

passed in the Eighteenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, for repairing the Roads from Whittle Bridge, in the Parish of Barwick, in the County of Somerset, to the Turnpike Road in the Parish of Charminster, in the County of Dorset; from the Cross in the Town of Maiden Newton, to a Stream of Water in the Parish of South Perrott, in the County of Dorset; from Furze Moor Gate, in the Parish of Broadwinfor, to Lenham's Water, in the Parish of Beaminster; from Bugler's Corner, in the Town of Beaminster, to the Dorsetshire Inn, in the Parish of Woolcombe; and from the Town of Frampton to the Western Turnpike Road, near Steepleton, in the said County of Dorset.

And to Seven Private Bills.

Admiralty-Office, May 8, 1798.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Hulfed, of His Majesty's Ship Phoenix, to Mr. Nepean, dated Plymouth Sound, the 6th Instant.

S I R,

BE pleased to inform their Lordships, that His Majesty's Ship under my Command arrived here this Day, in Company with Le Brave French Privateer, pierced for 22 Guns, and carrying 18, which are Eighteens and Twelves, with 160 Men. She was captured in the Night of the 24th Ult. in Latitude 49. deg. N. Longitude 16 deg. W. after some Resistance, by which she had a few Men killed, and 14 wounded. The Phoenix received some trifling Damage in her Sails and Rigging, but no Person hurt. She is a very fine Ship, of 600 Tons, is coppered, and sails exceedingly fast. It is an additional Pleasure to me to say there were about Fifty English Prisoners on Board her at the Time, none of whom received any Injury from our Shot. On the 25th we retook the Thetis, a valuable American Ship, from Charlestown to London, which this Privateer captured a few Days before.

Admiralty-Office, May 8, 1798.

Copy of a Letter from Rear-Admiral Harvey, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at the Leeward Islands, to Ewan Nepean, Esq; dated on Board the Prince of Wales, Fort Royal Bay, Martinique, the 13th of March, 1798.

S I R,

BE pleased to acquaint their Lordships, that Captain Barton, in His Majesty's Ship Concorde, has captured the undermentioned French Privateers belonging to Guadaloupe,

Le Hardy Schooner, of 8 Guns and 60 Men

Le Hazard Schooner, of 2 Guns and 27 Men.

The first was taken the 11th Ult. off Barbuda, and the latter the 13th, off Montserrat, and both were sent to St. Christopher's.

They had been out but One Day each, and had not made any Captures.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

HEN. HARVEY.

Prince of Wales, Fort Royal Bay, Martinique, March 10, 1798.

S I R,

I Am to acquaint you, for the Information of their Lordships, that His Majesty's Ship Lapwing, Captain Thomas Harvey, captured, the 18th of last Month, off Nevis, Le Mutine French Privateer

Schooner, belonging to Guadaloupe, of 8 Guns and 61 Men; and that His Majesty's Ship Roebuck, Captain Burrowes, captured, on the 19th. off Martinique, La Parfaite French Privateer Schooner, belonging to Guadaloupe, of 10 Guns and 60 Men; both of them had been out some Time, but had not made any Captures.

You will also be pleased to acquaint their Lordships, that His Majesty's Sloop Cyane, Captain Manning, captured a small Schooner, off St. Vincent, the 26th Ult. of 4 Guns and 22 Men

I am, &c.

HEN. HARVEY.

Ewan Nepean, Esq;

War-Office, May 8, 1798.

SECOND Regiment of Life Guards, Captain George Bruhl, from the Half-Pay of the Independents, to be Captain of a Troop, vice Dottin, who exchanges.

1st Troop of the late Horse Grenadier Guards, Captain Richard Weeks, from the Berkshire Militia, to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Sykes, who resigns.

16th Regiment of Light Dragoons, John Rainbottom, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Leitch, promoted.

2d Regiment of Foot, William Castley, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Heslop, promoted.

8th Ditto, Major George Airey, from the 68th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by Purchase, vice Dawson, who retires.

14th Ditto, Lieutenant George Miller, from the 40th Foot, to be Captain, by Purchase, vice Powell, promoted.

16th Ditto, Ensign Clement Briggs, from the Half-Pay of the Independents, to be Ensign, vice Booth, removed to the 74th Foot.

22d Ditto, Henry Thomas Hurlstone, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice M'Millan, promoted.

31st Ditto, Francis Forster, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Buchanan, promoted.

43d Ditto, Ensign Ewen Cameron to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Sergison, promoted in the 62d Foot.

Ensign John Stokes, from the 2d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice O'Meara.

45th Ditto, ——— St. John, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Richards, promoted in the 15th Foot.

46th Ditto, Captain Francis Forester, from the Half-Pay of the 95th Foot, to be Captain, vice Murray, who exchanges.

50th Ditto, Lieutenant John Gualy, from Maclean's Independent Company of Chasseurs, to be Lieutenant, vice Grant, who retires on the Half-Pay of the said Company.

51st Ditto, Charles Frederick Tolfrey, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Grey, who retires.

55th Ditto, Ensign George Macdonnell to be Lieutenant, vice Steele, who is superseded, not being of a proper Age.

Ensign the Hon. Archibald Macdonald to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Gilmer, who retires.

Archibald Macdonald, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Macdonnell.

59th Ditto, Ensign Thomas Watts to be Lieutenant, by Purchase.

60th Ditto, Ensign ——— Ammon to be Lieutenant.