

I am happy to say, that the Efforts and Conduct of every Officer and Man in the Squadron seemed to have been actuated by the same Spirit, Zeal, and Unanimity, in their King and Country's Cause; and I feel myself under great Obligations to them, as well as the Officers and Men of this Ship, for their Exertions upon this Occasion; which will, I hope, recommend them to their Lordships' Favour.

I left Captain Thornbrough after the Action; with the Magnanime, Ethalion, and Amelia, with the Prizes; and am sorry to find he is not arrived; but trust they will soon make their Appearance.

I have the Honor to remain, SIR,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

JN. WARREN.

P. S.—The Ships with us in the Action were, the Canada, Robust, Foudroyant, Magnanime, Ethalion, Melampus, and Amelia.

The Anson joined us in the latter Part of the Action, having lost her Mizzen-Mast in Chace the Day before.

I have sent my First Lieutenant Turguand to take the Command of the Hoche.

By a Letter from Lord Viscount Castlereagh to Mr. Wickham, Under Secretary of State for the Home Department, dated Dublin Castle, the 18th Instant, it appears that the Melampus had arrived off Lough Swilly with another French Frigate in Tow, in Pursuit of which she had been sent.

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