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FROM FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6. TO TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10. 1797.

At the Court of St James's, the 4th of October 1797.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council:
THIS day the Right Honourable General Sir Charles Grey, Knight of the Bath, was, by his Majesty's command, sworn of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the board accordingly.

And his Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable General Sir Charles Grey, Knight of the Bath, to be Governor of the island of Guernsey, he this day took the oaths appointed to be taken by the Governor of that island.

ST JAMES'S, Oct. 4. 1797.

The King was this day pleased to confer the honour of knighthood on John Anstruther, Esq. on his appointment of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Bengal.

WHITEHALL, Oct. 7.

The King has been pleased to grant to Mrs Emilia Belsches, widow, relict of William Belsches, of Tofts in the county of Berwick, and late of Fort St David's in India, Esq. and to her son and heir apparent Sir John Wisheart Belsches, of Fettercairn, Bart. Member of Parliament for the county of Kincardine, his Royal licence and authority that she the said Mrs Emilia Belsches, and he the said Sir John Wisheart Belsches, Bart. and the heirs of his body, may take and use the surname of Stuart; in compliance with the last will and testament, and certain deeds of settlement, made by her late grandfather, Daniel Stuart, Esq. brother-german of the late Sir William Stuart, of Castle

Milk in the county of Lanerk; Bart. and one of the Commissioners for framing the Treaty of Union between England and Scotland; and also to order that his Majesty's concession and declaration be registered in his College of Arms.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Oct. 7. 1797.

Copy of Letter from the Right Honourable Lord BATHURST, K. B. to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated on board his Majesty's ship Royal George, at sea, the 1st of October, 1797.

SIR,

THIS day fell in with his Majesty's ship Unité, Captain Rowley, having under his protection the Indian, a French ship privateer of 16 guns, and the Egmont, one of the Leeward-Island convoy, which were taken by the Phæton and Unité on the morning of the 24th ult. and herewith I transmit, for their Lordships' information, a copy of Capt. Stopford's letter to me on that subject.

I am, &c.

BRIDPORT.

Phæton, off the Roches Bonnes,

Sept. 24, 1797.

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to inform your Lordship, that the Indian, a French ship privateer of 16 guns, together with her prize the Egmont, a homeward bound West Indiaman of 450 tons, were taken this morning by the Phæton and Unité.

I have the honour to be, &c.

ROB. STOPFORD.

WAR-OFFICE, Oct. 7. 1797.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards—William James Blettford, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Sturgeon, promoted in the 17th foot.

(A.)

[Price Sixpence.]



1st Regiment of Dragoons—Wright Ed. Atkyns to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Bond, promoted.

4th Regiment of Foot—Ensign Stephen Lancaster, from the 5th foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brooke, promoted. Lieutenant John Dunn to be Adjutant, vice Forster, promoted.

5th Ditto—William Row Dunbar to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hogg, promoted.

24th Ditto—Ensign John Langdale to be Lieutenant, by purchase.

32d Ditto—Captain-Lieutenant Robert Coote, from the late Londonderry regiment, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Vallancey, deceased.

45th Ditto—Lieutenant-Colonel James Montgomery, from Colonel Whitelocke's regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Frazer, deceased.

46th Ditto—Ensign Robert Dixon, from the 89th foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coote, promoted.

49th Ditto—Robert M'Douall to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Blake, promoted in the 89th foot.

58th Ditto—William Ingleby to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Turner, promoted in the 33d foot.

60th Ditto—Ensign Charles Cranston Dixon to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice De Montreuil, who resigns. Armada de Noe to be Ensign, vice Dixon.

68th Ditto—Lieutenant William Beckwith, from the New South Wales Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice Cox, who exchanges.

84th Ditto—Ensign Richard Dale to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Daubigny, promoted.

85th Ditto—Thomas Bradley to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Howard, promoted in the 54th foot.

York Rangers.

Captain John Tufnell, from the 70th foot to be Major, by purchase, vice Faletzer, who retires.

Major-General Keppel's Regiment.

Major William Montgomery, from the late 2d battalion of the 78th foot to be Major, vice O'Meara, promoted in Colonel Whitelocke's regiment.

