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Appeared Personally William Curtis of Wapping in the County of Middlesex Merchant on behalf of Capt John Fraser now at Sea

Upproduced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comrs for execut.g the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c for grant.g of a Commission to him the said John Fraser for the purchase of his Majestys Instructions made the 6th Inst.t Declaration & Oath that he the said John Fraser Ship is called the Manifesto being Square Vessel no Head — has 3 Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions

that the said Ship is of the burthen of 50 Tons that the said John Fraser — is gaeth Comd.r of her that she carries 6 — Carriage Guns carry.g Shot of 6 — Pounds Weight & no — Swivel Guns & navigated with 20 Men 40 Small Arms 20 Cutlaces 10 Barrels of Powder 20 Pounds of great Shot & about 500 Weights of Small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables & about 5 1/2 Weight of Spare Stores that John Roberts — goes Mate or Lieutenant Daniel Lee — Gunner John White Boatswain Wm Adams — Carpenter Lee Lewis — Cook & John Low — Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of London — that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Madeira and to return to Great Britain

and that Timothy and William Curtis of Wapping Merchants are the

Owner & Setter out of the said Ship

On the same day this Declaration was made Before me

Wm Curtis

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Commission granted to John Fraser to set forth the Manifesto of the Cutthroat of about fifty Tons — whereupon the the said John Fraser — goeth Commander &c.

George the third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith &c. To all people to whom these presents shall come Greeting Whereas by an Act passed in parliament in the seventeenth year of our Reign Chapter the seventh it is enacted that the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain for the time being or any three or more of them or any person or persons by him or them empowered and appointed shall and may from and after the Twentieth day of February One thousand seven hundred and seventy seven at the Request of any Merchant or Merchants being Owner or Owners of any Ship or Vessel employed in Trade or retained in our Service giving such Bail and security as therein directed cause to be issued forth one or more Commission or Commissions to any person or persons whom such Merchant or Merchants shall nominate to be Commander or in case of death successively

successively Commanders of such Ship or Vessel for the Attaching surprizing seizing and taking by and with such Ship and Vessel or with the Crew thereof all Ships and Vessels Goods Wares and Merchandizes Chattels and Effects whatsoever belonging to the Inhabitants of the American Colonies now in Rebellion and all Ships and Vessels & their respective Furniture and Furniture belonging to any Subject in Great Britain or Ireland which shall be found trading to or from the said Colonies contrary to the Provisions of an Act passed in the sixteenth year of your Reign chapter the fifth intituled an Act to prohibit all Trade and Intercourse with the said Colonies and to bring the said Ships and Vessels to Adjudication in our High Court of Admiralty of England or such other Court of Admiralty as now is or shall be hereafter duly Authorized in that behalf And Whereas Timothy and William Curtis

Owners of the Vessel called the Manifesto employed in Trade have by writing represented unto our said Commissioners for executing the Office of our high Admiral of Great Britain and Ireland that they would cause to be issued for the a Commission unto John Fraser whom they have nominated to be Commander of the said Vessel And Whereas our said Commissioners have thereupon issued a Warrant under their hand and the Seal of Office willing and requiring the Judge of our High Court of Admiralty to cause a Commission to be signed out of the

the said Court unto the said John Fraser to set forth in a warlike manner the said Vessel called the Manifesto of the Burthen of fifty Tons whereof the said John Fraser is Commander And Whereas the said John Fraser hath given sufficient Bail with Sureties to our use before said High Court of Admiralty according to the Effect and Form set down in our Instructions a Copy whereof is given to the said Captain John Fraser

Know ye therefore that we do by these presents grant Commission to and do Licence and authorize the said John Fraser to set forth in a warlike manner the said Ship called the Manifesto being square sterned no Head and three Masts laden with a Cargo consisting of Provisions and of the Burthen of fifty Tons carrying Eight Carriage Guns carrying Shot of six pound weight and no Swivel Guns and belonging to the Port of London and bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Madeira & so return to Great Britain and whereof the aforesaid Timothy and William Curtis of Dagging in the County of Middlesex Merchants are the Owners and navigated with Forty Men and by or with such Ship or Vessel or with the Crew thereof to attack surprize seize and take all Ships and Vessels Goods Wares and Merchandizes Chattels and Effects whatsoever belonging to the Inhabitants of the American Colonies now in Rebellion to our Subjects

