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FROM TUESDAY, JULY 15, TO FRIDAY, JULY 18, 1806.

WHITEHALL, JULY 15.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Hon. Thomas Grenville; the Right Hon. George John Earl Spencer, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter; the Right Hon. Wm. Windham, the Right Hon. C. J. Fox, his Majesty's three Principal Secretaries of State; the Right Hon. Wm. Wyndham Baron Grenville, First Commissioner of his Majesty's Treasury; the Right Hon. H. Petty, (commonly called Lord H. Petty) Chancellor and Under Treasurer of his Majesty's Exchequer; the Right Hon. Geo. Howard, (commonly called Viscount Morpeth); the Right Hon. John Hiley Addington; the Right Hon. John Sullivan, and the Right Hon. John Joshua Earl of Carysfort, in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, Knight of the Illustrious Order of St. Patrick, to be his Majesty's Commissioners for the Management of the Affairs of India.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, JULY 15.

Copy of a Letter from the Earl of St. Vincent, K. B. Admiral and Commander in Chief, &c. to Wm. Marsden, Esq. dated on board the *Hibernia*, off Ushant, the 11th inst.

SIR—I transmit herewith copies of a letter, with its inclosure, from Rear-Admiral Harvey, reciting a very neat exploit, conducted by Lieut. Mulcaster, First of the *Minerva*; whom I feel great pride in acknowledging as an eleve of my own.

I am, &c. ST. VINCENT.

Tonnant, off Cape Finisterre,  
June 23, 1806.

MY LORD,—The weather being hazy, we did not see the *Minerva* when the *Princess Royal* parted company this morning. As we stood in shore, the *Minerva* joined; and Captain Collier sent me a letter, of which the inclosed is a copy. It displays an enterprising spirit on the part of his Officers and men employed upon this service.

I have the honour to be &c.

ELIAB HARVEY.

The Earl of Vincent, K. B. &c.

*Minerva*, off Cape Finisterre,  
June 23, 1806.

SIR,—The particular part of your orders having been accomplished, by my falling in with his Majesty's ships *Renown* and *Warrior* on the 21st inst. I felt it my duty to direct my attention to the annoyance of the enemy's trade carried on along this coast to the ports of Ferrol and Vigo, and having reason to believe there were some lugger privateers in Finisterre Bay, under the protection of the fort, I last night, it being calm, dispatched two boats from his Majesty's ship under my command, to scour the Bay.

From among the volunteers for this service, it fell to the lot of Lieut. Mulcaster, 1st Lieut. accompanied by Lieut. Menzies of the Royal Marines, to command the cutter;—the barge was directed by Lieut. Ogle Moore.

This forenoon I had the satisfaction to see the boats returning; accompanied by five Spanish luggers, and *chasse-marées*, as per margin\*, mostly laden with wine, bound to Ferrol and Corunna. Lieut. Mulcaster speaks very handsomely of the support he received from the officers and petty seamen and marines employed on this affair.

I feel I should be deficient in my duty did I omit to state the circumstances attending the execution of this service, so creditable to Lieut. Mulcaster and his companions.

The first object was the fort, mounting eight brass guns, of 24 and 12-pounders, which commanded the vessels. This was carried in a most neat and masterly manner by the bayonet and pike, before the guard had either time to raise the drawbridge, or discharge a 12-pounder, which had been brought to face the gate, (a fishing boat having apprized them of the approach of our boats,) part of the Spanish guard laid down their arms, and are now on board; the rest escaped.

As the day began to dawn, and as the men were much harrassed from a long row to the shore, and a fatiguing march over a heavy sand, the party were obliged to confine themselves to spiking the guns, and throwing some of them into the sea; e'er they took possession of the vessels.

The circumstance from which I derive most pleasure is, that this service was executed without a man being hurt on either side, although the boats

in their return, during a calm of near three hours were exposed to the fire of a two gun battery from a hill to the southward of the town.

I have the honour to be, &c.

GEORGE RALPH COLLIER.

Rear-Admiral Harvey, &c.

\* Angel de la Guarda, John Antonio Anemas, Santa Antonio Anemas, Nostra Senora del Carmen, and Santa Christo Janemas.

CROWN-OFFICE, JULY 15, 1806.

Member returned to serve in this present Parliament.

Borough of Buckingham—The Right Honourable Thomas Grenville.

## NOTICE

To the CREDITORS of JOHN THOMSON, jun. Merchant and Shopkeeper in Glasgow.

DAVID KAY, Accountant in Glasgow, the Trustee, agreeable to the instructions of the creditors, hereby requests the creditors to meet in his office, Post Office Court, on Thursday the 7th August next, at 12 o'clock, to consider of making an application to the Court, to have the sequestration withdrawn.

GLASGOW, July 17, 1806.

## NOTICE

To the CREDITORS of DAVID MELVILLE, Manufacturer in Cupar.

JAMES KYD, writer in Cupar, trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said David Melville, hereby intimates, that he has prepared a new state of the debtor's affairs, with a scheme of division of his funds, together with a state of the funds still unrecovered, which scheme and state will lie open for inspection in the hands of the trustee, until the 21st day of August next, when the creditors or their doers properly authorized, are requested to meet at the trustee's house, betwixt the hours of twelve noon and one afternoon, to receive their dividends. Of all which this intimation is given in terms of the statute.

CUPAR, 11th July 1806.

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