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In this defponding condition, with great fcarcity of water, and the crew fo difeafed that there was' not above ten foremaft men in a watch capable of doing duty, and even fome of thefe lame, they faw the long-wifhed for ifland of Juan Fernandes, on the 9th of June, lofmg, by this laft mif- take between 70 and 80 men, who would doubtlefs have been faved had they made the ifland when the Commodore difcovered it on the 28th of May; but notwithstanding this, it will hereafter appear, that this miftake was providentially the means of the prefervation of all who furvived this feeming .misfortune.

CHAP. III. A Defcription of the I/land of Juan Fernandes, with the Meafures purfued by Mr. Anfon in that Ifland. The arrival of the Gloucefter and Anna Pink; and a Narrative of the diftreffes the former had endured, and what happened to the latter 'while at anchor near the I/land of Jnchin.

THOUGH the Centurion again difcovered the ifland of Juan Fernandes on the ninth of June at day-break, yet her people were all that day and the next night in getting in with the land, and in the middle watch the debility of the people was fo great, that the Lieutenant could only muffer.

two quarter maf- ters and fix foremaft men, fo .that had it not been for the

affittance of the officers, fervants, and boys, it might have been impoffible to have reached tKe ifland after they had got fight of it: to this wretched condition was the Centurion, a fixty gun fhip reduced, which three months before had pafed the ftreights le Mair, with between four and 500 men, almoft all of whom were in health and full vigour .

On the tenth in the afternoon they got under the lee of the ifland: they ranged alon...

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