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CAPTAIN CROKAT, of the 20th regiment, arrived this day from St. Helena, with a dispatch, addressed to the Earl Bathurst by Lieutenant-General Sir Hudson Lowe, K. C. B. of which the following is a copy:

MY LORD, *St. Helena, May 6, 1821.*

IT falls to my duty to inform your Lordship, that Napoleon Bonaparte expired at about ten minutes before six o'clock in the evening of the 5th instant, after an illness which had confined him to his apartments since the 17th of March last.

He was attended during the early part of his indisposition, from the 17th to the 31st of March, by his own Medical Assistant, Professor Antommarchi, alone. During the latter period, from the 1st of April to the 5th of May, he received the daily visits of Dr. Arnott, of His Majesty's 20th regiment, generally in conjunction with Professor Antommarchi.

Dr. Shortt, Physician to the Forces, and Dr. Mitchell, Principal Medical Officer of the Royal Navy on the station, whose services, as well as those of any other medical persons on the island, had been offered; were called upon in consultation by Professor Antommarchi, on the 3d of May; but they had not any opportunity afforded to them of seeing the patient.

Dr. Arnott was with him at the moment of his decease, and saw him expire. Captain Crokot, Orderly Officer in attendance, and Doctors Shortt and Mitchell, saw the body immediately afterwards.

Dr. Arnott remained with the body during the night.

Early this morning, at about seven o'clock, I proceeded to the apartment where the body lay, accompanied by Rear-Admiral Lambert, Naval Commander in Chief on this station; the Marquis de Montchenu, Commissioner of His Majesty the King of France, charged with the same duty also on the part of His Majesty the Emperor of Austria; Brigadier-General Coffin, Second in Command of the Troops; Thomas H. Brooke and Thomas

Greentree, Esqrs. Members of Council in the Government of this island; and Captains Brown, Hendry, and Marryat, of the Royal Navy.

After viewing the person of Napoleon Bonaparte, which lay with the face uncovered, we retired.

An opportunity was afterwards afforded, with the concurrence of the persons who had composed the family of Napoleon Bonaparte, to as many Officers as were desirous, Naval and Military, to the Honourable the East India Company's Officers and Civil Servants, and to various other individuals resident here, to enter the room in which the body lay, and to view it.

At two o'clock this day the body was opened, in the presence of the following Medical Gentlemen, Dr. Shortt, M. D. Dr. Mitchell, M. D. Dr. Arnott, M. D. Dr. Burton, M. D. of His Majesty's 66th regiment, and Matthew Livingstone, Esq. Surgeon in the East India Company's Service.

Professor Antommarchi assisted at the dissection. General Bertrand and Count Montholon were present.

After a careful examination of the several internal parts of the body, the whole of the Medical Gentlemen present concurred in a report on their appearance. This report is inclosed.

I shall cause the body to be interred with the honours due to a General Officer of the highest rank.

I have entrusted this dispatch to Captain Crokot, of His Majesty's 20th regiment, who was the Orderly Officer in attendance upon the person of Napoleon Bonaparte at the time of his decease. He embarks on board His Majesty's sloop Heron, which Rear-Admiral Lambert has detached from the squadron under his command, with the intelligence.

I have, &c. &c. &c.

H. LOWE, Lieut.-Gen.

To the Right Hon. the Earl Bathurst, K. G.

&c. &c. &c.

Longwood, St. Helena, May 6, 1821;

Report of Appearances on Dissection of the Body of Napoleon Bonaparte.

ON a superficial view the body appeared very fat,