nition, on board any ship or vessel, for the transporting of the same into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties imposed in that behalf by an Act, passed in the sixth year of His present Majesty's reign, initialed " An Act for the general " regulation of the Customs:"

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

C. C. Greville.

## War-Office, 2d February 1829.

The under-mentioned Half-pay Officers have been allowed to retire from the Service, and their halfpay has been cancelled from the 25th January 1829, inclusive, on receiving a commuted allowance for their commissions:

Lieutenant John Doyle Carroll, half-pay 1st Foot.

Lieutenant Walter Teeling, half-pay 97th Foot.

- Lientenant David Dawes, half-pay 5th West India Regiment.
- Ensign Edward George Lytton Bulwer, half-pay unattached.
- Ensign Robert Gibson, half-pay 28th Foot.
- Ensign Richard Burton Phillipson, half-pay 75th Foot.
- Ensign James Crawford, half-pay 101st Foot.
- Ensign Arthur Algernon Capel, half-pay 26th Foot.
- Ensign Robert Sedley Bagenall, half-pay 87th Foot. Lieutenant Edward Battley Hope Dobbin, half-pay 69th Foot.
- . Lieutenant George Despard, half-pay 53d Foot.
- Lieutenant William Pritchard Lloyd, half-pay 23d Foot.

Ensign John Piercy, half-pay 8th Foot.

Ensign Joseph Winniett, half-pay 97th Foot.

- Ensign John Pierrepoint Taylor, half-pay unattached. Ensign John Schneider, half-pay 97th Foot.
- Ensign William James Fraser, half-pay 56th Foot.
- Ensign John Payne Elwes, half-pay Royal York Rangers.
- Ensign Alexander Foxcroft Ridgway, half-pay unattached.

Ensign John Purssord, half-pay 103d Foot.

Ensign John Collin, half-pay unattached.

Ensign Edward Williamson, half-pay 51st Foot.

- Ensign Richard Michaux Muggeridge, half-pay 84th Foot.
- Lieutenant Patrick Lynch, half-pay 90th Foot. Lieutenant Alexander Steele, half-pay 28th Foot. Ensign Montagu Harvey Grant, half-pay 32d Foot. Cornet Philip Wilson, half-pay 20th Light Dragoons. Ensign Robert Norie, half-pay 72d Foot.

Ensign George John Rush, half-pay unattached. Ensign Henry George Carey, half-pay unattached. Ensign Mark Sprot, half-pay 90th Foot. Ensign William J. Percival, half-pay 60th Foot. Ensign William O'Dell, half-pay 100th Foot. Ensign James Hatch, half-pay 33d Foot. Ensign George Peacock, half-pay 58th Foot. Ensign Robert Lindsay, half-pay 78th Foot. Ensign George W. Tireman, half-pay unattached. Ensign Alexander Boetefeur, half-pay York Chasscurg. Ensign Robert W. Carden, half-pay 82d Foot. Ensign Robert Byers, half-pay 26th Foot.

# Crown-Office, February 3, 1829.

# MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

#### Borough of Clifton Dartmouth Hardness.

Arthur Howe Holdsworth, Esq. in the room of Sir John Hutton Cooper, Bart. deceased.

#### Whitehall, January 22, 1829.

HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on the evening of Friday the 2d instant, some evil-disposed person or persons wilfully and maliciously set fire to the premises belonging to a farm called Purples, in the, parish of Bardfield Saling, in the county of Essex, and that three barns, a stable, straw-house, cowhouse, and other buildings, with two large stacks of corn, the property of Mr. Samuel Beddall, were totally destroyed. And whereas it hath been also humbly represented unto the King, that on the night of Monday the 5th, or morning of Tuesday the 6th instant, some evil-disposed person or persons. wilfully and maliciously set fire to the premises belonging to a farm called The Hole, in the parish of Finchingfield, in the said county, and that two barns, a stable, and other buildings, with eight stacks of corn, hay, and seed, the property of Mrs. Choate, were consumed;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felonies before mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually set fire to the said premises) who shall discover his ascomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

### ROBERT PEEL.

And, as a further encouragement, the following rewards are hereby offered to any person (except as aforesaid) who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offences, viz.: TWO HUNDRED and TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS by Mr. Walford, of Little Bardfield-Hall, in the county of Essex, for the discovery of the person or persons who set fire to the property of Mr. Samuel Beddall; and TWO HUNDRED and TEN POUNDS by Mr. William Pollet and Mr. Samuel Whitehead, Church Wardens of the parish

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