

Rates,	1	Number of Ships,	6	Guns each,	100	Men each,	950	
	2		16		90		750	
	3		59		12 of		80	600
	4				23 of		70	480
	5		24 of		60		400	
	6		31		16 of		50	300
	6 of	44		240				
	22	1 of	40	200				
	22	21 of	24	150				
			22	130				

Fire-Ships,	19	Hospital-Ships,	2
Bomb-Ketches,	9	Sloops,	11
Store-Ships,	2	Yachts,	7

In the several Parts of the West-Indies, belonging to us, we have 19 Ships of War stationed, exclusive of the preceding List; so that the whole Number of Ships, &c. in the British Navy will stand thus; *viz.*

First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Rate Ships,	156
Fire-ships, Bomb-Ketches, Store-ships, Hospital-ships, Sloops, and Yachts,	50
Ships of War station'd in the West-Indies,	19
Total.	225

In this Number, the Reader must take Notice, that the Victory, the Northumberland, and the Grampus Sloop, all which have been lost or taken, are not included.

Here is a View of our Naval Power: And from the Number of Ships which blocked up the united Fleets of France and Spain at Toulon, we may judge of the Effects of such a Navy as the British, under the Direction of Men of Knowledge, Courage, and Integrity.

BOSTON, June 10.

His Excellency Governor Morris, having upon the 24th of May last, laid before the House of Representatives of New-Jersey, some important Dispatches he had received from Governor Shirley at Bolton, and from Commodore Warren at Cape Breton, which he recommended to their Consideration; they thereupon unanimously resolved, 'That there be a Bill prepared for applying immediately the Sum of 2000 l. of the Interest Money now in the Treasury, for his Majesty's Service, to be transmitted to his Excellency Governor Shirley, in Provisions for the Use of his Majesty's Subjects at Cape-Breton.'

The following is a List of the Naval Force now in his Majesty's Service, on the Expedition against Cape-Breton; *viz.*

His Majesty's Ships,	The Superbe, Commodore Warren,	60
	The Princess Mary, Capt. Edwards,	60
	The Vigilant Prize, Capt. Douglas,	64
	The Mermaid, Capt. Montague,	40
	The Eltham, Capt. Durrel,	40
	The Hector, Capt. Cornwall,	40
	The Launceston, Capt. Terrel,	40
The Bien Aimé, Capt. Gayton,	24	

And 3 more expected soon from England.

In the Pay of the Province of the Massachusetts-Bay, 3000 Land-Troops; and the following Vessels,

Ships,	The Massachusetts, Capt. Tyng,	20
	The Caesar, Capt. Snelling,	20
	The Shirley Galley, Capt. Rowe,	20

Sloops,	The Snow Prince of Orange, Capt. Smethurst,	16
	The Brig. Boston Packet, Capt. Fletcher,	16
	Capt. Donahew,	12
	Capt. Saunders,	8
	Capt. Bofch,	8
And near 100 Sail of Transports.		
Also hired of the Rhode-Island Merchants, by the said Province,		
	A Ship, Capt. Griffin,	20
	A Snow, Capt. Thompson,	16

In the Pay of the Colony of Connecticut, their Proportion of Troops, 500 Men; and their Colony Sloop of 16 Guns.

In the Pay of the Province of New-Hampshire, their Proportion of Troops, 350 Men; and their Province Sloop.

In the Pay of Rhode-Island, no Soldiers; but their Colony Sloop of 16 Guns, and 80 Men.

PHILADELPHIA, June 13.

By Capt. Rees, from Antigua, there is Advice, that 4 of the largest Ships of the French Squadron were cruising to the Windward of Barbadoes, to intercept a large Fleet of Merchantmen bound thither, under the Convoy of Admiral Medley, who 'tis said, left England with 6 Ships of the Line. Ten Sail of Merchantmen of Force, bound to Jamaica, which came away without the Convoy, were arrived at Antigua in 30 Days from Plymouth; by whom they have an Account, that one Ship of 70 Guns, one of 60, and one of 50, under Command of Commodore Lee, were bound to Antigua directly to reinforce Commodore Knowles, and were not to take any of the Trade under their Convoy. 'Tis said, that as soon as these Ships are joined, they are to join Admiral Medley, left he should be attacked by the whole French Squadron under M. Caylus, which consists of 9 Sail; *viz.*

Ships,	L' Esperance,	74	Guns,	650
	Le Northumberland,	70		600
	Le Trident,	64		550
	Le Serieux,	64		550
	Le Diamant,	50		500
	L' Aquillon,	44		450
One Frigate,	36	300	Men,	300
One Ditto,	30	300		300
One Ditto,	30	300		300
One Fire-Ship, and one Bomb-Vessel, fitted since they came to Martinico.				

June 20. Capt. Burroughs, who arrived here on Saturday last from Ireland, informs us, that on the 21st of May, he met with 3 English Men of War, bound to Cape-Breton; *viz.* the Sunderland, of 60 Guns; the Canterbury, of 60 Guns; and the Chester, of 50 Guns; each of which had, besides their Complement, 40 spare Seamen and 40 Soldiers: They had with them a French 26 Gun Ship, which they had taken; she was bound to Newfoundland, to cruise on the Banks. They had received Intelligence of the small French Squadron bound to Cape-Breton; and Capt. Burroughs told the Commodore, that he had been chased 4 Days before by a large black Ship, which was supposed to be one of them.

By Capt. Darrel from Barbadoes there is Advice, that 2 more Men of War were arrived there from England. Capt. Evans, who arrived here on Saturday from Newcastle, saw the Virginia Fleet inward bound from England.

We hear that the Caesar Privateer, Capt. North (belonging to Cowes, but bound to this Place), which had taken several valuable Prizes, (was herself taken in the Channel by a French Privateer of 30 Guns, and carried into St. Maloes.