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AT the Court at Weymouth, the 7th of September 1801,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty, in Council, was this Day pleased to order that the Parliament which stands prorogued to Tuesday the Fifteenth Day of this instant September should be further prorogued to Thursday the Twenty-second Day of October next.

Admiralty-Office, September 8, 1801.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Pettigrew, Commander of the Ship Intrepid Letter of Marque, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated Barbadoes, 9th July 1801.

S I R,

I Have the Honor to acquaint you, for the Information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that on the 22d Day of June, in N. Latitude 18 Deg. 25 Min., W. Longitude, per Account, 40 Deg. 10 Min. on board the Ship Intrepid of Liverpool, bearing Letters of Marque, under my Command, having in Company the Ships Dominica Packet and Alfred, I had the good Fortune to capture, after a running Engagement of nearly Two Hours, the Spanish Frigate-built Ship La Galga, commanded by Francisco de Pascadello, and mounting Twenty-four heavy Sixes and Seventy-eight Men, bound to Cadiz or any Port in Spain, loaded with Hides, Cocoa, Indigo, and Copper in Bars, the Quantity not yet known; I am happy to say we sustained no other Loss than that of one of my brave Men, and our Sails and Rigging a good deal cut; the other Ships have not sustained any Damage, except the Prize, which has suffered considerably in both Hull, and Masts, and Rigging; I arrived here on the 4th of July, with the Prize and above-mentioned Ships.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

JOHN PETTIGREW.

P. S. The Galga has been at different Ports, but was last from Rio de Plata.

War-Office, September 8, 1801.

2d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, John Groffer, Gent. to be Cornet, by Purchase, vice Pringle, promoted.

2d Regiment of Dragoons, Cornet George Preston to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Hay, promoted in the 26th Light Dragoons.

4th Ditto, Lieutenant Colonel Lord R. Edward H. Somerset, from the 5th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Gooch, who exchanges.

7th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Joseph Palmer, Gent. to be Cornet, without Purchase, vice Kennett, promoted.

Tork Hussars, Richard Cordeaux, Gent. to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Yates, who resigns.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, ——— Gore, Gent. to be Ensign, without Purchase, vice Collier, promoted.

4th Regiment of Foot, Alexander Linton, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Holford, promoted.

5th Ditto, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Gooch, from the 4th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lord Edward Somerset, who exchanges.

9th Ditto, Lieutenant John English, from the 11th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Whyte, who exchanges.

11th Ditto, Lieutenant John Whyte, from the 9th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice English, who exchanges.

20th Ditto, Lieutenant Henry Vanshaie, from the Half-Pay of the Royal Irish Artillery, to be Lieutenant, vice Carnell, who exchanges.

24th Ditto, Ensign William Ball to be Lieutenant, by Purchase, vice Wemyss.

30th Ditto, Benjamin Nun, Gent. to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Dolling, promoted.

47th Ditto, Ensign Thomas Mathew, from the 4th Foot, to be Ensign, by Purchase, vice Effen, who retires.

52d Ditto, Lieutenant Thomas Shairp, from the 31st Foot, to be Captain, without Purchase, vice Buchan, who retires.

60th Ditto, Ensign Thomas Fernyhough, from the Half-Pay of the late Independent Companies, to be Ensign, vice Watton, who exchanges.

62d Ditto, Captain William O. Hamilton, from the Half-Pay of the 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice Terry, who exchanges.