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ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, March 5. 1798.

Copy of a Letter from Admiral Sir RICHARD KING, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Plymouth, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated March 3. 1798.

SIR,

I HEREWITH transmit, for the information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a letter I received this day from Captain Manby, of his Majesty's ship Charon, acquainting me of his having captured a French lugger privateer, named L'Alexandrine, carrying four swivels, one carriage gun, and 28 men.

I am, &c. R. KING.

His Majesty's ship Charon, off Torbay,  
 March 2. 1798.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you, for the information of their Lordships, that this morning the Bury Head being N. 6. W. 2. leagues, I chased for three hours, and captured a fast-sailing lugger privateer called L'Alexandrine, commanded by Anseline Septan, belonging to Brest, but left from Morlaix, mounting four swivels and one carriage gun, with 28 men; out six days, but had not taken any thing.

I have the honour to be &c.

THO. MANBY.

To Admiral Sir Richard King, Bart. }  
 &c. at Plymouth.

Extract of a Letter from Admiral Sir PETER PARKER, Bart. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Portsmouth, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated the 4th inst.

INCLOSED is a letter from Captain Bowyer of the Cameleon sloop, which I received this morning by the officer who brought in La Souffleur French privateer, captured by the said sloop on the 2d inst.

[Price Sixpence.]

SIR,

Cameleon, March 3. 1798.

I BEG leave to inform you, that on Thursday the 1st March, at ten A. M. Guernsey bearing south eight leagues, I observed a cutter, gave chase, and at half past five P. M. it falling little wind, and by the help of her oars she escaped under the forts on the isle of Bass. If I had got three leagues more distance to run I should have captured her. At three A. M. of the 2d, saw a cutter, gave chase, and at four took possession of her. She proves to be the Souffleur, thirteen days from Cherbourg, mounting 4 carriage guns, 2 swivels, and 40 men, and having captured this cruize the vessels as underneath, three of the masters being on board me; and I am in hopes to retake some of those vessels, the wind being south.

I have the honour to be, &c.

R. R. BOWYER.

P. S. I have sent the privateer into port, and going in chase.

Peggy sloop, of Cardigan, James Prichard master, from Dover to Penzance, with wheat and barley.

Camilla brig, J. M'Kenzie master, from Hull to Plymouth, coals.

Delaval, Charles Mann master, from Sunderland, loaded with coals, bound to Plymouth.

Befley of Guernsey, Thomas Townsend master, from Guernsey, bound to Plymouth, with wine.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, March 3. 1798.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Winyates to be Second Lieutenant, vice G. Kennet, appointed to the Royal Engineers; Gentleman Cadet Henry Goldfinch to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. Morrison, promoted; Gentleman Cadet John Mitchell to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. Cleeve, promoted; Gentleman Cadet Edward Le Breton to be Second Lieutenant, vice K. Stewart, promoted; Gentleman Cadet James Arnold to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. Holcroft, promoted; Gentleman Cadet Lewis Carmichael to be Second Lieutenant, vice T. Maffon, promoted; all dated March 1. 1798.

(A.)



AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN,

By the QUARTER of Eight WINCHESTER BUSHELS, and of OATMEAL per BOLL of 140 lbs. AVOIRDUPOIS, from the Returns received in the week ended the 24th day of February 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 10	25 0	22 9	19 5	23 8	31 3		
Surry,	49 8	26 0	22 4	20 4	28 0	31 9		
Hertford,	45 11		24 4	17 1	27 0	28 10		
Bedford,	44 2		25 4	18 2	26 8	28 0		
Huntingdon,	42 7		22 8	14 10	20 7			
Northampton,	45 6	30 0	23 8	15 4	22 10	23 0		
Rutland,	46 6		26 6	15 6	24 0	40 0	48 5	
Leicester,	51 9		26 8	17 6	28 4	48 10	34 7	
Nottingham,	54 8	31 0	26 11	16 8	25 0			
Derby,	56 4		28 2	19 6	30 6	32 0	19 10	
Stafford,	50 7		29 0	19 6	32 7	43 4	31 9	
Salop,	47 4	37 0	33 8	19 4	37 4	39 3	67 10	
Hereford,	44 8	40 0	32 3	17 2	29 4	31 10	66 0	
Worcester,	51 2	24 4	30 7	23 8	28 10	36 2		
Warwick,	52 1		30 4	20 2	29 8	53 4	34 8	
Wilts,	53 2		29 4	22 8	37 6	32 0		
Berks,	49 1		21 9	19 4	27 4	29 6		
Oxford,	49 5		22 11	18 8	27 1	28 8		
Bucks,	46 10		23 6	18 2	24 9	28 0		
Montgomery,	48 0		29 7	17 3		36 0	36 0	
Brecon,	51 3	40 0	32 0	16 0		32 0	38 10	
Radnor,	47 2		32 0	15 2		28 8	53 6	

Districts.

