

*Copy of another Letter from Rear-Admiral Harvey to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated the 5th of October, 1797.*

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BE pleased to acquaint their Lordships, that His Majesty's Ship Scourge captured, the 28th Ult. off Mariagalante, La Sarazine, French Schooner Privateer, belonging to Guadaloupe, of 6 Guns and 58 Men, which Captain Warren sent to this Island. She had been out Ten Days, but had taken nothing.

I have, &c. &c. &c.

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BE pleased to acquaint their Lordships, that His Majesty's Ship Tamer, (Captain Martin) has captured and sent to Barbadoes Three French Privateers belonging to Guadaloupe, the Force of which, with their Names, and the Dates of their Capture, are as follows.

4th Aug. 1797. Le Pont D'Arcoll, Cutter, 4 Guns and 48 Men, off Mariagalante.

8th Ditto. Le Renard, Cutter, 10 Guns and 71 Men, off Martinique.

10th Ditto. L'Utile, Ship, 14 Guns and 135 Men, off Barbadoes.

They had been out a very short Time, and the Two former had not taken any Thing, but the latter had captured One English and Two American Vessels.

I have the Honor to be, &c. &c. &c.

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ENCLOSED is an Account of Captures and Recaptures made by the Ships of His Majesty's Squadron under my Command, as against their respective Names expressed, between the 25th of July, 1797, and the Date hereof; also an Account of Vessels detained, under Neutral Colours, and libelled in the Court of Admiralty, for the Causes stated in the said Account, during that Period.

I have the Honor to be, &c. &c. &c.

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*An ACCOUNT of Merchant Ships and Vessels captured and recaptured, likewise such as have been detained under Neutral Colours, by His Majesty's Ships and Vessels (respectively expressed against their Names) under the Command of Henry Harvey, Esq; Rear-Admiral of the Red, and Commander in Chief, &c. &c. at the Leeward Islands, between the 25th of July, and the 5th of October, 1797.*

Brig Decision, of 200 Tons and 8 Men, from Cape Francois to Porto Rico, in Ballast, belonging to Cape Francois; recaptured by the Babet.

Brig Schyllhill, of 100 Tons and 8 Men, from New York to Porto Rico, laden with Flour, belonging to Philadelphia, taken by the Babet; detained, supposed to be Spanish Property.

Barque Aëolus, of 180 Tons and 10 Men, from Marfeilles to St. Thomas, laden with Wines, belonging to Copenhagen, taken by the Babet; detained, Cargo French Property.

Brig Experiment, of 400 Tons and 12 Men, from Guadaloupe to St. Thomas, laden with Staves and Ballast, belonging to Guadaloupe; detained, Cargo French Property.

Brig Mary, of 158 Tons and 10 Men, from Wilmington to Martinique, laden with Lumber, belonging to Philadelphia, recaptured by the Invincible.

Sloop Telegraph, from Bermuda to Martinique, laden with Pitch, Tar, &c. belonging to Bermudas; recaptured by the Bittern.

Ship Lyon, of 188 Tons and 11 Men, from Bourdeaux to St. Thomas, laden with Plantation Stores, belonging to Boston, taken by the Bittern; detained, irregular Papers and Contraband Goods.

Sloop Mary, of 104 Tons and 10 Men, from St. Thomas to Surinam, laden with Cash and dry Goods, belonging to St. Thomas, taken by the Matilda; detained, false Invoice, Crew consisting of Enemy.

Ship Rose, of 350 Tons, from St. Vincent to St. Pierre's, laden with Wine and Dry Goods, belonging to London; recaptured by the Vengeance.

Schooner Blazing Star, of 90 Tons and 6 Men, from Curacoa to St. Thomas, laden with Indigo, Coffee, &c. belonging to New York, taken by the L'Aimable; detained, supposed Enemy's Property.

Ship Mary, 220 Tons, 10 Guns, and 17 Men, from Demarara to Liverpool, laden with Coffee, Sugar, &c. belonging to Liverpool, recaptured by L'Aimable.

Brig Abbey, of 230 Tons, 10 Guns, and 13 Men, from Demarara to Liverpool, laden with Coffee, Sugar, &c. belonging to Liverpool; recaptured by the L'Aimable.

Ketch John, of 258 Tons and 16 Men, from the Isle of France to Salem, laden with Indigo, Coffee, Sugar, &c. belonging to Salem; recaptured by the L'Aimable.

(Signed)

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THE Alexandrian Schooner, of 6 Guns and 40 Men, Tender to His Majesty's Ship Prince of Wales, having failed from hence, under the Command of Lieutenant William Wood Senhouse, in Quest of some Privateers that were said to be off this Island, fell in with, the 15th of August last, La Cocq French Privateer, of 6 Guns and 34 Men. After an Action of Three Quarters of an Hour she struck, having Two Men killed and Five wounded. The same Evening the Alexandrian attacked another Schooner, of greater Force, which, after a running Action of some Time, escaped by the Darkness of the Night.

The Conduct of Lieutenant Senhouse, the Officers, and Men of the Alexandrian, on this Occasion, was highly spirited and meritorious.

I have the Honor to be, &c. &c. &c.

HENRY HARVEY.