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**WHITEHALL—April 12.**

The King has been pleased to present the Rev. Thomas Inglis to the church and parish of Dunscore, in the Presbytery and county of Dumfries, vacant by the transportation of the Rev. Joseph Kirkpatrick to the church and parish of Wamphray.

**ADMIRALTY-OFFICE—April 11. 1806.**

Copy of a Letter from Captain John Davie, late Commander of his Majesty's sloop Favourite, to William Mariden, Esq. dated on board the Trio Cartel, Falmouth, April 8, 1806.

SIR,  
I have the honour to inclose a copy of my letter to Captain Maxwell, of his Majesty's ship Arab, giving an account of the capture of a French privateer, by his Majesty's late sloop the Favourite, under my command.

I am, &c.

JOHN DAVIE.

His Majesty's sloop Favourite, off the  
Tris Pongas, Dec. 28. 1805.

SIR,  
I have the honour to acquaint you, that in obedience to your orders of the 18th instant, I proceeded in his Majesty's sloop under my command to the Islands des Lofs, where I was informed that the privateer you sent me in pursuit of was at anchor in the river of Pongas. I immediately shaped a course for that place; and, when within a few leagues of it, two sail were discovered, which Mr Wilson (who volunteered to be our pilot) affirmed were vessels which had been captured by her. Conceiving it to be my duty, I instantly made all sail, and gave chase to them. Owing to the shallowness of the water, and incorrectness of the charts, we did not reach the entrance of the river till this afternoon, when we discovered the privateer under sail, and working out. She allowed us to approach within half gun-shot, when she attempted to get away. I immediately commenced a fire from the bow guns, which soon induced her to shorten sail, and, to my surprize, haul

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athwart & rake us. I did not chuse to alter the ship's course, because it would have prevented my getting so near as I intended; but, when within our own length, I luffed up, and gave her our broadside. The Captain had the temerity to continue engaging us for twenty minutes, which cost him and ten others their lives, and twenty-five men badly wounded; whilst I am happy to say, that Lieutenant Odum, of the Royal African corps (a passenger), is the only person hurt on board of us, and he is slightly wounded. On taking possession she proved to be Le General Blanchard privateer, mounting sixteen guns, and manned with one hundred and thirty French and Spaniards.

I cannot do sufficient justice to the zeal and perseverance displayed by Lieutenants Parsons and Ingram, Mr Soady the master, as well as all the other officers, seamen and marines under my command, in a tedious chase of three days, obliged principally to sweep and tow the ship, where we had never more than three fathoms water; and regret very sincerely that their bravery and good conduct was not directed against a vessel of greater force.

I have the honour to be, &c.

JOHN DAVIE.

Keith Maxwell, Esq. Captain of his  
Majesty's ship Arab, &c.

**NOTICE.**

THE Business carried on here, under the firm of DRUMMOND & WILLIAMSON, was DIS-SOLVED on the 14th of October last, by the death of William Williamson. The subscriber, James Drummond, is empowered to settle all debts due to, and by the Company.

JAMES DRUMMOND.

ARCHIBALD WILLIAMSON,  
EXECUTOR for WILLIAM WIL-  
LIAMSON.

Glasgow, 9th April, 1806.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of  
Aberdeenshire.  
Aberdour Company of the Frasersburgh Battalion of  
Volunteer Infantry.

Lieut. Wm. Leslie to be Captain, vice Leslie, resign-  
ed. Dated March 18. 1806.  
Ensign James Bisset to be Lieutenant, vice Leslie,  
promoted. Dated as above.

**TO THE CREDITORS OF**

JOHN MANWELL, Merchant in Edinburgh.

THAT upon application of creditors of the said John Manwell to the extent required by law, the Lord Craig, Ordinary officiating on the bills, was pleased, upon the 12th day of April current, to sequestrate the whole estates, heritable and moveable, real and personal, of the said John Manwell, and appointed his creditors to meet, in John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 22d day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of choosing an interim factor upon said sequestrated estate; and to meet again, at same place and hour, upon Tuesday the 13th day of May next, to elect a trustee—of all which notice is hereby given, in terms of the statute. April 14. 1806.

**TO THE CREDITORS OF**

SAMUEL BROWN, in Blackraig, in the Parish of  
Borgue, and Stewartry of Kirkcubright.

THAT upon the application of the said Samuel Brown, with concurrence of a creditor to the extent required by law, the Lord Ordinary officiating on the bills, of this date, sequestrated the whole real and personal estate of the said Samuel Brown, and appointed his creditors to meet, in the house of Anthony McKenzie, innkeeper in Kirkcubright, upon Thursday the first day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of choosing an interim factor on said sequestrated estate; and also appointed his creditors to meet, at the same place and hour, on Thursday the 15th day of May also next, for the purpose of choosing a trustee—of all which intimation is hereby given, in terms of the statute. Edinburgh, 14th April, 1806.

