



THE

# Edinburgh Gazette.

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FROM FRIDAY, JANUARY 12. TO TUESDAY, JANUARY 16. 1798.

WESTMINSTER, Jan. 12, 1798.

This day the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by Mr Quarme, the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of his Majesty's Commission for declaring his Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for granting to his Majesty an aid and contribution for the prosecution of the war.

An Act for allowing, during the continuance of the present war, a certain proportion of the men, raised in pursuance of two acts of the last Session of Parliament for augmenting the militia, to enlist into his Majesty's other forces, and to serve until six months after the conclusion of a general peace.

An Act for continuing for twenty-one years, and from thence to the end of the then next Session of Parliament, the term, and altering and enlarging the powers of two several acts, one passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, and the other in the sixteenth year of his present Majesty, so far as the same relate to repairing the road from Tadcaster to Halton Dyal, in the West Riding of the County of York.

And to seven private bills.

[Price Sixpence.]

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Jan. 13.

Copy of a Letter from Admiral Sir Richard King, Bart. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Plymouth, to Evan Nepean, Esq. dated Cambridge, in Hamoaze, the 7th of January, 1798.

SIR,

You will be pleased to acquaint their Lordships, that his Majesty's hired cutter Stag arrived this day with La Zelic, French lugger privateer, carrying 4 guns and 47 men, which she captured the 5th instant off the Start.

I am, &c.

R. KING.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Jan. 13.

Copy of a Letter from Admiral Peyton, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels in the Downs, to Mr Nepean, dated on board the Overysfel, the 12th Jan. 1798.

SIR,

I herewith send you inclosed a letter I have this day received from Captain Lloyd, of his Majesty's sloop Racoon, of this date, stating his having captured Le Policrate French privateer cutter, carrying 16 guns and 72 men, yesterday morning, off Beachy Head, which letter you will be pleased to lay before their Lordships.

I am, &c.

JOSEPH PEYTON.

SIR,

Racoon, in the Downs, Jan. 12, 1798.

I beg leave to acquaint you, that yesterday morning at seven A. M. Beachy Head bearing north-east, distant about seven leagues, I discovered a cutter in the south-east. I immediately made all sail in chace, and, after a running fire of two hours, (within musquet shot) came up with and captured Le Policrate French privateer, carrying 72 men, and mounting 16

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guns, 5 of which were thrown overboard during the chace. She is an entire new vessel, copper-bottomed, completely fitted for three months, and bound to the West Indies; failed from Dunkirk on Tuesday last, and had not taken any thing. It is a matter of much concern for me to add, that, in consequence of my being under the necessity of carrying a very heavy press of sail, my deck (the chace being on the lee bow) was exposed to a very heavy fire of musquetry and grape shot from his stern chace guns, by which Mr George Kennedy, the master, was killed, in whom the service has lost a most experienced seaman and a gallant officer; four seamen were also wounded; two severely.

I have the honour, &c.

ROB. LLOYD:

Admiral Peyton, &c. &c.  
Downs.

WHITEHALL, JAN. 12. 1798.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Pettat, Master of Arts, to the Vicarage of Stonehouse in the County and Diocese of Gloucester, void by the resignation of the Reverend John Pettat, late incumbent thereof.

The King has also been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Fitz-Roy (commonly called Lord Henry Fitz-Roy), Master of Arts, to the Rectory of Toppesfield, in the County of Essex and Diocese of London, void by the death of the Reverend George Pawson, late incumbent thereof.

WAR-OFFICE, JAN. 13. 1798.

1st Regiment of Life Guards—Henry Powell Collins, Gent. to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harvey, promoted.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Captain Henry Teesdale to be Major, by purchase, vice Syer, who retires.

4th Regiment of Dragoons—Cornet Charles Walton, from the 20th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cook, promoted.

11th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Henry Carew, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Money, promoted.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards—Hon. Captain A. Percy Upton, to be Adjutant, vice Howard, promoted.

