

WHITEHALL, FEBRUARY 4, 1824

The King has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Lichfield, empowering them to elect a Bishop of the See of Lichfield and Coventry, now void by the death of James Earl Cornwallis, late Bishop thereof; and His Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Henry Ryder, Lord Bishop of Gloucester, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Lichfield and Coventry.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Robert Viscount Melville, Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle; Sir William Johnstone Hope, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Vice-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet; Sir George Cockburn, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Vice-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet; Sir George Clerk, Bart.; and William Robert Keith Douglas, Esq. to be His Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the dominions, islands, and territories thereunto belonging.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, FEBRUARY 3, 1824.

The King has been pleased to appoint George R. Chinnery, Esq. Commissioner on the part of His Majesty, to reside in Spain, under the 7th article of the Convention concluded at Madrid, on the 12th of March 1823, between Great Britain and Spain, for the settlement of the claims of British and Spanish subjects.

WAR-OFFICE, FEBRUARY 6, 1824.

2d Regiment of Life Guards—To be Captains—Lieutenant George Greenwood, by purchase, vice Smith, who retires; dated January 1. Captain Robert Montgomery, Lord Belhaven and Stenton, from half-pay 11th foot, vice Thomas Martin, who exchanges, receiving the difference; dated January 2.

To be Lieutenant, by purchase—Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant William Milligan, vice Greenwood; dated January 1.

To be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase—Ensign Sir William Scott, Bart., from the 51st foot, vice Milligan; dated January 1.

2d Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Cornet Francis John Swain Hepburn, from half-pay 19th light dragoons, to be Cornet, vice Craufurd, appointed to the 2d dragoons; dated January 22.

6th—Captain John Stevenson to be Major, by purchase, vice FitzClarence, promoted. Lieutenant Henry Stephen Nooth to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stephenson. Cornet Hood Richards to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nooth. Edward Jerminham, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Richards. All dated January 29.

2d Regiment of Dragoons—Cornet Robert Gegan Craufurd, from the 2d dragoon guards, to be Cornet, vice Charles Gasper Edleman, who retires upon half-pay 19th light dragoons; dated January 22, 1824.

4th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Captain Gerard S. Moore, from half-pay 65th foot, to be Captain, vice Michael Kirby, who exchanges, receiving the difference; dated 19th April 1823.

11th—William Henry Warrington to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Partridge, who resigns; dated January 29, 1824.

14th—Surgeon Thomas Forster, from the 46th foot, to be Surgeon, vice O'Flaherty, who exchanges; dated January 22, 1824.

16th—Lieutenant John Vincent, from the 59th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Macdougall, who exchanges; dated May 12, 1823.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards—William George Carter, gent. to be Solicitor, vice Wilkinson, deceased.

7th Regiment of foot—Captain Richard Beauchamp, from half-pay 19th light dragoons, to be Captain, vice Holmes, appointed to the 96th foot.

13th Regiment of Foot—Ensign, Edward Pearson, from the 92d foot, to be Ensign, vice Shawe, who exchanges. All dated January 29, 1824.

14th—Lieutenant John Liston, from the 38th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ware, who exchanges; dated May 23, 1823.

17th—Captain Thomas Martin, from half-pay 11th foot, to be Captain, vice William Elliot, who exchanges, receiving the difference; dated January 22, 1824.

20th—Captain John Byrne, from the 35th foot, to be Captain, vice Gethin, appointed to the 96th foot; dated January 29, 1824. Ensign Duncan Darroch to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Robinson, deceased. Richard Tasker Forlong, gent. to be Ensign, vice Darroch. Both dated January 25, 1823.

24th—Captain Henry Dive Townshend, from the 41st foot, to be Captain, vice Brown, who exchanges; dated January 29, 1824.

25th—Lieutenant Martin McLeod from half-pay 22d light dragoons, to be Paymaster, vice Biddulph, deceased.

28th—Granby Hales Calcraft, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Phelps, appointed to the 51st foot. Both dated January 15, 1824.

29th—Lieutenant George Foskey, from the 54th foot to be Adjutant and Lieutenant, vice Weir, who resigns the Adjutancy only.

31st—Major Duncan McGregor, from half-pay 78th foot, to be Major, vice Nicholls, appointed to the 96th foot. Both dated January 29.

33d—Surgeon James Gowen, from half-pay 6th West India Regiment, to be Surgeon, vice Thomas, whose appointment has not taken place. Dated January 22.

