

Highness's councils, will ultimately prevail in the glorious struggle, which has been so long and so perseveringly maintained for their independence.

In the western hemisphere, we trust, that the United States of America will at last perceive and acknowledge the perfidious policy of our enemy; and that those principles of maritime law and commerce, which the usage of civilized nations had sanctioned, and those rights which our own naval superiority confers, and which our independence as a nation so imperatively require us to maintain, will be recognised and re-established in all parts of the world; and we rely on the firmness and wisdom of your Royal Highness's government, that no mistaken and destructive policy on our part, shall ever suffer those principles and rights to be compromised or abandoned.

That your Royal Highness may long continue to enjoy the attachment, respect, and gratitude of a loyal people; and that under your government the happiness, prosperity, and glory of the British empire may be maintained and extended, is our most earnest prayer.

Signed by our Preses, in our name, and by our appointment, *John M. Murray*, Preses.
Perth, April 30, 1812.

[Presented by the Duke of Athol and Mr. Drummond, Member for the County.]

Office of Ordnance, May 14, 1812.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Charles A. Oldham to be First Lieutenant, vice Connell, deceased. Dated April 17, 1812.

First Lieutenant William Webber to be Second Captain, vice Latham, deceased. Dated as above.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Lovett to be First Lieutenant, vice Webber. Dated as above.

Office of Ordnance, May 15, 1812.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

First Lieutenant John Harper to be Second Captain, vice Mulcaster, deceased. Dated March 26, 1812.

Second Lieutenant George West, from the Royal Regiment of Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, vice Du Vernet, promoted. Dated May 1, 1812.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

Henry Metcalf Wardle, Esq; to be Captain, vice Appesley, resigned. Dated May 8, 1812.

3d or Retford Regiment of Nottinghamshire Local Militia.

Richard Roe, Esq; to be Captain, vice Potter, resigned. Dated April 30, 1812.

4th or Newark Regiment.

Thomas Thoroton, jun. Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Thoroton, resigned. Dated April 22, 1812.

Commission in the Edinburgh Regiment of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

James Brown Patison, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Robertson, promoted in the Line. Dated February 7, 1812.

Commissions in the Rutland Local Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

James Tiptaft, Esq; to be Captain. Dated May 2, 1811.

Robert Tomblin, Gent. to be First Lieutenant. Dated as above.

John Charles Louth, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated April 22, 1811.

George Wilsson, Gent. to be ditto. Dated May 2, 1811.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk.

2d or East Norfolk Regiment of Militia.

Francis Henry Noble, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Hughes, resigned. Dated April 24, 1812.

1st Eastern Regiment of Norfolk Local Militia.

Frederick Woodrow, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Utton, promoted. Dated April 30, 1812.

Crown-Office, May 16, 1812.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Country of Antrim.

The Honourable John Bruce Richard O'Neill.

Admiralty-Office, May 11, 1812.

WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

Notice is hereby given, that all Widows who receive Pensions from the Charity established for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, must send or bring to this Office, between the 17th and 31st of this month, the affidavits required by the rules of the Charity, in order to their being inserted on the Pension List, which will be immediately prepared, and paid in July next.

All Letters from Widows respecting their Pensions must state the rank their husbands held in the Royal Navy.

J. W. CROKER.

Navy Pay-Office, May, 1812.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Act of Parliament, forty-ninth George the Third, chap. 123, I do hereby revoke the licence granted to John Abrahams, of No. 59, St. Mary-Axe, Leadenhall-Street, on the 15th January 1810, to act as an agent in the receipt of pay, wages, prize and bounty-money for and in respect of the service of petty officers, seamen, and others serving in any of His Majesty's ships; which licence is withdrawn by me on the ground of his being a minor.

GEORGE ROSE.

Transport-Office, April 28, 1812.

THE Commissioners for conducting His Majesty's Transport Service, for taking Care of Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for the Care and