

Mr Hawkins

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His Royal Highness Prince Regent  
The Humble Memorial of the afflicted Widow Hawkins  
of the 44 Regt. Humbly shews that on the Death of her  
late Husband Captain Hawkins she had got in her  
possession three Dollars until General Deneuch kindly  
ordered her two months pay due to her Husband in order  
to defray Expenses of his funeral 4. 8. 6  
Memorialist has a large family without assistance to  
support her self some a little money due of her late  
Husbands pay: the determination of a Law suit in  
the Court of Chancery in Ireland during her Husbands  
attention to his military Duty on foreign service  
deprived him of his all - with the exception of his  
Commission which is now gone from Memorialist -  
unless your Royal Highness will be graciously pleased  
to take her distracted situation into consideration  
and save her from inevitable ruin: if your Royal  
Highness feeling heart will allow her the sale of  
her late Husbands Commission she will for ever glory -  
Captain Hawkins began his military Career in the late  
Irish rebellion and served in the following places viz  
Germany - Copenhagen - North America - the West Indies  
at the taking of Martinique - at Tamar - Nova Scotia -  
Compo Majorca - Olivenza - Badajoz - in Spain & Andalusia -

Memorialist's Husband had lodged in the hands of an  
Army Baker one thousand pounds for the purchase of  
a Cornetcy in the 6th Dragoon Guards, Palmer the  
Baker failed and went off to America Memorialist's Husband  
lost his money and Commission - which was certified by  
Letters from the late Marquis of Ely, and Earl of Londonderry  
- the latter who gave Memorialist's money in marriage  
to her late Husband. The letters are now in possession  
of His Royal Highness the Duke of York. During the  
late Malady of her Husband he was valued of three  
hundred pounds which distressed them exceedingly -  
particularly in the distressing time of Capt. Washburn  
third fit of fever and ague in which he was carried  
off by an apoplectic fit suddenly -

Memorialist throws herself on the mercy and humanity  
of her blessed Prince by granting her request for  
which she will daily pray to the Almighty God to bestow  
on him every blessing from heaven to lengthen his  
years with Prosperity and Happiness.

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General Sir John Doyle knows Memorialist and knew  
her former Husband late Counsellor Bisset in Ireland