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ADMIRALTY OFFICE, February 24.

Copy of a letter from the Earl of St Vincent, K. B. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels employed on the coast of Portugal, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated on board the Ville de Paris, in the Tagus, Jan. 31. 1798.

SIR,

I Enclose a letter from Captain Rogers, of his Majesty's ship the Mercury, acquainting me with his having captured La Constance French privateer, of 18 guns, the third taken by that ship since her arrival from Newfoundland. I have the honour to be, &c.

ST VINCENT.

His Majesty's ship Mercury, at sea,
 January 25. 1798.

MY LORD,

I Have the honour to inform your Lordship, that this day at noon, the Burlings bearing S. E. 42 leagues, I fell in with La Constance French brig privateer, belonging to Nantz, which I captured after a chase of five hours; she is a remarkable fine vessel, pierced for 18 guns, but has only 12 six and nine-pounders on board, and 96 men, copper-bottomed, quite new, sails very fast, and is only ten days from Nantz, on a cruise off the Western Islands. I have the honour to be, &c.

THO. ROGERS.

Earl St Vincent, G. C. C.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, Feb. 16.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

Brevet Lieut.-Col. Wm. Cuppage to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. Williams, deceased; commission dated Jan. 17. 1798. Brevet Lieut.-Col. Francis Whitworth to be Major, vice W. Cuppage; dated as above. Capt.-Lieut. John Sheldrake, to be Captain, vice F. Whitworth; dated as above. First Lieut. Charles C. Bingham to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Sheldrake; dated as

above. Second Lieut. Robert Lawton to be First Lieutenant, vice C. C. Bingham; dated as above. Second Lieut. Nathaniel W. Oliver to be First Lieutenant, vice H. M. Farrington, removed to the Horse Brigade; dated Feb. 13. 1798. Second Lieut. James T. Cowper to be First Lieutenant, vice J. M. Clofe, removed to the Horse Brigade; dated as above. Second Lieut. Robert Carthew to be First Lieutenant, vice H. D. Ross, removed to the Horse Brigade; dated as above. Second Lieut. Wm. Jenny to be First Lieutenant, vice W. Lloyd, sen. removed to the Horse Brigade; dated as above. Second Lieut. Charles H. Godby to be First Lieutenant, vice J. H. Frere, removed to the Horse Brigade; dated as above. Second Lieut. James St Clair to be First Lieutenant, vice W. Lloyd, jun. removed to the Horse Brigade; dated as above.

WAR-OFFICE, Feb. 6.

Royal Nova Scotia Regiment.

Capt. George Theliger to be Major, vice Monk, who resigns.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieut. Haggerty, of the 81st regiment of foot, who was superseded in the Gazette of the 30th December last, is reinstated in his rank.

Commission signed by his Majesty for the Army in Ireland.

Mr Donald Cameron to be Ensign in the Reay Fencibles, vice Ensign K. Todd, resigned; dated Feb. 1. 1798.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF SUGAR,

Computed from the Returns made in the week ending the 21st day of February 1798,

is Sixty-six Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight,

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

BANKRUPTS.

Sufanna Solomon of the city of Bristol, upholsterer.
 John Foulger of Clare, Suffolk, innholder.
 Wm. Coleman of the city of Norwich, innkeeper.
 Wm. Laverack, late of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, merchant.
 Stephen Parly, late of Avon, Southampton, wheelwright.
 Thomas Soerderberg of Tottenham Court, Middlesex, cabinet-maker and inlayer.

(R.)

[Price 6d.]

