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FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 1. TO TUESDAY, JUNE 5. 1804.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE—June 2.

Copy of a Letter from Sir John Thomas Duckworth, K. B. Vice-Admiral of the Blue, &c. to William Marsden, Esq. dated Port Royal, Jamaica, the 2d of April 1804.

SIR,

For the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, I send you herewith a letter recently received from Captain Roberts, of the Snake, commanding a small force stationed at New Providence.

I have the honour to be, &c.

J. T. DUCKWORTH.

His Majesty's sloop Snake, Salt Key, March 18. 1804.

SIR,

This moment has arrived his Majesty's sloop Lilly, Captain Lyall, from Bermuda, who has brought with him the Batavian Republic schooner Draak, commanded by a Lieutenant of Frigate, captured on the 11th instant. She mounts four four and one three-pounders, and fifty men; seven weeks, from Curacao, and had taken nothing.

I have the honour to be, &c.

W. ROBERTS.

Rear-Admiral Sir J. T. Duckworth, &c.

Copy of another Letter from Rear-Admiral Sir John Thomas Duckworth, K. B. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Jamaica, to William Marsden, Esq. dated at Port Royal the 7th of April 1804.

SIR,

I transmit, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, an account of French vessels captured and destroyed by his Majesty's Squadron under my command since the return of the 10th ultimo.

I am, &c. J. T. DUCKWORTH.

List of Ships and Vessels captured and destroyed by the Squadron.
PRICE 6d.

dron under the Command of Rear-Admiral Sir J. T. Duckworth, K. B. Jamaica.

French National transport L'Argo, of 6 guns and 50 men, commanded by a lieutenant de vaisseau, in ballast: Captured by the Ragoon, Captain Gordon, March 16. 1804.—B. Waterhouse and Co. Agents.

French Felucca privateer L'Hirondelle, of 3 guns and 44 men: Captured by the Stork, Captain Le Geyt, off Cape Nicola Mole, March 30. 1804; same agents.

French Felucca privateer L'Adventure, of 1 gun and 28 men: Captured by the Ragoon off Great Henage, April 5. 1804; same agents.

Felucca privateer Le Cazar, of 1 gun, 46 men, and 18 tons, from St Jago de Cuba: Captured by the Fortunée, same date; and the same agents.

A French privateer, of 2 guns and 17 men, destroyed by his Majesty's ship Blanche.

J. T. DUCKWORTH.

His Majesty's sloop Ragoon, off New Providence, March 19. 1804.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to inform you, that on Friday 16th, in lat. 26 deg. 51 min. W. long. 80 deg. 21 min. N. I captured the French national transport L'Argo, mounting six guns, commanded by Thomas Duffniel, ensign de vaisseau, with fifty troops and twenty officers and seamen; twenty-two days from New Orleans, bound to France.—I have the honour to be, &c.

H. GORDON.

Rear-Admiral Sir J. T. Duckworth, Commander in Chief, &c.

His Majesty's ship Ragoon, Port Royal, 5th April 1804.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to inform you, that on Tuesday April 3. I captured off the Great Henage, after a few hours chase, the French Felucca privateer L'Adventure, commanded by Jean Baptiste Gay, manned with twenty-eight men, mounting one gun and two swivels; seven days out of St Jago, her first cruize, and had not taken any thing: And on Wednesday, the 4th,

recaptured the American schooner, Elizabeth, laden with Coffee.

I have the honour to be, &c.

H. GORDON.

Sir J. T. Duckworth, K. B. Commander in Chief, &c.

CROWN-OFFICE—June 2.]

Member returned to serve in this present Parliament. Borough of *Leffwithiel*.—William Dickinson, Esq.

WAR-OFFICE—June 2.

27th Foot—General Francis Earl of Moira, from half pay of the late 105th Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lord Clarina, deceased.

Commissions in the Royal Perthshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

To be Major—Captain James Stewart Oliphant; dated April 23. 1804.

To be Captains—George Balvaire; Captain Colquhit Heywood, from the Wigton militia; both dated March 24. 1804.

To be Lieutenants—John McLean and Duncan Campbell; both dated Jan. 25. 1804. Ensign John Tulloch, Ensign David Hamilton, George Macdonald, and Donald Macnichol; all dated February 24. 1804. Henry Stewart and Alexander Stewart; both dated March 1. 1804. Peter Campbell and John Gordon; both dated March 14. 1804. James Murdoch and Charles Macgregor; both dated May 1. 1804.

To be Ensigns—John Stewart and Andrew Fletcher; both dated Feb. 24. 1804.

Commissions in the Royal Lanarkshire Regiment, of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Charles John O'Hara to be Captain; dated May 24. 1804. Lieutenant Robert Pender to be ditto; dated May 25. 1804. Lieutenant John Miller to be ditto; dated May 26. 1804. William Stewart to be Lieutenant; dated May 26. 1804. Matthew Tulloch to be Ensign; dated May 24. 1804.

Commissions in the Stirlingshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

To be Major—Captain John Douglas, vice Mayne, resigned; dated May 12. 1804.

