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Admiralty-Office, August 23, 1808.

*Copy of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Sir John Borlase Warren, K. B. Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Halifax, to the Honourable W. W. Pole, dated at Halifax, July 14, 1808.*

SIR,

BE pleased to communicate the inclosed Copy of a Letter I have received from Captain Austen, acquainting me that His Majesty's Sloop Indian under his Command had captured La Jeune Estelle French Privateer, of Four Guns and Twenty-five Men, from the River St. Mary's, bound to St. Domingo with a Cargo of Flour and Provisions; another was in Company, but escaped.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

JOHN BORLASE WARREN.

*His Majesty's Sloop Indian,  
June 27, 1808.*

SIR,

I HAVE the Honour to inform you, that at Daylight on the 19th Instant, being in Latitude 28° 34' N. Longitude 74° 4' W: I fell in with Two Schooners, which instantly made sail from us on different Tacks; I chased the one which appeared largest, and sent the Boats in pursuit of the other. After a short Chace I captured La Jeune Estelle French Privateer, of Four Guns and Twenty-five Men; from the River St. Mary's to St. Domingo with a Cargo of Flour and Provisions. I am sorry to add that, in consequence of a Breeze springing up when within half Gun-shot, the Boats were not able to come up with the other, which I learn from the Prisoners was L'Exchange, of Six Guns and Ninety-five Men, partly loaded with Provisions, and bound also to St. Domingo.

La Jeune Estelle had One Man killed and One wounded by our Chace Guns. From the Nature of her Cargo I have thought it advisable to take her to Bermuda, which I hope will meet with your Approbation.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

C. J. AUSTEN, Commander.

*Vice-Admiral Sir John Borlase Warren,  
&c. &c. &c. Halifax.*

*Whitehall, August 23, 1808.*

The King has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the United King-

dom of Great Britain and Ireland, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Bristol to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God John, late Bishop thereof, to the See of Hereford; and His Majesty has also been pleased, by His Royal Sign Manual, to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend William Lort Mansell, Doctor in Divinity, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Bristol.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of In-*

*verness.*

*Invernesshire, &c. Regiment of Militia.*

W. Angus Mackintosh, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice M<sup>r</sup>Gregor, deceased. Dated August 3, 1808.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County*

*of Stirling.*

*28th or Stirlingshire Militia.*

John Kollet, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Amory, promoted. Dated March 20, 1808.

James M<sup>r</sup>Donald, on Half-Pay of 7th Dragoons, to be ditto, vice Ramsay, promoted. Dated May 20, 1808.

Alexander M<sup>r</sup>Lachlan, jun. Gent. to be ditto, vice Napier. Dated August 3, 1808.

Dr. Benjamin Hardtman to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated June 8, 1808.

*Stirlingshire Gentlemen and Yeomanry Cavalry.*

John Dunmore Napier, Esq; to be Lieutenant, vice M<sup>r</sup>Donald Buchanan, resigned. Dated July 4, 1808.

Quarter-Master Henry Stainton to be Cornet, vice Smith, promoted in the Militia. Dated June 9, 1808.

James Dinmore, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice Corbet, deceased. Dated July 18, 1808.

*Eastern Battalion of Stirlingshire Volunteer Infantry.*

Michael Nicolson, Esq; to be Captain, vice Duthie, resigned. Dated November 21, 1807.

Lieutenant Neil Carnie to be ditto, vice Allan, resigned. Dated June 7, 1808.

Ensign John Rankine to be Lieutenant, vice Johnston, promoted. Dated April 7, 1808.