35th—Lieutenant Thomas Walsh, from half-pay 2d Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice Davies, appointed to the 94th foot; dated January 29, 1824.

38th—Lieutenant Robert Ware, from the 14th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Liston, who exchanges. Dated May 23, 1823.

41st—Captain Robert Brown, from the 24th foot, to be Captain, vice Townshend, who exchanges; dated January 29, 1824. Lieutenant Francis Dickson, from the 69th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Norman, who exchanges; dated 3d April 1823.

44th—Brevet Major J. Chilton L. Carter to be Major, without purchase, vice Guthrie, deceased; dated June 5.

To be Captains, without purchase—Lieutenant Daniel Caulfield, vice O'Reilly, deceased; dated May 26. Lieutenant Frederick Hemming, vice Carter promoted; dated June 5.

To be Lieutenants—Ensign Barrington Browne, vice Caulfield; dated May 26. Ensign Henry Dick Carr, vice Hemming; dated June 5. Ensign Henry James Shaw, vice Sargent, deceased; dated June 6.

To be Ensigns—Hemsworth Usher, gent. vice Browne; dated May 26. Gore Browne, gent. vice Carr; dated January 14, 1824. Henry Nixon, gent. vice Shaw; dated January 15.

46th—Surgeon Daniel O'Flaherty, from the 14th light dragoons, to be surgeon, vice Forster, who exchanges; dated January 22. Assistant-Surgeon Richard Hewat, from half-pay 94th foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Andrew M'Munn, who exchanges; dated January 10.

51st—Ensign Ferdinand Phelps, from the 28th foot, to be Ensign, vice Sir William Scott, appointed to the 2d life guards; dated January 8, 1824.

59th—Lieutenant Alexander Macdougall, from the 16th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Vincent, who exchanges; dated May 12, 1823.

69th—Lieutenant John Smith to be Captain, without purchase, vice Lane, deceased; dated May 11. Lieutenant William Norman, from the 41st foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dickson, who exchanges; dated April 3.

71st—Lieutenant-General Sir Gordon Drummond, G. C. B. from the 88th foot, to be Colonel, vice General Dundas, deceased; dated January 28, 1824. Lieutenant George Home Lightbody to be Adjutant, vice Torriano, who resigns the Adjutancy only.

76th—Lieutenant Thomas Hunt Grubbe, from half-pay of the 43d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Eliot, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Both dated January 15.

82d—Lord Charles Wellesley to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Harford, promoted. Dated January 16.

83d—Captain Botell Trydell, from half-pay 16th foot, to be Captain, vice Richard Fitzgerald Holmes, who exchanges. Dated January 15. Ensign Aretas Sutherland Young to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hingston, promoted in the Royal African Colonial Corps. Henry Francis Anslie, gent. to be Ensign, vice Young. Both dated January 29.

85th—Lieutenant John Watts to be Captain, without purchase, vice Ball, deceased. Dated November 6, 1823. Herbert Edward Taylor gent. to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated January 22, 1824.

86th—Lieutenant Charles Macdonald, from half-pay York Light Infantry Volunteers, to be Lieutenant, vice William Home, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated January 15.

87th—Major Henry Browne to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Miller, deceased. Brevet Major Henry C. Streatfield to be Major, vice Browne. Lieutenant John Day to be Captain, vice Streatfield. Ensign Lawrence W. Halstead to be Lieutenant, vice Day. All dated May 18, 1823.

To be Ensigns, without purchase—Eugenius L'Etang, gent. vice Doyle, promoted in the 4th light dragoons. Da-

ted May 18, 1823. Nicholas Milley Doyle, gent. vice Hatstead. Dated January 15, 1824.

88th—Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Frederick Campbell, K. C. B. to be Colonel, vice Sir Gordon Drummond, appointed to the command of the 71st foot. Dated January 28.

92d—Ensign Adderly Shawe, from the 13th foot, to be Ensign, vice Pearson, who exchanges. Dated January 29, 1824.

94th—Lieutenant Thomas Hart Davie, from the 35th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Orr, whose appointment has not taken place; dated December 1, 1823. Surgeon Samuel Tilt, from half-pay 27th foot to be Surgeon. Dated January 25, 1824. Assistant-Surgeon William Lorimer, from half-pay 91st foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon; dated December 25, 1823.

95th—Lieutenant Augustus Tweed, from half-pay 3d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Sperling, whose appointment has not taken place. Dated January 15, 1824.

