

AT the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 20th of July 1820,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty's Royal Predecessors were pleased, from time to time, by their respective Orders made in Council, to declare and signify their pleasure, that their servants should have and enjoy all antient liberties, rights, and privileges; and that none of their servants in ordinary with fee should be enforced or obliged to bear any public office, serve on juries or inquests, or be subjected unto any mulct or fine for not submitting thereunto: His Majesty, this day taking the same into consideration, and thinking it reasonable that all His servants in ordinary with fee, should, in regard of their constant attendance upon His Majesty's Person, enjoy the like privileges with those of His Predecessors, doth therefore hereby order, with the advice of His Privy Council, that the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, in relation to such of His Majesty's servants who are under his Lordship's command above stairs; and the Lord Steward of His Majesty's Household, and in his absence, His Majesty's Officers of the Green Cloth, as to such as are accounted Officers below stairs; and the Master of the Horse, for the servants belonging to the stables, do respectively signify unto the Lord Mayor of London, and to His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, within the city of Westminster, counties of Middlesex and Surrey, and to the Mayors, Sheriffs, and Bailiffs, of any corporation, or county, and to all such as may be therein concerned, whensoever there shall be cause for asserting the said privileges; that His Majesty hath thought proper, conformably to the example of His Predecessors in this behalf, to order and require, that His servants should have, hold, and enjoy all the said liberties, rights, and privileges; and that henceforward, none of His servants in ordinary with fee, be enforced or any ways obliged to bear any public offices, serve on juries, or inquests, watch or ward, in any place where they dwell, or elsewhere, nor be subjected to any mulct or fine for not submitting thereunto: And the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household for those servants above stairs, the Lord Steward of His Majesty's Household, and in his absence, His Majesty's Officers of the Green Cloth, for the servants below stairs, and the Master of the Horse for the servants belonging to the stables, are hereby authorised and required to take especial care that this His Majesty's pleasure be duly observed and put in execution; and that His Majesty's Attorney General, for the time being, be, and he is hereby authorised and required, upon any application made to him by any of His Majesty's servants in ordinary with fee, to cause a stop to be put to all proceedings already had or to be commenced against them or any of them, for refusing to watch or serve on juries, or bear or undergo any public office or employment above-mentioned; and His Majesty doth hereby further order, that copies of this Order be left with the respective Clerks of the Peace of the cities of London and Westminster,

and the counties of Middlesex and Surrey, to be kept amongst the records of His Majesty's Sessions, to the intent that due obedience may be given thereunto, and His servants may not be vexed with unreasonable proceedings. *Chetwynd.*

Foreign-Office, August 7, 1820.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Percy Clinton Sydney, Viscount Strangford, G. C. B. (late His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of Stockholm), to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Sublime Ottoman Porte.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Terriek Hamilton, Esq. to be Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at the Sublime Ottoman Porte.

Foreign-Office, August 7, 1820.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Vesey FitzGerald to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of Stockholm.

Commission in the South Hants Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

George Pitt Rose, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 31st July 1820.

Commission in the North Western Regiment of Oxfordshire Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Cornet the Honourable Francis George Spencer to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th June 1820.

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

28th or Stirlingshire, &c. Regiment of British Militia.

Captain Duncan Stewart, late of 42d Regiment, to be Captain, vice Dobie, resigned. Dated 31st May 1820.

Lieutenant John Graham, late of 70th Regiment, to be Ensign, vice Hill, resigned. Dated 27th June 1820.

Stirlingshire Gentlemen Yeomanry and Volunteer Cavalry.

Major William Murray to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th July 1820.

Captain Peter Speirs to be Major, vice Murray, promoted. Dated 14th July 1820.

Lieutenant Michael Stewart Nicolson, vice Baird, resigned. Dated 16th August 1819.

Archibald Edmonstone, Esq. to be ditto. Dated 11th September 1819.

Sir Samuel Stirling, Bart. to be ditto. Dated 24th March 1820.

Cornet Henry Fletcher Campbell to be ditto, vice Speirs, promoted. Dated 15th July 1820.