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subjects in Great Britain and Ireland which
shall be found trading to or from the said Colonies
contrary to the Provisions of the beforementioned
Act of Parliament of the Sixteenth year of
Reign Chapter the fifth and which Ships and
Vessels are made liable to seizure by Merchant
Ships employed in Trade or retained in our Service
being Commissioned thereunto according to the Act
of Parliament passed in the Seventeenth year of
our Reign Chapter the Seventh and concerning
which seizure for the better Guidance and Conduct
of the Commanders of such Ships and Vessels
certain Instructions have issued under our Royal
Signet and Sign Manual bearing date at Saint
James's the twenty seventh Day of March One
thousand seven hundred and seventy seven and to
bring the same to such Port as shall be most
convenient in order to have them legally adjudged
in our said High Court of Admiralty of England
or before the Judges of such other Admiralty
Court within our Dominions as shall be lawfully
authorized which being provided it shall
and may be lawful to and for the said John
Fraser to seize and bring such
Ships Vessels and Goods standing and
Condemned in such sort and manner as by
the Course of Admiralty hath been accustomed
except

except in such case where it is otherwise
directed by the said Instructions Provided that
nothing be done by the said John Fraser
or any of his Officers Mariners
and Company Contrary to the true meaning of our
Instructions Delivered unto him herewith but
that the said Instructions and each and every
of them as far as they or any of them are therein
concerned in all Particulars be well and duly
performed and Observed And We Will and Require
all Kings Princes Potentates States and Republicks
being our Friends and Allies and all others to
whom it shall appertain to give the said
John Fraser all Aid Assistance and
Succour in their Ports with the said Ship
Company and Prize without Delay or suffering to
be done to him any Trouble or Hindrance
but offering to do the like when we shall be by
them thereunto Desired And We will and Require
all our Officers whatsoever to give him Succour
and Assistance as Occasion shall require In
Witness whereof We have caused the Great Seal
of our High Court of Admiralty of England to be
hereunto affixed Given at London the
Seventeenth Day of January in the year of
our Lord 1780 and in the 21st year of our
Reign

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17th Jan.y 1801

Appeared Personally John Major of the Isles Lane London Gent.n on behalf of Captain Joseph Smith now at Sea

Produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lord Com.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c. for granting a Commission to him the said Joseph Smith & Declaration to wit that in the said Joseph Smith — Ship is called the Fleet Cutter Square Stemed no Head — has One Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions and Dry Goods —

that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 70 Tons that the said Joseph Smith — goeth Com.r of her that she carries 10 Carriage Guns 4 Swivel Guns — 30 — Men 30 Small Arms 30 Cutlaces 10 Barrels of Powder 30 — Pounds weight & no — Rounds of great shot about 500 — weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 — Months Las 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 — Cables about 500 weight of Spare Cordage that John Jones — goes Mate or Lieutenant Wm Smith — Gunner Joseph Gurney Boatswain Wm Stevens Cook & Dec.d Carpenter Wm Wade — Wilson Surgeon of the said Ship, that the said Ship is belongg to the port of Glasgow that she is bound on a Voyage from the port of Glasgow to Lisbon and to Return to Great Britain

