

LIST of the ships at Brest then fitting out <sup>a</sup>.

|                       | Rate. | built. | refitted. | men. | guns. | captains.           |
|-----------------------|-------|--------|-----------|------|-------|---------------------|
| <i>Le Formidable,</i> | 1     | 1746   | 1749      | 1100 | 90    | <i>Macnamara.</i>   |
| <i>Palmier,</i>       | 2     | 1752   |           | 750  | 74    | <i>BoislaMothe</i>  |
| <i>Heros,</i>         | 2     | 1752   |           | 750  | 74    | <i>Monluc.</i>      |
| <i>Bizarre,</i>       | 3     | 1750   |           | 580  | 64    | <i>Salverte.</i>    |
| <i>Defenseur,</i>     | 2     | 1723   | 1752      | 750  | 74    | <i>Boisnir.</i>     |
| <i>Entreprenant,</i>  | 2     | 1751   |           | 750  | 74    | <i>Beaufremont.</i> |
| <i>L'Esperance,</i>   | 2     | 1724   | 1747      | 750  | 70    | <i>La Vilcon.</i>   |
| <i>Algenquir,</i>     | 2     | 1752   |           | 750  | 70    | <i>Montalet.</i>    |

## At Quebec.

|                      |       |      |      |     |    |                     |
|----------------------|-------|------|------|-----|----|---------------------|
| <i>Dauphin,</i>      | 2     | 1735 | 1749 | 750 | 70 | <i>Hocquart.</i>    |
| <i>Alcide,</i>       | 3     | 1740 | 1743 | 580 | 64 | <i>M. Choiseul.</i> |
| <i>Illustre,</i>     | 3     | 1750 |      | 580 | 64 | <i>St. Lazarre.</i> |
| <i>Leopard,</i>      | 3     | 1721 | 1747 | 580 | 64 | <i>L'Orgerie.</i>   |
| <i>Lis,</i>          | 3     | 1746 |      | 580 | 64 | <i>Gonin.</i>       |
| <i>Apollon,</i>      | 4     | 1721 | 1751 | 350 | 58 |                     |
| <i>Actiff,</i>       | 3     | 1752 |      | 580 | 64 |                     |
| <i>Prothee,</i>      | 3     | 1747 | 1749 | 580 | 64 | <i>Marinieu.</i>    |
| <i>Fleur de lis,</i> | frig. |      |      | 230 | 30 | <i>Du Boto.</i>     |
| <i>Amethiste,</i>    | do.   |      |      | 230 | 30 | <i>Bori.</i>        |
| <i>Heroine,</i>      | do.   | 1752 |      | 220 | 26 | <i>Tourville.</i>   |
| <i>Sirene,</i>       | do.   | 1745 |      | 230 | 30 | <i>L'Arguille.</i>  |
| <i>Aquilon,</i>      | 4     | 1730 | 1751 | 350 | 50 | <i>Bonville.</i>    |
| <i>Comete,</i>       | frig. | 1752 |      | 220 | 22 | <i>Grang.</i>       |

To be commanded by Monsieur Macnamara;  
to carry six regiments of two battalions each,  
and to be victualled for four months and a half<sup>1</sup>.

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<sup>a</sup> From *De Cosne*.

<sup>1</sup> Dated February 12th and 19th, received on the 16th and 23d. Mr. de *Cosne* also advises, by letter dated Feb. 5th