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Admiralty-Office, September 9, 1797.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral King smill, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the Coast of Ireland, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated on Board the Penguin, Cork Harbour, the 3d of September, 1797.

PLEASE to inform my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that His Majesty's Ship Doris has sent in a Spanish Privateer Lugger, of 4 Guns, besides Swivels and Small Arms, and 85 Men, El Derrepente, of Bilboa, which she captured in Latitude 46 deg. 30 min. Longitude 10 deg. 36 min. This Privateer had taken Two Danish Vessels.

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Extract of a Letter from Captain Henry Carew, Commander of His Majesty's Sloop Swan, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated in Yarmouth Roads, the 6th of September, 1797.

I Have the Honor to communicate to you, for the Information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that on the 12th Ultimo, at Nine P. M. the Fly bearing S.W. Six Leagues, I fell in with and captured the Goede Verwayteng Sloop Privateer, of 8 Guns and 28 Men, belonging to Amsterdam, out Fifteen Weeks, and has taken Three Prizes.

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Extract of a Letter from Admiral Sir Peter Parker, Bart. Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Portsmouth and Spithead, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated the 6th of September, 1797.

YOU will receive herewith a Letter from Captain Parker, of the Orestes Sloop, giving an Account of his having captured Le Furet French Lugger Privateer.

Orestes, at Sea, September 4, 1797.

SIR,

YESTERDAY Evening, Portland bearing N. N. W. Distance Nine Leagues, I saw a Lugger standing to the Southward, which we gave Chace to; it coming light Winds, and finding she gained on us, I manned and armed our Six-oared Boat, and sent the Master of the Orestes, Mr. Craddock, in Chace of her, who captured her and brought her down to the Brig about Three o'Clock this Morning: She proves to be the French Lugger Privateer Le Furet, commanded by Citizen Vianon, manned with 17 Men, armed with 4 Swivels and 1 Small Arms; she has been Two Days from Cherbourg, and taken nothing.

I am, SIR, &c. &c. &c.

CHRISTOPHER PARKER.

*Admiral Sir Peter Parker,
Bart. &c. &c. &c.*

Whitehall, September 1.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Charles Smalwood, of Kirkswood, in the County of Cumberland, Esq; His Royal Licence and Authority that he and his Issue may assume and take the Surname of Fetherstonhaugh, in Addition to his Surname of Smalwood, and also to bear the Arms of Fetherstonhaugh; provided such Arms be first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Heralds Office; and also to order that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in his College of Arms.

Whitehall, August 25.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Richard Turbervill Picton, of Ewenny House in the County of Glamorgan, Esq; Son and Heir of Thomas Picton, of Poynton in the County of Pembroke, Esq; and of

Cecil