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ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Oct. 16.

Copy of a letter from the Earl of ST VINCENT, K.B. Admiral of the Blue, and Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels in the Mediterranean, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated off Cadiz, the 8th September 1798.

SIR,

I enclose a letter from Captain Bartholomew James, Commander of his Majesty's sloop El Corfo, acquainting me with the capture of Le Francois French privateer.

I am, &c.

ST VINCENT.

MY LORD, El Corfo, Gibraltar, Aug. 27. 1798.

I have the honour to acquaint your Lordship, that on the 24th instant (Alboran east, seven leagues), I captured Le Francois French privateer, Clement Roux Commander, mounting two carriage guns and six swivels, and manned with twenty-three men, from Malaga five days, and taken nothing.

I have the honour to be, &c.

BARTH. JAMES.

Admiral Earl St Vincent, K. B. &c. &c.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, October 16.

Copy of a letter from the Right Hon. Lord BRIDPORT, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated at sea, the 10th instant.

SIR,

Herewith you will receive, for their Lordships information, a copy of a letter from the Hon. Captain Stopford, Commander of his Majesty's ship Phaeton, stating his having captured, on the 8th instant, a French privateer, called Le Fevrier, pierced for sixteen guns, and carrying seventy men.—I am, Sir, &c. &c.

BRIDPORT.

MY LORD, Phaeton at sea, Oct. 9. 1798.

I have the honour to inform your Lordship, that on

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the 8th inst. his Majesty's ship under my command captured a French brig privateer, called Le Fevrier, pierced for 16 guns, and carrying 70 men; she sailed from Rochelle on the 5th instant, and was bound on a cruise.

I have the honour to be, &c.

ROB. STOPFORD.

Right Hon. Lord Bridport, K. B. &c.

WHITEHALL, Oct. 15.

The King has been pleased to appoint John Marsh, Esq. to be a Commissioner for victualling his Majesty's Navy, in the room of Joseph Hunt, Esq.

WAR-OFFICE, Oct. 16.

Royal Horse Guards—Cornet John Butcher, from the 11th light dragoons, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Loraine, promoted.

2d Dragoon Guards—Lieut. Weston Hames, from the 56th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Sloper, who exchanges.

4th Dragoons—Brevet-Major Capt.-Lieut. Burgh Leighton to be Captain of a troop, by purchase, vice Wilton, who retires. Lieut. James Charles Dalbiac to be Captain-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Leighton. Cornet Lewis Harrison to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dalbiac.

15th Light Dragoons—Right Hon. — Lord Lisle to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Plowden, promoted in the 5th foot.

4th Foot—John Wood to be Ensign, by purchase.

5th ditto—Lieut. Hector Maclean, from the half-pay of the late 84th, to be Lieutenant, vice Fitzgerald, who is placed on half-pay. Cornet Francis Plowden, from the 15th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Walpole, who retires.

8th ditto—Thomas Buck to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cotton, promoted.

9th ditto—Lieut. John Rose, from the 29th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Harnett, who exchanges.

28th ditto—Hospital Mate John Stewart to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Lamont, who resigns.

29th ditto—Lieut. Robert Harnett, from the 9th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Rose, who exchanges.

47th ditto—Cornet John Burge's Haffey, from the 11th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Barry, who retires.

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51st ditto—James Henry Phelps to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ferguson, promoted.

53d foot—Ensign Thomas Gilham, from the 81st, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Christie, who retires on half-pay.

56th ditto—Lieut. Geo. Sloper, from the 2d dragoon guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Hames, who exchanges.

60th ditto—Capt. Wm. Raymond, from the half-pay of the Independents, to be Captain, vice Walfh, who exchanges.

69th ditto—Lieut. Henry Irwin to be Adjutant, vice Warlock, deceased.

72d ditto—Brevet Lieut.-Col. Richard Stuart, from the 51st, to be Major, vice Robertson, promoted in the 92d.

81st Ditto.

To be Lieutenants—Lieut. Alex. Sutherland, from the half-pay of the late Royal American regiment, vice Morand, who is placed on half-pay. Lieut. C. A. Maclean, from the half-pay of Col. French's corps, vice Evans, who exchanges. Ensign Seymour, from the 27th foot.

To be Ensigns—William Monteath, without purchase, vice Gilham, promoted in the 53d foot.

83d ditto—Henry Birmingham to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Temple, promoted.

92d ditto—Brevet Lieut.-Col. James Robertson, from the 72d foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

4th West India Regiment—Lieut. — Rome to be Adjutant, vice Burk, who resigns.

6th ditto—Lieut. Charles Pierfon, from the 69th foot, to be Captain, vice Nicholffon, deceased.

STAFF.

To be Brigadier-Generals in the Leeward Islands only. Col. Charles Green, of the 30th foot. Col. Thomas Brady, of the royal artillery.

To be Brigadier-General in Portugal only.

Col. Baldwin Leighton, of the 46th foot.

Prince's Royal's own Fencible Cavalry.

Lieut. James Hamilton, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Lindsay, who resigns. Cornet John Wright to be Lieutenant, vice Hamilton. Hugh Mackay to be Cornet, vice Wright.

Strathpey Fencible Infantry.

Nelson Scott to be Assistant Surgeon. Patrick Lee to be Ensign, vice Manford, promoted.

Port Bannatyne Volunteers.

William Macleod Bannatyne to be Captain. Lieut. George Campbell, on the half-pay of the late 88th foot, to be Lieutenant. Bryce Stewart to be Ensign.

