

**EXHIBIT E-8**

**DR. RODNEY CARLISLE**

**PART 8**

**ANNEXES 29**

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Finsbury Square,  
18<sup>th</sup> February 1865.

Gentlemen,

The crew of the late Spanish Frigate  
La Tama, now at Portsmouth, have sent me  
a Declaration signed and certified by the Captain  
of the said vessel, containing the amount of  
each Seaman's Property in the Caja de Solda-  
das or Chest of Deposited Pay, and I am  
directed by them to present the same to this  
Government, and to claim the total amounts  
being 10,411 Hard Dollars, on their behalf.  
Under these circumstances, I take the liberty  
to transmit the said Declaration to you  
enclosed, requesting the favor of you to  
forward it to Government and should this  
case not come within the meaning of the  
determination already taken by this  
Government with regard to the property  
of Officers, I hope the same principle of  
generosity which prompted it will induce  
H. B. M<sup>t</sup> Ministers, to extend it where  
the same principles equally, and even  
more forcibly operate, and I also hope

The Commissioners  
for the Transport Service

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That, in Charity to the distressed situation  
of the concerned, you will have the  
goodness to promote it with your good  
Office. It is the deputed Pay of their  
hard labour which these poor People  
claim.

I have the honor to be, Sir,  
[signed] Manuel de la Torre.

P.S. I shall have, in a few  
days, to trouble you with a  
similar Application, on behalf  
of the Ships Companies of the late  
Spanish Frigate, Medea & Clara.





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Sir,

Downing Street 26 Feb 1805

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having directed a claim made by the crew of the late Spanish Frigate *Fama* to be submitted to the consideration of Lord Camden, I have his Lordships directions to transmit to you a copy of the Letter written by Don Manuel de la Torre to the Board of Transports thereupon, together with the original Spanish Paper therein enclosed, stating the several Interests of the crew in the Caja de Soldados, or Chest of Deposited Pay, amounting to 10411 hard Dollars; and I am to request you will lay the same before the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury with his Lordships Opinion that, under all the Circumstances of the case, their Lordships should give Orders for restoring their respective Shares therein to the crew of the *Fama*.

I am, Sir,

Your most Obedient  
Humble ServantThe Managers Board of  
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*J. Fortescue*

Whitehall  
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Medea  
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Sir,

Warrford Court 5<sup>th</sup> July 1805

and  
Constante

We take the Liberty of informing you that our Friend Mr Richard Nail a Merchant in Cadiz, and a British Subject had Property on Board the following Spanish Vessels, that have been detained by His Majesty's Cruizers viz

\$ 980 1/8	Hard Dollars in the Medea	
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and as it will be impossible for him to arrive in this Country before an appropriation takes Place of the Property on Board those Ships, we have to solicit the Favor of your representing the same to Their Lordships, and to express our Wish that they will be pleased to pass an Order to the Treasury, that the Value of the abovementioned Property may be reserved out of the Proceeds of said Carries detained in Order to answer an Appeal that will be instituted by Mr Nail immediately on his Arrival here, which we expect will be as soon as he has been enabled to settle his Affairs in Spain and to leave that Country in Consequence of the War. We hope Their Lordships will be pleased to grant our Request, and shall feel extremely obliged for any Assistance you may give thereto.

We remain

with much Respect

Sir,

Your most obedient  
& humble Servants

Wm Foxener Esq. Mr Campbell, W. Anderson

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Proving Street

3 November 1806

Sir

I have laid before Lord Camden your letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> inst, transmitting for his Lordship's consideration a letter from

Don Pedro Alvarado Comandante in Chief of the Real Armada of the Indies in the Spanish Navy, and a paper on board the detained Spanish

Brigate Donna in which is made mention of his private property

and I am directed to acquaint you for the information of

the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty that Lord Camden

Alvarado

L. S.

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...reference that the same may  
be adopted with regard to the  
Property of Brigadier Linn, who  
have been ordered with respect  
the private Property of other  
Officers.

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Your most obedient  
humble servant  
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Downing Street 18 Novem<sup>r</sup> 1804

I have received and laid before Lord  
Sandwich your Letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> Instant,  
with its Inclosures, containing the request  
(transmitted thro' Vice Admiral Young)  
of the Spanish Rear Admiral to  
have a quantity of Plate, his Property,  
returned to him; - and also Peti-  
tions from two Merchants, Popen-  
gers in the detained Frigates, for  
permission to go to Spain.

With respect to the first of these  
requests, I am directed to acquaint  
you

William Mordaunt Esq<sup>r</sup> X

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you for the Information of the Lords Com-  
missioners of the Admiralty, that Lord  
Carmden conceives much inconvenience  
might follow by allowing any deviation  
from the Regulations which have been  
already adopted in regard to the private  
Property of the Spanish Officers; and his  
Lordship is therefore obliged to withhold  
his Concurrence to what is requested  
by the Spanish Admirals.

