

missioners of the Admiralty, the copy of a letter transmitted to me by Captain Rowley, of His Majesty's ship Eagle, detailing the capture of the French frigate Pomone, and Persannus storeship, by His Majesty's ships Active, Alceste, and Unité, on the 29th of November 1811.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) T. F. FREMANTLE.

P. S. Captain Rowley, in his letter to me of the 19th ultimo, also mentions the loss of the French frigate Flora.—“ She was going from Trieste to Venice; was caught with a strong borer, and stranded off Chiozza, when every soul on board perished, with the exception of five or six.”

T. F. F.

His Majesty's Ship Alceste, off Lissa,

SIR, December 4, 1811

THE enemy's squadron from Corfu, going to Trieste, were met with, on the 29th ult. by three of His Majesty's ships under my orders. The Persanne was chased and taken by the Unité, after a long run; the Pauline and Pomone chased by the Alceste and Active, and, after a most severe action of two hours and forty minutes, the Pomone was taken, totally dismasted, and Pauline escaped, owing to the Alceste having her maintop-mast shot away. The Alceste has twenty killed and wounded; the Active, about thirty-two; and I lament to say, Captain Gordon has lost a leg, and his first lieutenant an arm.

The details of the action I shall have the honour of transmitting by the first man of war going down.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) MURRAY MAXWELL, Captain.

Charles Rowley, Esq; Captain of His Majesty's Ship Eagle, Senior Officer at Corfu, &c. &c. &c.

Admiralty-Office, March 10, 1812.

COMMODORE PENROSE, at Gibraltar, has transmitted to John Wilson Croker, Esq; a letter from Lieutenant Bartholomew, commanding His Majesty's gun-brig Richmond, giving an account of his having, on the 5th of last month, attacked, in a bay near Vera, on the coast of Grenada, a French privateer called L'Intrepide, of eighteen guns and one hundred and eighty men. On the Richmond opening her fire upon the privateer, her crew set fire to her, and took to their boats; the vessel was then taken possession of, her cable cut, and she was brought out more than a mile when she blew up, within ten minutes after she had been abandoned.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 10, 1812.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton House, on Thursday next the 12th instant, at half-past one o'clock.

N. B. The same regulations of dress will be strictly observed, as at His Majesty's Levees.

Carlton-House, March 10, 1812.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been graciously pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to make the following appointments

Vice-Chamberlain,

The Earl of Yarmouth.

To be Lords of His Majesty's Bedchamber,
The Most Hon. the Marquis of Headford.
The Right Hon. Lord Viscount Melbourn.
The Right Hon. Lord Heathfield.
The Right Hon. Lord James Murray.
The Right Hon. Lord Viscount Petersham.

First Groom and Master of the Robes,
Nassau Thomas, Esq.

Grooms of the Bedchamber,
General Charles Leigh.
General E. Stephens.
General T. Slaughter Stanwix.
Honourable Henry Stanhope.
Lieutenant-General Sir J. Cradock.
Lieutenant-General William Keppel.
Colonel Wilson Bradyll.

Clerk Marshal and Chief Equerry,
Colonel Benjamin Bloomfield.

Equerries,
Major-General Hammond.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Congreve.
Major-General Bayley, Coldstream Guards.
Hon. Frederick Howard, 10th Light Dragoons.
Colonel Vivian, 7th Dragoons.

Carlton-House, March 5, 1812.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been graciously pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Earl Cholmondeley to be Lord Steward of His Majesty's Household.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been graciously pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the most Honourable the Marquis of Hertford to be Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household.

Her Majesty the Queen, and His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, have been graciously pleased to appoint John Simeon, Esq; (one of the Masters of His Majesty's High Court of Chancery,) Count Munster, and Colonel Herbert Taylor, to be Commissioners for the protection, care, and management of His Majesty's property during His indisposition; and the said Commissioners took the necessary oaths thereupon before one of the Barons of the Court of Exchequer, on the 3d inst.