

carrying One Hundred and Twenty Men, from Conception bound to Lima, laden with Corn, Wine, Pale Goods, &c. On this Occasion I am much concerned to state Mr. Bennett, a very valuable and brave Officer, was so dangerously wounded that he died Three Days after the Action; the Second and Fourth Mates, Marine Officer, and Two Seamen badly wounded by Pikes, but since recovered. On the 20th, both Ships being much disabled, and having more Prisoners than Crew, I stood close in and sent Eighty-six on Shore in the large Ship's Launch to Lima; we afterwards learned that Seventeen of the Wounded had died."

"At Four A. M. on the 24th September, standing in to cut out from the Roads of Puna, in Guaiquill Bay, a Ship that I had Information of, mounting Twenty-two Guns, fell in with a large Spanish Brig with a Broad Pendant at Main-Top-Mast-Head; at Five she commenced her Fire on us, but she being at a Distance to windward, and desirous to bring her close to Action, we received Three Broadshots before a Shot was returned; at Half-past Five being Yard-Arm and Yard-Arm, commenced our Fire with great Effect, and after a very severe Action of Two Hours and Three Quarters, during the latter Part she made every Effort to get away, I had the Honor to see the Spanish Flag struck to the Chance; she proved to be the Spanish Man of War Brig Limeno, mounting Eighteen long Six-Pound Guns, commanded by Commodore Don Philip de Martinez, the Senior Officer of the Spanish Marine on that Coast, and manned with One Hundred and Forty Men, sent from Guaiquill, for the express Purpose of taking the Chance, and then to proceed to the Northward to take Three English Whalers laying in one of their Ports; she had Fourteen Men killed and Seven wounded; the Captain mortally wounded, who died Two Days after the Action; the Chance had Two Men killed and one wounded, and had only Fifty Men at the Commencement of the Action, mounting Sixteen Guns Twelve and Six-Pounders."

THE CIRCUITS appointed for the LENT ASSIZES, 1802, are as follow, viz.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Lord Kenyon, Lord Chief Justice.
Mr. Justice Rooke.

City of York, Saturday March 6, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Yorkshire, The same Day, at the Castle of York.

Lincolnshire, Saturday March 20, at the Castle of Lincoln.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

Lord Alvanley, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas.

Mr. Justice Grose.

Buckinghamshire, Saturday March 6, at Aylesbury.

Bedfordshire, Thursday March 11, at Bedford.

Huntingdonshire, Saturday March 13, at Huntingdon.

Cambridgeshire, Wednesday March 17, at Cambridge.

Norfolk, Saturday March 20, at Thetford.

Suffolk, Thursday March 25, at Bury Saint Edmund's.

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MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Lord Chief Baron Macdonald.
Mr. Baron Graham.

Northamptonshire, Monday March 1, at Northampton.

Rutland, Friday March 5, at Oakham.

Lincolnshire, Saturday March 6, at the Castle of Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, Same Day, at the City of Lincoln.

Nottinghamshire, Thursday March 11, at Nottingham.

Town of Nottingham, Same Day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Derbyshire, Saturday March 13, at Derby.

Leicestershire, Thursday March 18, at the Castle of Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, Same Day, at the Borough of Leicester.

City of Coventry, Tuesday March 23, at the City of Coventry.

Warwickshire, Same Day, at Warwick.

HOME CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron Hotham.
Mr. Justice Heath.

Hertfordshire, Monday March 8, at Hertford.

Essex, Wednesday March 10, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday March 15, at Maidstone.

Surrey, Monday March 22, at Kingston upon Thames.

Suffex, Saturday March 27, at Horsham.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron Thomson.
Mr. Justice Chambre.

Berkshire, Monday March 1, at Reading.

Oxfordshire, Wednesday March 3, at Oxford.

Worcestershire, Saturday March 6, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, The same Day, at the City of Worcester.

Gloucestershire, Wednesday March 10, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, The same Day, at the City of Gloucester.

Monmouthshire, Saturday March 13, at Monmouth.

Herefordshire, Tuesday March 16, at Hereford.

Shropshire, Saturday March 20, at Shrewsbury.

Staffordshire, Thursday March 25, at Stafford.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Lawrence.
Mr. Justice Le Blanc.

Southampton, Tuesday March 9, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wilts, Saturday March 13, at New Sarum.

Dorset, Thursday March 18, at Dorchester.

Devon, Monday March 22, at the Castle of Exeter.

City and County of Exeter, The same Day, at the Guildhall of the City of Exeter.

Cornwall, Saturday March 27, at Launceston.

Somerfet, Thursday April 1, at the Castle of Taunton.

NORTH WALES SPRING CIRCUIT.

Thomas Manners Sutton, Esquire.
Robert Steele, Esquire.

Anglesey, Tuesday April 6, at Beaumaris.

Carnarvonshire, Monday April 12, at Carnarvon.

Merionethshire, Saturday April 17, at Bala.

