

Commission in the Sadborow Troop of Dorsetshire Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Joseph Wills, Gent. to be Cornet, vice James, resigned. Dated February 10, 1812.

Whitehall, February 22, 1812.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, about half-past one o'clock of the morning of the 13th instant, a large-decked lugger, laden with contraband goods, having been discovered in the Downs, and chased by the boats of the Lively cutter, in the service of the Revenue of Excise, and having been boarded by one of the said boats, the crew of the lugger attacked the officer and cutter's men, and, after beating them severely, took a pistol from one of them, and fired it at him, wounded him in the head, and threw him overboard.

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons who have been guilty of this outrageous conduct, is hereby pleased, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually fired at the cutter's man, as stated) who shall discover his or their accomplices, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

R. RYDER.

And, as a further encouragement, the Commissioners of Excise do hereby offer a reward of **FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS** to any person making such discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by their Secretary upon the conviction.

By order of the Board,
THOS. BURTON, Secretary.

Whitehall, February 22, 1812.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that on the evening of Sunday the 9th of this month, a stack of hay, the property of Thomas Cumberland, of the parish of Sheepshead, in the county of Leicester, Farmer and Grazier, was nearly consumed by fire; and whereas there is strong ground for believing that the same was wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-minded persons who are unknown, the said Thomas Cumberland having recently received an anonymous letter threatening to destroy his cattle;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the above-mentioned felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set the said haystack on fire) who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

R. RYDER.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **ONE HUNDRED POUNDS** is hereby offered to any person making such discovery as aforesaid (except as before excepted), to be paid on the con-

vicition of any one or more of the offenders, by applying to the County Fire-Office, Southampton-Street, Strand.

Navy-Office, February 24, 1812.

THE Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed money for the payment of Half-Pay to Sea Officers from the 1st July to the 31st December 1811, according to His Majesty's Establishment on that behalf, these are to give notice, that the several payments will begin to be made at the Pay-Office by the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, at ten o'clock in the morning, on the following days, viz.

On Monday the 9th March, to Admirals, Captains, and their Attornies.

On Tuesday the 10th and Wednesday the 11th March, to Lieutenants and their Attornies.

On Thursday the 12th March, to Masters and Surgeons and their Attornies.

After which the list will be recalled the first and third Wednesdays in every month, that all persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the affidavit required, touching their not having enjoyed the benefit of any public employment either at sea or on shore, during the time they are to be paid their Half-Pay, but also to produce certificates, that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths of Allegiance, required by Act of Parliament to His present Majesty; and in case any of the said Officers should not be able to attend themselves, but employ Attornies for that purpose, that the said Attornies do produce the like certificates and affidavits from the persons they are employed by.

Where the Officers are abroad on leave, their agents are to produce attested copies of such leave, before the Half-Pay can be paid.

And as by Act of Parliament, passed in the thirty-fifth year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act for establishing a more easy and expeditious Method for the Payment of Officers belonging to His Majesty's Navy," it is enacted by the twentieth clause of the said Act, "that if any Commissioned or Warrant Naval Officer who shall be entitled to receive Half-Pay, and shall be desirous to receive and be paid the same at or near to the place of his residence, he may apply to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, in London, to have such Half-Pay paid at or near the place of his residence, in the manner pointed out by the said Act;" notice is here-by further given, that the Half-Pay, ending the 31st day of December 1811, will commence paying on the 9th March; and all persons desirous of having their Half-Pay remitted to them, may apply as above directed.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

IN pursuance of an Order of the honourable the House of Commons, dated Tuesday the 18th day of February 1812, notice is hereby given, that application is making to Parliament for a bill for lighting and watching that part of the Kent-Street-Road, which leads from Kent-Street end unto the Bridge next immediately below the Green-Man turnpike, situated within the Parish of St. George