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ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Feb. 10.

Extract of a letter from the Earl of St VINCENT, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated Torbay, the 3d inst.

SIR,

His Majesty's ship Oiseau is this instant arrived, and I inclose a letter from Capt. Linzee, giving an account of the capture of La Dedaigueuse French frigate.

His Majesty's ship L'Oiseau,
Torbay, Feb. 3. 1801.

MY LORD,

I have the honour to acquaint your Lordship, that on Monday the 26th of January, at eight A. M. in lat. 45 deg. N. long. 12. deg. W. I fell in with the French national frigate, La Dedaigueuse, of thirty-six guns and three hundred men, with dispatches from Cayenne for Rochfort, and chased her until noon the following day; when I discovered his Majesty's ships Sirius and Amethyst, off Cape Finisterre, whose Captains I directed by signal to chase, and continued in pursuit of the enemy until two o'clock on Wednesday morning, being within musket shot, she opened her fire on the Sirius and Oiseau, which was immediately returned, and surrendered to the above ships after an action of 45 minutes, distant from the shore, near Cape Belem, about 2 miles; her running rigging and sails were cut to pieces; several men killed and 17 wounded, amongst the latter were the Captain and Fifth Lieutenant. My warmest thanks are due to Captains King and Cooke for their exertions, but particularly to the former, as from the Sirius's steady and well directed fire, the enemy received considerable damage; the Amethyst, from unfavourable winds, was unable to get up until she had struck. I am happy to say, notwithstanding the gallant resistance made by the Dedaigueuse, neither of the ships lost a man; the Sirius's rigging and

sails were a little damaged; her main-yard and bowsprit slightly wounded. I cannot conclude without expressing my approbation of the officers and company of his Majesty's ship under my command, and in justice to them, must add, their anxiety to close with the enemy, on first discovering her, was equal to what it was on becoming so superior; and must further beg to acknowledge the very great assistance I received from Mr. H. Lloyd, my First Lieutenant, during a long and anxious chase of forty two hours; I trust your Lordship will be pleased to recommend him to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty as a most valuable officer, and deserving of their attention; on his account most sincerely do I lament the baffling winds that prevented my bringing the enemy to action on the preceding day, which I was several times in expectation of doing. La Dedaigueuse is a perfect new frigate, copper fastened, and sails well, carries twenty-eight 12-pounders on her main deck, and pierced for forty guns. I have given the prize in charge of my First Lieutenant, with directions to proceed to Plymouth; and have also to acquaint your Lordship of my having detained, on the 1st inst. the Swedish ship Hoffnung, from Valentia bound to Altona, laden with brandy, burden 260 tons.

I have the honour to be, &c.

S. H. LINZEE.

The Earl of St Vincent, K. B. &c.

WAR-OFFICE, Feb. 6.

2d Dragoon Guards—Lieut. Arthur Branthwayte to be Captain, without purchase, vice Taylor, promoted. Cornet Wm. Brew to be Lieutenant, vice Branthwayte. John Buckmaster, late Cornet in the 1st fencible cavalry, to be Cornet, vice Brew.

7th ditto—Cornet Hickman Leland Rose to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Malone, who retires. Wm. Elwood to be Cornet, vice Rose.

1st Dragoons—Peter Hawker, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cravan, promoted.

11th Light Dragoons—Lieut. Stephen Pitt, from the 16th foot, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Sutton, removed to the 3d Foot Guards. Cornet Cranfoun Geo. Ridout, from the 19th light dragoons, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Wardell, promoted.

12th ditto—Cornet Earle Lindsey Daniel to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cramer, promoted.

18th ditto—Lieut. Col. Oliver Thomas Jones, from the 20th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Carter, who exchanges.

19th ditto—George Hutchins Bellasis to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ridout, appointed to the 11th light dragoons.

20th ditto—Col. Arthur Carter, from the 18th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Jones, who exchanges.

Coldstream Foot Guards—Capt. G. J. B. Warren, from the 60th foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase.

