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Admiralty Office
10th August 1814.

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Sir,

I am commanded by my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty to signify their direction to you to hire, without loss of time, from ten to twenty small vessels of the Island, drawing about six or seven feet water, and capable of conveying about one hundred men each.

You will also, if you have the means, fit these vessels with slides for carronades; and hold them in constant readiness for a particular service.

I am, Sir,
&c &c
(Signed) J. W. Croker.

To
Rear Admiral Brown.
Jamaica.