Colonel Whitelocke's Regiment.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel O'Meara, from Major-General Keppel's regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Montgomery, removed to the 45th foot.

STAFF.

W. Henry Souper, Esq. to be Deputy Commissary of Musters in the West Indies, vice Robinson, who has resigned.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Sontag to be Military Superintendent of Hospitals in South Britain.

Surgeon John Bell to be Extra Surgeon to the Garrison of Gibraltar.

Glengary Fencible Infantry.

Francis Livingstone to be Ensign, vice M'Nab, promoted.

Sutherland Fencible Infantry.

Andrew Gibson to be Ensign.

Commission signed by his Majesty for the Army in Ireland.

68th Regiment of Foot—Ensign P. B. Foley, from the 65th foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice W. T. Gooch, who retires; dated Sept. 1. 1797.

—BANKRUPTS.—

James Thomas, of Mable, Worcester, coal merchant.
Richard Chambers, of Newcastle-upon Tyne, ironmonger.
Thomas Harrison, of Oxford, hat manufacturer.
Thomas Bailey, of Sunderland, Durham, money scrivener.

To the CREDITORS of

WILLIAM CLARKE, Merchant in Brechin.

THE trustee requests a general meeting of the Creditors of the said William Clarke, within the Court-room of Brechin, upon Wednesday the 25th current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering of the propriety of prolonging the time for selling the goods belonging to the bankrupt; and also, to consider of the caution for the composition offered, and agreed to at a former general meeting of Creditors.

Not to be repeated.

To the CREDITORS of

GEORGE AITCHESON, tenant in Blackhouse,
And Cattle-dealer there.

IN terms of the statute, an advertisement was inserted in the Edinburgh Gazette, upon the 25th day of August last, intimating the appointment of Adam Weir, tenant in Marygold, as trustee, and of George Wilson, tenant in Greenhill, as trustee in succession failing the said Adam Weir, upon the sequestrated estate of the said George Aitcheson. As also, that upon the application of the said Adam Weir to the Sheriff of Berwickshire, he had been pleased to appoint Saturday the second and Monday the 18th days of September last, for the public examination of the said George Aitcheson, his family, and others connected with his business, within the Sheriff Clerk's office in Dunfermline, at 12 o'clock noon each day. The advertisement likewise contained notification that a general meeting of the creditors was to be held upon Tuesday the 19th day of September last, at 12 o'clock noon, within the house of John Craig, vintner in Dunfermline, for the purpose of instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery of the bankrupt's estate, as directed by the statute.

Mr Aitcheson has accordingly been examined, but as only a few creditors appeared at the meeting called on 19th September, on account of the greatest part of them being engaged in reaping and getting in their crops; the creditors present agreed to adjourn the meeting until Wednesday the 25th day of October current, when the trustee requires a general meeting of the creditors to be held within the house of the said John Craig, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of instructing him as to the management and recovery of the bankrupt's estate, and choosing commissioners, all in terms of the statute. 9th Oct. 1797.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,

Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending
the 4th of October 1797, is

Sixty-three Shillings and One Penny Halfpenny,

Per Hundred Weight,

Exclusive of the Duty of Customs paid or payable thereon,
on the Importation thereof into Great Britain.

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 30th day of September 1797.

