

at this time from the Secretary of the Admiralty  
quitting service of the ... in ship ...  
thirty ... and sent for  
them at the 12<sup>th</sup> of ... as follows

List

of

Admiralty 1700

I send this to acquaint you that I have  
received your Letter of the 11<sup>th</sup> of April and  
your other Letter of the 15<sup>th</sup> of June following  
to my Lord of the Admiralty came safe to hand  
together with the Box of papers relating to  
Pyrates taken by the Squadron of the Cape of  
Virginia their Lordships are very sensible of  
the Service done therein and the Zeal you  
showed to your Country in that Particular and  
I could not but before this arrives you will have  
had an Account that many of those Piraticall Villains  
have rec<sup>d</sup>. their just Punishments which I  
hope will in a great measure deter others for  
the future.

Their Lordships are very well satisfied with what  
you write in the Behalf of Cap<sup>t</sup> Moore, and  
Notwithstanding the Occasion you formerly had  
to represent him otherwise to them than you now  
do they are pleased in Consideration of his good  
Service in the taking the Pirate Ship to continue  
him in their favour.

I have not yet heard from you relating to the  
receipt of the Papers about your Service for taking  
the Ships of the Matsy Subjects from the Negroes  
Concerning which I take this opportunity of —