

dore Jones. The British government was incensed and the national pride wounded, at finding one of the finest frigates in the English navy captured so near the coast of Great Britain, and in the view, by moonlight, of numerous spectators. The subjoined comparative statement of the relative force of the two ships and their crews, will shew that the advantage was decidedly in favor of the Serapis:—

*Statement of the force of the Bon homme Richard, on the 23d September, 1779.*

6	18-pounders on the lower gun deck,
14	12 do. middle do.
14	9 do. do. do.
2	6 do. quarter do.
2	6 do. spar, or upper do.
1	in each gangway,
2	6 do. upon the forecatic.
380 men and boys.	

*Force of the Serapis, on the same day.*

20	18-pounders on her lower gun deck,
20	9 do. upper do.
6	6 do. quarter do.
4	6 do. forecatic.
305 men, and about 15 lascars.	

The officers and men who so gallantly distinguished themselves in this memorable affair deserve to be immortalized. The annexed roll contains the names of the whole of them, from an official source, and it is with pleasure that the opportunity is embraced of inserting them in a work which is a record of the achievements and prowess of their intrepid commander. The roll includes also a specification of those who were killed and wounded, together with the respective countries of which they were natives:

*ROLL of the Officers, Seamen, Marines, and Volunteers, who served on board the Bon homme Richard, commanded by Commodore John Paul Jones, in her cruize made in 1779.*

NAMES.	COUNTRY.	RANK.	REMARKS.
John Paul Jones,	Scotch,	Commodore,	
Richard Dale,	Maryland,	1st Lieut.	Badly wounded.
Henry Lunt,	Mass.	2d do.	

NAMES.	COUNTRY.	RANK.	REMARKS.
Cutting Lunt,	Mass.	3d Lieut.	
Samuel Stacey,	N. H.	Master,	
Laurence Brooks,	do.	Surgeon,	
Mathurin Mease,	Mass.	Purser,	Badly wounded.
Stack,	French,	Lt. Cl. Marines	
Macarty,	do.	Lieut. do.	
O'Kelly,	Irish,	do. do.	
John White,	American,	Mate,	
Thomas Potter,	do.	Midshipman,	Wounded.
Nathaniel Fanning,	do.	do.	
Benjamin Stubbs,	Mass.	do.	
Rauben Chase,	do.		
Beaumont Groube,	do.	Midshipman,	
Jonah Carvell,	American,		Killed.
William Daniel,	do.		
John Mayrant,	S. C.	Midshipman,	Wounded.
Robert Coram,	N. H.	do.	
John L. White,	American,		
Richard Wat,	do.		
Gilbert Wat,	do.		
John Robinson,	English,		
John Gunnion,	American,	Carpenter,	
William Clarke,	do.	Sailmaker,	Wounded.
Jacob True,	do.	2d Gunner,	
Ichabod Lord,	Mass.	Carpenter,	
Daniel Russel,	do.	Steward,	
Thomas Turner,	English,	Boatswain,	Killed.
Edward Garret,	do.	do.	
Thomas Miller,	do.	Carpenter,	
William Physic,	do.	do.	Killed.
James Connor,	Irish,	do.	
Robert Steel,	English,	Qr. Master,	Killed.
Robert Towers,	do.	do.	
William Thompson,	Scotch,	do.	
John Woulton,	English,	do.	
Robert Stevens,	do.	Cook,	
Arthur Randall,	do.	Gunner,	
Thomas Macarthy,	Irish,	do.	Killed.
Jonathan Wells,	American,	do.	
William Lee,	English,	do.	
John Murphy,	Irish,	do.	Killed.
John Pearce,	English,	do.	
Thomas Jones,	do.	do.	
Francis Campbell,	do.	do.	
Michael Longstaff,	American,	Qr. Master,	Killed.
Henry Gardiner,	do.	Gunner,	Wounded.