MEMORANDUM.

Ensign George Stevenson, of the 47th regiment of foot, is superseded, being absent without leave.

Ensign — Bissett, of the Scotch brigade, is superseded, being absent without leave.

Lieut. Benjamin Baynton, of the Pembrokeshire fencible cavalry, who was superseded in the Gazette of the 12th May last, is reinstated in his rank.

The appointment of Capt. George Peter, of the 59th foot, to be Major of brigade to the forces in the island of Newfoundland, as stated in the Gazette of the 2d inst. has not taken place.

BANKRUPT.

Henry Ball of Lytham, Lancaster, shopkeeper.

NOTICE.

THE Manufacturing Concern formerly carried on here, under the firm of ALEXR. M'BRAIR AND CO. in consequence of the expiry of the contract on the 1st of January last, has been discontinued since that period. All claims against the said Company, if any such exist, will be discharged upon application being made immediately to Alexander M'Brair, who is also authorized to receive payment of all debts still owing to said concern, and to grant discharges accordingly.

ARCH. M'BRAIR, jun.
ALEXR. M'BRAIR.
ROBT. M'ERAIR.
ALEXR. BRYCE.
JOHN YOUNG.

Glasgow, Oct. 15. 1798.

TO BE SOLD.

Under the Authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, before the Lord Ordinary on the Bills, on the 28th of November next, between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock afternoon,

A TENEMENT of LAND, High and Laigh, in the Village of Doune Campsie, in the shire of Perth, lying on the north side of the Wynd of that village, with the Yard ad-

joining, extending to eight roods of land, and each rood consisting of six cns, presently let in tack to Robt. Mitchell, jun. merchant in Doune, together with the liberty of casting fuel and feal in the muir of Doune Campsie, for the use of the possessor.

As also a PIECE of GROUND in the same Village, included in the above tack to Robt. Mitchell, lying at the back of the feu tenement or house which belonged to the deceased Edward Thomson, weaver in Doune, with a Barn, Stable, and other Houses built thereon, and pertinents. The free rent of the tenement and garden, and of the forefaid piece of ground, &c. as proven in the sale, is L.17, and the proven value of both L.270.

There will also be exposed to sale, a Right to an Heritable Bond for L.80, over a feu in Callender, belonging to James Stewart, distiller there, marked No. 55. in the plan of said village; the feu is 207 feet in length, 60 feet in breadth at the front or south, and 66 feet at the north; there are a dwelling-house, malt barn, kiln, and still-house upon it; the whole are rated in the proven rental at L.3 Sterling, and the proven value is L.66. The possessor has liberty of casting and winning peats in the moils of Greenock.

For further particulars intending purchasers may apply to Henry Jardine, writer to the signet, agent in the sale, at whose office may be seen the title-deeds and abstract of the judicial rental.

TO CREDITORS.

THE Trustee on the Sequestered Estate of JOHN GEEKIE, Drover and Cattle Dealer at Keithock, hereby intimates to the creditors, that Mr Geekie has lodged with him an offer of undoubted security, for a composition of five shillings Sterling in the pound Sterling of the debts due by him, payable at Martinmas first; and further agrees to grant his own bill for five shillings more, payable proportionally, one half at Martinmas 1800, and the other half at Martinmas 1802, provided his creditors agree to discharge him. The trustee judging the said offer to be of importance to the creditors, requests they will meet, within the house of John Martin, vintner in Brechin, upon Tuesday the 6th day of November next, by 12 o'clock noon to consider of the forefaid offer, and give instructions thereanent.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES MORISON, Merchant in Perth. — — The appointment of David Morison, manufacturer in Perth, to be trustee on the said James Morison's estate being confirmed by the Court of Session, he hereby intimates to the said creditors, that the Sheriff of Perthshire has fixed Thursday the first and Saturday the seventeenth days of November next, for the public examination of the bankrupt, within the Sheriff-court-room, at 12 o'clock of these days; and that a general meeting of the said creditors will be held, within the house of Duncan MacDougall, vintner in Perth, on Monday the 19th day of the said month of November, at 12 o'clock noon, for instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery of the estate. And such of the creditors as have not already lodged with the trustee their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with their oaths on the verity thereof, are required to do so at or previous to the said meeting; and failing thereof, on or before the 4th day of July next, being ten months from the date of the application for sequestration; with certification to such of them as shall fail to comply with this requisition, that they shall have no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt's estate.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES GRIEVE, Merchant in Dumfries. — — At a general meeting of the creditors of the said James Grieve, held at Dumfries on the 13th day of October last: being the meeting immediately after his second examination, an offer was made by the said James Grieve to his creditors of a composition of ten shillings in the pound of the debts due by him, to be paid by instalments of six months after his shop should be opened, six months thereafter, and six months after that period; and that James Aitken, joiner in Dumfries, and James McNeil, baker there, should become cautioners for the due payment of said composition: And a letter from the said James Aitken and James McNeil, agreeing to become cautioners for the before-mentioned composition having been produced, the meeting were of opinion that the offer was reasonable, and the cautioners sufficient, and directed the trustee to call another general meeting of the creditors, to be held within the King's Arms Tavern, in Dumfries, upon Tuesday the 6th of November next, at six o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of deciding upon the said offer.—Of all which the trustee makes this intimation in terms of the act of Parliament, and requires the creditors to attend at the said general meeting for the purpose before specified.