

cutter; after passing the private signal, I joined in the chase until nine A. M. when she struck. She proves to be the President Parker, of L'Orient, Citizen Ferry, commander: a new vessel, sails well, and belongs to the Republic, but has a letter of marque for six months. In the chase, he hove all her guns overboard; also the shot and a quantity of provisions. She had captured the Bird, of Liverpool, Robert Tyne, master, bound to Africa, which Capt. Bowen of the Caroline; had recaptured this morning at four o'clock. Annexed I send your Lordship a list of guns thrown overboard; and have the honour to be,
My Lord, &c.

R. G. MIDDLETON.

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

A List of Guns, &c. thrown overboard by the Cutter during the chase.

Eight carronades, 36-pounders; one long gun, 9-pounder; six months provisions of all species (nearly), and all her boats.

A List of Ships and Vessels captured, recaptured, and destroyed by his Majesty's Ships Flora and Caroline, between the 19th day of July and the 5th of November 1798.

Portuguese brig Nossa Senhora de Monte, of 12 men, belonging to Madeira, bound from Madeira to St Michael, laden with bale goods, prize to L'Abeille French privateer, recaptured the 1st August 1798, off Palma, by the Flora, and sent to Madeira.

Spanish packet Grimaldi, of 2 guns and 28 men, belonging to Corunna, bound from Corunna to the Havannah; laden with wine, &c. captured the 4th September, 1798, off Teneriffe, by the Flora, and sent to Madeira.

Spanish ship La Carlota, of 19 men, belonging to Teneriffe, bound from the river de Plata to Teneriffe, laden with leather and tallow, captured the 30th September, 1798, off Teneriffe, by the Flora, and sent to Madeira.

English ship Bird, of 10 guns and 30 men, belonging to Liverpool, bound from Liverpool to the coast of Guinea, laden with various Guinea stores, prize to President Parker, recaptured the 4th October, 1798, off the Salvages, by the Caroline, and sent to Madeira.

French cutter privateer President Parker, of 12 guns and 50 men, belonging to Dunkirk, bound from L'Orient on a cruise, captured off the Salvages, by the Flora and Caroline, and sent to Madeira.

French lugger privateer L'Esperance, 1 gun with musquets, and 38 men, belonging to Santa Cruz, bound from Santa Cruz on a cruise, destroyed the 16th October, 1798, at Teneriffe, by the Caroline's boats.

French ship Polacre privateer Le Baret, 10 guns and 77 men, belonging to Malaga, bound from Grand Canary on a cruise, captured the 20th October, 1798, off Teneriffe, by the Caroline and Flora, and sent to Madeira.

WAR-OFFICE, DEC. 8.

16th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant John Burnet to be Captain, by purchase, vice Jones, promoted in the 20th light dragoons.—Cornet Francis Campbell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Burnet.

3d Foot Guards—Captain John Dalrymple to be Captain of a company, by purchase, vice Robert Dalrymple Horne Elphinstone, who retires.—Ensign Thomas Cranley Onslow to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dalrymple.—Lieutenant Mainwaring Edward Onslow, from the 65th foot, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice T. C. Onslow.

1st Bat. 1st Foot—Lieutenant George Eddington to be Captain, by purchase, vice Climes, who retires.—Ensign David Grant to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Eddington.—Captain-Lieutenant Hutton Rowe Spencer to be Adjutant, vice Eddington.

10th—Thomas Lamphier to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Poppleton, promoted.

16th—George Keating to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Jones promoted.

19th—Charles Cuff to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hume, promoted in the 73d foot.

20th—Maxwell Close to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Aylmer, promoted.

27th—Henry Snook to be Ensign, by purchase, vice O'Brien, who retires.

28th—Ensign John Chapman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Anderfon, promoted in the 29th foot.

34th—Mark Holbourn to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Browne, promoted.

47th—Lieutenant L. C. Hardyman to be Captain, by purchase, vice Peters, who retires.

53d—Hospital-Mate William Powell to be Assistant Surgeon,

60th—James Fitzmaurice, Esq. late Captain in the 87th foot, to be Paymaster.

