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To some other purpose of the Expedition, it is advisable that you should bring down with you all the Troop ships which may be at your disposal.

The ships from Europe will convey to you a number of Rifles, Carbines, and an adequate quantity of ammunition, for the purpose of arming the friendly Indians, agreeably to your suggestion; and measures will be taken for forwarding to the Gulf of Mexico, by a future fleet, an additional supply of arms and ammunition, together with another Black Regiment, if it can be spared without inconvenience from the West Indies.

Each of the Troop ships will carry two flat Boats; but, as to the articles specified in a list mentioned in your letter