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FROM TUESDAY, JANUARY 23. TO FRIDAY, JANUARY 26. 1798.

WHITEHALL, Jan. 23.

The King has been pleased to recommend to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St Paul, London, the Rev. Henry William Majendie, Doctor in Divinity, to be by them elected into the place of Canon Residentiary of the said Cathedral Church, the same being void by the Death of the Rev. Thomas Jackson, Doctor in Divinity, late incumbent thereof.

The King has also been pleased to grant to the Rev. Samuel Goodenough, Doctor of Laws, the place and Dignity of a Prebendary of his Majesty's Free Chapel of St George in his Majesty's Castle of Windsor, the same being void by the resignation of the Rev. Henry William Majendie, D.D. late one of the Prebendaries thereof.

The King has also been pleased to grant to the Reverend Thomas Kipling, Doctor in Divinity, the Deanry of his Majesty's Cathedral Church of Peterborough, void by the death of the Rev. Dr Peter Peckard, late Dean thereof.

WHITEHALL, Jan. 23.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Hon. Richard Aldworth Lord Baybrooke to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Essex.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, JAN. 23.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Hon. Lord Bridport, K. B. to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated the 20th inst.

SIR,

You will herewith receive copies of two letters from Captain Durham, of his Majesty's ship Anson, and a copy of one from the Hon. Captain Stopford,

[Price Sixpence.]

of his Majesty's ship Phaeton, which I transmit for their Lordships information.

I am, Sir, &c.

BRIDPORT.

Anson, Cawland Bay, Jan. 17.

MY LORD,

I beg leave to acquaint your Lordship, that in the passage to England I have retaken the Harmony galley, from St Ube's, bound to London, also the Active of Baltimore, American ship, with a valuable cargo, and the George Randolph, under Danish colours: the latter being a neutral vessel, and not suspicious, after taking out the prisoners, I permitted the master to proceed on his voyage.

I have the honour to be, &c.

P. C. DURHAM.

The Right Hon. Lord Bridport.

Phaeton, at sea, Jan. 11.

MY LORD,

I have the honour to inform your Lordship, that his Majesty's ships Anson and Mermaid joined me on the night of the 5th inst. the former having captured the French frigate the Daphne, on the night of the 29th December; for the particulars of which I refer your Lordship to Captain Durham's letter herewith inclosed.

This capture gives me much satisfaction, as the Daphne was the only British frigate in the possession of the enemy.

The alacrity with which she was discovered, chased and taken possession of, upon a lee shore on the coast of Arcasson, reflects (in my opinion) much credit upon Captain Durham.

I have the honour to be, &c.

ROB. STOPFORD.

The Right Hon. Lord Bridport,

(B.)