62d—William Riddall, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Niell, who retires.

67th—Captain-Lieutenant William Gamble to be Captain, vice Dobbs, deceased; Lieutenant Launcelot Bambridge to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Gamble.

69th—Ensign Christopher Wilson, from the 40th foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lucas, who retires; Ensign Thomas Whyte, from the 47th foot, to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Jones, who retires.

70th—Lieutenant William Chambers to be Captain, by purchase, vice Tuffnell, promoted in the York Rangers.

85th—Ensign James Carter to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Woolsey, who retires.

1st West India Regiment—Hospital-Mate Charles Conolon to be Assistant-Surgeon.

Captain Murray's Corps of Foot—Ensign James Hay, from the 31st foot, to be Lieutenant; Jonathan Rogers to be Quarter-Master.

BREVET.

Captain Richard Neate, of the 57th foot, to be Major in the Army.

Cornwall Fencible Cavalry.

G. Parkhurst to be Cornet, vice Blair deceased.

Norfolk Fencible Cavalry.

Captain John Varlo to be Major, vice Smith, who resigns.

Strathspey Fencible Infantry.

Ensign William Grant to be Lieutenant, vice Reynolds, who resigns; Simon Fraser to be Ensign, vice Grant.

Perthshire Gentlemen and Yeomanry.

R. A. D. Earl of Kinnoull to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant; Ebenezer Oliphant to be Lieutenant; Reverend John Inglis to be Cornet; Peter Small to be Cornet, vice Young, who resigns; Reverend James Beatson to be Chaplain; George Moncrieff, M. D. to be Surgeon.

Kilgraston Volunteers.

Francis Grant, Esq. to Captain-Commandant; Ebenezer Marshall to be First Lieutenant; and James Chalmers to be Second Lieutenant.

3d (or Strathern Highlanders) Regiment of the Perthshire Brigade.

Major-General ——— Robertson to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant; William Stewart, Esq. to be Major.

Lavers Company.

John Drysdale, Esq. to be Captain-Lieutenant; John M'Laren to be First Lieutenant; Patrick M'Cullum, jun. to be Second Lieutenant.

Comrie Company.

James Drummond, Esq. to be Captain; Patrick Comrie to be First Lieutenant; Patrick M'Farlane to be Second Lieutenant.

Strageath Company.

James Drummond, Esq. to be Captain; John Ferguson to be First Lieutenant; William Brown to be Second Lieutenant.

Ardvorlick Company.

Major William Stewart to be Captain; Alexander Stewart to be First Lieutenant; John Stewart to be Second Lieutenant; James Gray to be Adjutant.

4th (or Loyal Foresters) Regiment of Perthshire Brigade.

Right Honourable James Lord Perth to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant; John Belches, Esq. to be Major with a company; John Buchanan, Esq. to be Captain; Robert Fairfull, Esq. to be ditto; Right Hon. John Lord Rollo to be Captain Lieutenant.

To be First Lieutenants—John Stirling, Thomas Kier, David M'Intyre, and John Buchanan.

To be Second Lieutenants—Alex. Cruickshanks, John Scott, John M'Inlay, and Donald M'Donald.

To be Chaplain—Rev. John Scott.

To be Surgeon—Trail.

5th (or Athol) Battalion of the Perthshire Brigade.

To be Captains—James Robertson, Esq.; Captain James Stewart; Henry Butler, Esq.; Capt. Alex. Stewart, jun.

To be Lieutenants—Edmund Fergusson; Alex. Fergusson; James Robertson; Duncan M'Dearmid.

To be Ensigns—John Stewart; George Robertson; Henry Ferguson; Gilbert Robertson.

MEMORANDUM.

The Undermentioned Officers are superseded, being absent without leave.

Ensign J. Walsh of the 27th foot; Lieut. Richard Henderson of the 57th foot; Lieut. Thomas Howard of the 85th foot.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of the 27th ult.

For Lieut. Alex. Plunket of the 88th foot, who is superseded—Read, Lieut. Alex. Plunket of the 85th foot, who is superseded.