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A letter, dated Toulon, the 11th ult. contains an account of a gallant action between the *Guadaloupe*, Capt. TETLEY, and a French corvette of 22 guns, with a zebec; when both effected their escape. The action took place off Cape Creuse. Captain TETLEY intrepidly ran his brig alongside the corvette, and silenced her in twenty minutes. Her consort, the zebec, during this time lay on the quarter of the *Guadaloupe*, pouring in a galling fire, which her attention to the corvette rendered it impossible to return. They both ran away, and succeeded in getting under the protection of the batteries on shore, or they would have been inevitably taken. The first Lieutenant (WHITE), and nine men were severely wounded, four of them dangerously; one man was killed, and the hull and sails of the *Guadaloupe* suffered much damage.