

G. Cockburn.
Henry Hotham.
Bessborough.
C. Warren.
Thomas Percé Courtenay.
J. S. Copley.
H. Bankes.
C. Flower.
John Atkins.
John Sylvester.
C. Magnay.
Robert Alb. Cox.
John Thomas Thorp.
Richard Rothwell.
John Edmund Dowdeswell.

R. Clark.
Henry Woodthorpe.
T. Tyrrell
William Borradaile, jun.
Thomas Smith.
Herbert Taylor.
W. Keppel.
F. T. H. Hammond,
William Congreve.
Newman Knowlys, the
Common Serjeant of
London.
James Buller.
Jos. Whatley.
George Naylor, York.

At the Court at Carlton-House, the 30th day of January 1820,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty being this day present in Council, was pleased to make the following Declaration, viz. I have directed that you should be assembled here, in order that I may discharge the painful duty of announcing to you the death of the King, my beloved Father.

It is impossible for me adequately to express the state of my feelings upon this melancholy occasion, but I have the consolation of knowing, that the severe calamity, with which his Majesty has been afflicted for so many years, has never effaced from the minds of his subjects the impressions created by his many virtues: and his example will, I am persuaded, live for ever in the grateful remembrance of his country.

Called upon, in consequence of his Majesty's disposition, to exercise the prerogatives of the crown on his behalf, it was the first wish of my heart to be allowed to restore into his hands the powers with which I was intrusted. It has pleased Almighty God to determine otherwise; and I have not been insensible to the advantages which I have derived from administering, in my dear father's name, the government of this realm.

The support which I have received from Parliament and the country, in times the most eventful, and under the most arduous circumstances, could alone inspire me with that confidence which my present station demands.

The experience of the past will, I trust, satisfy all classes of my people, that it will ever be my most anxious endeavour to promote their prosperity and happiness, and to maintain unimpaired the religion, laws, and liberties of the kingdom.

Whereupon the Lords of the Council made it their humble request to his Majesty, that this his Majesty's most gracious Declaration to their Lordships might be made public; which his Majesty was pleased to order accordingly. *Jas. Buller.*

At the Court at Carlton-House, the 30th of January 1820.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.
His Royal Highness the Duke of York.
His Royal Highness the Duke of Clarence.
His Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex.
His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.
His Royal Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Coburg.
Archbishop of Canterbury.
The Lord Chancellor.
Duke of Atholl.
Duke of Montrose.
Marquess Wellesley.
Marquess Camden.
Earl of Lauderdale.
Earl of Chatham.
Earl Bathurst.
Earl of Liverpool.
Earl of Mulgrave.

Viscount Melville.
Viscount Sidmouth.
Bishop of London.
Right Honourable the Speaker.
Right Honourable Sir William Scott.
Right Honourable Sir William Grant.
Right Honourable Thomas Wallace.
Right Honourable Nicholas Vansittart.
Right Honourable Charles Arbuthnot.
Right Honourable Sir John Nicholl.
Right Honourable Frederick John Robinson.
Right Honourable Robert Peel.
Right Honourable William Sturges Bourne.
Right Honourable Charles Bagot.
Right Honourable Sir Richard Richards.
Right Honourable Sir Benjamin Bloomfield.
Right Honourable Sir John Leach.
Right Honourable Sir Charles Abbott.
Right Honourable Sir Robert Dallas.

His Majesty, at his first coming into the Council, was this day pleased to declare, that understanding that the law requires he should, at his Accession to the Crown, take and subscribe the oath relating to the security of the Church of Scotland, he was now ready to do it this first opportunity, which his Majesty was graciously pleased to do according to the forms used by the law of Scotland, and subscribed two instruments thereof, in the presence of the Lords of the Council, who witnessed the same; and his Majesty was pleased to order, that one of the said instruments be transmitted to the Court of Session, to be recorded in the Books of Sederunt, and afterwards to be forthwith lodged in the Public Register of Scotland; and that the other of them remain among the Records of the Council, and be entered in the Council Book.

WAR-OFFICE—JANUARY 28, 1820.

4th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Lieutenant Hamond Alpe to be Captain of a troop, by purchase, vice Wright, who retires. Cornet Robert L. Townshend to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alpe. George Trigge Hooker, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Townshend. Commissions all dated January 13, 1820.

18th—Captain the Honourable Hervey Francis de Montmorency, from the 4th foot, to be Captain of a troop, vice Milner, who exchanges; dated January 20, 1820.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards—Captain Richard Henry Wigton to be Captain of a company and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Stewart, who retires; dated December 31, 1819. Lieutenant the Honourable George Anson to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Wigton. Gentleman Cadet George Dixon, from the royal military college, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Anson.

4th—Brevet Major Charles Milner, from 18th light dragoons, to be Captain of a company, vice De Montmorency, who exchanges.

8th—Major Robert Melville Browne, from the half-pay 98th foot, to be Major, vice Thomas Buck, who exchanges. Lieutenant Lord Bingham, from the half-pay 3d foot guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Ivers, who exchanges.

27th—Lieutenant William M'Lean to be Captain of a company, by purchase, vice Molloy, who retires.

38th—Captain Thomas Decimus Franklyn, from half-pay 40th foot, to be Captain of a company, vice Fletcher Wilkie, who exchanges.

