

Whitehall, April 25, 1826.

The King has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Archdeacon and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Landaff to elect a Bishop of that See, void by the translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor William Van Mildert, late Bishop thereof, to the See of Durham; and His Majesty has also been pleased to recommend the Reverend Charles Richard Sumner, Doctor in Divinity, to be elected by the said Archdeacon and Chapter Bishop of the said See of Landaff.

The King has also been pleased to recommend the Reverend Charles Richard Sumner, Doctor in Divinity, to be chosen into the place of Dean of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, London, and also to be elected and admitted into the place of Canon Residentiary of the said Cathedral Church, the same being void by the translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor William Van Mildert, late Bishop of Landaff, Dean and Canon Residentiary of the said Cathedral Church of St. Paul, to the See of Durham.

WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

War-Office, 21st April 1826.

The King having been graciously pleased to increase the rates of the Pensions allowed to the Widows of the under-mentioned classes of Medical Officers of the Land Forces and Royal Marines; this is to give notice, that the said Pensions have been increased to and established at the following rates, from 25th December 1825, inclusive:

Widows of		
Surgeons	-	£45
Purveyors of Hospitals	-	} £40
Assistant-Surgeons	-	
Apothecaries	-	

The above Pensions will be issued by the Paymaster-General of His Majesty's Land Forces, upon the production of the usual documents, and under the regulations heretofore existing.

By His Majesty's command,
PALMERSTON.

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

George Boughton Kingdon, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February 1826.

Cornwall Regiment of Militia.

The Honourable George Edgcombe to be Major, vice Rickenberg, resigned. Dated 7th February 1826.

East Cornwall Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Smith, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Parkin, resigned. Dated 30th March 1826.

John Jeffery, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Smith. Dated as above.

Cornwall Hussars Yeomanry Cavalry.

Walter Raleigh Gilbert, Esq. to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Vyvyan, displaced. Dated 31st March 1826.

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

Askew Hillcoat, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th March 1826.

William Wyndham the younger, Esq. to be ditto. Dated 28th March 1826.

Henry Hoare, Esq. to be ditto. Dated 29th March 1826.

Robert Gordon, Esq. to be ditto. Dated 30th March 1826.

Wilts Militia.

Edward John Ambrose Goddard, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 27th March 1826.

Wilts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Viscount Andover to be Captain. Dated 27th March 1826.

George William Frederick Earl Bruce to be ditto. Dated 28th March 1826.

Commissions in the 1st Essex Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

John Archer Houlton, jun. Esq. to be Captain, vice Pollett, resigned. Dated 8th April 1826.

Thomas Battylle, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Davies, resigned. Dated as above.

Cornet Ambrose Thegalk to be ditto. Dated as above.

Josias Battylle, Gent. to be Cornet. Dated as above.

John Prince, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated as above.

Samuel Gooch, Gent. to be Veterinary Surgeon. Dated as above.

Commissions in the Richmond Forester Yeomanry Cavalry, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

Cornet William Pybus to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th April 1826.

John Gerard, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Pybus, promoted. Dated as above.

Whitehall, April 24, 1826.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that some evil-disposed person or persons did, on the night of April the 12th, wilfully and maliciously set fire to the drying-house, out-houses, and mills, situate at Great Marlow, in the county of Buckingham, occupied by Mr. Joseph Wright, paper-maker, with a view to destroy the same; and did, on the same night, place firebrands, with pitched or tarred cloth round them, in the paper-mills of Mr. William Wright, adjoining those of his brother above mentioned, with intent to destroy them also;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the actual perpetrator thereof), who shall discover his or her accomplice or ac-