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DOWNING-STREET, *Sept. 6.*

A dispatch, of which the following is a copy, has been this day received at the Office of the Right Hon. HENRY DUNDAS, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, from Lieutenant-General Sir JAMES PULTENEY, Bart. dated on board his Majesty's ship *Renown*, at sea, 27th August 1800.

SIR,

I have the honour to inform you, that the fleet, on board of which the troops under my command were embarked, arrived before the harbour of Ferrol on the 25th instant.

I determined immediately to make a landing, with a view, if practicable, to attempt the town of Ferrol, being certain, if I found either the strength of the place or the force of the enemy too great to justify an attack, that in the landing there was no considerable risk.

The disembarkation was effected, without opposition, in a small bay near Cape Prior; the reserve, followed by the other troops as they landed, immediately ascended a ridge of hills adjoining to the bay; just as they had gained the summit the rifle corps fell in with a party of the enemy which they drove back. I have to regret that Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart, who commanded this corps, was wounded on the occasion. At day break the following morning a considerable body of the enemy was driven back by Major-General the Earl of Cavan's brigade, supported by some other troops, so that we remained in complete possession of the heights which overlook the town and harbour of Ferrol; but from the nature of the ground, which is steep

and rocky, unfortunately this service could not be performed without loss: The 1st battalion of the 52d regiment had the principal share in this action. The enemy lost about 100 men killed and wounded, and 30 or 40 prisoners.

I had now an opportunity of observing minutely the situation of the place, and of forming, from the reports of prisoners, an idea of the strength of the enemy; when, comparing the difficulties which presented themselves, and the risk attendant on failure on one hand, with the prospect of success, and the advantages to be derived from it on the other, I came to the determination of re-embarking the troops, in order to proceed without delay on my further destination. The embarkation was effected the same evening in perfect order, and without loss of any kind.

The spirit and alacrity shewn by the troops merit every commendation; and if circumstances had admitted of their being led against the enemy, I should have had every reason to expect success.

I am under the greatest obligations to the Admiral, Sir John Borlase Warren, and the Officers of the navy, for the judicious arrangements made for the landing and re-embarkation of the troops, and the activity with which they were put in execution. The immediate direction of this service was intrusted to Sir Edward Pellew, who performed it in a manner highly creditable to himself, and advantageous to the service.

I have the honour to be, &c.

JAMES PULTENEY.

(R.)

Return of Killed and Wounded of the troops landed at Playa de Dominos, Aug. 25. 1800, under the command of Lieutenant-General Sir JAMES PULTENEY, Bart, off Ferrol, Aug. 27. 1800.

Royals, 2d bat.—1 rank and file killed; 1 rank and file wounded.

23d regiment—3 rank and file wounded.

27th ditto, 2d bat.—2 rank and file wounded.

54th ditto; 2d ditto.—1 rank and file wounded.

52d ditto, 1st ditto.—9 rank and file killed; 1 Captain, 1 serjeant, 1 drummer, 37 rank and file wounded.

52d ditto, 2d ditto.—2 rank and file killed; 3 rank and file wounded.

63d ditto.—4 rank and file killed; 2 rank and file wounded.

Rifle corps.—1 Lieutenant-Colonel, 2 Captains, 1 subaltern, 8 rank and file wounded.

79th regiment.—2 serjeants, 2 rank and file wounded.

Total.—16 rank and file killed; 1 Lieutenant-Colonel, 3 Captains, 1 subaltern, 3 serjeants, 1 drummer, 59 rank file wounded.

Names of Officers Dead of their Wounds and Wounded.

Captain Torrens, of the 1st battalion 52d regiment, dead of his wounds.

Hon. Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart, of the 67th regiment, Captain Hamilton, of the 27th regiment; Captain Trevers, of the 79th regiment, Lieutenant Edmonstone, of the 2d battalion Royals (attached to the rifle corps) wounded.

J. PULTENEY, Lieutenant-General.

L. Z. VASSALL, Dep. Adj. General.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, *Sept. 6.*

Copy of a letter from the Earl of ST VINCENT, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated off Ushant, Sept. 2. 1800.