4th Regiment of Foot.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase—Ensigns Thos. Ellis, vice Malone, deceased; Wm. Garland, vice Lucas, deceased; Wm. Sharpe, vice Phelan, deceased; Richard Yates, vice Brailsford, placed on half-pay.

5th ditto—Major Lord R. Edward H. Somerset, from the 28th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Talbot, who retires.

9th ditto—Ensign John White to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Studdert, who retires.

26th ditto—Ensign Wm. Walker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Flogg, promoted.

31st ditto—Cornet Marc René De Montalembert, from the 1st dragoon guards, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Impey, promoted.

40th ditto—Lieut. Peter Desbrifay, from the Newfoundland fencibles, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Harrington, dismissed the service.

47th ditto—John William Hutchison to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Harrison, promoted.

60th ditto—Lieut. D. M. Andrew, from the half-pay of the 30th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Winchcombe, who exchanges. Hospital-Mate Wm. Kilgour to be Surgeon, vice Glasco, removed to the 64th foot.

64th ditto—Surgeon John Glasco, from the 60th foot, to be Surgeon, vice Wood, promoted.

69th ditto—Quarter-Master-Serjeant James M'Mahon, to be Adjutant, vice M'Cartney, deceased.

78th ditto—Lieut. Charles George Gray, from the half-pay of Capt. Kingston's levy, to be Lieutenant, vice Robertson, who exchanges.

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81st ditto—Robert Moody to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dickson, promoted in the 90th foot.

81st ditto—Hospital-Mate—Kidd to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Rowe, who returns to his former situation of Hospital-Mate.

85th ditto—Quarter-Master Armstrong Flood, from the half-pay of the late 126th foot, to be Quarter-Master, vice Irwin, who resigns.

93d ditto—Ensign Richard Ryan, from the 17th foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase.

BREVET.

Lieut.-Colonel Count Bartholomew O'Mahony, of the late 6th regiment of the Irish brigade, to be Colonel in the army.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon William Wood, from the 64th foot, to be Apothecary to the Forces.

Hospital-Mate George Toosey to be Apothecary to the Forces, vice Travers, who has been superseded.

Colonel Hay's Regiment of Fencible Infantry.

H. Harrington to be Ensign, vice Smith, appointed to the 63d foot.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieut. James Seton, of the 67th regiment of foot, is superseded, being absent without leave.

WAR-OFFICE, Feb. 10.

1st Dragoon Guards—Capt.-Lieut. Philip Ray to be Captain, without purchase, vice Irby, promoted in the 13th light dragoons. Lieut. John Webster to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Ray. Lieut. Adolphus Dalrymple, from the 37th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Webster.

17th Light Dragoons—Lieut. Wm. Cha. Jerningham, from the 31st foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ogden, who exchanges.

27th ditto—Lieut. Thomas Auchmuty, from the 6th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Townsend, who exchanges.

3d Foot Guards—Masters to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Deare, promoted.

2d bat. 1st Foot—John Hay to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Stewart, promoted.

6th Foot—Lieut. Rich. Townsend, from the 27th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Auchmuty, who exchanges.

19th ditto—Robert Smith to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Morley, removed to the 8th light dragoons.

29th ditto—Capt. David Williams, from the 11th West India regiment, to be Captain, vice Bertrand, who exchanges.

31st ditto—Lieut. William Ogden, from the 17th light dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Jerningham, who exchanges.

37th ditto—Lieut. Andrew Copland, from the 13th foot, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Sir George Richardson, promoted in the 64th foot.

60th ditto—Lieut.-Col. Fitzroy J. Grafton Maclean, from the half-pay of the late 82d foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Cunyngnam, who exchanges. Ensign J.

Blasfield to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Geils, promoted. Assistant Surgeon John Ferris to be Surgeon, vice Wright, deceased. Hospital-Mate J. S. Eagland to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Ferris.