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN,

By the Quarter of Eight WINCHESTER Bushels, and of OATMEAL per Boll of 140lbs. AVOIRDUPOIS, from the Returns received in the Week ended the 17th 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,	50 7	25 2	22 1	19 5	25 3	32 0		
Surry,	49 2	26 0	22 2	20 2	28 0	31 3		
Hertford,	44 9		24 4	17 2	27 1	29 0		
Bedford,	45 3	29 0	25 1	18 5	24 7			
Huntingdon,	41 10		23 0	14 10	21 7			
Northampton,	45 6	30 0	23 4	15 6	23 0	23 0		
Rutland,	46 6		27 0	17 0	24 0		48 5	
Leicester,	52 5		26 7	16 7	28 4	48 0	34 7	
Nottingham,	53 8	31 0	26 6	17 0	27 4			
Derby,	55 4		29 4	19 0	29 10	32 6	20 3	
Stafford,	50 4		29 8	19 9	32 5	42 6	31 9	
Salop,	49 10	37 0	35 0	19 2	37 4	37 9	67 10	
Hereford,	44 11	41 4	32 11	17 6	29 2	32 2	66 0	
Worcester,	52 6	24 4	30 3	23 8	29 5	36 2		
Warwick,	51 2		31 0	19 6	31 8	53 4	34 8	
Wilts,	53 2		28 10	22 4	37 10	32 0		
Berks,	48 9		21 10	19 6	26 7	29 4		
Oxford,	49 8		22 8	17 8	25 0	27 7		
Bucks,	46 10		23 6	18 2	22 10	28 3		
Montgomery,	48 5		29 7	17 5		34 5	33 11	
Brecon,	52 11	40 0	32 0	16 0		32 0	38 10	
Radnor,	47 2		32 0	15 2		32 0	53 6	

Districts.

MARITIME COUNTIES.

First,	Essex,	46 2	22 6	20 2	19 0	22 10	23 6		
	Kent,	44 9		22 6	18 10	25 10	31 0		
	Suffex,	45 8		24 0	18 6		31 0		
Second,	Suffolk,	42 5	21 0	20 5	15 4	20 5	28 6	42 5	
	Cambridge,	37 7	20 10	19 7	9 9	17 8			
Third,	Norfolk,	41 6	19 6	18 10	14 4	18 10	26 2		
Fourth,	Lincoln,	42 10	25 6	22 7	13 1	21 9	33 2		
	York,	45 10	27 0	23 5	14 5	26 3	48 0	31 3	
Fifth,	Durham,	45 3	31 4	26 0	17 3		54 2		
	Northumberland,	40 2	28 0	20 11	15 3	21 6	27 4		
Sixth,	Cumberland,	47 8	30 10	24 8	16 1		29 4		
	Westmorland,	54 4	38 8	27 2	18 4			16 5	
Seventh,	Lancaster,	49 2		33 0	18 8			17 9	
	Chester,	49 0		30 4	19 2			16 10	
	Flint,	47 4		30 11					
Eighth,	Denbigh,	51 11		31 3	14 10	32 0	25 8	30 5	
	Anglesea,				10 6				
	Caernarvon,	52 6	34 0	24 4	13 0	40 0		32 6	
	Merioneth,	58 0	38 10	32 0	16 2	39 4		33 0	
	Cardigan,	58 8	29 4	27 5	10 4		32 7	26 6	
Ninth,	Pembroke,	43 10		24 10	10 2				
	Caermarthen,	65 0		32 0	11 6				
	Glamorgan,	54 7		33 3	18 0				
Tenth,	Gloucester,	55 11		28 11	16 8	24 11	28 6		
	Somerset,	55 5		31 10	22 0	30 0		50 1	
	Monmouth,	51 3		33 4			35 2		
Eleventh,	Devon,	60 0		30 0	14 9			40 3	
	Cornwall,	57 5		29 3	13 6				
Twelfth,	Dorset,	53 8		29 6	18 0	36 0			
	Hants,	49 7		25 9	19 8	33 7			

AVERAGE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

Per Quarter, — | 49 6 | 29 7 | 26 11 | 16 9 | 27 8 | 33 4 | 36 5 |

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 of GEO. III.

