

of my dispatches; an officer of great merit, and who commanded one of the boats employed on this service.

MY LORD,

His Majesty's Ship Tigre, off Cape St Sebastian, Nov. 1, 1809.

In obedience to your Lordship's order of the 30th ult. I proceeded to the bay of Rosas with the ships and sloops named in the margin, where finding it impracticable to attack the enemy's convoy while under weigh, (the wind being at S. E. and a heavy swell,) I anchored the ships of the squadron yesterday evening after dark, about five miles off the town of Rosas, and detached all the boats, under the command of Lieut. Tailour, First of the Tigre, to destroy them; the spirited manner in which he led them on to the attack, commanded the admiration of every one present; and the gallant manner in which he was supported reflects the highest honour on every person employed on this service.

I have the honour to inclose a list of vessels captured and destroyed on this occasion; and when your Lordship is informed that the enemy was aware of our intention to attack him, and had taken the precaution of fixing boarding nettings, and placing a launch with a gun in it in advance, to give him a notice of our approach, and that the vessels were also defended by the very strong batteries on shore, I trust your Lordship will consider it equal in gallantry and judgment to any exploit that has occurred under your Lordship's command.

Our loss has been severe; and among the list of killed I have to lament the loss of Lieut. Tait, of the Volontaire, of whom Captain Bullen speaks in high terms, as an officer who has distinguished himself upon many occasions; and Mr Caldwell, master's mate of the Tigre; the latter has left a widowed mother in distressed circumstances, who looked to him for comfort and support. Among the wounded are Lieut. Tailour of the Tigre, and Lieut. Forster of the Apollo, severely.

The brigs were directed to keep under weigh, and were in an admirable situation at day-light to have given assistance, had it been necessary.

I have the honour also to inclose a list of the officers employed on this service, and I have only to state that their conduct, and that of the seamen and marines under their command, was such as to exceed any encomium from my pen, and entitles them to my warmest thanks and approbation.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) B. HALLOWELL.

A list of Ships and Vessels captured and destroyed by the boats of the squadron under the command of Benjamin Hallowell, Esq. Captain of his Majesty's Ship the Tigre, in the Bay of Rosas, on the morning of the 1st of November 1809.

Armed store ship, La Lemproye, Bertault la Breectree, Lieut. de Vaisseau, commander, of 16 nine-pounders, 116 men, and 600 tons; burnt.—Pierced for 22 guns on the main-deck. Vessel of war.

Bombard, La Victoire, Garribou, Ensign de Vaisseau, commander, of 14 six-pounders, and 80 men; burnt. Vessel of war.

Felucca, L'Assacien, Rouve, master, of 25 muskets, and 20 men; burnt. Transport belonging to Government.

L'Union, of 150 tons; burnt. Landed her cargo. La Bien Aimé, of 150 tons, laden with biscuit; burnt.

Notre Dame de Rosaire, of 150 tons; burnt. Landed her cargo.

Felucca, Notre Dame de Grace, of 90 tons; burnt. Landed her cargo.

Bombard, Le Grondire, Coreille, Ensign de Vaisseau, commander, of 8 six-pounders, and 45 men, laden with biscuit; taken. Transport belonging to government.

Xebeck, Le Normande, Arnaut, Ensign de Vaisseau, commander, of 10 four-pounders, and 48 men; taken. Vessel of war.

Le Dragon, of 200 tons, laden with biscuit; taken.

L'Indien, of 200 tons, laden with corn and flour; taken.

(Signed) B. HALLOWELL.

A Return of Killed and Wounded in the attack on the enemy's vessels on the morning of the 1st of November 1809, in the Bay of Rosas.

TIGRE—Killed—James Caldwell, master's mate. Thomas Jones (1) able. Alexander Duncan, ditto. James Anderson, ditto.

Wounded—John Tailour, Lieutenant, severely. D. R. Syer, midshipman, ditto. James Kilfoyle, carpenter's crew, slightly. William Window, quarter-gunner, ditto. Peter M'Laughlin, able, ditto. John Riley (1) ordinary, ditto. John Westway, private marine, ditto. James Terry, private marine, ditto. James Grant, private marine, ditto. George Lemon, able, ditto.

CUMBERLAND—Killed—John Leigh, ordinary. Thomas Gibson, marine.

Wounded—Richard Stuart, Lieutenant, slightly. John Webster, master's mate. W. H. Brady, midshipman. John White, able. John James, able, slightly. Charles Spraggs, ordinary. Oliver Isaac, ordinary, slightly. Timothy Collins, ordinary. Isaac Stafford, ordinary, very slightly. Stephen Miller, ordinary. John Rielly, ordinary. Robert Kelly, ordinary. George Hetherston, private marine, very dangerously. Thos. Bowles, private marine, slightly. George Mitchell, private marine.

VOLONTAIRE—Killed—Dalhousie Tait, Lieutenant. Thomas Harrison, quarter-gunner.