and that Robert Dunmore & Co.y of Glasgow — Merchants are the principal —

Owners & Setter out of the said Ship that

On the same Day this Declaration was made Before me Wm: Colthe Ducarel Surrogate

John Hyde

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Appear'd Personally 17th January 1781 John Charlton of Lincs Court
Threadneedle Street London Gent on behalf of Capt. George
Lightfoot now at Sea
& produced a Warrant from the Right Honble. the Lords Comrs. for execut.g the Office of
Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c. for granting Salvage to him the said
Geo: Lightfoot — Vin pursuance of His Majesty's Instruction
made the Hon'ble Declaration to wit that the said George
Lightfoot Esqr. Commander of His Majesty's Ship called the Fenix
now lying in the River Thames and bound to the Coast of Guinea
and the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo
consists of Coals
that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 370 Tons that the said
Geo: Lightfoot goeth Comr. of her that she carries
10 Carriage Guns carry.g Shot of 4 Pounds Weight &
10 Swivel guns 20 Men 20 Small Arms
20 Cutlaces 10 Barrels of Powder 20 Rounds of great Shot
Patern.t 5000 weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is victualled
for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3
Cables Patent 1000 weight of Spare Cordage that John
Jones Master Lieutenant John
Elliott Gunner David Lee Boatswain
William Newton Carpenter Joseph Simons
Cook [illegible] Henry Preston Surgeon of the said Ship, that the
said Ship belongs to the Port of Liverpool that she is bound on a
Voyage from the Port of Liverpool to Lisbon and
to Return to Great Britain

and that
Donadale Mort and John Mytton
of Liverpool Merchants are the

Owners of the said Ship &c.

On the same Day
This Declaration was made
Before me
And: Colliez Ducarel
Surrogate

John Charlton

18th Jan.y 1781

Appeared personally Mr. Newton of Copthall Court London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n Richard Bates sworn at Liverpool

Produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comm.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c. granted Salomon to him the said Richard Bates — in pursuance of His Majesty's Instructions made the following Declaration viz.t that he the said Richard Bates is the sole owner of the Ship called the Benson Long Square Sterned Rowing no Head — Has 3 Masts that the said Ship is employed or employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions —

that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 400 Tons that the said Richd Bates — agreeth Comr. of her that she Carries 22 Carriage Guns carrying Shot of 6 — Pounds Weight & 6 Patteraroes and no Swivel Guns 50 Men 30 Small Arms 30 Cutlaces 30 Barrels of Powder 55 Pounds of great Shot about 500 — Weight of small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 10 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables about 1000 — Weight of Spare Cordage that is on Board — Garret — 4 do Mate or Lieutenant John Barber — Riley — Gunner John Thomas — Boatswain Tho.s Wilson — Carpenter Jnd.a Riley — Cook & Geo. Mc Intosh — Surgeon of the said Ship that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of Liverpool — that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Liverpool to the West Indies and to return to Britain to Britain and that Henry Rawlinson, John Shorley and Jas. Crichton of Liverpool and Moses Benson of Jamaica Merchants are the Owners & Interest of the said Ship

John Newton

On the same Day
This Declaration was made
Before me Ad. Colin Ducarel
Surrogate

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[illegible] goeth Com.r to take the 12th Jan.y 17[illegible]
for the 21st Year of his Majt.s Reign

18 Jan.y 1781 8

Appeared Personally George Brown of Jermyn Street
in the County of Middlesex Gentleman on
behalf of Patrick Byrne who also
produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Com.rs for executing the Office of Lord
High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c.a for grant.g a Comon to him the said
Patrick Byrne for him pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions
made the 5th Declaration to wit that he the said Patrick Byrne is
Ship is called the Fly Boat
burthen Square Sterned has no Head
has one Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
for Cargo Consists of Provisions

that the said Ship is of the burthen of 60 Tons that the said Patrick
Byrne goeth Com.r of her that she is mounted with
6 Carriage Guns carry.g Shot of 6 and 3 Pounds weight & 4 Swivel
Guns 10 Men 20 Small Arms 20 Cutlaces 6
Barrels of Powder 20 Rounds of great Shot about 500
Weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months
has 1 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables & about 600 Weight
of Share Cordage that [illegible] goes Master
Lieutenant [illegible] Gunner
George Wilson Boatswain Samuel Smith
Carpenter William Burn Cook &
Thomas Saunders Surgeon of the said Ship & that that the said
Ship is belong.g to the Port of London that she is bound
on a Voyage from the Port of London to the West Indies
and to Return to Great Britain

and that John Dick and Co of Liverpool
Merchants are the principals

Owners & Setter out of the said Ship

George Brown

On the same Day
this Declaration was made
before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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19th January 1701 9

