

Admiralty-Office, September 27, 1796.

*Extracts of Letters from Vice-Admiral Kingmill, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Cork, to Ewan Nepean, Esq; dated on Board His Majesty's Ship Santa Margarita, the 18th and 20th of September, 1796.*

YOU will please to inform their Lordships, that L'Indemité, a fast-sailing Brig Privateer, out of Bourdeaux, pierced for Fourteen Guns, mounting Ten, and Sixty-eight Men, arrived here the Day before Yesterday, sent in by His Majesty's Ships Diana, Cerberus and Seahorse.

September 20, 1796.

PLEASE to inform my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that His Majesty's Sloop Penguin arrived here Yesterday, and brought in Le Taupe à L'Oeuil, French Privateer Brig, as will appear more particularly by the inclosed Accounts from Captain Pulling.

*Penguin, Cove of Cork, September 19, 1796.*

S I R,

CRUISING, in consequence of your Orders, Yesterday at Four P. M. after a Chace of Ten Hours, from the Southward, I took the Brig Mary, of Liverpool, (taken off Waterford by Le Taupe à L'Oeuil, French Lugger Privateer, of Eight Guns and Forty-two Men, on the 13th Instant) when the Frenchman, finding her a fast Sailer, abandoned the Privateer, taking out the Guns, Arms, and Ammunition, and armed the Mary, (changing her Name to Le Taupe à L'Oeuil) giving up the Lugger to the English Prisoners they had on Board from their different Prizes, since which they have been cruising in the Channel, and had taken the Brig Liverpool, of Liverpool, from Lisbon; however, I have the Satisfaction to inform you none of her Prizes escaped the Penguin, as you will see by the List I have the Honor to inclose: The Lugger, at the Time the Enemy abandoned her, had been Eighteen Days from Brest.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

J. K. PULLING.

*Robert Kingmill, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the Red, &c. &c.*

*List of Vessels captured by Le Taupe à L'Oeuil, French Privateer Lugger, and recaptured by His Majesty's Sloop Penguin, J. K. Pulling, Esq; Commander.*

Iris, Samuel Walters Master, of and from Swansea, bound to Cork, laden with Coals, taken the 11th of September, retaken the 12th.

Bersey, William Biggs Master, from Exeter, belonging to Teignmouth, bound to Milford, laden with Pottery, taken the 12th of September, ransomed; Ransomer and Bond retaken in the Mary the 18th.

Mary, John Laughton Master, from Leghorn, belonging to Liverpool, bound to Bristol, laden with Merchandize; taken the 13th of September, retaken the 18th.

Liverpool, — Underwood Master, from Lisbon, belonging to Liverpool, bound to Bristol, laden with Cotton, taken the 16th of September, retaken the 16th.

Whitehall, September 27.

THE following Address having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Portland, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been by him presented to the King; which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, the Corps of Leeds Volunteers, enrolled under your Royal Commission, beg Leave thus to renew our solemn Assurance of loyal Attachment to your sacred Person, and the Constitution of this Country.

Happy in the Enjoyment of the Blessings secured to all your Subjects, by your mild and equal Administration of the Laws, we felt ourselves compelled, by Principles of Gratitude, Duty and Affection, to arm against the Efforts of Rebellion or Sedition which might occur within this Town and Neighbourhood.

The same Principles now urge us to stand forth, against those desperate and perfidious Foreign Enemies of this happy Island, whom Views of Plunder and Desolation have led to menace it with Invasion, Should therefore an Invasion be attempted, we humbly offer our Services and Exertions, in whatever Part of this Kingdom your Majesty may please to require them, in Defence of our Country, and in Support of your Crown and Dignity.

By Desire of the Corps,

*Tho. Lloyd,*

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant.

Inclosure of Commons.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Application is intended to be made the next Session of Parliament, for an Act to inclose, divide and allot the Commons, Moors, Wastes and Waste Grounds called Great Harwood Lee, Little Harwood Lee, Nabb Moor, and Bosson's Hill, all of them within the Township of Harwood, in the Parish of Bolton in the Moors, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, and for inclosing, dividing and allotting all and every other the Commons, Moors, Wastes, Commonable Places and Waste Grounds in Harwood aforesaid. Dated the 3d Day of September, in the Year of our Lord, 1796.

*Samuel Rathbone, Solicitor.*

Notice for a Canal in Scotland.

IT is intended, in the Course of the ensuing Session, to apply to Parliament for Leave to bring in a Bill for making a Canal in the County of Ayr, in Scotland, from Riccartoun Bridge, near Kilmarnock, to the Troon Harbour on the Frith of Clyde, leading through the Parishes of Riccartoun, Symington, and Dundonald, and for making a proper Harbour at the Troon.

The Expence of carrying this Work into Execution is to be raised by Subscription; and Plans and Estimates of the Work will be lodged, before the 11th of November next, for the Inspection of all concerned, with the Justice of Peace Clerk of the County, at his Office in Ayr, where Subscriptions will be received, and all Particulars explained.