

SUCCESSION OF COLONELS

OF THE

SEVENTIETH,

OR

THE SURREY REGIMENT OF FOOT.

JOHN PARSLOW,

Appointed 28th April, 1758.

JOHN PARSLOW was many years an officer in the First Regiment of Foot Guards, in which corps he rose to the rank of captain and lieutenant-colonel on the 18th of May, 1747. In 1758 King George II. conferred upon him the colonelcy of the SEVENTIETH regiment, from which he was removed, in 1760, to the Fifty-fourth regiment. He was promoted to the rank of major-general in 1761, to that of lieutenant-general in 1770, and of general in 1782. He was removed to the Thirtieth regiment in April, 1770. He died at Bath on the 15th of November, 1786.

CYRUS TRAPAUD,

Appointed 10th July, 1760.

CYRUS TRAPAUD, descended from a family of distinction in France, was related to Marshal Turenne and other noblemen in that country: his father was a Protestant, and was forced by persecution to seek an asylum in England. Cyrus Trapaud entered the British army, and was many years an officer in the Buffs. He accompanied his regiment to the Netherlands in 1742, served at the battle of Dettingen in 1743, and of Fontenoy in 1745. Returning to Great Britain