Apeared Personally William Oglby of
Saint Gyrdens London Broker (on behalf of Capn
James Weyencraft now at Gravesend
& produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comrs for execut.g the Office of Lord High
Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c for the grant.g a Comon to him the said James
Weyencraft and in pursuance of his Majestys Instructions made
the 8th Declaration to wit that the said James Weyencraft
Ship is called the Jolly Sar being a Square Sterned
Prince Headed
has 3 Mast, that the said Ships employed in Trade
and her Cargo Consists of Provisions — —
that the said Ship is of the burthen of 220 Tons that the said James
Weyencraft — doth Comd of her that she carries 22 Carriage
Guns Cherry & Shot of 6 & 4 — Pounds Weight & No Swivel Guns
70 — men 30 Small Arms 50 Cutlaces 10 — Barrels
of Powder 10 Pounds of great Shot about 500 — Weight of small
Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 — Suits of Sails
3 Anchors 3 Cables about 1000 Weight of Spare Cordage that
William Penner — does Mate or Lieutenant John
Boatswain Jno: 4 — Gunner William Hallin
Thos: Wolcum Carpenter Robt
said Mariner Cook & George Holmes Surgeon of the
Ship that the said Ship is belong.g to the Port of London — that she
is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Oporto and
to return to Great Britain
and that
William Priddale and James Barrow
of Liverpool & John Wigram
of London Merchants are the
principal
Owners of Her out of the said Ship &c —

Wm Oglby

On the same Day
This Declaration was made
Before me
Adm: Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

Vera Copia
Rich.d Kingsmill

Godfrey

The like Comon as is Entered in Folio 1. was granted to
Richard Houghton to exercise the Office of the
Gunner of 120 Tons belonging to the Port of
Liverpool & the Deputation of the said Richard Houghton
Dated the 10th of January 1701 and
ended the 10th of January 1701 and
21st Year of his Majesties Reign.

The like Comon as is entered Folio. 1. was granted to
Richard Houghton to exercise the Office of the
Gunner of 120 Tons belonging to the Port of
Liverpool and the Deputation of the said Richard Houghton
Dated 10th January 1701. and in the 21.
Year of his Majesties Reign

The Comon Deputation & Oath and Bail in the Candlestick of
Bails.

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The like Comon as in Dol.a Entered Was granted to James Wyeneroft to set forth the Billy of 200 Tons Mounted with Eight Guns Navigated with Fifteen Men and Boys Wayneroft hath Given Bond to the Right Honble the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c. in the Penalty of Two Hundred Pounds Sterling Conditioned as the Law directs Dated the 19th January 1701 and in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign

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Appeared Personally 19th Jan.y 1701 Alexander Hog of Nicholas Lane London Grocer on behalf of Capt.n William Cumming now at Aberdeen

Who produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comm.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c. Ireland &c. for the granting Commission to him the said Wm Cumming in pursuance of his majesty's Instructions made the following Declaration to wit That he the said William Cummings Ship is called the ~~Adventure~~ Revenge Cutter Samuel plain Head and has One Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Barley and other Goods that the said Ship is of the burthen of 100 Tons that the said William Cumming both Comd.r of her that she carries 14 Carriage Guns carrys Shot of 4 and 6 Pounds Weight & no Swivel Guns 60 Men 60 Small Arms 60 Cutlaces 20 Barrels of Powder 20 Rounds of great Shot about 500 Weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables about 1200 Weight of Spare Cordage that Capt Wm Ste[illegible] Gunner Wm Weyerb Boatswain John Short Carpenter Peter Tower Surgeon of the said Ship that the said Ship is belong.g to the Port of Aberdeen that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Aberdeen to Ebonieur and to Return to Great Britain

and that Andrew Fowler, John Tower, George Thomson George Auldjo & Alex.r Calder and Cruickshanks of Aberdeen Merchants are the Owners & Setter out of the said Ship

On the same Day this Declaration was made Before me Alex.r Hog

Alex.r Colter Ducarel Surrogate

Aberdeen
Richd Yea

Jacobs

The like Comon as is entered for Richard Yea to set forth the Adventure of the burthen of 120 Tons belonging to the Port of Bristol and whereof the said Richard Yea goeth Comd.r Master 19th January 1701 and in the 21st Year of his Majs Reign

See Caution Bond &c. filed and Bail in the Bundle of Bails.