First District,	47 3	25 0	22 7	16 10	23 6	33 0	*36 5
Second,	41 2	20 11	20 2	13 3	19 8	28 6	42 5
Third,	41 6	19 6	18 10	14 4	18 10	26 2	*36 5
Fourth,	43 4	25 6	22 2	13 4	22 1	33 2	31 9
Fifth,	42 6	29 1	23 1	15 11	21 6	36 3	*36 5
Sixth,	50 4	33 5	25 3	17 0	*27 8	29 4	16 5
Seventh,	49 2	*29 7	32 6	18 9	29 0	*33 4	16 11
Eighth,	53 3	37 2	28 11	14 0	37 1	25 8	32 3
Ninth,	55 10	29 4	29 5	11 10	*27 8	32 7	26 6
Tenth,	54 8	*27 7	30 11	18 6	26 7	30 9	50 1
Eleventh,	58 10	*29 7	29 8	14 2	*27 8	*33 4	40 3
Twelfth,	51 2	*29 7	27 3	19 1	34 2	*33 4	*36 5

N.B. The Figures against which Asterisks are placed are the general Average Prices of all England.

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN IN SCOTLAND,

By the Quarter of Eight WINCHESTER Bushels, and of OATMEAL per Boll of 128 lbs. SCOTCH TROY, of the Four Weeks immediately preceding the 15th of Feb. 1798.

Districts.	COUNTIES.	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Peas.		Oatmeal.		Beer or Big.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
	Fife,	No	Return.														
	Kinross,			15	7	14	11							14	8		
	Clackmannan,	35	2	20	0	17	6	26	2	26	2	26	2	16	0	20	0
	Stirling,	40	8	21	3	17	6	28	4	28	4	28	4	16	0	20	0
	Linlithgow,	40	2	20	4	17	0	24	6	24	6	24	6	13	8		
Thirteenth,	Edinburgh,	42	10	19	7	16	4	26	1	24	5	24	5	12	9		
	Haddington,	43	4	22	0	14	11	22	4	22	4	22	4	13	4		
	Berwick,	38	8	17	4	14	0			21	4	21	4	16	0		
	Roxburgh,	35	11	16	1	13	1			17	7	17	7	11	3		
	Selkirk,	40	0	19	2	13	10							12	0		
	Peebles,													11	7		
	Dumfries,	49	4			13	4							12	0		
Fourteenth,	Wigton,			16	0	12	0							12	0	12	0
	Ayr,	44	0	24	0	15	0	26	0	26	0	26	0	14	0	21	0
	Kirkcudbright,	40	0	18	8	13	4							12	8	16	0
	Argyle,					19	4							17	2		
Fifteenth,	Dumbarton,					17	7	28	6					16	3	20	11
	Lanark,	50	8	27	4	17	7	29	9	38	9	38	9	15	10	20	3
	Renfrew,	48	11	22	1	17	3	33	3	37	0	37	0	16	3	19	6
	Bute,					17	0							16	0	19	0
	Orkney & Shetland,			No	Return.												
	Caithness,																
	Sutherland,													21	4	21	4
	Rofs & Cromarty,					22	8								22	8	
	Inverness,			27	10									15	2		
Sixteenth,	Nairn,	33	8	25	8	22	10	14	10	25	8	25	8	14	2		
	Elgin,	36	4	25	5	20	0	14	0	25	5	25	5	13	4		
	Banff,	35	3			17	10	14	0					13	0	15	11
	Aberdeen,					15	3							12	0	15	11
	Kincardine,					15	1							13	4	13	10
	Forfar,	38	7			16	0	16	2			20	6	13	11	14	4
	Perth,	36	5			16	7	14	2			20	10	14	0		

AVERAGE OF SCOTLAND.

Per Quarter, - | 40 6 | 25 6 | 20 1 | 15 4 | 26 10 | 25 8 | 14 3 | 18 2

AVERAGE PRICES, by which EXPORTATION and BOUNTY are to be regulated.

Thirteenth,	-	-	-	39	7	*25	6	19	0	15	5	25	6	23	6	18	8	20	0
Fourteenth,	-	-	-	44	5	*25	6	19	6	13	5	26	0	26	0	12	8	16	4
Fifteenth,	-	-	-	49	9	*25	6	24	8	17	9	30	6	38	1	16	3	19	11
Sixteenth,	-	-	-	36	0	25	6	20	6	14	10	25	6	23	7	14	5	17	4

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

AVERAGE PRICES by which IMPORTATION and DUTY are to be regulated in the Districts under-mentioned, computed according to the Directions of the Corn Acts of the 31st and 33d of Geo. III.

