

Lieutenant, Mr. J. W. Crabb, Lieutenant M'Dougall, Lieutenant W. Hotham, Mr. Gibson, lately promoted for his gallantry on board the Active, and the whole of the other officers and ship's company, could only be equalled by their extreme disappointment at discovering, at the enemy's surrender, we had been opposed to a vessel of inferior force. I inclose a list of our defects, and the name of the wounded man—(Thomas Tate, ordinary, severely.)  
I remain, &c.

(Signed) E. H. CHAMBERLAYNE, Capt.  
M. Maxwell, Esq, Captain of His Majesty's  
Ship Alceste, and Senior Officer, &c.

*List of the Enemy's Squadron engaged by His Majesty's Ships Alceste, Active, and Unité, off Lissa, on the 29th November 1811.*

La Paulipe, M. Monfort, Captain, of 44 guns, 332 men, and 1100 tons; escaped.

La Pomone, C. Rosamel, Captain, of 44 guns, 322 men, and 1100 tons; taken.—Has in her hold 42 iron and 9 brass guns, and 220 iron wheels for gun-carriages.

La Persanne, Mr. Satie, of 26 guns, 190 men, and 860 tons; taken.—Is a store-ship of 26 nine-pound guns (new), has about 130 iron, and some brass guns in her hold.

(Signed) MURRAY MAXWELL, Captain.

*Return of Killed and Wounded on board His Majesty's Ship Alceste, Murray Maxwell, Esq; Captain, in Action with the French Squadron off Lissa, November 29, 1811.*

*Killed.*

Charles Nourse, midshipman.  
Charles Reeves, quarter-master.  
Isaac Brown, sail-maker's-mate.  
James Bickerton, ordinary seaman.  
Abraham Saunders, ditto.  
Thomas Cox, ditto.  
Peter Williams, ditto.

*Wounded.*

Andrew Wilson, lieutenant, slightly.  
George Lyell, quarter-master's-mate, ditto.  
John Gunderson, able seaman, badly.  
Charles Davenport, able seaman, slightly.  
M. Loring, landman, ditto.  
Samuel Chawnes, landman, ditto.  
George Cleyter, captain of the mast, ditto.  
Charles Connell, able seaman, ditto.  
H. H. Mallum, able seaman, ditto.  
John Hickey, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
Matthew Ferguson, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
Job Hunt, private marine, badly.  
George Thomas, boatswain's-mate, slightly.  
(Signed) MURRAY MAXWELL, Capt.  
(Signed) THOS. PROWER, Surgeon.

*Report of killed and wounded on board His Majesty's Ship Active, James Alexander Gordon, Esq; Captain, in Action with a French Squadron in the Adriatic, on the 29th November 1811.*

*Killed.*

George Osborne, midshipman.  
William Bull, quarter-master.

James Richardson, sail-maker's crew.  
Thomas Turner, ordinary seaman.  
William Smith, able seaman.  
John Claggett, landman.  
Robert Hill, serjeant of marines.  
John Conway, private marine.

*Wounded.*

James Alexander Gordon, Esq; captain, badly, (amputated arm).  
W. B. Dashwood, lieutenant, ditto, (amputated arm).  
George Haye, lieutenant, slightly.  
A. M'Donald, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
Joseph Rippon, landman, ditto.  
Thomas Hall, yeoman of the sheets, severely.  
John Walter, landman, slightly.  
Henry Hazell, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
Timothy M'Intire, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
James Quint, able seaman, ditto.  
John Row, able seaman, ditto.  
John Parker (2), carpenter's-crew, ditto.  
James Kirby, landman, very severely.  
Neil Peterson, captain of the fore-castle, severely.  
William Adam, landman, ditto.  
Thomas Blake, able seaman, ditto.  
Matthew Sayer, quarter gunner, badly, since dead.  
John Jefferson, landman, ditto.  
Ralph Archibald, able seaman, slightly.  
Thomas Ford, captain of the fore-castle, ditto.  
John Kirwan, boy, ditto.  
John Knights, private marine, severely.  
Henry Warren, private marine, slightly.  
Richard Dennis, private marine, ditto.  
John Hawke, private marine, ditto.  
Thomas Fitzgerald, able-seaman, ditto.  
John Johnson, ordinary seaman, ditto.  
(Signed) JAMES A. GORDON, Capt.  
(Signed) S. J. SWAYNE, Surgeon.

Admiralty-Office, March 28, 1812.

*Copy of a Letter from the Honourable Captain Waldgrave, of His Majesty's Ship the Volontaire, addressed to Captain Adams, of the Invincible, and transmitted by Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Pelleu to John Wilson Croker, Esq.*

*His Majesty's Ship Volontaire, off Palamos, SIR, 26th December 1811.*

WHILE off the Medas this morning a boat informed me that an enemy's schooner had arrived at this port the night before last. I immediately stood in and anchored off the Mole, where she was lying. Lieutenant Shaw with Mr. Banantyne, Master's-mate, in the boats, went to bring her out, while the marines under Lieutenants Burton and Campbell of that corps, admirably maintained a covering position on the Mole Head, against a party of French troops, who disputed the post with them. As large reinforcements were pouring in from the adjacent garrisons, and the vessel was grounded, Lieutenant Shaw set fire to her, but floating afterwards, he towed her out to us, when the fire was extinguished, but not before it had done great damage.

She proves the Decidé, a new privateer, mounting two long six-pounders, pierced for six, carrying a cargo of provisions from Cette to Barcelona.