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*Enclosed.* Journal and proceedings of Legislative Council from 7th June to 31st July, 1799. Col. Cor. N. S. vol. 33, p. 192

Journal of Assembly, from 7th June to 24th July, 1799. 230

May 27,  
Halifax.

Wentworth to King. Admiralty reports received, which have been of great use at the trial of two vessels seized by the "Cleopatra." The French-Egyptian correspondence shows the unprincipled views and measures of France. Arrival of Major General Despard and Judge Advocate on the way to Cape Breton. Determination of Prince Edward to return to London, with or without leave. Mutiny in the Newfoundland regiment suppressed; how the men should be disposed of. A. & W. I. vol. 598

May 27,  
London.

Audit Office to Secretary of State (Portland). Call attention to the neglect by Wentworth to transmit accounts of the receipts and expenditures in Nova Scotia. A. & W. I. vol. 598

June 10,  
Halifax.

Wentworth to Secretary of State (Portland). Has received orders for the maroons to go on board the "Asia" for Sierra Leone. The correspondence enclosed will show the state of readiness in which the maroons are to embark. Immediately after their departure, the estates purchased for their use shall be advertised for sale, and accounts completed; expects to sell the brandy and tobacco without loss. The "Earl of Moira" is to take Despard to Sydney; the further employment of that vessel on the coast. Col. Cor. N. S. vol. 34, p. 1

*Enclosed.* Wentworth to Sheriff. The maroons are ready to embark when the "Asia" is ready. 5

Answer to Sheriff that the "Asia" requires additional men before she can sail. 9

Account of provisions on board the "Asia" for the maroons. 13

June 11,  
Halifax.

Wentworth to King. The "Earl of Moira" is sailing to-day for Cape Breton with Despard; he has no mandamus to act as President of the Council. A. & W. I. vol. 598

June 18,  
Whitehall.

Secretary of State (Portland) to Wentworth. Is surprised to find after repeated orders, that the vouchers for the accounts have not been sent; he is to do so at once, under pain of His Majesty's high displeasure. No bills will in future be paid unless accompanied by proper vouchers. Col. Off. N. S. vol. 2, p. 353

June 21,  
Halifax.

Wentworth to Secretary of State (Portland). The General Assembly met on the 20th of February, and closed on the 2nd of May; sends Acts and the journals of Council and Assembly. Gives reasons for the passing of the various Acts, and remarks on the proceedings as shown in the journals. Col. Cor. N. S. vol. 34 p. 21

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"Observations upon an Establishment proposed to be made on the Isle of Sable; for the relief of the distressed and the preservation of property." 283

"Statement of Facts relating to the Isle of Sable." 297

June 22,  
Hinde Street.

Spry to Secretary of State (Portland). The only way of making him a money compensation for the lands taken is by a vote of Parliament; asks His Grace to represent the case to Pitt officially. 499

July 19,  
Whitehall.

Secretary of State (Portland) to Wentworth. With the exception of some unpleasant discussions between the Council and Assembly, has satisfaction at the proceedings of the legislature in 1798, 1799 and this year; cannot understand why the Council did not agree to the conference with the Assembly, which would have settled the points in dispute. Takes it for granted that the "Asia" sailed immediately after the date of his (Wentworth's) letter; is not satisfied with the conduct of Shirreff, agent for the transports, in respect to the delay. Col. Cor. N. S. vol. 34, p. 15