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| **Thursday** | 5 | |  |
| A beautiful morning. Wind NW. Captain Webb & I took a walk round by the sands to Cullercoats & returned by the fields. Dined at the house at 2 o’clock. Mark came in after dinner & took a bottle of port with me. With Bill Jervis. In the evening at the whist club | | |  |
| **Friday** | 6 | |  |
| A fine mild morning with the appearance of rain. Wind WSW. Dined at the George Tavern with William Harrison who had last a diciseen upon the death of Major Wergs. He (WH) saying that the major was killed at Corunna when it was at St Sabastian’s. Had an exceedingly pleasant day & excellent dinner & wine. Present J Tinley, Captain French, Mr West & Mr Robinson of the 80th Regiment, Mr Allen, William, Tom & Benj Wright, I Craig, Mr Christie of London, Mr Harrison & myself | | |  |
| **Saturday** | 7 | |  |
| A most beautiful morning. Wind NW. The air rather frosty. Intended going to Newcastle with H Harry but prevented by a most disturbing letter from captain Stephenson of the Hope dated Elsinorethe 24th Oct informing me of the loss of poor J Galbraith. He having fallen overboard from the maintop sail yard when reefing pitching upon the top in his fall, poor fellow, his career has been short but ‘tis all for the best. I hope he has left a world of misery & is now I trust happy with his dear parents. Remained in the house all day in consequence of this sad news. Wrote to WBS, Mr Vernon & D Dixon | | |  |
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