32d foot—James Sweeney, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burgefs, promoted in the 90th foot.

34th—Lieutenant Francis Polhill, from the 60th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Leeson, promoted in the 6th foot.

37th—S. Hart, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Barwicke, promoted.

39th—Ensign James Robson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hay, promoted.

42d—Hugh M'Lean, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Campbell, promoted.

49th—Lieut. Henry Davies, from the 5th West India regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Coultman, who exchanges.

51st—Lieut. James Michael Clays, from the York Fusileers, to be Lieutenant, vice Young, who retires on the half pay of the York Fusileers.

67th—Marcus Annelly, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sapte, promoted.

88th—Ensign James Chisholm to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Duff, who retires.

Scotch Brigade.

Ensign Achilles Bellace, from the late 128th foot, to be Ensign, vice Bell, who retires on the half pay of the late 128th foot.

5th ditto—Lieut. W. Coultman, from the 49th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Davies, who exchanges.

6th ditto—Captain George Paterfon, from the 4th West India regiment, to be Captain, vice Reynolds, who retires on half pay.

BREVET.

Colonel John Whitlocke to be Brigadier General in the Island of Guernsey only.

GARRISONS.

Lieutenant Colonel Hon. Alexander Hope to be Lieutenant Governor of Edinburgh Castle, vice Lord Eglintoune, who resigns.

Lieutenant Hugh Watson, from the half pay of the 3d foot, to be Town Major of Carlisle, vice Smyth, deceased.

Richard Roberts, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Hindle, who resigns.

Perthshire Fencible Cavalry.

Cornet George Milne to be Lieutenant, vice Baillie, who resigns.

James Oliphant, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Milne.

Rutlandshire Fencible Cavalry.  
P. George Lewis, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Elton, dismissed the service by the sentence of a General Court Martial.

Windfor Forrefters.  
George Affiotti, Gent. to be Cornet, vice White, promoted.

Royal Lancashire Volunteers.  
John Wood, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Wright, who resigns.

Ensign Thomas Worthington, on the half-pay of the 45th foot, to be Ensign, vice Houlditch, promoted.

Francis Scott, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Clarke, promoted.

Southern Fencible Infantry.

Christopher Durward, Gent. to be Ensign, vice White, promoted.

Roxburghshire Gentlemen and Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain John Rutherford to be Major Commandant, vice Sir James Pringle, who resigns.

Lieutenant Sir Henry Hay Makedougall, Bart. to be Captain, vice Rutherford.

Second Lieutenant Robert Walker to be first Lieutenant, vice Makedougall.

James Haldane, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Walker.

Argyllshire Volunteers.  
John Campbell, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice George Campbell, who retires.

Dunnell and Olrick Volunteers.  
John Sinclair, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant.

Enzie Volunteers.  
Lieutenant Thomas Booker, on the half pay of the 60th, to be Captain Commandant, vice Sir George Abercromby, who resigns.

Forfar Volunteers.  
James Sands, Gent. to be Lieutenant.

Moydart Volunteers.  
Alexander Macdonald, Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Angus M'Donald, appointed to the Morar Volunteers.

MEMORANDUM.  
The undermentioned Officers are superseded, viz.

1st Bat. of the 1st foot—Lieutenant John M'Donald, having never joined the regiment.

2d Bat. of ditto—Ensign ——— Clarke, having never joined the regiment.

4th West India regt.—Lieutenant William Earlum, being absent without leave.

Oxfordshire Fencible Cavalry—Cornet ——— Saunders, being absent without leave.

BANKRUPTS.

John Morgan, Namptwich, Chester, draper.—William Hawker, Birmingham, victualler.—Stanley Leathes, Salisbury Street, Strand, money-scrivener.—E. & W. Cragg, Working-

ton, Cumberland, mercers and drapers.—John Stringer, Stockport, Chester, cotton-manufacturer.—William Whitmore, Hatton-Garden, money-scrivener.—George Foster, John Street, St Mary-le-Bonne, smith and fan-light manufacturer.