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.	67 7	35 5	28 11	20 5	28 1	41 3		
Surry,	69 6	33 6	30 0	21 0	30 8	38 0		
Hertford,	64 11		24 0	18 0	28 6	35 7		
Bedford,	59 11	34 10	36 6	17 6	25 7			
Huntingdon,	62 0		23 6	14 0	21 0			
Northampton,	61 6	35 3	26 9	15 2	29 0	30 0		
Rutland,	64 6	36 0	27 0	17 0	26 6		43 8	
Leicester,	60 5	38 2	27 0	16 9	34 6	46 2	31 10	
Nottingham,	68 4	37 0	40 9	16 10	30 6			
Derby,	63 8		31 6	20 10	31 4		20 9	
Stafford,	60 8		27 10	21 10	33 11	34 8	25 5	
Salop,	61 10	43 8	35 10	21 8		33 11	67 10	
Hereford,	64 3	49 8	40 9	23 2	32 6	32 5	66 11	
Worcester,	67 7	31 5	37 9	21 1	36 2	40 0		
Warwick,	66 10		36 6	21 6	38 0		37 1	
Wilts,	78 4		36 6	22 4	40 8	40 0		
Berks,	68 4	44 0	34 8	23 2	33 9	37 10		
Oxford,	69 2		32 11	18 9	29 11	36 9		
Bucks,	64 8		31 0	18 4	28 9	33 9		
Montgomery,	59 7		37 8	19 2			38 2	
Brecon,	73 8	48 0	35 2	24 0			34 11	
Radnor,	58 5		32 0	22 4			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, Effex,	67 8	30 0	28 6	20 0	26 10	33 0		
FIRST, Kent,	65 0	29 0	25 6	18 3	25 3	31 0		
FIRST, Suffex,	64 4		32 6	20 0				
SECOND, Suffolk,	62 0	29 0	26 0	16 6	22 5	37 10	39 9	
THIRD, Cambridge,	58 3		16 0	12 10	21 6			
THIRD, Norfolk,	53 9	22 0	22 3	15 0	19 3	36 11		
FOURTH, Lincoln,	58 7	28 0	23 11	14 6	25 9			
FOURTH, York,	54 9	26 8		15 9	28 0		30 1	
FIFTH, Durham,	58 5			17 6				
FIFTH, Northumberland,	52 3	32 0	21 10	16 0		24 0		
SIXTH, Cumberland,	55 6	35 4	26 2	18 0			33 11	
SIXTH, Westmorland,	60 10	37 0	26 0	18 6			14 10	
SEVENTH, Lancaster,	56 2			20 10	29 10		16 3	
SEVENTH, Chester,	54 8			20 11			16 1	
SEVENTH, Flint,	61 10		34 1					
EIGHTH, Denbigh,	60 11		36 9	20 10			33 1	
EIGHTH, Anglesea,	None	bought	for sale.					
EIGHTH, Caernarvon,	54 0	30 0	29 8	16 6			33 4	
EIGHTH, Merioneth,	64 6	40 4	29 6	19 0	39 4		32 5	
EIGHTH, Cardigan,	55 10	30 8	29 8	14 0			25 5	
NINTH, Pembroke,	54 1		29 10					
NINTH, Caermarthen,	60 0		38 0					
NINTH, Glamorgan,	67 1		26 11	19 8				
TENTH, Gloucester,	70 5		32 0	18 2	32 10	47 5		
TENTH, Somerset,	77 5			19 0		36 0		
TENTH, Monmouth,	70 5		32 1					
ELEVENTH, Devon,	69 11		33 10	18 2	31 0	64 0	26 3	
ELEVENTH, Cornwall,	67 4		33 8	19 6				
TWELFTH, Dorset,	75 8				32 0			
TWELFTH, Hants,	70 6		34 9	22 0	30 4			

AVERAGE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

Per Quarter | 63 5 | 34 10 | 30 9 | 18 9 | 29 9 | 37 7 | 34 4 |

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,	72 0	25 2	28 11	20 5	28 1	49 4	13 9	
SECOND,	61 0	29 0	24 9	14 8	22 3	37 10	39 9	
THIRD,	53 9	22 0	22 3	15 0	19 3	36 11	34 4	
FOURTH,	56 1	28 0	23 11	14 11	25 9	37 7	30 1	
FIFTH,	55 4	32 0	21 10	16 6	29 9	24 0	34 4	
SIXTH,	57 8	35 10	26 1	18 2	29 9	37 7	24 4	
SEVENTH,	55 9	34 10	30 9	20 10	29 10	37 7	16 2	
EIGHTH,	60 0	36 10	32 3	18 4	39 4	37 7	32 11	
NINTH,	59 8	30 8	30 2	16 10	29 9	37 7	25 5	
TENTH,	73 4	34 10	32 0	18 7	32 10	41 8	34 4	
ELEVENTH,	68 9	34 10	33 9	19 2	31 0	64 0	62 3	
TWELFTH,	72 3	34 10	34 9	22 0	30 11	37 7	34 4	

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

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