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REPORT of the General Officers.

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**A**FTER your having all along expressed so great a curiosity for knowing what passed here, with respect to the consequences of the failure of our expedition, I cannot be surpris'd that, on receiving the Enquiry thereon, published by authority, you should desire to have some further explanations, to clear up what may be still left obscure, or whereon to ground your conjectures of any ulterior procedure therein. Willing as I am to oblige, and at the same time not to deceive you, I can only assure you, that you may depend on nothing but the most exact truth in any communication of mine, so far as I

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