

shall be *Two Eighth Parts*. But it is Our Intention, nevertheless, that the above Distribution shall only extend to such Captures as shall be made by any Cutter, Schooner or armed Vessel, without any of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels of War being present or within Sight of, and adding to the Encouragement of the Captors, and Terror of the Enemy: But in case any of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels of War shall be present or in Sight, that then the Officers, Pilots, Petty Officers and Men on Board such Cutters and Schooners, or armed Vessels, shall share in the same Proportion as is allowed to Persons of the like Rank and Denomination on Board His Majesty's Ships and Vessels of War.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Twenty-fifth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, and in the Thirty-seventh Year of Our Reign.

G O D save the K I N G.

*War-Office, February 14, 1797.*

- 2d Regiment of Dragoons*, Cornet James Kerr to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Thornton, promoted in the 40th Foot.  
Lawrence Johnston, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Hankin, promoted.
- 13th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Thomas Griffiths, Gent. to be Cornet, without Purchase, vice Soame, who retires.
- 15th Ditto*, John Shedden, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Corrail, promoted.
- 20th Ditto*, Captain James Lord Lindsay, from Major-General Keppel's Regiment, to be Captain of a Troop, vice Corrovan, who retires on Half-Pay.
- 23th Ditto*, Lieutenant William Gleddow, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Alexander, who retires.
- 3d Regiment of Foot Guards*, Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Dalrymple to be Captain of a Company, vice Draper, deceased.
- Captain William Thomas Dilkes to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Dalrymple.  
Ensign Charles Augustus West to be Lieutenant, vice Dilkes.  
Ensign George Hill to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Cogan, who retires.  
Edward Heneage, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Hill.
- 2d Battalion of the 1st Regiment of Foot*, John Hepworth, Clerk, to be Chaplain, vice Beevor, who retires.
- 7th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant D. — M'Kinnon, from the Half-Pay of 84th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Scott, who exchanges.
- 8th Ditto*, William Robinson, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Bulkeley, who retires.
- 12th Ditto*, Lieutenant Crosby Joseph Riddell, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Willock, who retires on the Half-Pay of the 95th Foot.
- 16th Ditto*, Major Hugh Wallace to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by Purchase, vice Rawdon, who retires.
- 29th Ditto*, Adjutant Thomas O'Neale to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Shaw, promoted in the 25th Dragoons.
- 36th Ditto*, Major Edward Edwin Coleman, from the 45th Foot, to be Major, vice Wight, who exchanges.
- 39th Ditto*, Lieutenant Alexander Campbell, from the 98th Foot, to be Captain, by Purchase, vice Gray, promoted in the 85th Foot.
- 45th Ditto*, Major Andrew Wight, from the 36th Foot, to be Major, vice Coleman, who exchanges.
- 46th Ditto*, Richard Ireland, Gent. to be Assistant Surgeon.
- 58th Ditto*, Ensign John Kennon, from the 87th Foot, to be Lieutenant.  
Ensign Rice Cotton to be Lieutenant.
- 60th Ditto*, Ensign Francis Polhill to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Burne, who retires.
- 62d Ditto*, Captain-Lieutenant Richard Daly to be Captain, without Purchase, vice Messervey, deceased.  
Lieutenant George Gauntlett to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Daly.  
Adjutant George Marlay, from the Half-Pay of the late 91st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Lodge, who exchanges.  
Volunteer ——— Dawson to be Ensign, vice Watkins, promoted.
- 63th Ditto*, Ensign John Cornwall to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Ball, who retires.  
Ensign Charles Hewitson, from the 121st Foot, to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Turner, who is superseded, never having joined the Regiment.
- 69th Ditto*, Ensign A. Legertwood to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Derenzy, who retires.
- 80th Ditto*, Lieutenant John St. Leger Hanford, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice George De Laney, who retires on the Half-Pay of the 95th Foot.
- 82d Ditto*, Major Roger Coghlan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by Purchase, vice Charlton, removed to the 3d Dragoon Guards.
- 83d Ditto*, Captain William M'Lean, from Lieutenant-Colonel Blair's Regiment, to be Captain, vice Brown, who retires on the Half-Pay of Lieutenant-Colonel Blair's Regiment.
- 85th Ditto*, Captain Robert Gordon, from the 61st Foot, to be Major, by Purchase, vice Bowes, promoted in the 6th Foot.  
James Chalmers, Gent. to be Assistant Surgeon.
- 86th Ditto*, Lieutenant David Price, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant.  
Lieutenant Edward Malteston, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant.  
Lieutenant Ephraim Proctor, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant.  
Daniel Marston, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Massey, promoted.
- 90th Ditto*, Ensign Adam Peebles to be Lieutenant, without Purchase, vice Hodges, deceased.  
David Hopkins, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Peebles.  
Volunteer Andrew Wood to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Holland, promoted.
- 98th Ditto*, Quarter-Master Robert Cooke, from the 103d Foot, to be Quarter-Master, vice Mason, removed to the 50th Foot.

*Scotch Brigade.*

Richard Humphreys, Gent. to be Adjutant, without Purchase, vice Bell, who resigns.

*Major-General Graham's Regiment.*

Captain John Brock, from the 92d Foot, to be Captain, vice Mullens, who retires on the Half-Pay of the 92d Foot.