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IN pursuance of the directions of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 22d of January, 1816,

Mr. *John Septimus Roe, Acting Lieutenant of His Majesty's Ship Bathurst*

has this day been examined by the Professor of the Royal Naval College and his Assistants, in our presence, touching his knowledge of the elements of mathematics and the theory of navigation; more particularly in the necessary parts of arithmetic, in the mode of observing and calculating azimuths, amplitudes, and the variation of the compass, in the calculation of the tides, the various modes of ascertaining the latitude, as well by simple and double altitudes of the sun, as by the altitudes of the moon and stars; and the finding the longitude by chronometer and lunar observations; in all which subjects he has proved himself to be adequately qualified.

Given under our hands, at the Royal Naval College, in His Majesty's Yard, near Portsmouth, this  *tenth*  day of  *June 1823*

*J. W. Whitshed* Admiral and Commander in Chief

*Geo. Grey* Commissioner

*Wm. W. Waring*

Lieutenant Governor of the Royal Naval College

Papier Certificat at R. M. College, Port-au-Prince