SIR,

For the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, I inclose a letter this moment received from Rear Admiral Sir John Borlase Warren, of his Majesty's ship *Renown*,

[Price 6d.]



and another from Captain Keats, of his Majesty's ship the Boadicea. I am, &c.

ST VINCENT.

Copy of a letter from Rear-Admiral Sir JOHN BORLASE WARREN, K. B. to Admiral the Earl of ST VINCENT, V. B. dated Renown, bay of Playa de Dominos, August 27. 1800.

MY LORD,

I beg leave to inform you that the Squadron and convoy under my command arrived off this bay on the 25th instant, without having fell in with anything excepting the St Vincent schooner, who had parted from Captain Curzon.

General Sir James Pulteney having desired that the troops might be disembarked, I directed Sir Edward Pellew to superintend that service, assisted by Captains Hood, Dalrymple, Fyffe, and Stackpool, with Captains Guion, Searle, and Young, which was most ably performed on the same night in the bay above-mentioned, after a fort of eight twenty-four pounders had been silenced by the fire of the Impetueux, Brilliant, Cynthia, and St Vincent gun-boat; the whole army were on shore without the loss of a man, together with sixteen field-pieces, attended by seamen from the men of war to carry scaling ladders, and to get the guns up the heights above Ferrol.

On the morning of the 26th the General informed me, by letter, that from the strength of the country and works, no further operations could be carried on, and that it was his intention to re-embark the troops, which I ordered to take place, and the Captains of the Squadron to attend, and I have the satisfaction to add that, by their indefatigable exertion, the whole army, artillery, and horses, were again taken on board the transports and men of war before day-break on the 27th.

I shall immediately proceed with the Squadron and convoy, in pursuance of the latter part of your Lordship's orders.

I have the honour to be, &c.

J. B. WARREN.

Boadicea, off Ferrol, 20th
August 1800.

MY LORD,

I have the honour to inform your Lordship of the capture of the Spanish ship La Union, of 550 tons, 22 guns, and 130 men, by his Majesty's ship under my command, on the 14th instant; the ship sailed from Corunna on the 13th, was bound to Buenos Ayres, and has on board various merchandize.

I have the honour to be, &c.

R. G. KEATS.

Right Hon. the Admiral Earl St Vincent, &c.

COPENHAGEN, August 28.

Her Royal Highness the Duchefs of Augustenburgh was safely delivered of a Prince on the 25th inst. both her Royal Highness and the young Prince are as well as can be expected.

WAR-OFFICE, Sept. 6.

2d Dragoon Guards---W. H. Tonkin to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Hodge, promoted in the 6th foot.

11th Light Dragoons---Cornet the Hon. Berkeley Paget, from the 7th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mabbott, promoted in the 83d foot. H. F. Mellish to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Lutyens, promoted.

14th ditto---Cornet George Humphry, from the 1st dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir John Cox, who retires. Lieutenant George Humphry to be Adjutant, vice Drought, who resigns.

3d Foot Guards---Keate to be Ensign, vice Peacock, deceased.

9th Foot---Ensign James Heywood to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Ferricr, who retires. Assistant-Surgeon --- Johnson to be Surgeon, vice Fitzgerald; promoted. Hospital-Mate --- Rumsley to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Johnson.

13th ditto---Ensign James Blake to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shiel, who retires.

24th ditto---Lieut. Henry Andrews to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles S. Andrews, who retires. Denis Daly to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Pinfold; promoted.

29th ditto---Hospital-Mate --- Gibbon to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Walsh, promoted in the 49th foot.

34th ditto---Ensign John Otter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nelson, promoted in the 56th foot.

37th ditto---Ensign Thomas Temple Fenton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Campbell, promoted.

49th ditto---Assistant Surgeon --- Walsh, from the 29th foot, to be Surgeon, vice Forman, promoted.

58th ditto---Charles Renny to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Toole, promoted.

64th ditto---Capt. Sir John Wardlaw, Bart. from the 63d foot, to be Major, without purchase, vice Dowell, promoted in the 63d foot.

68th ditto.

To b: Lieutenants, without purchase---Ensign the Honourable Gerard De Courcey, vice M'Donell, whose appointment has not taken place. Ensign James Wall, vice Gordon, whose appointment has not taken place. Ensign Charles Reid, vice Murray, whose appointment has not taken place.