65th ditto—Lieut. John Trotter, from the 32d foot, to be Captain, without purchase.

83d ditto—Lieut. Lewis Grant, from the Scotch Brigade, to be Captain, by purchase, vice White, promoted. Ensign Thomas Smith to be Lieutenant, vice Gibson, deceased.

87th ditto—Thomas Noel Harris to be Ensign, vice Munro, deceased.

11th West India Regiment—Captain William S. Bertrand, from the 29th foot, to be Captain, vice Williams, who exchanges.

BREVET.

Colonel John Manners Kerr, of the 62d foot, to be Brigadier-General to the forces in the West Indies.

Colonel Hay's Regiment of Fencible Infantry.

Ensign Samuel Kennedy, from the late Limerick Fencibles, to be Ensign, vice Lawrie, who resigns.

Colonel Macdonald's Regt. of Fencible Infantry.

William Lowther Church to be Ensign, vice Donald Macdonald, who is superseded, being absent without leave. John MacMurphy to be Ensign, vice Macleod, who resigns.

2d Battalion of the Dundee Volunteer Infantry.

Robert Mavor to be Second Lieutenant, vice Wemyss, who resigns.

Strathspey Battalion of Volunteers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Louis Grant to be Captain of a company. Rannald Macgregor to be Lieutenant. Alexander Cumming to be Ensign.

Commission in the Tenth (or Edinburgh) Regiment of North British Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant; dated Jan. 25. 1801.

Lieut. John Douglas to be Captain, vice Weatherstone, resigned.

INTIMATION IS HEREBY GIVEN,

BY DAVID KAY, Merchant in Glasgow, that his appointment as trustee on the sequestrated estates of JOHN ROBB, Bookseller, Glasgow, has been confirmed by the Court; and that on his application the Sheriff of Lanarkshire has fixed Thursday the 26th February current, and Thursday the 12th March next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the examination of the said John Robb, and within the Sheriff Court-house, Glasgow; the trustee also requires a meeting of the creditors, at the same hour and place, on Friday the 13th March, to receive the necessary instructions, and that they will immediately lodge their claims, with affidavits to the verity thereof, certifying, that unless such productions are made between and the 15th September next, they shall have no share in the first distribution of the estate. 11th February 1801.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE Meeting of the Creditors of the Right Hon. ALEXANDER LORD ELIBANK, advertised to be held on Tuesday the 1/11 of February next, for the purpose of electing another trustee and agent, on the resignation of the present trustee and agent, is (in order to give the English creditors more time to send their instructions) deferred till Monday the 23d of February next, when it is requested the creditors will meet by themselves, or others properly authorised by them, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose above mentioned.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM BLAND, Merchant in New Galloway.

John Napier, accountant in Kirkcudbright, trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said William Bland, hereby intimates, that the Steward Depute of Kirkcudbright has appointed Wednesday the 18th February next, and Tuesday the 10th March next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the public examination of the bankrupt, within the Court-house of Kirkcudbright.

The trustee also gives notice, that a General Meeting of the creditors, will be held, within the house of Robert Cochran, innkeeper in Kirkcudbright, upon Wednesday the 11th March next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of instructing him as to the management and recovery of the bankrupt's estate; and the creditors are hereby required to produce in the trustee's hands, their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with their oaths to the verity thereof, at or previous to the said meeting; with certification, that unless the said productions are made between and the 9th day of October next, being ten months after the date of the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt's estate.

KIRKCUDBRIGHT, Feb. 6. 1801.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOSEPH WILSON, Jun. Merchant in Kincardine.

William Gibb, merchant in Dunfermline, trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said Joseph Wilson, hereby requests the said creditors to meet within the house of John Anderson, vintner in Kincardine, upon Tuesday the 3d day of March next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when the trustee is to lay before them the advice he has received respecting the claim against the Underwriters on the ship Aurora, which belonged to the said Joseph Wilson, in order to receive their instructions thereon; and also concerning other affairs, which materially affect the interest of the creditors.

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