

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

South Hants Militia.

John Hutchinson Lee, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice John Watkins, deceased. Dated 8th July 1831.

Walter Waring Lee, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Robert Gillaume Lowder, deceased. Dated 8th July 1831.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Ramsbury and Aldborough Troop of Wilts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Francis Leybourn Popham, Gent. to be Cornet. Dated 12th July 1831.

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

Flintshire Corps of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Pryce Lloyd, Gent. to be Cornet. Dated 14th July 1831.

John Henry Mostyn, Gent. to be Surgeon. Dated 14th July 1831.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

THE Right Honourable the Commissioners appointed by His Majesty to hear and determine all claims of services to be performed at the time of the ensuing Coronation (except those dispensed with by His Majesty's Royal Proclamation of the 15th day of July instant), and of fees to be received for the same, met at the Council-Office, Whitehall, on Monday the 25th day of July instant, and after several petitions of claims had been presented, the said Commissioners adjourned to Tuesday the 2d day of August next, at twelve o'clock at noon; and all persons having claims not dispensed with as aforesaid, are required to give their attendance accordingly.

*Church Commissioners'-Office,
July 19, 1831.*

THE following is a copy of an Order of His Majesty in Council, making the chapel at the Wick, in the parish of Hampton, and county of Middlesex, the church of a district, under the 21st section of 58th Geo. III, c. 45:

At the Court at St. James's, the 13th of July 1831, present, the King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the 58th year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes," it is amongst other things enacted, "that in every case in which the Commissioners appointed for carrying into execution the purposes of the said Act, shall be of opinion that it will be expedient to divide any parish into

two or more distinct and separate parishes, for all ecclesiastical purposes whatever, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners, with the consent of the Bishop of the diocese in which such parish is locally situated, signified under his hand and seal, to apply to the patron or patrons of the church of such parish for his or their consent to make such division, and for such patron or patrons to signify his or their consent thereto, under his or their hand and seal, and the said Commissioners shall, upon the consent of the said patron or patrons so signified, represent the whole matter to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which it is proposed, with such consent as aforesaid, to divide such parish, together with the relative and respective proportions of glebe lands, tithes, moduses, or other endowments, which will by such division arise and accrue and remain and be within each of such respective divisions, and also the relative proportions of the estimated amount of the value or produce of fees, oblations, offerings, or other ecclesiastical dues or profits, which may arise and accrue within each of such respective divisions; and if thereupon His Majesty in Council shall think fit to direct such division to be made, such Order of His Majesty in Council shall be valid and good in law for the purpose of effecting such division; provided always, that no such division of any parish into distinct parishes shall completely take effect until after the death, resignation, or other avoidance of the existing incumbent of the parish to be divided;" and whereas by the said Act it is further enacted, "that in any case in which the said Commissioners shall be of opinion that it is not expedient to divide any populous parish, or extra parochial place, into such separate and distinct parishes as aforesaid, but that it is expedient to divide the same into such ecclesiastical districts as they, with the consent of the Bishop, signified under his hand and seal, may deem necessary, for the purpose of affording accommodation for the attending divine service, according to the rites of the United Church of England and Ireland, to persons residing therein, in the churches and parochial chapels already built, or in additional churches or chapels to be built therein, and as may appear to such Commissioners to be convenient for the enabling the spiritual person or persons who may serve such churches or chapels to perform all ecclesiastical duties within the districts attached to such respective churches and chapels, and for the due ecclesiastical superintendance of such districts, and the preservation and improvement of the religious and moral habits of the persons residing therein; the said Commissioners shall represent such opinion to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which such districts are proposed to be described; and if, thereupon, His Majesty in Council shall think fit to direct such division to be made, such Order of His Majesty in Council shall be valid and good in law for the purpose of effecting such division;" and whereas by an Act, passed in the 59th year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes," and by another Act, passed in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of His