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As to the Permission solicited  
by Messieurs Martinez and Maria,  
whose Letters are herewith returned  
Lord Carmden sees no objection to a  
Licence being granted to them for  
returning to Spain.

I am, Sir,

Your most Obedient  
Humble Servant

*W. Pitt*

*Received by the Secretary of the Admiralty  
on the 16th of January 1763  
at the Admiralty Office  
W. Pitt*

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Relacion de los Sueldos que les Corresponden à los Individuos de mar q.º Salieron de la Fragua Mercaderes, y se hallan Existentes el dia de la fecha en Bordo de la nombrada sin Clara.

Artilleros e Indiv. con 2 Perros.	Antes de V. en
Antonio Samirgo	80
Fran.º Lopez	80
Mari de Salgado	80
Bernardo del Rio	80
Andres Fernandez	80
Manuela Guerrero	80
Fran.º Salon	80
Antonio Lopez	80
Thomas Gonzalez	80
Jose Alonso	80
Manuela Cabo	80

Marineros con 1 Perro.

José Crossa	60
Fran.º Xavier Rojas	60
José Arce	60

Antonio del Sile	60
Thomas Buens.	60
Juan Malvido	60
Jose Enriquez	60
Jose Manilla	60
Juan Lopez	60
Mariano Abals	60
José Dupont	60
Pascual Garcia	60

Summes con  $4\frac{1}{2}$  Escudos.

Jose Flores	40
Miguel Toledo	40
Juan Cubero	40
Jose Vasquez	40
Juan Carreras	40
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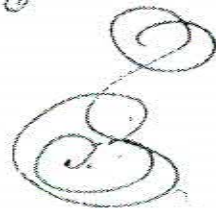
Se paga con D. Escudos y  
 15 r.<sup>os</sup> v.<sup>os</sup> por equivalente  
 al Vino en Europa

Ramon Garcia - 40

Puerto de Simonscht 5 de Dic.<sup>r</sup> de 1804.

N.<sup>o</sup> B.<sup>o</sup>  
 Fran.<sup>co</sup> de Paula Piedrola

Maria de Anco  
 y Rada





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"A Memorial to the Lords of the Treasury stating the circumstances and amount of the loss sustained by D<sup>o</sup> Diego or Alvar; and praying for such indemnification for the same out of the Property captured in the Spanish Brigates, as their Lordships upon consideration shall think proper to grant"

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Sir. Christ Church Sep. 12<sup>th</sup> 1805

I have to acknowledge the honour of your letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant: and to express to you the very great satisfaction which I feel in the termination of your affair in a manner so agreeable to your wishes.

With respect to the Memorial which you do me the honour to inclose to me, I have only to say, That nothing but the very peculiar and affecting circumstances which marked your case, would have induced me to take upon myself to interfere in a business, with which (as my friend Mr Trevelyan has explained to you) I had officially no concern whatever. I am most happy to have contributed in any degree to the attainment of the redress which I thought due to you.

But I must beg leave to decline undertaking the further solicitation which you propose to me; which is equally out of the line of my official duty; but of which I have no scruple in confessing to you, I do not think the grounds equally strong with those upon which your particular application rested.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most Obedient

Humble servant

Geo. Canning.

M<sup>o</sup> Diego or Alvar y Ponce.



General status of the goods and property transported by the war frigates of the Division under the command of D. Josef de Bustamante y Guerra, Second Commander of the Royal Navy.

On Account of His Majesty

Ships	Sacks of vicuna wool	Crates and Sacks of Bark	Bars of Tin	Pigs of Copper	Planks of Wood	Silver in pesos \$
Medea	35	20	1627	203	-	521,940
Fama	-	-	300	-	28	330,000
Mercedes	20	20	1139	961	-	221,000
Clara	20	20	1666	571	-	234,694
<b>Total</b>	<b>75.</b>	<b>60.</b>	<b>4732.</b>	<b>1735.</b>	<b>28.</b>	<b>1,307,634</b>

On Account of Trade

Ships	Crates and bags of Rhatany	Silver in pesos fuertes	Gold reduced to pesos	Id. in blank gold coins reduced to pesos fuertes	Maritime Company	
					Seal skins	Seal oil
Medea	32	952,619.	279,502.	124,600.	8995	-
Fama	-	316,597	217,756	25,411	14,930	-
Mercedes	-	590,000	-	-	-	-
Clara	-	-	622,400	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1,859,216</b>	<b>1,119,658</b>	<b>150,011</b>	<b>26,925</b>	<b>10</b>