NOTICE

TO the CREDITORS of ROBERT BROWN,  
Merchant and Dealer in Flax and Yarn at Hillhead of Brechin.

James Pennycook, merchant in Brechin, trustee under the sequestration issued against the said Robert Brown, hereby intimates, That he has prepared a state of division amongst the creditors, in terms of law, and also a state of the funds belonging to the bankrupt still unrecovered; which states & scheme will lie in his hands for the inspection of the creditors, till Monday the 19th day of February next (being the first lawful day after the expiration of one complete year from the date of the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration) when he will pay the creditors their respective dividends at his own house in Brechin,—of which all concerned are hereby required to take notice.

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN.

By the Quarter of Eight WINCHESTER Bushels, and of OATMEAL per Boll of 140lb. AVOIRDUPOIS, from the Returns received in the week ending the 6th of January 1798.

INLAND COUNTIES.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Pease.		Oatmeal.		Beer or Big.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Middlesex,	46	4	25	0	25	5	20	6	27	0	33	5				
Surry,	50	8	28	0	26	2	21	6	28	6	32	6				
Hertford,	43	5	29	0	25	8	18	6	28	10	31	3				
Bedford,	42	9	29	6	26	8	17	1	30	4						
Huntingdon,	42	7			25	6	15	4	23	3						
Northampton,	42	2	30	6	23	8	15	6	23	6	26	0				
Rutland,	46	6	28	0	27	6	17	0	25	0			48	5		
Leicester,	53	3			28	10	18	5	30	1	47	6	34	7		
Nottingham,	55	10	31	4	32	0	18	4	29	6	27	8				
Derby,	58	8			32	8	21	7	30	9	31	0				
Stafford,	51	6			33	11	22	4	39	7	40	6				
Salop,	50	1	37	0	35	4	22	5	37	4	38	6	67	10		
Hereford,	49	1	46	4	35	10	18	9	29	2	31	5	66	11		
Worcester,	57	6			32	4	25	9	31	1	33	0				
Warwick,	56	6			32	0	22	0	34	10			38	2		
Wilts,	58	4			33	10	23	6	39	0	37	0				
Berks,	48	5			23	1	21	2	29	8	31	2				
Oxford,	53	8			24	10	19	10	27	0	30	3				
Bucks,	47	5			24	4	19	4	24	6	29	6				
Montgomery,	53	3			37	3	19	5			29	3	36	0		
Brecon,	59	1	44	8	32	10	17	8			32	0	38	10		
Radnor,	50	2			30	9	17	8			28	8	53	6		

Districts.

MARITIME COUNTIES.

First,	Effex,	45	0	24	6	23	4	22	6	25	4	25	0				
	Kent,	47	10			24	9	20	4	26	3	32	0				
Second,	Suffex,	45	4			23	8	18	6			36	6				
	Suffolk,	43	0			22	8	15	5	20	11	28	0	37	1		
Third,	Cambridge,	38	2	19	8	24	2	11	1	18	11						
	Norfolk,	40	4	19	6	21	0	14	1	20	3	29	8				
Fourth,	Lincoln,	42	7	26	0	24	4	14	1	26	2	30	10				
	York,	46	3	28	0	24	4	15	8	29	0						
Fifth,	Durham,	47	9			28	11	17	6			46	4	32	8		
	Northumberland,	44	1	32	0	21	6	15	4					12	2		
Sixth,	Cumberland,	50	3	34	8	25	8	17	11								
	Westmorland,	59	8	37	8	29	3	17	4			33	4				
Seventh,	Lancaster,	50	8			32	2	20	0	37	4			16	11		
	Chester,	48	6			32	8	18	8					18	10		
Eighth,	Flint,	49	10			33	7										
	Denbigh,	53	10			34	0	16	3	35	3	28	10	35	9		
Ninth,	Anglesea,					24	0	12	0								
	Carnarvon,	53	0	34	0	26	0	13	4	40	0			31	9		
Tenth,	Merioneth,	59	7	34	6	32	5	16	2			32	0	33	6		
	Cardigan,	59	2	28	0	27	4	11	0					25	5		
Eleventh,	Pembroke,	44	2			27	1	12	0								
	Carmarthen,	63	0			36	0	13	4								
Twelfth,	Glamorgan,	60	7			34	9	19	4								
	Gloucester,	56	6			28	8	21	1	29	3	27	3				
Thirteenth,	Somerfet,	62	8			38	9	16	0								
	Monmouth,	59	8			38	1	15	3			51	4				
Fourteenth,	Devon,	63	7			31	7	15	0								
	Cornwall,	61	4			31	4	14	5								
Fifteenth,	Dorset,	58	1			30	1	18	0								
	Hants,	51	7			28	2	23	0								

