

La Fortunee French Schooner Rigged Boat, laden with Twenty-four Thousand Dollars, taken by the Tender 25th June, off St. Jago de Cuba.

A Spanish Merchant Sloop, Name unknown, laden with Mahogany and Fustick, taken by the Tender 22d July, off Point Abaco, St. Domingo.

A French Armed Schooner, Name unknown, Fifty Men, destroyed by the Tender 22d July, off the Isle of Ash.

Hebe Merchant Schooner, under Danish Colours, laden with Dry Goods and Provisions, taken by the Tender 23d July, off Point Abaco.

Olive Merchant Schooner, under Danish Colours, laden with Dry Goods and Provisions, taken by the Tender 24th July, off Point Abaco.

Del Nordische Lew Merchant Ship, under Danish Colours, laden with Sail Cloth, Dry Goods, and Provisions, taken by the Tender 27th July, off the Isle of Ash.

(Signed) S. P. FORSTER.

*Echo, Port Royal Harbour, Jamaica,*  
29th July 1799.

SIR,  
I Beg Leave to inform you, by an Order from Captain Smith, commanding His Majesty's Ship Hannibal, and Senior Officer of a Squadron cruising off Havanna, dated May 14, 1799, I proceeded to New Providence, and having completed the Echo's Provisions and Water, I made the best of my Way to join the Squadron between the Colorados and the Dry Tortugas by the above Order; I remained there till the 3d of this Month, without meeting the Squadron, on which Day early in the Morning I saw Three Sail, the largest appearing the most suspicious, I immediately chased; at Seven P. M. she hoisted French National Colours and fired a Shot; at Half Past Nine being close up with her, and having returned a few Shot for her Broadside, she struck, and proved to be L'Amazon French Ship Letter de Marque, from Jacquemel, St. Domingo, bound to Bourdeaux, mounting Ten Six-Pounders, and Sixty Men, Cargo Coffee: on exchanging Prisoners, finding her People very sickly, with the Advice of my Officers, I put them into an empty Spanish Sloop I had taken a few Days before, and sent them for the nearest Spanish Port.

The Echo's Sails and Rigging wanting a complete Overhaul, and not having seen the Squadron, I thought it best to accompany the Prize into Port, which I hope will meet your Approbation.

I remain, Sir, &c. &c. &c.

JOHN ALLEN.

Admiral Sir Hyde Parker,  
&c. &c. &c.

War-Office, September 17, 1799.

MEMORANDUM.

The Appointment of Lieutenant S. Bromley, from the South Essex Militia, to be Ensign in the 17th Foot, as stated in the Gazette of the 13th Ultimo, has not taken place.

ERRATA.

In the Gazettes of the 23d July, 27th August, and 10th September last.

For 5th Regiment of Foot, Ensign James Hunter Currie, from the 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant.

Ensign Henry Eaton, from the 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant,

Read 9th Regiment of Foot, Ensign James Hunter Currie, from the 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant.

Ensign Henry Eaton, from the 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant.

22d Foot,

For A. D. Vickson, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase,

Read Abraham Augustus Nickson, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase.

27th Foot,

For Ensign George Reade, from the 5th Lancashire Militia, to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Alloway, promoted,

Read Ensign Thomas Reade, from the 5th Lancashire Militia, to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Alloway, promoted.

Cambridge Volunteers.

For Richard Hopkins, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Vitty,

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Notice.—Soham or Middle Fen District, Comprising the Parishes, Townships, and Chapelries of Soham, Isleham, Wicken, Ely Trinity, Ely Saint Mary's, Stuntney, Chiddingfold, and Thetford, in the Isle of Ely, and County of Cambridge.

IN pursuance of the Orders of the Honorable the House of Commons, Notice is hereby given, that Application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next Session, for Leave to bring in a Bill to explain, amend, and render more effectual an Act, passed in the Thirty-first Year of the Reign of the late King George the Second, intitled An Act for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands and Low Grounds in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge, between the Cam otherwise Grant, Ouse, and Mildenhall Rivers, and bounded on the South East by the Hard Lands of Isleham, Fordham, Soham, and Wicken; and for empowering the Governor, Bailiffs, and Commonalty of the Company of Conservators of the Great Level of the Fens called Bedford Level, to sell certain Lands within the said Limits commonly called Invested Lands; and to explain, amend, and render more effectual another Act, passed in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intitled An Act to amend and render effectual an Act of the Thirty-first Year of King George the Second, for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands and Low Grounds in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge, between the Cam otherwise Grant, Ouse, and Mildenhall Rivers, and bounded on the South East by the Hard Lands of Isleham, Fordham, Soham, and Wicken; and for empowering the Governor, Bailiffs, and Commonalty of the Company of Conservators of the Great Level of the Fens called Bedford Level, to sell certain Lands within the said Limits commonly called Invested Lands; and for laying certain Rates on Vessels navigated upon the said Rivers, towards supporting the Banks thereof; and also for granting further Powers for performing and completing the Works necessary for the draining and preserv-