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19th January 1781

Appeared Personally John Merrington of Sooley in the County of Surry Gent. on behalf of Sir John Wrightson Knight &c.

who produced an Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comrs for executg the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c for the grant to him of a Commission to him the said John Merrington in pursuance of his Majestys Instructions made the full Declaration to get that his the said John Merrington Ship is called the Hibernia Square Sterned No Head

and that she has 1 Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and hath on board a Cargo of Provisions

that the said Ship is of the burthen of 80 Tons that the said John Merrington doth Com. of her that she carries 12 Carriage Guns 6 Pounds Weight & 8 Swivel Guns carry 2 lbs 6 Men 50 Small Arms 50 Cutlaces 10 Barrels of Powder 30 Pounds of great Shot about 3000 Weight of small Shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 2 Anchors 3 Cables about 500 Weight of Shot Cargo that goes Mate or Lieutenant [illegible] Gunner David Dod Boatswain James Beare Carpenter Beatty Cook Benjn Doddridge Surgeon of the said Ship that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of Newry that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Newry to Jamaica and to return to Great Britain

and that Thomas Benson of Newry in the Kingdom of Ireland Merchant is the Principal

Owner & Letter out of the said Ship

John Merrington

On the same day This Declaration was made before me And. Colvill Deputy Clk

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Hibernia

Appeared Personally 20 Jan 1781 — 12 13

Edward Reilly of Spencer Alley London Broker on behalf of Capt. Matthew Forrest

Produced a Warrant from the Right Honble The Lords Comrs for execut.g the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c for the grant of a Comn to him the said Matthew Forrest in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the full.g Declaration to wit that he the said Matthew Forrest Ship is called the Hibernia

Master now bound on a Voyage to Dublin — that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo Consists of Provisions —

that the said Ship is of the Burthen of Three hundred Tons that the said Matthew Forrest goeth Comd.r of her that she carries Twelve Carriage Guns twenty four Pounder weight & Twenty Shot of three Swivel Guns Eighty Men Eighty Small Arms Cutlasses twenty Barrels of Powder Three hundred Pounds of great Shott about four hundred weight of small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for Three Months has two Suits of Sails three Anchors four Cables about Eighteen hundred weight of Spare Cordage that Matthew Forrest goes Master or Lieutenant Daniel Gunner Three Boatswain Daniel Carpenter Jno Roche Cooks Three Stewards &c Stageon of the said Ship & that she is

that the said Ship is Belonging to the Port of Dublin that she is now on a Voyage from the Port of Dublin to Gibraltar & Leghorn to Great Britain

and that Hugh Orr and Abraham Cooper of Dublin Mariners are Mast — —

Owners & Setter out of the said Ship

On the same day this Declaration was made before me

Edwd Reilly

Wm. Colbe Ducarel

the Like Powers as is Exd in Such Cases
provided to Entitle Him to the Said
Ship or Vessell & Cargo Mentioned in the Said
Letters of Reprisall Dated the 22d of
September 1708 whereof the said Letters of
Reprisall Granted the 20th from Whitehall
in the 21st Year of his Majts Reigne.

22d. Jan.y 1711

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Appeared Personally David Milne of Hatton Court
in Threadneedle Street London Merchant on behalf
of Capt.n Peter Scott now at Sea

Who Produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Com.rs for Execut.g the Office of Lord High Admiral
of Great Britain & Ireland &c for the grant of a Comon to him the said
Peter Scott & in Pursuance of his Majestys Instructions made the 4th of December
Last that his the said Peter Scotts Ship is called the
Active Square Sterned Square Head and
has two Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
her Cargo consists of Provisions and Dry Goods
that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 150 Tons that the said Peter
Scott is Master 40 Tons of her that she carries 10 Carriage Guns carry
Shot 6 Pounds Weight & 20 Swivel Guns 30 Men
30 Small Arms 30 Cutlaces 12 Barrels of Powder 30 Rounds
of great Shot about 900 Weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is
victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3
Cables about 300 Weight of Spare Cordage that John
Reed Gunner goes Mate or Lieutenant Peter Wade Wm. Lee
Boatswain Wm. Shaw Carpenter John
Nicolls Cook Patrick Tomlens
Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is belong.g to the Port of Glasgow that
she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Glasgow to Madeira
and to Return to Great Britain

