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FROM TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11. TO FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14. 1804.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, DEC. 11.

Copy of a letter from the Hon. Admiral Cornwallis, &c. to William Marfden, Esq. dated on board his Majesty's ship the *Ville de Paris*, off the Start, 7th December 1804.

SIR,

I have the honour to enclose, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a letter to me from Captain Dundas, of the *Naiad*, giving an account of the capture of the French gun-boats therein mentioned, by that ship.

I have the honour to be, &c.

WM. CORNWALLIS.

SIR,

Naiad, off Brest; Nov. 27.

I beg leave to acquaint you, that at daylight this morning, seeing some small vessels at a short distance from us, and shortly afterwards perceiving a fire of musketry from them on the boats of his Majesty's ship *L'Aigle*, which Captain Wolfe had sent in chase of them, I made sail, and cut off two, which prove to be gun-boats Nos. 361 and 369, mounting each one long brass four-pounder, and one short twelve, from *Dandiorne* bound to Brest, having on board a Lieutenant of the 63d regiment of infantry, and 36 privates, besides 5 seamen belonging to each vessel, being part of 16 that had failed from that port on a similar destination. I am sorry to acquaint you, that two seamen belonging to *L'Aigle* are wounded, (Wm. Shephard and James Mitchell), the latter dangerously. I have given Captain Hawkins, of his Majesty's sloop *Dispatch*, orders to proceed to Plymouth with the two vessels, which I think worth preserving, and to land the prisoners.

I have the honour to be, &c.

THOMAS DUNDAS.

To the Hon. Admiral Cornwallis,
Commander in Chief, &c.

[Price Sixpence.]

WAR-OFFICE, DEC. 8. 1804.

STAFF.

Andrew Despard, Esq. late Major in the 87th foot, to be an inspecting Field Officer of Yeomanry and Volunteer Corps in Ireland, with the temporary rank of Lieut.-Col. in the Army, vice Sir J. Caldwell, who resigns.

MEMORANDUM.

The appointment of Lieut. Hamilton Ross, from half-pay of the regiment, to be Lieut. in the 81st foot, as stated in the Gazette of the 11th July 1803, has not taken place.

Ensign John Rodgers, of the 62d foot, is superseded, he having absented himself without leave.

Capt. M. Van Westerholt, of the York Light Infantry Volunteers, is superseded, having absented himself from the Foreign Depot, at Lymington, without leave.

The appointment of Hospital Mate Chalmers to be assistant-surgeon in the 60th foot, as stated in the Gazette of the 13th October last, has not taken place.

The appointment of Captain John Stokes, from the 47th foot, to be Captain of a company in the 10th Garrison Battalion, as stated in the Gazette of the 1st inst. has not taken place.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of the 1st Instant.

The appointment of Ensign John Lindfay, from half-pay, is to the *Second* Royal Veteran Battalion, by exchange, with McDonough, and not in the *Sixth* Royal Veteran Battalion.

ORDNANCE-OFFICE, DEC. 10.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.—Gentleman Cadet John Walsh to be Second Lieut. vice W. Weber promoted; Gentleman Cadet Wm. Bell to be Second Lieut. vice D. Bourchier, promoted; both dated Nov. 23. 1804.

Corps of Gunner Drivers in the Royal Regiment of Artillery.—Second Lieut. Commissary William Thomas to be First Lieut. vice Jacob, resigned; Smith to be Second Lieut. Commissary; both dated Nov. 19. 1804.

Commission in the Ross, Caithness, Sutherland, and Cromarty Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.
Donald Noble to be Ensign, vice John McKen-

zie Cameron, promoted in the 72d foot. Dated October 27, 1804.

Commission in the 1st Berwickshire, &c. Regiment of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Linlithgow.

Ensign Henry Hair to be Lieut. vice Johnstone, appointed to the 43d foot, dated Nov. 20. 1804.

BANKRUPTS.

William Corbett, Gray's Inn, money-scrivener. Joseph Harris, Keynsham, Somerset, tanner. Daniel Higgs, Chipping Sodbury, Gloucester, liquor merchant. Wm. Oxenham, Exeter, tallow-chandler.

The Average Price of BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR, Computed from the Returns made for the Week ending 5th December 1804,

Is Fifty-five Shillings, and Seven Pence Half-penny per Hundred Weight, Exclusive of the duties of Customs paid or payable thereon, on the importation thereof into Great Britain.

By authority of Parliament,
HENRY NETTLESHIP,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company,
Grocers' Hall, Dec. 8. 1804.

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN,
By which Exportation and Bounty are to be regulated in England and Wales.

Wheat 87s. 4d.—Rye 54s. 0d.—Barley 46s. 3d.
Oats 27s. 0d.—Beans 52s. 2d.—Pease 50s. 7d.—
Oatmeal 39s. 10d.—Beer or Big Os. 0d.

By authority of Parliament,
J. J. CATHERWOOD,
Receiver of Corn Returns.

NOTICE.

To the CREDITORS of ANDREW MONACH,
Merchant in Glasgow.

FRANCIS BLAIKIE, Merchant in Glasgow, the Trustee on Mr Monach's estate, will pay a dividend to the creditors who have proved their debts upon the estate, at his office, *Post Office Court*, upon Friday the 21st day of December curt. at 11 o'clock forenoon.

GLASGOW, Dec. 12. 1804.

