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**ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, FEB. 4, 1800.**

Copy of a letter from Vice Admiral Sir Thomas Pasley, Bart. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Plymouth, to Evan Nepean, Esq. dated the first inst.

SIR—Inclosed is a letter which I received from Capt. Bartholomew of the Havik, together with a paper, containing a particular account of the vessels mentioned in the said letter.

I am, Sir, &c. THOMAS PASLEY.

SIR, His Majesty's sloop Havik, at sea, Jan. 30, 1800.

I have the pleasure to inform you, yesterday morning Captain Wittman, of the Suffiante, made the signal to chace northward; and soon after discovered a ship, lugger, and cutter steering to the S. E. At two P.M. I recaptured the American ship Strafford, from Baltimore, bound to London, mounting sixteen guns. She was taken by the lugger and cutter above mentioned; her cargo worth from 30 to 40,000l.—At half past two I had the pleasure of seeing the lugger strike to the Suffiante; and I have every reason to believe, from the Suffiante's excellent sailing, that the cutter is now in Captain Wittman's possession.

I have the honour to be, &c. &c.

P. BARTHOLEMEW.

Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Pasley, Bart.

**RECAPTURED.**

Strafford, from Baltimore bound to London, laden with tobacco, &c. Worthington and Troop, owners.

The two privateers sailed together from Saint Maloes the 26th January.

**TAKEN.**

Le Courageux lugger, of four 4-pound guns, and one eighteen pound carronade, and 42 men.

Le Grand Quinola cutter, of eight-pound brass carronades, four two-pound brass guns, two 2-pound iron guns, swivels, and 47 men.

Price Sixpence.

**WAR-OFFICE, FEBRUARY 4. 1800.**

**INVALIDS.**

Ensign William Lodge, from the half pay of the 91st foot, to be Lieutenant in the Honourable Major-General Napier's Independent Company of Invalids at Guernsey, vice Brigges, deceased.

**BREVET.**

Captain W. A. Phipps, Inspector of the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich, to be Major in the army.

**HOSPITAL STAFF.**

Surgeon James M'Neill to be Assistant Inspector of Hospitals at Surinam.

**BARRACKS.**

David Scott, Deputy Barrack-Master of Fort George, to be Barrack-Master of Fort Augustus, vice Stuart, deceased.

Loyal Tarbert Fencible Infantry.

Captain Dennis Herbert, from the 10th West India regiment, to be Major, with permanent rank in the army; Lieutenant James-Raymond to be Captain, vice Parker, who resigns; Ensign Henry Kearns to be Lieutenant, vice Raymond; John W. Jeffcott to be Ensign, vice Kearns.

Loyal Annan Volunteer Infantry.

John Little to be First Lieutenant; John Forrest to be Second Lieutenant.

**Argyllshire Volunteers.**

Archibald Campbell, Esq. to be Captain of the Ulva company, vice Archibald Campbell, appointed Paymaster to the 92d foot.

**BANKRUPTS.**

Markham Nicolson, Howden, Yorkshire, grocer. John Pendred, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire, leather-cutter and shoemaker. Thomas Mills, Morecroft-wood, Yorkshire, cloth-manufacturer. Samuel-Haddon, Oxford Street, Middlesex, haberdasher. Wm. Roberts, late of St Clements, Corn-wall, shopkeeper. Joseph Clampritt, Liverpool, sloopman. Charles Anderson, Grosvenor-Mews, Middlesex, hackneyman. Joseph Cook, late of Ringwood, Hants, clothier. John Platt, younger, and Henry Billinge Platt, Wigan, Lancashire, linen-manufacturers. John Thomas Patience, late of Bishopsgate-Street, London, carpenter.

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