That Mr. Donald Hamilton & Co. of Glasgow
Merchants are the

Owner & Lettersout of the said Ship
On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me Wm. Colbe Deputy
Surrogate

David Milne

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23d Jan.y 1781

Appeared personally Samuel Woddale of Gough Square London Gent.n on behalf of Captain John Lewis now at Sea

Who produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Comm.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c granted & Commissn to the said John Lewis for the Preservation of his Majestys Instructions made the following Declaration to wit That the said John Lewis Ship is called the Valentine of London being Square Sterned having a Figure Head two Decks & two Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade by the Honble. East India Company

That the said Ship is of the Burthen of 750 Tons that the said John Lewis goeth Comr. of her that she carries 26 Iron Guns carries Shot of 12 Pounds Weight & no Swivel Guns 110 Men 100 Small Arms 100 Cutlaces 50 Barrels of Powder 40 Pounds of great Shot & about 500 Weight of Small Shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 12 Months has 3 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors & Cables & about 2000 Weight of Spare Cordage that John Wall goes Mate or Lieutenant Samuel Stewart Gunner Jas. Griffith Boatswain Simon Lewis Carpenter John Williams Cook & Alex.r Mair Surgeon of the said Ship that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of London is bound in a Voyage from the Port of London to Madrass and China and to return to Great Britain

That Daniel Cameron and Thomas Meeke of London Esq.rs are the Principal

Sam.l Woddale

Sworn at Lett Court of the said Ship On the same day this Declaration was made Before me Wm. Colbe Ducarel Surrogate

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The like Caution as is entred Folio 1 was granted to William Pinson to Assist the Master of the Burthen of 90 Tons belonging to the Port of Falmouth and whereof the said William Pinson goeth Comr. dated 22d. January 1781, and in the 21st Year of his Majts Reign.

Pinson Bail

The like Caution as is entred Folio 1 was granted to John Hine to Assist the Master of the Burthen of 100 Tons belonging to the Port of Bristol and whereof the said John Hine goeth Comr. dated the 22d. January 1781. and in the 21st Year of his Majts Reign

See Caution Declrn. Affd and Bails in the Bundle of Bails.

Hine Bail

Bagg C

Pinson

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Appeared Personally 24th Aug.st 1781 before me Stephen Sprigden of Chatham in the County of Gentleman and being Duly Sworn

on the Holy Evangelists

Produces a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Com.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c.a for the granting Protections &c.a from the said Lords Commissioners and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following Declaration viz.t that he the said Stephen Sprigden is called the Apollo Brig Master Burthen Navigated by Ten Men and has one Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and

for Cargo Consisting of Provisions

That the said Ship is of the burthen of 60 Tons that the said Andrew Corrance Master is Navigated by 10 Men that he the said Master has no Apprentice that the said Ship is victualled for 4 Months has on board the following Guns Carriage Guns 4 Pounders 4 in Number Swivel Guns 4 small Arms 30 Cutlaces 8 Pistols 20 Hand Grenades 20 Barrels of Powder 60 Weight of Shot about 600 Weight of small Shot 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables about 500 Weight of Spare Cordage that John Foggo goes Mate or Lieutenant George Stuart Gunner Wm Wisely Carpenter Wm Denbow Boatswain Cook George Locock Surgeon of the said Ship that she is

That the said Ship is belonging to the Port of Cork bound on a Voyage from the Cork to the West Indies and Return to Great Britain

That Neil Johnson — Henry Sadlier of Cork Merchants are the Owners of the said Ship

Sworn & Subscribed before me on the same day this Declaration was made

Steph.n Sprigden

And. Colles Ducarel Surrogate

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The like Common as is Entd in Folio Liverpool
granted to Andrew Cosgrave to ethe
the Spittal of Glen Night the Master
Spilsbie Lawful wife of the said Cosgrave
for all Comm.ds dated the 24th Jan.y 1781
the 21st year of his Majs Reign

Hector
Richard Wade Master

The like Common as is entred Folio 1. was
granted to Richard Wade for the Hector
of the burthen of 260 Tons
belonging to the Port of Liverpool
and whereof the said Richard Wade
goeth Comr. dated 24th Janry 1781. and
in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

See Common Decls. Affs and Bails in the
Bundle of Bails.

