.

2d Garrison Battalion—Richard Kelly to be Ensign, vice Ball, appointed to the 1st garrison battalion.

3d Ditto—Ensign Richard Moore, from the 43d foot to be Ensign.

3d Royal Veteran Battalion—Lieut. John Gilbert from the 59th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Cameron, appointed to the 9th veteran battalion. Surgeon S. Francis, from the late 7th garrison battalion, to be Surgeon, vice Nicholl, who retires on the half-pay of the 7th garrison battalion.

8th Ditto—Captain John Mansfield, from the 5th foot, to be Captain of a company.

9th Ditto—Major-General Colin Mackenzie, from the 15th foot, to be Colonel. Lieut.-Col. Duncan Campbell, from the royals, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Brevet Major John Grant, from the 3d veteran battalion, to be Major.

To be Captains of companies—Captain Richard Armstrong, from the 1st royal veteran battalion. Captain John Macdonnell, from the 92d foot.

To be Lieutenants—Lieut. Allan Cameron, from the 3d royal veteran battalion; Ensign John Geddes, from the 6th royal veteran battalion; Ensign Joseph Heamer, from the 1st royal veteran battalion.

To be Ensigns—Serjeant M'Lennon, from the 42d foot; Quarter Master Serjeant Alexander Macdougall, from the 6th royal veteran battalion.

To be Surgeon—Surgeon James Campbell, from the 91st foot.

BREVET.

Captain John Bissett, of the 9th foot, to be Major in the army; commission dated 1st January 1798.

GARRISON.

Colonel Alexander Mair, of the 1st royal veteran battalion, to be Lieutenant-Governor of Sheerness, vice Sir James Malcolm, who retires.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon John Sheau to be Garrison Surgeon at Jersey, vice Bolger, who retires on half-pay.

R. Pinckard to be Deputy Purveyor to the forces.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain C. Lane Murphy, of the 60th foot, is superannuated, being absent from the depot without leave.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

THE Concern of EASON & CROMBIE ceased upon the first of January last.—Any persons having claims upon the Company will receive payment by applying at Humphry Crombie's counting-house, Union Place.

ADAM CROOKS, } Attornies for
JOHN T. ALSFON, } John Eason.
H. CROMBIE.

GLASGOW, 9th April 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM & JOHN HUTCHISON,
Merchants in Ayr.

A state and scheme of division of the funds of the said Messrs. Hutchison being now made up, the same may be inspected in the hands of Mr Hugh Cowan, trustee on their sequestrated estates, till the 22d May next, when a dividend will be paid to those creditors who have lodged their grounds of debt and oaths of verity thereon.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DUNCAN & MALCOM M'KELLAR,
and MALCOM M'KELLAR, late Merchants
in Greenock.

The trustees on these subjects do hereby give notice, that they have postponed the dividend advertised to be made on the 17th instant, in order to give those creditors who have omitted to lodge their claims an opportunity of still doing so. They therefore request, they will hand their vouchers of debt, with oaths of verity thereto, to Mr John Wright, manufacturer, High Street, on or before the 17th of May next, otherwise they will be cut off from their share of the dividend now fixed to be made on the 24th of that month, at the Warehouse of the said John Wright.

GLASGOW, 16th April 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ARCHIBALD SMITH, Jun. Merchant
in Glasgow.

A state of accounts, audited by the commissioners, lies with Mr James Handyfide, merchant in Glasgow, the trustee on Mr Smith's sequestrated estate; but no dividend can take place at the ensuing general meeting on the 3d of June next.

GLASGOW, 17th April 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ALEXANDER KEITH, Merchant in
Wick.

The trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Alexander Keith requests a meeting of his creditors, in the house of John Bowie, vintner in Wick, on Friday the 3d day of May next, at 12 o'clock mid-day, to consider of some matters of importance, very material to their interest.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES LESLIE & COMPANY, Mer-
chants in Glasgow.

The trustee hereby intimates, that no dividend can be made at the next statutory term, being the 10th June.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ROBERT WILSON, Maltster and Grain
Dealer in Ayr.

Upon the application of the said Robert Wilson, with concurrence of one of his creditors, the Lord Balmuto, Ordinary on the bills, on the 17th day of April 1805, sequestrated the whole estate and effects, heritable and moveable, real and personal, of the said Robert Wilson; and appointed his creditors to meet, in the house of William Stirling, vintner in Ayr, upon Wednesday the 1st day of May next, at 12 noon, to name an interim factor on said sequestrated estate; and also to meet, at the same place and hour, on Wednesday the 29th day of May next, for the purpose of choosing a trustee thereon.—Of all which this intimation is given.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN SPROAT, Merchant in Kirkcud-
bright, bankrupt.

At a meeting of the creditors of the said John Sproat, held here this day, being the day immediately after his second examination, the bankrupt proposed to pay a composition, at the rate of ten shillings Sterling in the pound upon the principal sums of his whole debts, at the date of the sequestration, payable as follows, viz. five shillings thereof at the end of six months, and the other five shillings thereof at the end of nine months from the date of next meeting of his creditors, and offered certain persons as his cautioners for payment of the said composition accordingly.—And the meeting having delayed giving any decision upon the offer of composition so made, John Napier, Esq. of Mollance, trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said John Sproat, hereby appoints another meeting of the creditors of the said John Sproat to be holden, within the house of Samuel Malcolmson, innkeeper in Kirkcudbright, upon Saturday the 4th day of May next, for the purpose of deciding upon the said offer, in terms of the act of Parliament.

Kirkcudbright, 10th April 1805.

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