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WAR DEPARTMENT.

Downing-Street, April 12, 1813.

**A** DISPATCH, dated Heligoland, April 7, of which the following is an extract, was last night received at Earl Bathurst's Office, addressed to his Lordship by Lieutenant-Governor Hamilton.

**I** HAVE the honour to lay before your Lordship a dispatch, forwarded to me by Major Kentzinger, conveying intelligence of very great importance at this time, respecting a decisive victory obtained over a considerable French force, commanded by General Morand.

The engagement took place in the town of Luneburg. The French General lost his life, and twelve pieces of cannon were taken; not a man escaped.

*Extract of a Letter from General the Baron Tettenborn to Major Kentzinger, dated Hamburgh the 4th April 1813.*

**I** HASTEN to announce to you the signal victory which our troops have gained, upon the 2d of April, over the corps of General Morand, who had possessed himself of the town of Luneburg.

General Morand, with three thousand five hundred men, had marched from Tostedt to Luneburg. My Cossacks followed his movements; and I gave information of them to General Dornberg, who, in conjunction with General Tschernicheff's corps, had passed the Elbe at Lentzen. The two Generals advanced by forced marches to Luneburg, and arrived there just as my Cossacks were engaged with the enemy. The gates were forced with the bayonet; and a sanguinary conflict ensued in the streets of the town. The victory was soon decided

in our favour; all who were not killed or already made prisoners, laid down their arms. Not a single person escaped of the whole corps. Three pair of colours, and twelve pieces of cannon, fell into our hands.

Admiralty-Office, April 13, 1813.

*Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Pellew, Bart. Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the Mediterranean, to John Wilson Croker, Esq. dated on board the Caledonia, Port Mahon, March 7, 1813.*

**I** HAVE the honour to enclose the copy of a letter from Lord William Bentinck, enclosing the narrative of a very gallant affair on the coast of Calabria, under the direction of Captain Hall, commanding the Sicilian flotilla, which you will please to lay before their Lordships.

**SIR,** *Palermo, February 23, 1813.*

**I** HAVE the satisfaction to transmit to you the copy of a report on a very brilliant and gallant enterprise on the coast of Calabria, which reflects great honour on Brigadier Hall, commanding the flotilla, and Major Stewart, of the 75th regiment, as also on the whole of the officers and men employed under their orders.

I am sorry to add, that the service has to regret the loss of Major Stewart, of the 75th regiment, a very gallant and deserving officer.

I have, &c.

(Signed) **W. C. BENTINCK**, Lieut. Gen.

*Sir Edward Pellew, Bart. &c. &c. &c.*