AVERAGE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

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AVERAGE PRICE, by which EXPORTATION and BOUNTY are regulated, computed according to the Directions of the Corn Acts of the 31st and 33d of Geo. III.

	Wheat, per Qr. s. d.	Rye, per Qr. s. d.	Barley, per Qr. s. d.	Oats, per Qr. s. d.	Beans, per Qr. s. d.	Pease, per Qr. s. d.	Oatmeal, per Boll. s. d.	Beer or Big, per Qr. s. d.
First District, — —	47 3	25 2	27 0	21 3	24 6	33 3	*36 11	—
Second, — —	41 8	19 8	23 1	14 2	20 5	28 0	37 1	—
Third, — —	40 4	19 6	21 0	14 1	20 3	29 8	*36 11	—
Fourth, — —	43 9	26 0	23 10	14 7	26 7	30 10	32 8	—
Fifth, — —	45 7	32 0	23 7	15 10	*29 3	46 4	12 2	—
Sixth, — —	53 4	*36 2	26 10	17 8	*29 3	33 4	*36 11	—
Seventh, — —	49 10	*30 10	32 3	19 8	37 4	*33 0	17 5	—
Eighth, — —	54 5	34 3	30 10	14 9	37 7	30 5	33 3	—
Ninth, — —	57 0	28 0	30 2	13 4	*29 3	*33 0	25 5	—
Tenth, — —	60 4	*30 10	36 0	17 8	29 3	35 3	*36 11	—
Eleventh, — —	62 8	*30 10	31 5	14 8	*29 3	*33 0	*36 11	—
Twelfth, — —	54 6	*30 10	29 2	20 6	*29 3	*33 0	*36 11	—

N.B. The Figures against which Asterisks are placed are the general Average Prices of all England.

Published by Authority of Parliament,

JOHN JAMES CATHERWOOD, Receiver of Corn Returns.

### THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,

Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 10th day of January 1798,  
is *Sixty-Six Shillings and Three Farthings*

per HUNDRED WEIGHT,

Exclusive of the Duty of Customs paid or payable thereon, on the IMPORTATION into GREAT BRITAIN.

By Authority of Parliament.

Grocers Hall,  
January 13, 1798,

HENRY NETTLESHIP,  
Clerk of the Grocers Company.

#### COPARTNERY DISSOLVED.

THESE are intimating, That the Copartnery between JANET BRANDON & JEAN SCOTT, Milliners in Edinburgh, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent upon the 1st day of December last. Such as are indebted to the Company are requested to pay the same to Miss Brandon, and who will pay any claims upon the Company.

JANET BRANDON.  
JEAN SCOTT.

#### NOTICE.

Glasgow, Jan. 6. 1798.

THE Company lately carried on in Glasgow, under the firm of PATERSON & POLLOCK, Woollen and Linen-draper, has been this day DISSOLVED by consent of the parties.

DUNDAS PATERSON.  
THOMAS POLLOCK.

