

stitution of distinguished Excellence, has its firmest Basis in the Naval Superiority of Britain.

*Barth. Dunsterville*, Mayor,  
At the Request, and on the Behalf of the public Meeting.

[*Transmitted by Bartholomew Dunsterville, Esq; Mayor of Plymouth.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.  
The humble Address of the States of the Island of Alderney assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**W**E, your Majesty's most loyal and faithful Subjects, the States of the Island of Alderney assembled, beg Leave, with the greatest Respect to offer to your Majesty our sincere and warmest Congratulations on the late splendid and decisive Victory obtained by your Majesty's Fleet, commanded by Rear-Admiral Sir Horatio Nelson, near the Nile, over a most daring, blasphemous, and unprincipled Foe.

We also greatly rejoice at the recent brilliant Exploit of the British Navy under the Command of Sir John Borlase Warren, in the Capture of the Enemy's Ships off the Coast of Ireland, and in the total Discomfiture of their insidious Projects on that Kingdom: We devoutly pray the Almighty God of Battles, to continue His most gracious Favour to your Majesty's Arms for the Honor and Glory of His Holy Name, and of the Christian Religion.

We further request your Majesty's Acceptance of our most sincere and humble Thanks for the effective Protection which this Island enjoys from your Majesty's Ships, and for the several skilful, brave, and attentive Officers, selected from Time to Time, by your Majesty's Orders, to the Command of the respective Squadrons that have been, and now are on this Station; we pledge ourselves that no Exertion of ours shall be wanting to repel the Attacks of our implacable Neighbours; who daily threaten to wrest this Island from your Majesty's mild and paternal Government.

[*Transmitted by Governor Le Mesurier.*]

Whitehall, November 12, 1798

**W**hereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that about Half past Six o'Clock in the Evening of Tuesday the 6th Instant, George Edmund Shuttleworth, Son of John Shuttleworth, of Sun-Tavern Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Esq; was forcibly seized by Two or more Men in Back-Lane, near the Turnpike-Gate, in the Parish of St. George in the East, who, after having blindfolded and gagged him, dragged him to a Place called Botany-Bay, near the New Road, where with the most horrid Imprecations they forced him into a Hackney-Coach, threatening to blow out his Brains if he made the least Noise or Resistance; that One of the Men got into the Coach with him the said George Edmund Shuttleworth, and that the other, as he imagines, rode upon the Box with the Coachman: that after having gone on a considerable Time, the Coach stopt, as it is supposed, in or near Chick-Lane, now called West-Street, West Smithfield, from whence the said George Edmund Shuttleworth was conducted through some Alleys or Passages, and put into a private Room, set upon a Chair, and informed, that if he stirred, made the least Noise, or attempted to take the Bandage from his Eyes, or the Gag from his Mouth, he would be done for; that after keeping him in this Situation for

Forty-eight Hours without any Sustainment, except a small Piece of Bread, and taking from him all his Money, (except Three Shillings,) they conveyed him through several Windings into West-Smithfield aforesaid, where they disengaged him the said George Edmund Shuttleworth, saying "he might go and be damned, for he was not the Person they wanted:"

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the atrocious Felony abovementioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein; so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And as a further Encouragement the Sum of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by me,  
John Shuttleworth;

Admiralty-Office, October 19, 1798.

**N**otice is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol-Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice-Hall, in the Old Bailey, London, on Thursday the 29th Day of November next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.  
Evan Nepean.

SUGARS and GINGER

**F**OR Sale, by Order of the Honorable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long-Room, at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 22d Instant November, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 Casks each.

H.	T.	B.	
64	23	15	Barbadoes.
28	12	—	Antigua.
61	33	—	St. Kitt's.
28	32	—	Nevis.
35	33	—	Montferratt.
58	7	—	Tortola.
—	—	20	Bags Barbadoes Ginger.

The Samples to be viewed at Wycherly's Yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Wednesday the 21st and Thursday the 22d Instant.

Amicable Society's Office, Serjeants-Inn, Fleet-Street, 17th November, 1798.

**T**HE Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office doth hereby give Notice, that at Michaelmas last (Old Style) the several Members, or their Nominees, upon the Policies numbered as follows, viz.

68,	1209,	1822,	2695,
144,	1217,	1825,	3113,
333,	1282,	1847,	3169,
335,	1763,	2584,	3197,
458,	1784,	2585,	
490,	1807,	2586,	
887,	1811,	2675,	

were in Arrear in their Quarterly Payments or Contributions for One Year and One Quarter of a Year: And that unless such Arrear is paid off within the Space of Three Calendar Months after the Publication hereof, such several Members and their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators, and Assigns, will by virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, be absolutely excluded from all Benefit and Advantage from such Policies.  
Joseph Baldwin, Register.