96th—Major-General Joseph Fuller to be Colonel. Dated January 28. Lieutenant-Colonel John Herries, from half-pay 100th foot to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated January 29.

To be Majors—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George William Paty, from half-pay. Major Thomas Samuel Nicolls, from the 31st foot. Both dated January 29.

To be Captains—Brevet Major William Hulme, from the 7th foot. Brevet Major Robert Christopher Mansel, from half-pay 93d foot. Captain Alexander Cairncross, from the 2d Royal Veteran Battalion. Captain Richard Gethin, from the 20th foot. Captain John Garland, from half-pay 73d foot. Captain Henry Barry Hyde, from the 1st Royal Veteran Battalion. Captain James Waller Samo Waller, from the 31st foot. Captain Redmond Brough, from half-pay 56th foot. All dated January 29.

To be Lieutenants—Lieutenant Richard Spratt, from the 8th foot. Lieutenant Thomas Kennedy, from half-pay Royal West India Rangers. Lieutenant Joseph Dowling, from the 1st Royal Veteran Battalion. Lieutenant Loftus Francis Jones, from the 2d foot. Lieutenant William Kidman, from the 20th foot. Lieutenant Archibald Robertson, from the Ceylon Regiment. Lieutenant Pierce Stephen Nugent, from the half-pay 17th foot. Lieutenant William Lucius Cary, from half-pay 17th foot. Lieutenant Alexander Mackenzie, from half-pay 24th foot. Lieutenant William Ouseley, from the 30th foot.

To be Ensigns—Ensign Richard Cross, from half-pay 11th foot. Ensign Joseph Telford, from half-pay 9th foot. Ensign Jonas Oxley, from the 1st royal veteran battalion. Ensign Dudley Costello, from half-pay 34th foot. Ensign George Walter Story, from half-pay 17th foot. Ensign Donough O'Brien, from half-pay 65th foot.

2d West India Regiment—Lieutenant William Locke, from the 1st life guards, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stepney, who retires. All dated January 29.

Ceylon Regiment—Second Lieutenant Theodore Mylius to be First Lieutenant, without purchase; dated January 15, 1824.

To be Second Lieutenants, without purchase—Second Lieutenant James Stewart, from half-pay 2d Ceylon Regiment. Second Lieutenant Alexander Mackay, from half-pay 2d Ceylon Regiment. Both dated June 25, 1822. Robert Bradford M'Crea, gent.; dated January 16, 1824.

Cape Corps—Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Clarke to be Surgeon; dated January 15.

Royal African Colonial Corps—Lieutenant James Hingston, from the 83d foot, to be Captain, without purchase; dated January 4.

To be Ensigns, without purchase—James White, gent.; dated January 2. Michael O'Halloran, gent.; dated January 3. George Foss, gent.; dated January 4. James Uniacke, gent.; dated January 5. Charles Lizar, gent.; dated January 6. John Godwin, gent.; dated January 7. Richard FitzGerald Ring, gent.; dated January 8.

1st Royal Veteran Battalion—To be Captains—Captain John Spring Hamilton, from half-pay 99th foot, vice Craig, appointed to the 94th foot. Captain William Willshire, from half-pay, vice Hyde, appointed to the 96th foot.

To be Lieutenants—Lieutenant John Thorne Weyland, from half-pay 8th foot, vice Nicholls, appointed to the 94th foot. Lieutenant Charles Morgell Christian, from half-pay 34th foot, vice Dowling, appointed to the 96th foot.

To be Ensigns—Ensign John Ward, from half-pay 66th foot, vice Alexander, appointed to the 94th foot. All dated January 15. Ensign Thomas Tait, from half-pay 78th foot, (repaying the difference he received on exchanging), vice Oxley, appointed to the 96th foot; dated January 22.

2d Royal Veteran Battalion—To be Captains—Captain John Casimir Harold, from half-pay 1st garrison battalion, vice Cairncross, appointed to the 96th foot. Captain Duncan Stewart, from half-pay 42d foot, vice Kirkman, appointed to the 95th foot.

To be Lieutenants—Lieutenant Francis Walsh Small, from half-pay New Brunswick Fusiliers, vice Stewart, appointed to the 94th foot. Lieutenant William Harloe Phipps, from half-pay 27th foot, vice Dickens, appointed to the 95th foot. Lieutenant John Trydell, from half-pay 37th foot, vice Hartley, appointed to the 94th foot. All dated January 15. Lieutenant George Ford, from the 29th foot, vice Isaac Herbert, who returns to his former situation on the retired list.