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ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, July 31.

Copy of a letter from Rear-Admiral HARVEY, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at the Leeward Islands, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated on board the Prince of Wales, Fort Royal Bay, Martinique, June 12. 1798.

SIR,

I Have to acquaint you, for the information of their Lordships, that since my letter to you of the 13th ult. the under mentioned French privateers, belonging to Guadaloupe, have been captured at the periods, and by the ships and vessels of his Majesty's Squadron under my command, as against their names expressed.

By the Matilda, Captain Mitford, 29th ult. to windward of Antigua, L'Annibal brig of 14 guns and 97 men.

By the Lapwing, Captain Harvey, 29th ult. off St Bartholomew's, L'Intrepid sloop, of 10 guns and 58 men.

By the Charlotte armed sloop, commanded by Lieut. John Williams, 29th ult. off Dominica, La Mart schooner, of 4 guns and 36 men.

Neither of the above privateers had made any captures since their leaving Guadaloupe.

I have the honour to be, &c.

HENRY HERVEY.

WAR-OFFICE, July 21.

80th Foot.

Capt.-Lieut. H. Macpheron, from the 78th, to be Captain of a company, vice White, deceased.

To be Lieutenants—Ensign Charles S. McCarty, vice Jones, deceased. Ensign Samuel Allen Wheeler, from the 36th foot, vice McCarty, deceased.

To be Ensigns—Arthur Cutlibert Campbell, without purchase, vice Bradshaw, promoted in the 73d. Charles Rowan, without purchase, vice McCarty. Thomas Douglas, without purchase, vice Reddie, appointed to the 73d.

84th ditto—Benjamin Wrigley Ferrebee, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice McNiel, promoted.

85th ditto—Ensign Dunmore Napier, from the 1st battalion Royals, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thompson, who retires.

[Price 6d.]

98th ditto—Capt. James Campbell, from the 86th, to be Major, by purchase, vice Nicolson, promoted.

Royal Garrison Battalion.

Capt. Richard Thompion, from the 87th, to be Captain of a company, vice Johnson, removed to the invalids. Hospital Mate George Ainslie to be Assistant Surgeon.

Hon. George Hanger's Corps.

Humphrey Graham to be Ensign.

INVALIDS.

Brevet-Major ——— Johnson, from the Royal Garrison Battalion, to be Captain of a company at Guernsey, vice Forch, deceased.

BREVET.

Lieut.-Col. Charles Hastings, of the 61st foot, to be Colonel in the Army.

Col. Charles Hastings, of the 61st foot, to be Major-General in the Army.

STAFF.

Tho. Durell to be Deputy-Commissary-General on the Continent.

Christopher Bourcard to be Assistant-Commissary-General on the Continent.

To be Deputy-Commissaries-General—Joseph Bullock, Wm. Henry Robinson, and Henry-Lannoy Hunter.

To be Assistant-Commissary—Charles Wright.

HIS MAJESTY has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Forces to take rank by Brevet, in his Majesty's Army in the East Indies only as follows:

To be Major-Generals,

Col. David Smith; dated June 12. 1798. Col. James Bannatyne; dated as above.

2d Regiment Royal East India Volunteers.

Ensign Richard Swinton to be Lieutenant, vice Barnard, promoted in the 3d regiment.

WAR-OFFICE, July 28.

17th Light Dragoons—Wm. Ogden to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Winter, who retires.

29th ditto—J. G. Tolley, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Darley, who retires.

4th Foot—Ensign Geo. Baynham, from the 65th, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice O'Brien, removed to the 66th.

5th ditto—Ensign John Blashfield to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jones, promoted.

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