

Stretton, Sempronius

Col.

(1781-1842)



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Biographical and Other Notes

A military officer who served with distinction in the era of the Napoleonic Wars. Sempronius and his siblings all bore unusual first names beginning with the letter S bestowed by their father, William Stretton (1755–1828), of Lenton Priory, Nottingham. A collection of Anglo-Saxon coins was sold under the latter's name as part of the contents of Lenton Priory (Sotheby 17 March 1855), but it is likely that these had been acquired by Sempronius from a hoard found in Co. Kilkenny while he was stationed in Ireland.

Sources and References

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