

guns, 5 of which were thrown overboard during the chace. She is an entire new vessel, copper-bottomed, completely fitted for three months, and bound to the West Indies; failed from Dunkirk on Tuesday last, and had not taken any thing. It is a matter of much concern for me to add, that, in consequence of my being under the necessity of carrying a very heavy press of sail, my deck (the chace being on the lee bow) was exposed to a very heavy fire of musquetry and grape shot from his stern chace guns, by which Mr George Kennedy, the master, was killed, in whom the service has lost a most experienced seaman and a gallant officer; four seamen were also wounded; two severely.

I have the honour, &c.

ROB. LLOYD:

Admiral Peyton, &c. &c.  
Downs.

WHITEHALL, JAN. 12. 1798.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Pettat, Master of Arts, to the Vicarage of Stonehouse in the County and Diocese of Gloucester, void by the resignation of the Reverend John Pettat, late incumbent thereof.

The King has also been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Fitz-Roy (commonly called Lord Henry Fitz-Roy), Master of Arts, to the Rectory of Toppesfield, in the County of Essex and Diocese of London, void by the death of the Reverend George Pawson, late incumbent thereof.

WAR-OFFICE, JAN. 13. 1798.

1st Regiment of Life Guards—Henry Powell Collins, Gent. to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harvey, promoted.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Captain Henry Teesdale to be Major, by purchase, vice Syer, who retires.

4th Regiment of Dragoons—Cornet Charles Walton, from the 20th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cook, promoted.

11th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Henry Carew, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Money, promoted.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards—Hon. Captain A. Percy Upton, to be Adjutant, vice Howard, promoted.

32d foot—James Sweeney, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burgefs, promoted in the 90th foot.

34th—Lieutenant Francis Polhill, from the 60th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Leeson, promoted in the 6th foot.

37th—S. Hart, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Barwicke, promoted.

39th—Ensign James Robson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hay, promoted.

42d—Hugh M'Lean, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Campbell, promoted.

49th—Lieut. Henry Davies, from the 5th West India regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Coultman, who exchanges.

51st—Lieut. James Michael Clays, from the York Fusileers, to be Lieutenant, vice Young, who retires on the half pay of the York Fusileers.

67th—Marcus Annelly, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sapte, promoted.

88th—Ensign James Chisholm to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Duff, who retires.

Scotch Brigade.

Ensign Achilles Bellace, from the late 128th foot, to be Ensign, vice Bell, who retires on the half pay of the late 128th foot.

5th ditto—Lieut. W. Coultman, from the 49th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Davies, who exchanges.

6th ditto—Captain George Paterfon, from the 4th West India regiment, to be Captain, vice Reynolds, who retires on half pay.

BREVET.

Colonel John Whitlocke to be Brigadier General in the Island of Guernsey only.

GARRISONS.

Lieutenant Colonel Hon. Alexander Hope to be Lieutenant Governor of Edinburgh Castle, vice Lord Eglintoune, who resigns.

Lieutenant Hugh Watson, from the half pay of the 3d foot, to be Town Major of Carlisle, vice Smyth, deceased.

Lancashire Fencible Cavalry.  
Richard Roberts, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Hindle, who resigns.

Perthshire Fencible Cavalry.

Cornet George Milne to be Lieutenant, vice Baillie, who resigns.

James Oliphant, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Milne.  
Rutlandshire Fencible Cavalry.

P. George Lewis, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Elton, dismissed the service by the sentence of a General Court Martial.

Windfor Forrefters.  
George Affiotti, Gent. to be Cornet, vice White, promoted.  
Royal Lancashire Volunteers.

John Wood, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Wright, who resigns.

Ensign Thomas Worthington, on the half-pay of the 45th foot, to be Ensign, vice Houlditch, promoted.

Francis Scott, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Clarke, promoted.

Southern Fencible Infantry.

Christopher Durward, Gent. to be Ensign, vice White, promoted.

Roxburghshire Gentlemen and Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain John Rutherford to be Major Commandant, vice Sir James Pringle, who resigns. Lieutenant Sir Henry Hay Makedougall, Bart. to be Captain, vice Rutherford. Second Lieutenant Robert Walker to be first Lieutenant, vice Makedougall.

James Haldane, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Walker.

Argyllshire Volunteers.

John Campbell, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice George Campbell, who retires.

Dunnell and Olrick Volunteers.

John Sinclair, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant.

Enzie Volunteers.

Lieutenant Thomas Booker, on the half pay of the 60th, to be Captain Commandant. vice Sir George Abercromby, who resigns.

Forfar Volunteers.

James Sands, Gent. to be Lieutenant.

Moydart Volunteers.

Alexander Macdonald, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Angus M'Donald, appointed to the Moror Volunteers.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers are superseded, viz.  
1st Bat. of the 1st foot—Lieutenant John M'Donald, having never joined the regiment.

2d Bat. of ditto—Ensign ——— Clarke, having never joined the regiment.

4th West India regt.—Lieutenant William Earlum, being absent without leave.

Oxfordshire Fencible Cavalry—Cornet ——— Saunders, being absent without leave.

BANKRUPTS.

John Morgan, Namptwich, Chester, draper.—William Hawker, Birmingham, victualler.—Stanley Leathes, Salisbury Street, Strand, money-scrivener.—E. & W. Cragg, Workington, Cumberland, mercers and drapers.—John Stringer, Stockport, Chester, cotton-manufacturer.—William Whitmore, Hatton-Garden, money-scrivener.—George Foster, John Street, St Mary-le-Bonne, smith and fan-light manufacturer.

NOTICE

TO the CREDITORS of ROBERT BROWN,  
Merchant and Dealer in Flax and Yarn at Hillhead of Brechin.

James Pennycook, merchant in Brechin, trustee under the sequestration issued against the said Robert Brown, hereby intimates, That he has prepared a state of division amongst the creditors, in terms of law, and also a state of the funds belonging to the bankrupt still unrecovered; which states & scheme will lie in his hands for the inspection of the creditors, till Monday the 19th day of February next (being the first lawful day after the expiration of one complete year from the date of the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration) when he will pay the creditors their respective dividends at his own house in Brechin,—of which all concerned are hereby required to take notice.