

Merchants, on the Fifth Day of September last, packed up Four Trunks, containing Stripped Muslins, Cambrics, Muslin Handkerchiefs, and sundry Articles of Haberdashery, and forwarded them to be shipped from the Custom-House Quay, on board the Matthew, for Jamaica; that the said Trunks were duly put on board the said Ship, in apparent good Condition, but when they were taken out at Jamaica, nearly the whole Contents were taken out, and the Trunks were filled up with Rubbish;

And whereas His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the Plunder and Robbery of the said Goods, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of the Persons concerned therein, (except the Person or Persons who actually broke open and robbed the said Trunks,) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. PELHAM.

And, as a further Encouragement and Reward to any of the Persons concerned in the said Robberies, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY GUINEAS will be paid to any Person or Persons (except as aforesaid) who will give such Information as may be the Means of detecting and bringing the Offenders to Justice. The Sum of FIFTY GUINEAS, Part thereof, on the Commitment of the Offender or Offenders, and the further Sum of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS on his or their Conviction, by

J. and R. Willis, Solicitors to the Committee of Merchants and others, Shippers of Goods from the Port of London.
Warnford-Court, 22d Feb. 1803.

East India-House, March 2, 1803.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That at the Quarterly General Court appointed to be held on the 23d Instant, the following unanimous Resolution of the Court of Directors of this Day will be reported to the General Court, agreeably to the Act of the 39th Geo. III. Cap. 89, viz.

“ That it is the Opinion of this Court, that the Commander and Owners of the Ship *Hindostan*, are fully acquitted from all Imputation of Neglect or Misconduct, in Respect of the Loss of that Ship.”

William Ramsay, Secretary.

East India House, March 2, 1803.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House, in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday next, the 9th Instant, at Eleven o’Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs. William Ramsay, Secretary.

East India House, March 4, 1803.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the 6th Section of the 7th Chapter of the Bye-Laws of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, it is ordained, “ That a List shall be published Fourteen Days before the Annual Election of Directors, containing the Names of such Proprietors qualified agreeably to Law, as shall signify, in Writing to the Secretary, their Desire of becoming Candidates for the Direction, sixteen Days before such Annual Election.” The Court of Directors of the said Com-

pany do hereby give Notice, in order that the Proprietors may conform to the said Bye-Law, that the ensuing Election of Six Directors of the said Company for Four Years, is appointed for the 13th Day of April next; and that such List will be published Fourteen Days before the said Election, as the above-mentioned Bye-Law directs. William Ramsay, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, February 21, 1803.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty’s Ordnance, do hereby give Notice, that they will sell by public Auction, at the Tower, on Wednesday the 23d of March next, at Ten o’Clock in the Forenoon, sundry Lots of old and unserviceable Ordnance Stores, consisting of

- Muskets and Musket Barrels, Locks, Bayonets and Rammers,
- Swords of Sorts,
- Flints and Accoutrements,
- A Quantity of Harness,
- Cordage,
- Hemp Rubbish,
- Match,
- Blocks,
- Sheaves and Pins,
- Fire Wood and Paint,
- Oil Casks,
- Powder Horns,
- Lanterns,
- Salt Petre Bags,
- Cartridges,
- Sheep Skins,
- Hair Cloths,
- Tin Kettles,
- Forge Bellows,
- Standing Vices,
- Handcrews,
- Scales and Weights,
- Old Iron,
- Files of Sorts,
- Bedding,
- Tents,
- Clothing,
- Intrenching Tools,

And various other Articles.

The Whole of which may be viewed at the Tower, till the Day of Sale. Printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered, to such Persons as apply for them, at the Office of Ordnance, in the Tower.

By Order of the Board,

R. H. Crew, Secretary.

SUGARS and GINGER.

FOR 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 17th March, at Three o’Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 Casks each,

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153	—	Barbadoes.
98	11	Antigua.
27	4	St. Kitts.
60	6	Nevis.
19	6	Montserrat.
—	—	12 Barbadoes Ginger.

The Samples to be viewed at Wyderly’s Yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Wednesday the 16th and Thursday the 17th March instant.