50th—Nicholas Power, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cuppage, whose appointment has not taken place.

62d—Lieutenant James Fraser Macdonell, from half-pay of the regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Usher, who exchanges, receiving the difference.

63d—Lieutenant Henry Dundas Campbell, from half-pay 1st foot guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Robinson Sadler, who exchanges, receiving the difference.

67th—William Morton Pitt Sweedland, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice M'Daniell, promoted.

84th—Captain Francis Blois Lynch, from half-pay royal West India rangers, to be Captain of a company, vice James Lane, who exchanges, receiving the difference.

88th—Lieutenant Frederick Follett, from half-pay 97th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Maurice O'Connor, who exchanges, receiving the difference.

3d Royal Veteran Battalion—Paymaster Thomas Dillow, from half-pay 23d light dragoons, to be Paymaster of a veteran battalion. All dated January 20, 1820.

4th—Captain Alexander Gourlay, from the 6th royal veteran battalion, to be Captain of a company, vice Cartwright, whose appointment has not taken place. Lieutenant Warner Spalding, from the late 6th royal veteran battalion, to

be Lieutenant, vice Stalliard, whose appointment has not taken place. Ensign John Douglas, from the late 5th royal veteran battalion, to be Ensign, vice Parker, whose appointment has not taken place. All dated November 1, 1819. Lieutenant Sholto Douglas Sorlie, to be Adjutant, vice Sinclair, whose appointment has not taken place.

5th—Quartermaster Robert Belcher, from the retired list of the 24th foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Hay, whose appointment has not taken place. Both dated January 20, 1820.

6th—Ensign Robert Deans, from the late 3d royal veteran battalion, to be Ensign, vice Douglas, whose appointment has not taken place.

7th—Lieutenant Joseph Piggott, from the 4th royal veteran battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice Spalding, whose appointment has not taken place. Both dated November 1, 1819.

HOSPITAL STAFF.—To be Hospital-Assistants to the Forces—Hospital-Assistant Thomas Teevan, from half-pay. Hospital-Assistant William Kealo, M. D. from half-pay. Both dated December 16, 1819.

MEMORANDA.

The Brevet commission of Major Charles George Napier Royal Artillery, has been antedated to 18th January 1815.

The Christian names of Lieutenant and Captain Bentinck, Coldstream Guards, are Henry John William.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

John Bunyer, of Wheetstone, Middlesex, dealer and chapman.

John Thomson, of Manchester, Lancaster, bookseller. William Hayzelden, late of Milton, near Sittingborne, Kent, (but now a prisoner in the Fleet Prison), saddler.

John Gundry, of Goldsmithy, Cornwall, merchant. Thomas Davies, late of King-Street, Covent-Garden, Middlesex, tea-dealer and grocer.

Thomas Collier, of Newport, Salop, liquor-merchant. John Harper, of the Edgeware-Road, Middlesex, cow-keeper.

Thomas Green, of Liverpool, Lancaster, auctioneer. Robert Fowle, of Blanford, Dorset, draper.

William Wilson, formerly of Holborn-Hill, London, afterwards of Poplar-Row, Wandsworth-Road, Surrey, and late of Seven Houses, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, Surrey, corn and flour-factor.

Michael Powles, late of Ross, Hereford, mealman and corn-factor.

John Wood, late of Nottingham, hosier. Thomas Stammers and William Stammers Button, of Sudbury, Suffolk; and Thomas Adkin, of Colchester, Essex, millers.

Samuel Dutton and John Dunn, of Liverpool, Lancaster, merchants.

Stephen Millard, late of Gloucester, linen-draper. Jeremiah Kendall, of Southwaite-Mill, Brigham, Cumberland, miller.

John Worthington, of Warton, Lancaster, coal-merchant. Thomas Taylor, of Preston, Lancaster, tea-dealer.

Isaac Hill, of Bristol, straw-hat and willow-manufacturer. Joseph Watson and Henry Watson, of Friday-Street, Cheapside, London, warehousemen.

Frederick William Rutledge, of Lucas-Street, Commercial-Road, Middlesex, corn and flour-dealer and chapman.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

GEORGE HAMILTON, Merchant and Commission-Agent in Glasgow.

WILLIAM MURDOCH, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said George Hamilton, hereby intimates, that at a meeting of the Creditors held here this day, an offer of composition was made, which the Creditors present agreed to entertain; and that another general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the writing-chambers of Andrew MacGeorge and John B. Gray, on Wednesday the 23d day of February next, at two o'clock P. M., for the purpose of finally deciding on the said offer of composition, with or without amendment.

Glasgow, January 31, 1820.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DAVID MACBRAYNE & COMPANY, Manufacturers in Glasgow, and of David MacBrayne, sole partner of said company, as an individual.

THAT the said David MacBrayne & Company, and the said David MacBrayne, as an individual, with consent of the Trustee upon their sequestrated estate, and the whole Creditors who have proved their debts, have presented a petition to the Court of Session, (Second Division), praying for the approval of the offer of composition made by them, and for a discharge of all debts contracted prior to the act of sequestration, and for an exoneration to the Trustee, and upon advising said petition, the Court, of this date, ordered the same to be intimated, and this notice given to all concerned, in terms of the statute.

GEO NAPIER, Agent in the sequestration. Edinburgh, February 1, 1820.