

Admiralty-Office, July 8, 1806.

*Copy of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Dacres, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Jamaica, to William Marsden, Esq; dated at Port-Royal, May 16, 1806.*

SIR,

I INCLOSE, for the Information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Copy of a Letter I have received from Captain Wile, acquainting me of the Elk having taken one of the St. Jago de Cuba Row-Boat Privateers that had captured Two Droggers, one of which she was fortunate enough to recapture.

I am, &c.

J. R. DACRES.

*His Majesty's Sloop Elk, Lucea, May 12, 1806.*

SIR,

I HAVE the Honor to inform you, that having received Intelligence off St. Ann's, the Evening of the 4th Instant, there was a small Spanish Privateer on the Coast which had captured Two Droggers; thinking it most probable they would stand over to Cuba in the Night, we made sail to the Northward, and on the Evening of the 5th, were so fortunate as to fall in with them off Cape Cruz, to retake one of the Droggers, and to capture La Cubaña Spanish Row-Boat Privateer, armed with One Swivel and small Arms; had been Five Days from St. Jago, her Crew originally consisted of Fourteen Men, but she had only Five on board when captured.

I am, &c.

(Signed) W. F. WISE.

*To James Richard Dacres, Esq; Vice-Admiral of the White, Commander in Chief, &c. &c. Jamaica.*

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*Copy of another Letter from Vice-Admiral Dacres, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Jamaica, to William Marsden, Esq; dated Port-Royal, 16th May 1806.*

SIR,

I HAVE the Honor to inclose, for their Lordships' Information, the Copy of a Letter I have received from Captain Selby, of the Cerberus, acquainting me of his having captured, the Day before he arrived, a Privateer that was hovering about the Convoy.

I am, &c.

JAS. R. DACRES.

*His Majesty's Ship Cerberus, off the East End of Jamaica, 15th May 1806.*

SIR,

I BEG Leave to acquaint you, that this Morning, as I was standing towards Jamaica, with a Convoy under my Charge bound to that Island, I discovered, at Dawn of Day, a Vessel of a suspicious Appearance hovering about the Fleet; I stood towards her, when she immediately hauled her Wind, under a Press of Sail; upon which I gave Chace, and in Two Hours had the good Fortune to come up with and capture her. She proves to be La Amable Theresa, belonging to St. Jago de Cuba, armed with Two Brass Howitzers, and Eighteen Men, and containing a Cargo of Wine and Merchandize, out Three Days from St. Jago de Cuba.

I feel much Satisfaction in having it in my Power to communicate to you the Capture of the above Vessel, as in the Event of her Escape she must have proved a great Annoyance to the Trade of this

Island, and particularly so to the large Convoy under my Command.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

(Signed)

W. SELBY.

*To Vice-Admiral Dacres, Commander in Chief, &c. &c. &c.*

*Whitehall, July 5, 1806.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Davie, of Plymouth-Dock, in the County of Devon, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.*

*Lovedon Volunteers.*

Beaumont Leefon, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice Salkeld. Dated June 7, 1806.

*Commissions in the Royal South Lincolnshire Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.*

George Denshire, Esq; to be Major, vice Hurst resigned. Dated June 10, 1806.

William Bailey, Esq; to be Captain, vice Denshire, promoted. Dated June 26, 1806.

Warren Maude, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated June 25, 1806.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.*

*Elham Troop of Yeomanry.*

Elias Lott, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Kemp, deceased. Dated July 3, 1806.

*Crown-Office, July 8, 1806.*

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Honiton.*

The Honorable Augustus Cavendish Bradshaw.

THE CIRCUITS appointed for the SUMMER ASSIZES, 1806, are as follow, viz.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron Graham.

Mr. Baron Sutton.

*City of York, and County of the same City, Saturday, July 19, at the Guildhall of the said City.*

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

*Durham, Tuesday, July 29, at the Castle of Durham.*

*Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and County of the same Town, Saturday, August 2, at the Guildhall of the said Town.*

*Northumberland, The same Day, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.*

*Cumberland, Friday, August 8, at the City of Carlisle.*

*Westmorland, Wednesday August 13, at Appleby.*

*Lancashire, Saturday, August 16, at the Castle of Lancaster.*

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

Sir James Mansfield, Lord Chief Justice.

Mr. Justice Grose.

*Buckinghamshire, Monday, July 28, at Buckingham.*