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*Copy of a Letter from Rear-Admiral Drury to William Marsden, Esq; dated on board the Trent, in Cork Harbour, the 10th Instant.*

SIR,

ENCLOSED I transmit you, for the Information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a Letter from Captain Losack, of His Majesty's Sloop Helena, giving an Account of the Capture of the Santa Leocadia, a Spanish Privateer, of Fourteen Guns, and One Hundred and Fourteen Men.

I am, &c.

W. O'B. DRURY.

*His Majesty's Ship Helena, at Sea,  
9th June 1805.*

SIR,

I HAVE the Honor to acquaint you, that on the Station prescribed by your Order of the 21st of March, His Majesty's Sloop under my Command captured on the 5th Instant, after a Chase of Ten Hours, and a smart Exchange of Shot for Fifteen Minutes, the Santa Leocadia Spanish Ship Privateer, pierced for Twenty Guns, Fourteen Nine-Pounders mounted, and a Complement of One Hundred and Fourteen Men. I am happy, Sir, to add, that no Person was hurt on board the Helena, although the Enemy's Guns were well supplied with Grape and Langrage; she was Fifty-four Days from St. Sebastian, not having made any Capture, perfectly new, coppered, sails well, and in my Opinion calculated for the King's Service. Could I venture, Sir, on this short Trial of the Officers and Crew I have the Pleasure to command, to mention their Conduct, I should certainly recommend them to Notice; among whom Lieutenant Hugh Wylie, First of the Helena, and Messrs. Watson and Willits, who have both passed for Lieutenants, and anxiously waiting their Lordships' Patronage.

I have the Honor to be, &c.

WOODLEY LOSACK.

War-Office, June 18, 1805.

S T A F F.

*To be Brigadier-Generals to the Forces under the Command of General Sir James Craig, K. B.*

Brigadier-General Christopher Tilsen, from the Home Staff.

Brigadier-General William Palmer Ackland, from the Home Staff.

*To be Deputy Adjutant-General to the said Forces.*

Brigadier-General James Campbell, of the 61st Foot.

*To be Deputy Quarter-Master-General to the said Forces.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Edward Bunbury.

*To be Deputy Inspector of Hospitals to the Forces.*  
William Somerville, Esq.

*To be Brigadier-Generals to the Forces under the Command of Lieutenant-General Sir Eyre Coote, K. B.*

Brigadier-General Robert Macfarlane, from the Home Staff.

Brigadier-General William Balfour, from the Home Staff.

Brigadier-General Henry Tucker Montresor, from the Home Staff.

*To be Deputy Adjutant to the said Forces, with the Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army.*

Major Thomas Walsh, on Half-Pay of the Queen's Rangers.

*To be Deputy Quarter-Master-General to the said Forces.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Fox Brownrigg, of the 11th Foot.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.*

*North Hants Regiment of Militia.*

Heneage Girod, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Terry, gone into the Line. Dated June 11, 1805.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.*

*West Essex Militia.*

Captain Joseph Collin, from the Southern Battalion of Essex Militia, to be Captain in the Western Battalion, vice Gretton, promoted. Dated May 16, 1805.

Ensign Robert Martin Leake, of the Western Battalion, to be Lieutenant in Ditto, vice Gordon, resigned. Dated June 5, 1805.

Francis Russel, Gent. to be Ensign in Ditto, vice Lake, promoted. Dated June 5, 1805.