Note

Apart from the above-mentioned property transported by these Frigates are the due and reserved wages that have at all times been in America for both General Don Josef de Bustamante y Guerra and General Don Tomas de Ugarte, the latter who came from Lima and became severely ill in Montevideo, the General Major and Second Commander of this Division Don Diego de Alvar y Ponce, the four Commanders and all other Royal Navy officials and Staff Officers; the Garrison Troop and Crew from said Ships in the following form: Pesos fuertes

Medea.....143,071  
 Fama.....32,900  
 Mercedes.....60,000  
 Clara.....63,663

Total 299,634

These amounts are respectively registered under the title of Chest of Crew's Wages and as such are free from all Royal and Municipal rights according to the Ordinances of the Royal Navy. It should be added that the twenty *pesos fuertes* in wine were given by the King to each member of the Crew and Garrison and were loaded on the ship, and the ship set sail with silver to be distributed at sea; five thousand and three hundred *pesos fuertes* imported from the Medea, but this amount shall not be compensated by the other Frigates as they did not show evidence of their determined amounts, although it did embark.

General status of the goods and property transported by the War Frigates of the Division under the command of Don Joseph de Bustamante y Guerra, Squadron Commander of the Royal Navy.														
Ships	Maritime Company					On Account of His Majesty							Individually	
	Seal skins	Seal oil	Sacks of vicuna wool	Crates and Sacks of Bark	Bars of Tin	Wigs of Coppel	Planks of Wood	Silver in pesos fuertes	Gold reduced to pesos fuertes	Crew wages in pesos fuertes	Crates and bags of Rhoadny	Silver in pesos fuertes	Gold reduced to pesos fuertes	Id. in blank gold coins in pesos fuertes
Medea	899 5	-	35	20	1627	203	-	521,94 0	-	143,0 71	32	952,61 9	279,50 2	124,6 00
Fama	149 30	-	-	-	300	-	28	330,00 0	-	32,90 0	-	316,59 7	217,75 6	25,41 1
Mercedes	-	-	20	20	1139	961	-	221,00 0	-	60,00 0	-	590,00 0	-	-
Clara	300 0	10	20	20	1666	571	-	234,69 4	-	63,66 3	-	-	622,40 0	-
Total	26, 925	10	75	60	4732	1735	28	1,307, 634	-	299,6 34	32	1,852, 216	1,119, 658	150,0 11
Total: Individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,852, 216	1,269, 669	-	32	-	-	-
General Total	26, 925	10	75	60	4732	1735	28	3,166, 850	1,269, 669	299,6 34	32	-	-	-

Frigate Medea upon Anchoring at the Port of Plymouth, October 20, 1804

Diego de Alvear y Ponce

On behalf of the legitimate heirs and impoverished families of the officials and individuals who tragically perished when the Frigate Mercedes was destroyed by fire in the battle over Cape Santa Maria on the fifth of October of this past year, the King has been notified that though the English Government has returned the wage chests of the other three Frigates, the Medea, the Clara, and the Fama, the chest from the Mercedes has still not been rightfully returned, despite the fact that the same rights hold true for the wages from the Mercedes and for the poor families who lost their savings and the fruits of their labor by reason of the tragic misfortune suffered by their relatives who were coming to their aid. It very well may be that because none of the interested parties has directly made their claim or because this was not done so with the necessary energy and efficiency that the individual fortunes from the chest have not been returned. Nevertheless, as the horrific effects of the pain and anguish caused by that catastrophe are in themselves reason to help relieve them of their sorrow as those who have been returned their individual fortunes were so aided, Your Majesty should file the grievance with that Government by the most efficient means and serve as Commissioner for the legitimate heirs and interested parties regarding the return of the wages from the Frigate Mercedes if they have not already been returned. For these purposes, your Majesty should put forth the number of notifications on the claim that he sees fit, as the Spanish Dr. Fermin Fastet (to whom General Bustamante left this responsibility when he departed for London), as well as Naval Captain Don Diego Albear, who seems to live for reporting what progress has been made on this matter so far, exciting the fervor of both and inspiring them to strive for the restitution of property to help alleviate the suffering of the poor and desolate families. Don Fermin Fastet himself will facilitate the transmission of information regarding the amount of wages from the chest of the Mercedes and other news that may be of use for Your Majesty in making claims, while also informing you of other tasks that he has fulfilled, of the status of negotiations, and of how much should be claimed. Your Majesty shall inform me of this information and of what has transpired with their Government in this matter, in hopes that through these efforts and their zeal, the interested parties in the wage chest from the Mercedes will be compensated as those from the other three frigates, as called for by equality and the imperative law of humanity for the relief of those suffering. All of this is expressed to Your Majesty at the request of those involved, for Your understanding and in witness thereof. [illegible] on November 26, 1805.

Mr. Don Manuel de la Torre.

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C. de M. N.

P. Alex. X

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el 5 de oct. de 1806; y ~~que~~



Así como  
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