70th ditto---J. L. Firth, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hanger, who retires.

85th ditto---Ensign Henry Rogers to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wye, promoted.

92d ditto---George Home Murray, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Phipps, promoted.

2d West India regiment---Walter Laidlaw to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Patrickson, promoted in the 68th foot.

A Corps of Infantry---Lieut.-Col. John Frazer, from the royal garrison battalion, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant. Lieut. Bernard Macnamara, from the Invalids at Jersey, to be Captain.

Captain Nugent's Levy---George Fentonto be Quarter-Master.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Inspector Theodore Gordon to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals in the Leeward Islands.

Loyal Cromarty Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant John Joynes to be First Lieutenant, vice M'Glaithan, who resigns. Volunteer Simon Frazer to be Second Lieutenant; vice Joynes.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain Charles O'Brien and Lieut. Michael Chadwick, of Colonel Sir Vere Hunt's regiment of fencible infantry, are superferded, having absented themselves without leave.

BANKRUPTS.

Wm. Brunt, Swansea, Glamorgan, dealer & chapman
Wm. Greenfield, Queen-Street, Middlesex, vintner

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,
Computed from the Returns made for the week ending
the 3d day of September,
is Sixty-nine Shillings and Three Pence
per Hundred Weight,
Inclusive of the duty of Customs paid or payable thereon
on the Importation thereof into Great Britain.

Errat.—In last Friday's Edinburgh Gazette, the Meeting of the Creditors of John M'Onie, Merchant in Glasgow, is to be held in the house of John Lennox, vintner, Buchanan's Court, in place of John Lochhead's, vintner, advertised by mistake.

DUNBAR, Sept. 1. 1800.

THE Company carried on at Dunbar, under the Firm of MIDDLEMASS, HAY, & COMPANY, was this day DISSOLVED by consent of all the partners.

LAUDERDALE.
ALEX. TOD.
CHA. HAY.
CHR. MIDDLEMASS.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY,

THAT GEORGE RENNIE, a Partner in the Manufacturing Concern carried on in Glasgow under the Firm of SCOTT, RENNIE, & COMPANY, hath had no concern with said Company since the 8th April last.

July 9. 1800.

WILLIAM RUSSELL.
JOHN SCOTT.
WALTER SCOTT.

NOTICE.

THE Concern carried on here by the Subscribers, under the firm and designation of GLASGOW and ARNOT, Manufacturers in Glasgow, was DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, on the 15th day of March last.

Glasgow, Sept. 5. 1800.

JOHN GLASGOW.
ALEX. ARNOT.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ALEXANDER LESLIE, Farmer and Cattle Dealer at Miltoyn of Ferness. Charles Black, writer in Forres, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Alexander Leslie, hereby intimates to the creditors, that he will be ready to pay the first and only dividend; at his office in Forres, on the 18th day of October next.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

MRS AGNES THOMSON, late Linen Draper in Glasgow and in Greenock. Hugh Crawford, sen. writer in Greenock, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Agnes Thomson, hereby intimates, that he is soon to make a final dividend of the bankrupt's effects; and requires those creditors who have hitherto failed to lodge their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with their oaths on the verity thereof, to do so betwixt and the 23d day of November next, being ten months from the date of the sequestration; with certificate, that the creditor or creditors failing to comply with this requisition shall have no share in the distribution of the debtor's estate to be made by the trustee soon thereafter.—Sept. 8. 1800.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ROBERT GILLIES, Merchant in Beith. Robert Oliphant, merchant in Glasgow, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Robert Gillies, hereby intimates, that he has made up a state of the funds recovered, with a scheme of division of them among the creditors, which lie in his hands for their inspection until the 13th of October next; when he requests a meeting of the creditors in his counting-room, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive their dividends.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DANIEL RANKINE, Haberdasher in Glasgow. Henry Gray, merchant in Glasgow, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Daniel Rankine, hereby intimates, that he has made up a state of the funds recovered, and a scheme of division of them among the creditors, which lie in his hands for their inspection until the 13th of October next; when he requests a meeting of the creditors in his counting-room, at twelve o'clock noon, to receive their dividends.