

Brussels, April 1. Marechal d'Estrees was nominated in Form last Week at Versailles, to command the French Army upon the Lower Rhine. The Troops, intended for that Army, that have passed thro' Brussels since last Post, are the Regiments of Aquitaine and Provence of two Battalions each, and two Battalions of Picardie. This Day the Regiments of Perigord and Foix, each of one Battallion, are come to Town. The Field Artillery, which marches with them, consists of one four Pounder with every Battallion. Damiens was executed on Monday last at Paris; but hitherto it does not appear that there were any Accomplices engaged with him in this horrid Attempt. His Sentence and Punishment were the same as Ravailiac's.

St. James's, April 9.

This Morning, about Six o'Clock, his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, set out for Harwich, to embark there, in his Way to Hannover.

Whitehall, April 9.

On Wednesday last the Right Honourable

Mr. Pitt, by His Majesty's Command, resigned the Seals of Secretary of State for the Southern Department.

The King has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable William Lord Mansfield, Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench, the Office of Chancellor of His Majesty's Exchequer, in the Room of the Right Honourable Henry Legge, Esq;

Whitehall, April 6.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Daniel Earl of Winchilsea and Nottingham; Sir William Rowley, Knight of the Bath; Edward Boscawen, and Gilbert Elliot, Esqrs. the Right Honourable John Lord Carysfort; Savage Mostyn, and Edwyn Sandys, Esqrs. to be Commissioners for Executing the Office of High Admiral of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories, thereto respectively belonging.

Admiralty Office, April 5, 1757.

The King having been pleased to appoint the following Gentlemen to be Officers in the Thirty Additional Companies of Marines, to be forthwith raised, and to Vacancies in the present 100 Companies; It is the Direction of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that they do repair with the utmost Expedition to the respective Head Quarters, hereafter mentioned, of the Company to which they belong, unless they are commanded elsewhere by their Superior Officers.

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Companies.	Captains.	1 st Lieutenants.	2 ^d Lieutenants.
101	Stephen Nevinson	Thomas Timins	{ John Ogilvy { Bartholomew Chaundy
104	Frederick Hollingworth	Christopher Middleton	{ Richard Fardell { William Huckell
107	Robert Douglas	Charles Chandliss	{ Arthur Buttle { Hugh Higgins
110	Robert Morris	Joseph Bushell	{ James Macon { William Conyers
113	Robert Mackay	William Douglas	{ Thomas Eycutt { ——— Buckley
116	George Borradaile	Oliver Kelly	{ John Maffie { Peter Buchan
119	Francis Napier	Arthur Gould	{ Samuel Anderson { William Mitchell
122	Laurence Langley	Richard Brady	{ James Knox { Thomas Hamilton
125	Horatio Spry	Samuel Kemp	{ Evan Cameron { ——— Wilson
128	Richard Weston	William Cauthorne	{ Archibald Erskine { Thomas Fletcher
25	— — —	John Knox	— — —
37	— — —	John Ridsdale	James Anderson
4	— — —	Roger Stevenson	Robert M'Leod
28	— — —	Robert Gahan	Alexander Bayne
51	— — —	Christopher Zobel	Nathaniel English
7	— — —	Benjamin Adair	{ James Green { William Pritchard
54	— — —	— — —	Grant Home
81	— — —	William Burgh	— — —

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