Appeared Personally the Honourable
Thomas Pownall Esqr Deputy Register of the
Court of Admiralty of England for the Right Honble the Lord High Chancellor behalf of Robert
Jackson Esqr Deputy Register of the said Court and produced a Warrant from the Right Honble the Lords Commissioners of the Office of Lord High Admiral of
Great Britain & Ireland &c. granted & given to him the said Robert Jackson
in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following Declaration to
wit that his the said Deponents Ship is called the
Shelburne Packet Liverpool
that the said Ship is navigated as a Trade
and for Cargo Consists of Provisions & Dry Goods
that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 230 Tons that the said Robert Jackson
goeth Master of her that she carries 8 Carriage Guns
carrying Shot of 12 Pounds Weight & 10 Swivel Guns 20
Men 100 small Arms 100 Cutlaces 60 Barrels of
Powder 80 Pounds of great Shot about 600 Weight of small Shot
that the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months has 2 Sides of Sails
4 Anchors 3 Cables & a Kedge 1 Hawser Weight of Share Cordage that
he the Deponent goes Mate or Lieutenant
Boatswain Edward Jones Gunner Carpenter
Richard Gleave Cook & Peter Dickeson
Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of
Liverpool that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of
Dublin to Newcastle & Shelburne in
Ireland
& that
the Deponent believes the Ship
is Property of Subjects of Great Britain and there are no Aliens
Interested therein directly or indirectly

Thomas Monson

Owner & Servant of the said Ship
On the same Day
this Declaration was made
before me And: Colhoun Ducarel
Surrogate

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24th January 1781

Appeared personally Henry Hammond of
Bloomsbury Square London Merchant Attorney
of Captain Thos Rosindale now at Sea
and produced a Warrt from the Rt Hble the Lords Commrs for executing the Office of Lord High
Admiral of Great Britain &c &c for granting a Commission to him the said Thomas
Rosindale and in pursuance of the Act passed in the last Session of Parliament
intitled An Act for the Encouragement of Seamen and Navigation
Thomas Rosindale
Commander of the Ship called the Enterprize Square Sterned
No Mann'd & 2 — Mounting Guns and navigated by Twenty
and Navigated by Twenty Men Boys and Others Navigating
the said Ship as per Sea Stores Agreement
1 1 0 Tons, that the said
Thos Rosindale doth Covt for her, that she carries 12
Carriage Guns carrying Shot of 9 12 pounds Wt and 2 Swivel Guns 15
Men 45 Small Arms 15 Cutlasses 10 Barrs of Powder 50 Pounds of great
Shot 500 Musquet Shot 500 Wt of Bread per Man, that the said Ship is victualled for
3 Months but 2 Months at Sea 3 Anchors 3 Cables and that
the Names of the Master James Hamer Lieutenant
John Napier Gunner John Nagle Boatswain
John Hall Carpenter Wm Wigans Gunner
John Wainwright Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship is
belonging to the Port of Hull
and that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Hull to the
West Indies & to return to Great Britain
and that
Richard Moxon of
Hull Merchant is the principal Owner of the said Ship

Sworn at the same day
& year first above mentioned
before me

Henry Hammond
Wm. Colbeck Durard
Surrogate

Enterprize

Know ye Commissioners for granting Licences for Retailing Spirituous Liquors that Thomas Reynolds is duly licensed to retail Spirituous Liquors within the Dwelling House of him the said Thomas Reynolds situate in Dublin in the County of Dublin for the Term of one year from the 24th day of January 1781 pursuant to the Act of Parliament in that case made and provided

Given under our Hands and Seals this 24th day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty one

