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Papers of Alexander Cochrane  
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| 29 Apr. 1814  | Barron                | Requesting names of mates & midshipmen eligible for promotion.                                                                                                                             |
| 29 April 1814 | Barron                | Transmitting copy of orders to Sherbrooke to launch attack at Passamaquoddy Bay when 107 <sup>th</sup> Regt. arrives at Halifax.                                                           |
| 28 April 1814 | Bathurst - Sherbrooke | Directing him to use the 107 <sup>th</sup> Regt. to occupy and maintain possession of the Islands in Passamaquoddy Bay as soon as possible.                                                |
| 30 April 1814 | Croker                | Placing Sloop "Albatross" under his orders.                                                                                                                                                |
| 30 Apr. 1814  | Croker                | Placing "Hermes" and 3 named transports under his orders.                                                                                                                                  |
| 30 Apr. 1814  | Barron                | Sending 100 seamen for his use via "Newcastle"                                                                                                                                             |
| 2 May 1814    | Yorke                 | Almost illegible account of court proceedings re Seagooner "Lance" etc etc.                                                                                                                |
| 5 May 1814    | Barron                | Capt. Edw. Codrington appointed his Captain of the Fleet and proceeding in "Newcastle" to Halifax with "Hebrus", "Erebus", "Meteor", "Adder", "Pelter" & "Devastation" to serve under him. |
| 6 May 1814    | Barron                | Adm. Keltie converting 6 L.O.B. ships for troop transport from South of France and sending 300 replacement seamen also.                                                                    |
| 7 May 1814    | Barron                | Commission of Morgan Crofton to "Hobbs"                                                                                                                                                    |
| 9 May 1814    | Barron                | Changing orders for Codrington. "Hebrus" to take "Dionede", "Leopard", "Adder" and "Pelter" leaving them in Halifax, and proceed to Bermuda.                                               |
| 10 May 1814   | Barron                | Orders <del>to</del> Geo. Morrison, acting Lt. of "Hussey", to England.                                                                                                                    |
| 10 May 1814   | Barron                | Orders to send French prisoners from Halifax (129) and New Providence (24) back to France.                                                                                                 |
| 18 May 1814   | Barron                | Sending 150 printed copies of proclamation of cessation of hostilities with France for distribution to all C.O. of ships.                                                                  |
| 18 May 1814   | Barron                | Printed order (enclosed) requiring a return of all midshipmen mates & 1 <sup>st</sup> Cl. Volunteers etc. etc.                                                                             |
| 19 May 1814   | Croker                | Bad copy of MS 2326-(2) - orders - see other etc.                                                                                                                                          |
| 20 May 1814   | Bathurst              | " " " 2326-(2) - orders - see other etc.                                                                                                                                                   |
| 21 May 1814   | Barron                | orders Lt. George Lloyd of "Rattle" home for reassignment                                                                                                                                  |
| 21 May 1814   | Croker                | Putting Capt Codrington, "Newcastle" and "Erebus" under his orders                                                                                                                         |
| 21 May 1814   | Croker                | Orders him to use Edward Ceryon, Codrington's Flag Lt. in any available vacancy in fleet.                                                                                                  |
| 21 May 1814   | Croker                | Duplicate of letter in MS 2326-(2) with extract of Adm. Warrains orders of 20 March 1813.                                                                                                  |

\* Transcribed