

*Whitehall, December 18, 1856.*

The Right Honourable Sir Alexander Edmund Cockburn, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Thomas William Tahourdin Cooke, of Wokingham, in the county of Berks, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Berks.

*Whitehall, December 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable Sir Alexander Edmund Cockburn, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed William Gribble the younger, of Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the city of London, also in and for the city and liberties of Westminster, and also in and for the county of Middlesex.

**NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, December 29, 1856.*

NOTICE is hereby given, to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now making for the intended distribution of proceeds arising from the salvage services rendered to the American merchant ship Flying Arrow, by Her Majesty's ship Fantome, on the 16th November, 1855.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said proceeds, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any captor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

**NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, January 1, 1857.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now making for the intended distribution of the reward to the Officers and crew of Her Majesty's ship Pro-

metheus, for services against Riff pirates, rendered on the 26th June, 1854.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said proceeds, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demands to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any captor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House."

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

**NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, January 1, 1857.*

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of proceeds arising from the Russian schooner Myran, captured on the 17th April, 1855, by Her Majesty's ships Desperate and Archer, will commence on Thursday the 15th January, 1857, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor, serving in the above-named ships, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Scaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Secretary of the Admiralty, London,"—in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

*The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes:—*

	£	s.	d.
Flag share . . . . .	2	4	10
Captain . . . . .	3	11	1
Commander . . . . .	1	15	7
Second class . . . . .	0	15	4
Third class . . . . .	0	12	3
Fourth class . . . . .	0	7	10
Fifth class . . . . .	0	4	4
Sixth class . . . . .	0	3	11
Seventh class . . . . .	0	2	8
Eighth class . . . . .	0	1	4
Ninth class . . . . .	0	0	10
Tenth class . . . . .	0	0	5