

The Boston News-Letter.

From ~~Monday~~ April 30. to ~~Monday~~ May 7. 1722.

Several Vessels are bound out for Barbadoes and Leeward-Islands, and George Wanton for Surranam.

Boston, On the 10th of January last the Ship Gray-hound of this Port Capt. *Benjamin Edwards* Commander, in the Bay of Honduras, was Attacked by the Bumper Gally, then call'd the Happy delivery a Ship of 250 Tuns, having on Board 80 or 90 Pirates, Commanded by *George Lowder*, she had a Consort Sloop of 30 Tuns and 25 Men, who after a stout resistance made, was taken and barbarously handled by them; They also took seven other Vessels, two of them Briganteens belonging to Boston, one they sunk, and the other they burnt; Capt. *Hamilton's* Sloop of Jamaica, they carryed with them, another of Virginia they emptied and gave her to the Master; Capt. *Ayre's* Sloop of Connecticut they burnt; The other was a Rhode-Island Sloop of about 80 Tuns.

The said Pirate forced away from Capt. *Edwards* the following Marriners, *viz.* *Christopher Atwell* Chief Mate aged about 26, much Pock broken, born in the West of England. *Charles Harris* second Mate, aged about 25, small Stature, born in London. *Henry Smith* Carpenter, aged about 25 years, born in Boston. *Joseph Willis* aged 18 years, Apprentice to the Capt. born in London, *David Lindsay* aged 50 years born in Scotland, and then burnt his Ship.

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