

ception of the Officers; as well Civil as Military, who shall retain their Arms; after which the Allied Troops shall take Possession of the Ports. The French shall enter immediately after into the Citadel, where they shall continue to be lodged until the Time of their Embarkation, which shall take place at the Port of Mandaccio. The Commissary-General and the Staff shall have a Russian Guard of Honor until their Embarkation.

III. The Garrison shall be conveyed to Toulon in Vessels furnished by the Combined Squadron, and at the Charge of the said Squadron, and shall be conveyed by Ships of War, after having given their Word of Honor not to bear Arms for Eighteen Months against His Majesty the Grand Signior, His Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias, or against their Allies the King of England, the King of the Two Sicilies, and the present Allies of the Two Empires.

IV. All the other Frenchmen employed in the Island of Corfu, as well Civil as Military, are comprehended in the preceding Article; as also the Civil and Military Officers and Crews of the Ship the *Leander*, the Corvette *La Brune*, and of every Vessel belonging to the Republick: They are permitted to carry away with them (as are also all the Individuals composing the Garrison of Corfu) all their Effects and Moveables which are their own private Property.

V. All Frenchmen, who have been made Prisoners during the Blockade and Siege, are in like Manner admitted and entitled to the Advantages specified in Articles III. and IV. They shall only be bound by the *Parole* of Honor not to carry Arms against the Contracting Powers during the present War, unless an Exchange be made with the Turkish and Russian Empires.

VI. A Ship of War of not less than Twenty Guns, shall be granted, in order to transport the Commissary-General, the General, and Staff.

VII. The General of Division Chabot, and his Staff, a Secretary selected by the Commissary-General, the Two Chiefs of Administration of Land and Sea, with their Families, and Two Secretaries for each, shall be permitted to go either to Toulon or to Ancona at their Pleasure, and at the Expence of the Contracting Powers; but if they prefer to go to Ancona, their Passage shall take place within One Month from the present Day.

VIII. All Public Property, whether belonging to the Town or to the Garrison, (the Ship the *Leander*, the Corvette *La Brune*, and all other Vessels belonging to the French Republick included,) shall be given up entirely to the Commissaries of the Turkish and Russian Powers.

IX. The Commanders of the Allied Squadron declare, that every Individual, of what Religion or Nation soever, as well as all the Inhabitants of the Town and Island of Corfu, shall be respected in their Persons and Property. They shall not be persecuted, molested, or pursued on Account of the political Opinions which they may have held, or for their Actions, or for the Employments which they may have filled under the French Government up to the Date of the Capitulation. The Space of Two Months is granted to all those of the said Inhabitants who may be desirous of removing themselves and Property elsewhere.

X. The Sick, who cannot accompany the Garrison, shall be treated in the same Manner as the Turks and Russians, and at the Expence of the said Powers, and shall also, when cured, be sent to Toulon. The French General shall be permitted to leave at Corfu an Officer with a Sum of Six Thousand Livres, and also the necessary Number of Officers of Health to dress and take care of the Sick.

XI. The Garrison, the Officers, and those employed in a Civil or Military Capacity, shall receive, as well on Shore as on board the Vessels, the same Number of Rations which are allowed to them, according to their Rank, in conformity to the French Laws, until their Debarkation at Toulon, or at Ancona.

XII. The Ships of War and Transports which shall be employed in conveying the French either to Toulon or Ancona, shall not make any Prizes either in going or returning, and the Commissary-General engages in the Name of the French Government to cause said Vessels to be respected by the French Ships and Vessels, and to guarantee their Return to Corfu, in like Manner as the Turkish and Russian Admirals respectively promise in the Name of their Courts to cause all the French comprised in the present Capitulation to be conveyed to the Destination agreed upon.

Done on board the Russian Admiral's Ship
St. Paul, the 20th February, 1799, *Russian
Old Styl*: 13th Ventose, Seventh Year of the
Republic.

(Signed) T. BRICHE.
DUFOUR. VAREZE.

J. GROUVELLE, Aide-de-Camp.

(L. S.) TURKISH ADMIRAL.

(L. S.) RUSSIAN VICE-ADMIRAL.

The above Capitulation is ratified and accepted
in the Name of the French Government by the
Underigned.

(L. S.) DUBOIS,

Commissary-General of the Executive Direc-
tory of the French Republic.

(L. S.) CHABOT, General of Division.

Admiralty-Office, April 2, 1799.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Honorable Lord
Bridport, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to Evan
Nepean, Esq; dated at Spithead the 1st Instant.

SIR,

Herewith you will receive a Copy of a Letter
from Captain Keats, of His Majesty's Ship
Boadicea, which is transmitted for their Lordships'
Information; and I am very much concerned for
the Misfortune which happened to the Prize Brig
La Requin, by which so many valuable Lives have
been lost to the Service of their King and Country.

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

BRIDPORT.

*Boadicea, at Sea, 24th
March, 1799.*

My Lord,

I Have the Honor to inform your Lordship, that
on the 7th Instant I retook an American; from
Charles Town bound to Hamburg; on the 8th fell