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FROM FRIDAY, JANUARY 31. TO TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4. 1806.

WHITEHALL, JAN. 29.

The King has been pleased to confer the honour of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath on the Right Hon. William Earl of Northesk, Rear-Admiral of the Red, and Sir Richard John Strachan, Bart. Rear-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of his Majesty's Fleet.

The King has also been pleased to grant the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to Thomas Masterman Hardy, Esq. Captain in the Royal Navy, and the heirs male of his body, lawfully begotten.

DOWNING-STREET, JAN. 25.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Hon. Lyndsay Burrell to be his Majesty's Secretary of Legation at the Court of Dresden.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, FEB. 1.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Hon. Lord Keith, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to Wm. Marsden, Esq. dated on board the Edgar, off Ramsgate, 30th Jan. 1806.

SIR—I transmit, for their Lordships' information, a copy of a letter from Lieut. Smithies, commanding the Bruizer gun-vessel, to Vice-Admiral Holloway, reporting the capture of the French lugger privateer L'Impromptu, one of the enemy's cruisers, by which the trade in the narrow part of the Channel has of late been much annoyed.

I have the honour to be, &c. KEITH.

His Majesty's Brig Bruizer, Downs, 30th January 1806.

SIR—I have the honour to acquaint you, for the information of the Commander in Chief, that our standing close in with the high land, near Folkestone, yesterday morning about two o'clock (being hazy), a lugger was observed hovering about with an intent (as I have been since informed), to board; but, on finding her mistake, and his Majesty's brig bearing up, made all fail; she was captured after a chase of seven hours, during which they have most of their gun-carriages, stores and provisions overboard. She proves to be the Impromptu French privateer, of Boulogne (last from Calais), commanded by Jacques Sauvage, with a complement

of 50 men, 15 guns, two only of which were mounted when captured; and she is a remarkable fine vessel, and, I am informed the best sailer from that port; might have been a great annoyance to the trade. Last week she captured two brigs, the Mary of Pooll, laden with coals, and the Caroline of Weymouth, laden with barley.

I am, &c. T. SMITHIES, Lieut.

P. S. On coming up with the chace, the Combatant, Capt. Kerr, joined company, and took out part of the prisoners.

John Holloway, Esq. Vice-Admiral of the Red, &c.

(Lord Collingwood transmits a list of vessels (five in number) taken by his cruisers between the 19th November and 31st December.)

WAR-OFFICE, JAN. 28.

3d Dragon Guards—John Lee to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Clarke, promoted.

3d Dragoons—Lieut. Wm. R. Wynter, from the 34th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Browne, who exchanges.

7th Light Dragoons—Lieut. J. Campbell to be Capt. of a troop, by purchase, vice Mansell, who retires; Cornet William Verner to be Lieutenant, vice Campbell.

16th—Wm. Berse to be Cornet, without purchase, vice E. C. Cocks, promoted.

19th—Lieut. Thomas Martin, from 25th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, without purchase; Quartermaster S. Saunders to be Adjutant, with the rank of Cornet, vice Smith, deceased.

2d—Cornet and Adjutant James Adthead to have the rank of Lieutenant; Cornet Charles Dudley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice C. Grant, promoted in the 9th Light Dragoons.

25th—Lieutenant and Adjutant John Hilton to be Captain of a troop, vice Sloane deceased; Cornet Thomas Martin to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Keighley, appointed to the 19th Light Dragoons; Frederick Gore Wade, to be Cornet, vice Martin; Lieutenant Benjamin Scott to be Adjutant, vice Hilton.

3d Foot Guards—Charles Falbot to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Dalwood, promoted.

12th Foot—Ensign Anthony Troyer to be Lieutenant, vice Hartley, promoted in the 24th foot; William H. Ashe to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cleavland, promoted; John Frith to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Llewellyn, promoted.

15th—Capt. Henry Reynolds Hinde, from the 1st regiment of Life Guards, to be Captain of a company, vice Davies, who exchanges.

33d—Lieut. John L. Harty to be Captain of a company, by purchase, vice Collington, who retires; Ensign Terence Fitzgerald to be Lieutenant, vice Harty; Edmund Anderfon to be Ensign, vice Fitzgerald.

34th—Lieut. Thomas Hooper, from the 73d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Beaumont, who exchanges; Ensign Henry Athorpe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice C. Roberts, who resigns; Lieut. Edward Browne, from the 3d Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Wynter, who exchanges.

39th—Collet Barker to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burton, promoted in the 34th foot.

42d—Lieut. David Ogilvy to be Captain of a company, by purchase, vice Macara, promoted.

43d—Ensign James Shaw to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Watson, who resigns.

52d—Lord James Hay to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Macnamara, who resigns.

59th—Assistant-Surgeon Richard Jebb Browne to be Surgeon.

60th—To be Lieutenants, without purchase—Ensign Richard Campbell, vice Kellerman, promoted in the 96th foot; Ensign F. Duncker, vice Berger, promoted in the 96th foot; Ensign Ernest C. Kerling, vice Schulties, promoted in the Royal African corps; Ensign J. F. Galbraith, vice L. Inturn, promoted.

To be Ensigns— de Tisseau, vice Campbell; F. Meyhuagen, vice Duncker; James Taree, vice Kerling.

65th—Lieut. Arthur Armstrong to be Captain of a company, without purchase, vice Garstin, promoted; Lieut. Nathaniel Warren to be Captain of a company, vice Moore, deceased; Ensign Thomas Strangeways to be Lieutenant, vice Clerk, deceased; Ensign R. James Debnam to be Lieutenant, vice Doran, deceased.

73d—Capt. Arthur Morris, from Champagne's regiment, to be Captain of a company, vice Crofton,