MARITIME 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.
FIRST, Essex,	45 8	21 6	19 8	19 2	22 6	23 0		
Kent,	47 2		23 2	18 6	25 10	30 0		
Suffex,	44 4		23 9	19 0		29 0		
Suffolk,	43 9	21 8	20 5	14 8	19 5	26 8	31 9	
CAMBRIDGE, Norfolk,	37 9	20 8	18 8	11 10	16 3	23 0		
THIRD, Lincoln,	41 6	19 0	18 7	14 1	19 5	28 7		
FOURTH, York,	42 10	25 0	22 11	13 9	22 11			
DURHAM, Durham,	43 7	23 3	21 11	14 1	26 5		36 5	
FIFTH, Northumberland,	46 0		25 5	17 7		54 4		
CUMBERLAND, Cumberland,	40 5	32 0	20 9	15 2	19 0	21 6		
SIXTH, Westmorland,	47 1	32 0	23 9	16 4			31 9	
LANCASTER, Lancaster,	55 6	39 0	29 8	17 11			14 10	
CHESTER, Chester,	49 7		30 8	18 2	31 0	32 0	16 6	
SEVENTH, Flint,	46 11		30 4	18 9			17 3	
DENBIGH, Denbigh,	52 9		33 4					
EIGHTH, Anglesea,	52 10		31 2	14 4	32 0	25 8	33 4	
CAERNARVON, Caernarvon,			10 6				33 1	
MERIONETH, Merioneth,	50 8	34 0	23 8	13 0	30 0		25 11	
CARDIGAN, Cardigan,	58 0	37 8	32 5	16 2		33 8		
PEMBROKE, Pembroke,	58 9	30 0	28 0	10 4		31 10		
NINTH, Caermarthen,	44 11		25 2	11 6				
GLAMORGAN, Glamorgan,	60 9		31 10	11 8				
TENTH, Gloucester,	58 10		30 10	16 0				
SOMERSET, Somerset,	53 10		28 2	18 4	29 9	28 3		
MONMOUTH, Monmouth,	56 6		36 6	20 0	33 4	24 6		
DEVON, Devon,	52 0		33 0					
ELEVENTH, Cornwall,	60 4		29 9	14 7				
DORSET, Dorset,	56 11		28 10	14 8				
TWELFTH, Hants,	52 8		27 10	20 4	32 0			
	46 6		24 10	20 3	30 1			

AVERAGE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

Per Quarter | 49 5 | 29 5 | 26 10 | 16 10 | 27 1 | 32 2 | 35 1 |

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

	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.
FIRST DISTRICT,	48 8	25 3	22 5	16 10	22 5	30 9	14 4	
SECOND,	42 7	21 4	20 0	13 7	18 4	25 11	31 9	
THIRD,	41 6	19 0	18 7	14 1	19 5	28 7	*35 1	
FOURTH,	42 8	23 2	21 6	13 8	23 10	*32 2	36 9	
FIFTH,	43 3	32 0	22 1	15 11	19 0	*32 5	*35 1	
SIXTH,	50 5	34 4	26 1	16 11	*27 1	*32 2	23 3	
SEVENTH,	48 9	*29 5	30 7	18 4	31 0	32 0	16 8	
EIGHTH,	53 8	35 10	29 4	13 9	31 0	29 8	32 8	
NINTH,	56 7	30 0	28 9	11 11	*27 1	31 10	25 11	
TENTH,	54 3	*29 5	31 9	18 9	30 9	27 3	*35 1	
LEVENTH,	58 6	*29 5	29 2	14 7	*27 1	*32 2	*35 1	
TWELFTH,	49 2	*29 5	26 4	20 3	31 0	*32 2	*35 1	

N. B. The Figures against which Asterisks are placed are the General Average Prices of all ENGLAND.

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JOHN JAMES CATHERWOOD, Receiver of Corn Returns.

—BANKRUPTS—

John Frederiek Schmiding, Cannon-Street, London, merchant.  
Thomas Warren, of Bury St Edmund's, Suffolk, shopkeeper,  
John Coales, of Wellinborough, Northampton, grocer.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,  
Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending  
the 28th of February 1798, is  
*Sixty-seven Shillings and Six Pence,*  
Exclusive of the Duty of Customs paid or payable thereon,  
on the Importation thereof into Great Britain.

NOTICE.

THAT in the Process of Ranking the Creditors & Sale of the  
Estate of ALLAN MACLEAN of Drimnin, & CHARLES  
MCLEAN of Kinlochaline, his Son, depending before the Lord  
Ankerville, Ordinary, (office M. P. Budge) the Court of Session,  
this day, of new, assigned the 15th of May next, for the First  
Term, to the whole creditors of the bankrupt to produce all  
their claims, rights, and diligences against him or his estate,  
with certification as in a reduction and improbation; and ordained  
this notice to be given once every week for three weeks suc-  
cessively, to the end it might come to the knowledge of all con-  
cerned.  
Edin. March 6. 1798.

