

Whitehall, August 29, 1855.

The Right Honourable Sir John Jervis, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Thomas Udall, of Newcastle-under-Lyne, in the county of Stafford, 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 Stafford.

PARLIAMENTARY GRANT OF £5,000, AWARDED TO THE OFFICERS AND CREW OF HER MAJESTY'S SHIP INVESTIGATOR.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, October 15, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all persons interested therein, that payment of the portions allotted severally to the Officers (exclusive of Captain McClure) and Crew of Her Majesty's ship Investigator, payable in respect of special service rendered by them whilst employed in the Arctic Sea, will commence on Thursday, the 25th of October, 1855, in the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House.

Each claimant, in person, is expected to produce his commission, warrant, or certificate of service. An agent or other person is to exhibit a power of attorney, or other instrument, by virtue of which he may be legally authorized to receive the share of an individual entitled to participate in the grant.

The following are the sums severally payable to each person of the rank or rating described:

	£	s.	d.
Lieutenant - - -	271	6	4
Acting Master - - -			
Surgeon - - -	174	8	4
Assistant-Surgeon - - -			
Mate - - -			
Clerk in Charge - - -			
Carpenter - - -			
Boatswain - - -			
Ice Mate - - -			
Esquimaux Interpreter - - -	96	18	0
Ship's Cook - - -			
Paymaster's Steward - - -	87	4	2
Gunner's Mate - - -			
Boatswain's Mate - - -			
Carpenter's Mate - - -			
Caulker - - -			
Captain of the Hold - - -			
Captain of the Foretop - - -			
Captain of the Forecastle - - -			
Captain of the Maintop - - -			
Quartermaster - - -			
Captain's Coxswain - - -			
Blacksmith - - -			
Sailmaker - - -			
Serjeant of Royal Marines - - -	58	2	10
Corporal of Royal Marines - - -			
Able Seaman - - -	29	1	5
Carpenter's Crew - - -			
Private of Royal Marines - - -			
Subordinate Officers' Steward - - -	19	7	7
Gun-room Steward - - -			

Persons who reside at a distance from London, desiring to receive payment through the Collector

of Customs or of Inland Revenue, at any place within the United Kingdom, may intimate the same by letter, enclosing the proper documents, to the "Secretary of the Admiralty, London."

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, October 15, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now making for the intended distribution of proceeds arising from the Dutch sloop Minima, captured on the 3rd September, 1854, by Her Majesty's ship Archer.

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.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 16th day of October, 1855,

Is Twenty-nine Shillings and Eleven Pence per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-six Shillings and Three Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty;

Is Thirty-four Shillings and Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,
Is Twenty-nine Shillings and Ten Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, October 19, 1855.