Thirteenth,	-	-	-	49	7	*25	6	19	2	15	4	25	0	23	6	13	9	19	5
Fourteenth,	-	-	-	45	1	*25	6	20	2	13	7	26	0	26	0	12	11	16	10
Fifteenth,	-	-	-	50	6	*25	6	25	0	17	11	31	1	36	1	16	4	20	4
Sixteenth,	-	-	-	35	11	25	6	20	9	15	0	25	1	23	9	14	7	17	3

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

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ROBERT GILLIES, Merchant in Beith. —
 Robert Oliphant, merchant in Glasgow, having been chosen trustee on the sequestrated estates of the said Robert Gillies, and his nomination confirmed by the Court of Session, he hereby gives notice, that the Sheriff of Ayrshire has appointed Saturday the 10th and Monday the 26th days of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, within the Sheriff Court-house of Ayr, for the public examination of the bankrupt and others acquainted with his business.

The trustee requests a meeting of the creditors, within the house of John Wilson, vintner in Beith, on Tuesday the 27th March next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of instructing him as to the management and recovery of the funds; betwixt and which day, the creditors are requested to produce in the trustee's hands their claims, with oaths of verity thereon; with certification to those who fail to make such productions before the 16th day of October next, being ten months from the date of the sequestration, they will receive no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt's effects.

Edinburgh, Feb. 27. 1798.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES PETRIE, late Cattle Dealer and Tenant
 in Tillerye, in Kinross-shire.

George Peat, writer in Kinross, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said James Petrie, hereby gives notice, that the Sheriff of Kinross-shire has appointed Saturday the 10th of March next, and Saturday the 24th of the said month, as the first and second diets of examination of the said James Petrie, within the Sheriff Court-house of Kinross; and further the said trustee gives notice, that, in terms of the act of Parliament, there is to be a meeting of the creditors at the same place, on Monday the 26th of the said month of March, at 12 o'clock noon, for instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery of the estate of the bankrupt; and the creditors are hereby required to produce in the trustee's hands 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 unless the said productions are made between and the 15th of October next, being ten months after the date of the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the debtor's estate, which it is probable in this case will be the whole fund of the bankrupt.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM LORIMER of Kymishall, some
 time Merchant and Spirit Dealer in Dumfries, now in Penpont.

That at a general meeting of the creditors of the said William Lorimer, held upon the 31st January last, James Gracie, accountant for the Bank of Scotland at Dumfries, was elected trustee upon his sequestrated estate, and his nomination has since been confirmed by the Court of Session.

Upon application of the trustee, the Sheriff of Dumfries has fixed Friday the 9th March next for the first diet, and Saturday the 24th March for the second diet, both at 11 o'clock forenoon, within the common Court-house of Dumfries, for the public examination of the bankrupt, his family, and others acquainted with his business, in terms of the statute.

The trustee requests a general meeting of the creditors, upon Monday the 26th day of the said month of March, within the George Inn Tavern, Dumfries, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of instructing the trustee relative to the management and recovery of the estate; and the trustee requires the creditors of the said William Lorimer to lodge in his hands their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, at or previous to the day of meeting; and he further intimates, that such of the creditors who fail to lodge their grounds of debt, with oaths of verity thereon, in his hands between and the 12th October next, being ten months from the date of the first deliverance on the petition for the sequestration, shall have no share in the dividends of the estates of the debtor.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOSEPH BOGUE, Merchant in Grangemouth. —

A meeting of creditors having taken place on the 21st of September 1797, the day after the last public examination of the said Joseph Bogue, in terms of the statute, he then made offer of a certain composition for his debts, which appeared reasonable to the creditors present; and they appointed another meeting to be called and held within the house of George Turner, vintner in Falkirk, upon Wednesday the 21st day of March 1798, at one o'clock afternoon, in order to consider of the above proposal made by Mr Bogue for a composition.

The trustee on Mr Bogue's sequestrated estate therefore requests the attendance of his whole creditors at said meeting, by themselves, or others duly authorized.