Willm. Marshall, writer, witness.  
Ebenr. Marshall, writer, witness.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE Trustee for the CREDITORS of JAMES WOOD, merchant in Eyemouth, requests a general meeting of the creditors, to be held at Eyemouth, within the house of Mrs Allanshaw, vintner there, on Friday the 2d day of February next, at 12 o'clock mid-day, to consider of two processes now in dependance before the Court of Session, one at the instance of said James Wood against Alexander Muir in Culrofs, and George Philip in New Mills, and the other at the instance of the trustee against John Fordyce of Ayton, and Robert Thompson his factor, with the proposals made by them for having these questions settled, the first by compromise, and the last by submission, and to instruct the trustee how to act therein.

#### NOTICE

TO the CREDITORS of GEORGE BROWN,  
Merchant in Old Cumnock.

Andrew Pagan in Hallglenmuir, trustee confirmed on the sequestrated estate of the said George Brown, intimates, That the Sheriff of Ayrshire has appointed Tuesday the 23d of January next, and Wednesday the 7th of February, for the examination of the Bankrupt, &c. within the Court house of Ayr, at 12 o'clock noon, on each of these days.

The Trustee further intimates, That on Thursday the 8th day of February next, a Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt is to be held within the house of Mrs SIMSON, Inn-keeper in Ayr, at 12 o'clock, noon, for giving Instructions as to the Trustee's management of the Estate; and he hereby requires such of the Creditors as have not already produced in his hands

their claims and grounds of debt, with oaths of verity thereon, to do so at or before said Meeting, and to observe, that those neglecting to make the said production between and the 1st day of July next, will not be entitled to any share of the distribution of the Debtor's Estate.

#### INTIMATION

TO the CREDITORS of JOHN GORDON  
of Carleton, Writer to the Signet.

That in the Process of Ranking and Sale, at the instance of Richard Hotchkis, writer to the signet, and others, against the said John Gordon of Carleton, and his creditors, Lord Dunfingan, Ordinary, upon the 6th December 1797, pronounced the following interlocutor: "Sustains the pursuer's title, and finds the lybel, yearly rental, and value of the lands, and others lybelled, what the same have paid, do or may pay, and what such lands and others in the country where these lie, are worth, and may be sold at, relevant to be proven, *pro ut de jure*; and grants commission to a person or persons to be named by the pursuer's doer before extract; and failing such nomination, or the person or persons named failing to accept, or attend to the Judge Ordinary of the bounds for taking the proof of the rental, and that at any lawful day or days betwixt and the day of next, and assigns the said day for reporting. Finds the manner of holding what minister's stipend, schoolmaster's salaries, and feu-duties, or other public burdens, are payable forth of the lands and others lybelled, and the other points of the lybel relevant to be proven *scripto*; and assigns to the pursuer's procurator the said day of next for proving thereof, and for proving the value of the lands & others lybelled; and grants diligence against witnesses and havers; nominates and appoints Lord Cullen of course to rank the creditors, and assigns the said day of next for the first term to the whole creditors of the bankrupt to produce all their claims, rights, and diligences competent to them respectively, against the bankrupt or his estate, with certification as in a Reduction and Improbation; and also assigns the said day of next to the whole creditors for deponing on the verity of their debts; and grants commission to any of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace where the creditors respectively reside in the country, and to John Chalmers, writer in Edinburgh, for taking the oaths of the creditors upon the verity of their respective debts, any time betwixt and the said day of next. And ordains this interlocutor to be inserted in the Edinburgh Gazette once every week for three weeks successively, immediately after this date, to the end it may come to the knowledge of all concerned." In obedience to which interlocutor, this intimation is given.

M. P. BRUCE.

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ERRATUM—In the Gazette of 12th curt. Advertisement, Dissolution of Copartnery—Thomas Wilson and Co. and Wilson, King and Morison, Manufacturers in Glasgow, James Morison's name was omitted in the subscribing partners.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

DATE: 10/10/54

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FROM: SA, NEW YORK

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