Wounded—Robert Grant, marine, dangerously. Thomas Sutton, seaman, badly. Christopher Anderson, seaman, ditto. James Hays, seaman, ditto. Jacob Schwerin, seaman, ditto. William Hinson, marine, slightly. James Dawden, marine, ditto. John Davis, seaman, ditto. William Thomas, seaman, ditto. Christopher Feat, seaman, ditto. William Thompson, seaman, ditto. Joseph Lewis, seaman, ditto. John Smith, seaman, ditto. Hon. J. A. Maude, Lieutenant, ditto; a volunteer from the Ville de Paris. John Armstead, midshipman, ditto; a volunteer from the Ville de Paris.

APOLLO—Killed—Evan Jones, serjeant of marines. William Saunders, private marine. John Mackie, able.

Wounded—J. Begbie, First Lieutenant, slightly. J. Forster, Lieutenant, severely. Peter Manning, private marine, dangerously. Louis O. Sauf, ordinary, badly. Caul Sauster, able, slightly.

TOPAZE—Killed—James Callaghan, ordinary. Doug. Carmichael, able. James M'Donald, ordinary. William March, ordinary.

Wounded—Thomas Wilson, able, very severely. William Holberson, ordinary, very severely. Jas. White, ordinary, slightly. John Roberts, captain of foretop, ditto. James Harrington, able, ditto. John Card, private marine, severely. Joseph Carter, private marine, dangerously. Henry Tub, ordinary, slightly.

PHILOMEL AND SCOUT—None killed or wounded.

TUSCAN—Wounded—Pascoe Dunn, Lieutenant, slightly. James Lamb, ordinary, dangerously.

Total killed—1 lieutenant, 1 master's mate, 10 seamen, 1 serjeant of marines, 2 privates of marines. Total wounded—1 seaman, 4 privates of marines, dangerously; 2 Lieutenants, 1 midshipman, 7 seamen, 1 private of marines, severely; 3 lieutenants, 1 master's mate, 2 midshipmen, 28 seamen, 5 privates of marines, slightly.

Grand Total—15 killed, 55 wounded.

(Signed) B. HALLOWELL.

BANKRUPTS.

(From the London Gazette.)

Arthur Williams, of Cheltenham, Gloucester, jeweller. William Anderson, late of Salford, Lancaster, stonemason.

Edward Duffin, now or late of Buckingham, Buckingham, linen-draper.

Godfrey Davis, of Broad Street, Bloomsbury, Middlesex, dealer.

William Argent, late of Hare Street, Romford, Essex, victualler.

John Shelton, of Great Tew, in Oxford, timber-merchant.

John Jeffray, late of the East India Chambers, Leadenhall Street, London, (but now a prisoner for debt in the prison of the King's Bench-Court,) merchant.

James Innskipp the younger, of Battle, Sussex, carpenter.

Christopher Peel, of King Street, Chespside, London, warehouseman.

William Bradley, now or late of Huddersfield, York, victualler.

Peter Coren, of the Chancery Chambers, Quality Court, Chancery Lane, Middlesex, money-scriver.

Edward Stanford, of Castle Street, Leicester Fields, Westminster, livery stable-keeper.

Robert Sadler, of South Shields, Durham, merchant.

John William Sherwood, of Newgate Street, London, cheesemonger.

Samuel Mills, of Stamford, Lincoln, upholsterer.

William Rhodes, of Saddleworth, York, dealer.

Samuel Clark, late of Charlotte Street, Rathbone Place, Oxford Street, Middlesex, tailor.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

Computed from the Returns made in the Week ending the 29th day of November 1809,

Is Fifty Shillings

per Hundred Weight,

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the Importation thereof into Great Britain.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DUGALD MALCOLM RUTHVEN, one of the Partners of the Company of Campbell, Ruthven, and Lindsay, late Merchants in Greenock.

ON advising the petition of the said D. M. Ruthven, with the concurrence of the Trustee on his sequestrated estate, and four-fifths of his Creditors in number and value, for a discharge, the Court of Session appointed the same to be intimated in the Minute-book, and upon the walls of the Inner and Outer-Houses, and to be advertised in the Edinburgh Gazette, that all parties having interest may object thereto, if they think fit; and upon such intimation and advertisement being duly made and reported, the Lords declared, they would, in terms of the statute, resume consideration of the petition, and proceed to determine therein, with or without objections.

Edinburgh, December 5, 1809.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM & DAVID PAUL, Merchants in Perth, as a Company, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee on the said sequestrated estates requests a meeting of the Creditors on Wednesday the 20th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon, within the George Inn, Perth, to consider claims made against the said estates by Alexander Paul & Co. and Alexander Paul; and to give directions thereon: Also, to choose a new Commissioner in place of Provost Robertson, who declines to act any longer; and to give other instructions to the Trustee relative to the said sequestrated estates.

Perth, December 2, 1809.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN IRVING, Brewer in Langholm.

AT a meeting of the Creditors of the said John Irving, held at Dumfries on 30th November 1809, as formerly advertised, he made an offer of a composition of 12s. in the pound of his debts, with caution, payable by instalments at six, twelve, and eighteen months. And the Trustee therefore requests another meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the house of Walter Young, innkeeper in Langholm, on Friday, 22d December next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and deciding upon the said offer.

Langholm, November 30, 1809.