

Since which no further notice has
been taken of him, ^{neither} was there any cloths
left with him, except those he had on
at the moment - As I conceive the
Man might be as well on board I
request you will be pleased to endeavour
to have him sent to his Ship, or
the Naval Hospital, at all events a
supply of Linen is absolutely necessary

To
Lieut Col^l Napier
Commanding 102nd Regt

I have the honor to be
Sir
your Obed^t Servant
Henry Davis } Surgeon to
the 102nd Regt

To
Sir J. B.
Admiral
Commander
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His Majesty's Ship Narcissus Jan^y
Jan 7th 18th 1813 off the River Mississippi.

Sir

I beg leave to acquaint you for the
information of my Lords Commissioners of
the Admiralty that H.M. Ship under my
Command Captured last night after a short
Chase of 4 Hours (the Chandeliers bearing
N^W 1/2^W distant about 5 or 6 leagues) the
United States Brig Viper Commanded by
W^m S^r D. Henly a Lieutenant & Commander
in the American Service pierced for 16 Guns
but had only 12 mounted 4 of which she
have overboard during the Chase & a
Complement of 93 Men returning to New
Orleans from a Cruise off the Dry Tortugas
where I am happy to say had not made a
single Capture, she is a very fine Brig of
her Class Coppered and Copper fastened well
found in Stores of all descriptions and in
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