

San Lucar, without the Prospect of saving One to bring into Port.

I mentioned in my former Letter the joining of the Donegal and Melpomene, after the Action; I cannot sufficiently praise the Activity of their Commanders, in giving Assistance to the Squadron in destroying the Enemy's Ships.

The Defiance, after having stuck to the Aigle, as long as it was possible, in hope of saving her from Wreck, which separated her for some Time from the Squadron, was obliged to abandon her to her Fate, and she went on Shore.

Captain Durham's Exertions have been very great.

I hope I shall get them all destroyed by Tomorrow, if the Weather keeps moderate.

In the Gale the Royal Sovereign and Mars lost their Foremasts, and are now Rigging anew, where the Body of the Squadron is at Anchor to the N. W. of San Lucar.

I find that on the Return of Gravina to Cadiz, he was immediately ordered to Sea again, and came out, which made it necessary for me to form a Line, to cover the disabled Hulls—that Night it blew hard, and his Ship, the Prince of Asturias, was dismasted, and returned into Port; the Rayo was also dismasted, and fell into our Hands; Don Enrique M'Donel, had his Broad Pendant in the Rayo, and from him I find the Santa Ana was driven near Cadiz, and towed in by a Frigate.

I am, Sir, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) C. COLLINGWOOD.

P. S. I enclose a List of the Killed and Wounded, as far as I have been able to collect it.

*Abstract of the Names and Qualities of the Officers and Petty Officers killed and wounded on board the British Ships, in the Action with the Combined Fleets of France and Spain, October 21, 1805.*

#### KILLED.

*Royal Sovereign*—Brice Gilliland, Lieutenant; William Chalmers, Master; Robert Green, Second Lieutenant of Royal Marines; John Ackenhead, and Thomas Braund, Midshipmen.

*Dreadnought*—None.

*Mars*—George Duff, Captain; Alexander Duff, Master's-Mate; Edward Corbyn and Henry Morgan, Midshipmen.

*Minotaur*—None.

*Revenge*—Mr. Grier and Mr. Brooks, Midshipmen.

*Leviathan*—None.

*Ajax*—None.

*Defence*—None.

*Defiance*—Thomas Simens, Lieutenant; William Forster, Boatswain; James Williamson, Midshipman.

#### WOUNDED.

*Royal Sovereign*—John Clavell and James Rathford, Lieutenants; James Levesconte, Second Lieutenant of Royal Marines; William Watson, Master's-Mate; Gilbert Kennicott, Grenville Thompson, John Farrant, and John Campbell, Midshipmen; Isaac Wilkinson, Boatswain.

*Dreadnought*—James L. Lloyd, Lieutenant; Andrew M'Culloch and James Sabbin, Midshipmen.

*Mars*—Edward William Garrett and James Black, Lieutenants; Thomas Cook, Master; Thomas Norman (2d), Captain of Royal Marines; John

Yonge, George Guiren, William John Cooke, John Jenkins, and Alfred Luckcraft, Midshipmen.

*Minotaur*—James Robinson, Boatswain; John Samuel Smith, Midshipman.

*Revenge*—Robert Moorson, Captain (slightly); John Berry, Lieutenant; Luke Brokenshaw, Master; Peter Lily, Captain of Royal Marines.

*Leviathan*—T. W. Watson, Midshipman (slightly).

*Ajax*—None.

*Defence*—None.

*Defiance*—P. C. Durham, Captain (slightly); James Spratt and Robert Brown, Master's-Mates; John Hodge and Edmund Andrew Chapman, Midshipmen.

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*A Return of the Killed and Wounded on board the respective Ships composing the British Squadron under the Command of the Right Honorable Lord Viscount Nelson, K. B. Vice-Admiral of the White, &c. &c. &c. in the Action with the Combined Fleets of France and Spain, 21st October 1805.*

*Victory*—Not received.

*Royal Sovereign*—3 Officers, 2 Petty Officers, and 42 Seamen and Marines, killed; 3 Officers, 5 Petty Officers, and 86 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 141.

*Britannia*—Not received.

*Temeraire*—Not received.

*Prince*—Not received.

*Neptune*—Not received.

*Dreadnought*—7 Seamen and Marines, killed; 1 Officer, 2 Petty Officers, and 23 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 33.

*Mars*—1 Officer, 3 Petty Officers, and 25 Seamen and Marines, killed; 4 Officers, 5 Petty Officers, and 60 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 98.

*Bellerophon*—2 Officers, 1 Petty Officer, and 24 Seamen and Marines, killed; 2 Officers, 4 Petty Officers, and 117 Seamen and Marines, wounded. Total 150.

*Minotaur*—3 Seamen and Marines, killed; 1 Officer, 1 Petty Officer, and 20 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 25.

*Revenge*—2 Petty Officers, and 26 Seamen and Marines, killed; 4 Officers and 47 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 79.

*Leviathan*—4 Seamen and Marines, killed; 1 Petty Officer and 21 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 26.

*Ajax*—2 Seamen and Marines, killed; 9 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 11.

*Agamemnon*—Not received.

*Spartiate*—Not received.

*Africa*—Not received.

*Belleisle*—Not received.

*Colossus*—Not received.

*Achille*—Not received.

*Polyphemus*—Not received.

*Swiftsure*—Not received.

*Defence*—7 Seamen and Marines, killed; 29 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 36.

*Defiance*—2 Officers, 1 Petty Officer, and 14 Seamen and Marines, killed; 1 Officer, 4 Petty Officers, and 48 Seamen and Marines, wounded.—Total 70.

(Signed) C. COLLINGWOOD.