

Office of Ordnance, May 13, 1819.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant H. L. Sweeting, to be Second Captain. Dated 1st May 1819.
 Second Lieutenant H. Chamberlain to be First Lieutenant. Dated as above.
 Captain F. A. S. Knox, from half-pay, to be Captain. Dated as above.
 First Lieutenant R. L. Garstin, from half-pay, to be First Lieutenant. Dated as above.
 Second Lieutenant R. C. Smyth, from half-pay, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated as above.

Crown-Office, May 15, 1819.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Oakhampton.

The Right Honourable Henry Prittie, Lord Baron Dunalley, of Kilboy, in the county of Tipperary, in the kingdom of Ireland, in the room of Christopher Savile, Esq. deceased.

Whitehall, May 5, 1819.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Brownlow Mathew, of Shrubs-Hill, in the county of Southampton, Esq. only son and heir of Edward Mathew, Esq. late a General in His Majesty's Service, deceased, by the Right Honourable Lady Jane Bertie, his wife, who was the third daughter of the Most Noble Peregrine late Duke of Ancaster, and sister of Peregrine and Brownlow, also late Dukes of Ancaster, deceased, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may from grateful and affectionate regard to the memory of his said late honoured mother and uncles, take and henceforth use the surname of Bertie, in addition to and before his present surname of Mathew; that he may bear the arms of the noble family of Bertie quarterly with those of Mathew, and that the said surname and arms may in like manner be borne and used by his issue; provided such arms be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, May 6, 1819.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Lieutenant-General George Porter, of Adur-Lodge, in the county of Sussex, and of Stockbridge, in the county of Southampton, late Colonel of the 103d Regiment of Foot,

and one of the Representatives in Parliament for Stockbridge aforesaid, only son and heir of Sir James Porter, Knt. late His Majesty's Ambassador to the Ottoman Porte, and some time Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of Brussels, deceased, by Dame Clarissa Catherine his wife, who was eldest daughter of Elbert Baron de Hochepped, late of Haarlem, in Holland, a Baron and Magnat of the Kingdom of Hungary, deceased, and sister of Gerard-Johannes, also Baron de Hochepped, deceased, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he the said Lieutenant-General George Porter may, from motives of affectionate regard to the memory of his aforesaid late honoured mother, take and use the surname and arms of De Hochepped, in lieu of his present surname and arms of Porter; provided the said arms be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, May 14, 1819.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Edwards, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 12, 1819.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that divers outrages and depredations have been committed at Westbury, in the county of Salop, particularly on the property of Richard Topp, Esq.; and that on the night of Thursday the 11th of March last, or early on the following morning, some evil-disposed person or persons did enter a cow-shed belonging to Mr. George Geary, agent to the said Richard Topp, and maliciously kill one cow, and dangerously maim another;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felonies above particularized, 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 committed the same), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered by the said George Geary, to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover the person or persons concerned in the felonies above particularized, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.