TO CREDITORS.

THAT upon the application of JAMES SIMPSON, Cattle  
and Grain Dealer in Mains of Invereberey, with consent  
of a creditor to the extent required by law, the Lords of Council  
and Session did, upon the 7th day of March curt. sequestrate  
the whole real and personal estate of the said James Simpson,  
wherever situated, and appointed his Creditors to meet at Aber-  
deen, within the house of George Moir, vintner there, upon  
the 17th day of March curt. at 12 o'clock noon, in order to  
name an interim factor, and to meet a second time at the same  
place, on the 14th April next, at the same hour, for the pur-  
pose of chusing a Trustee or Trustees; and granted commis-  
sion to any of the resident Magistrates of Aberdeen, or the  
Sheriff-depute or Substitute, or any of his Majesty's Justices  
of the Peace of the said county, to attend the meeting of Credi-  
tors, to receive their grounds of debt, with the oaths of verity  
hereon. Of all which notice is hereby given in terms of the  
statute.

To the CREDITORS of

WILLIAM WEIR, Horse-dealer in Glasgow.  
DAVID NIVEN, writer in Glasgow, Trustee on the seques-  
trated estate of the said WILLIAM WEIR, hereby  
intimates to the Creditors, that the said William Weir having  
made an offer for a composition of four shillings per pound,  
and his own bill for one shilling per pound more, in full of his  
debts, a general meeting of his Creditors is to be held, upon  
Friday the 23d of March current, in the house of James  
McCrone, vintner in Glasgow, at one o'clock afternoon, for the  
purpose of determining with regard to the said offer; at which  
meeting the whole Creditors are requested to attend, by them-  
selves, or by agents properly authorized to act for them.

TO CREDITORS.

ROBERT TOD, Tenant in Kinleith, in terms of the statute  
33d Geo. III. c. 74. hereby intimates to the Creditors of  
PETER HILL in West Farm, and MATHEW HILL in  
Easter Whiteburn, Horse Dealers, as a Company, That he was  
appointed Trustee on the said Peter and Matthew Hills' seques-  
trated estates; that the Sheriff Depute of Edinburgh has ap-  
pointed Friday the 16th, and Friday the 30th days of March  
current, at 12 o'clock noon, within the Sheriff Clerk's Office,  
Edinburgh, for the public examination of the bankrupts, their  
families, or others connected with their business—that on Sa-  
turday the 31st day of March curt. a meeting of the creditors  
is to be held in John's Coffehouse, at one o'clock afternoon,  
for instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery  
of the estates. And the said Robert Tod requires the creditors  
to produce with him, or with John Maffon, writer, Castle  
Street, Edinburgh, their claims and vouchers, or grounds of  
debt, with their oaths on the verity thereof, at or previous to  
the said meeting, if not already produced. And the said Ro-  
bert Tod farther intimates, that unless the said productions are  
made between and the 8th day of September next; the party  
neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the  
debtors' estates.

To the CREDITORS of

ANDREW BRUCE, Merchant in Brechin.  
THE Trustee for the said Andrew Bruce's Creditors hereby  
requests a meeting of said Creditors within the house of  
John Martin, vintner in Brechin, on the 14th of March curt,  
when the present state of Bruce's funds will be laid before them,  
and a scheme of division of the funds already recovered by the  
trustee, submitted to their consideration.  
Such of the said Andrew Bruce's Creditors as have hitherto  
failed to lodge their grounds of debt and affidavits thereon with  
the trustee, will please give in the same to Alex. Davidson,  
writer in Brechin, his agent, by whom the first dividend of  
Bruce's subjects will be paid, any day after the 14th inst. at his  
writing office.

To the CREDITORS of

MITCHELL and ANDERSON, Merchants in Glasgow.  
JAMES COATS, merchant in Glasgow, Trustee for the Credi-  
tors of the said Mitchell and Anderson as a Company,  
and of ANDREW ANDERSON, one of the partners, as an indivi-  
dual, hereby intimates, That the sum agreed to be advanced by  
Mr Anderson for obtaining his discharge is now paid into the  
hands of the said James Coats, for the behoof of those entitled  
thereto; and he requires such of the creditors as have not al-  
ready given in their claims to lodge the same in his hands, on  
or before the 9th day of April next; which claims, with the  
scheme of division, will remain open to the inspection of all  
concerned for one kalendar month longer, when the dividends  
will begin to be paid at the counting-house of the said James  
Coats in Glasgow—Certifying such of the said creditors as may  
omit to avail themselves of this notice, that they will be se-  
cluded from any share in the dividend of the above mentioned  
fund.

