

district, from which he was removed to the south-west district, where he commanded until 1807, when he went abroad, and, joining the Prussian army engaged in the struggle against Buonaparte, was present at several of the engagements which took place at that period. During the disorder which followed the defeat of the enemy, His Royal Highness entered Hanover, and took possession of the Electorate, which political step had an effect on the arrangements which ensued.

In 1813 His Royal Highness was advanced to the rank of Field Marshal; he was also honoured with the dignity of a Knight of the Garter, Knight of St. Patrick, and Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath; also Knight Grand Cross of the Hanoverian Guelphic Order. In 1827 he was removed to the Colonelcy of the Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, which appointment he resigned in November, 1830.

On the decease of His Most Gracious Majesty King William IV., in June, 1837, His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland succeeded to the Crown of the Kingdom of Hanover.

SIR COLQUHOUN GRANT, K.C.B., G.C.H.,

*Appointed 22nd January, 1827.*

THIS officer was appointed Ensign of the Thirty-sixth Foot in 1793, and joined his regiment at Trichinopoly immediately after his appointment. In 1797 he exchanged to the Twenty-fifth Light Dragoons, with which corps he served the Mysore campaign, and was at the taking of Seringapatam. In 1800 he was appointed Captain in the Ninth Dragoons; he was promoted to the Majority of the Twenty-Eighth Light Dragoons in the following year, and in 1802 he obtained the Lieut.-Colonelcy of the Seventy-second Foot, which regiment he commanded at the capture of the Cape of