Signed

25 January 1781 - 18 19

Appeared personally Thomas Reynolds of Clonliffe Lane in the County of the City of Dublin Victualler and on being duly Sworn deposeth and saith that the Premises in the Licence above mentioned are truly described therein and that the said Licence is not granted for any other Purpose or Premises whatsoever and that he doth not keep any Dog Gun or Engine for the Destruction of Game and that he will not suffer any Person to use any such Dog Gun or Engine in or upon the Premises and that he will not suffer any Gaming or Unlawful Games to be used or practised in the said Premises and that he will not suffer any Person to remain therein during the Time Divine Service is performing in the Church or Place of Worship of the Parish in which the said Premises are situate and that he will not suffer any Person to remain therein during the Time Divine Service is performing in the Church or Place of Worship of the Parish in which the said Premises are situate and that he will not suffer any Person to remain therein during the Time Divine Service is performing in the Church or Place of Worship of the Parish in which the said Premises are situate

Sworn and subscribed before me this 25th day of January 1781

Before me Wm. Colles Ducarel

Thomas Reynolds

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Testimr

The like Sum was Paid in Gold
unto the Hon.ble Edward Fowell Esqr the
Sum of 200 Sterl.g by the Hand of
Thomas Peterson & Receipt of the said Jno. Paterson
goeth Com.d dated the 25th Jany. 1701
and in the 21st Year of his Majt. Reign.

25 Jan.y 1701

19 20

Appeared personally John Newton of Lyttleton
Court London Merchant on behalf of Captain
Thomas Thornborrow late of Liverpool
and produced a Warr.t from the Right Hon.ble Edward Fowell Esqr Vice Adm.ll of the
Narrow Seas Bearing Date the 24th Instant Impowering the said Thomas
Thornborrow and in pursuance of his Majtys Instructs made the
Hon.ble Edward to grant that his the said Thomas Thornborrow
shou.d be called the
Swingeon Queen Stern Queen head
for 3 Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
her Crew consists of Fourteen and Twenty Guns
wch Ship is of the burthen of 250 Tons that the said Thomas
Thornborrow goeth Com.r of her, that she carries 8 Carr.g Guns
carry.g Shott of 4 pounds Wt & no Swivel Guns 25 Men 30
small Arms 30 Cutlasses 10 Pistols 50 rounds of great Shot &
abt 500 lbt of small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months
has Eight Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables and abt 300 fath.s of Rope &
that Sixty Tons of Goods is her Stowage
J. Chee Gunner Lee Lewis Boatswain
John Cochran Carp.r Jessica Frost Cook &
John Cockburn Surv.r of the s.d Ship and that the said Ship is
belong.g to the Port of Liverpool that she is bound on
a Voyage from the Port of Liverpool to the West Indies
and to return to Great Britain
and that Abraham and John Rawlinson
of Lancaster Gentlemen are Sur.s

John Newton

Gunner and Steerage out of the said Ship
Exam.d the same day
this Debt was made
Before me And: Colbe Dagoret
Surr.

The Obligation was Entd. in Folio 1 more
granted to Thomas Thornborough to set
forth the Livingston of 250 Tons Burthen
to the Port of Liverpool with the next
Livingston the said Thos. Thornborough
Comr. Dated the 25th Jany. 1781 in the
21st Year of his Majys. Reign

20 21

25 Jan.y 1781

Appeared personally Thos. Thornborough Esqr. Surveyor
Alfred London Gentleman and Edward Mahony Merchant
and severally made Oath that they well know Thomas Mahony
named in the Condition of the above Obligation and that the
Sureties therein named are sufficient Men to the Amount
of the Penalty thereof

Sworn before me

Thos. Thornborough

Mahony and in pursuance of his Majys. Instructions made the
following Declaration to wit that he the said Thomas Mahony
doth verily believe that the Burthen of the Ship called the Livingston
mentioned in the above Bond is not less than Two hundred and
fifty Tons that the said Ship is completely Manned and
has on board her 8 Months Provisions and
that the Ship is of the Burthen of 250 Tons that the said Ship
Livingston, goeth Comr. of her, that she carries 8 Carriage Guns
4 Pounders and 12 swivel Guns 40 Men 40
Cartridges 4 Pounder 100 and 12 swivel Guns 40 Men 40
Cartridges 40 Cutlaces 20 Barls. of Powder 20 rounds of great Shot
Cartridges 590 Musquet Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6
Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 8 Cables and Hawsers
and no more that John Lee
James Lee Junior George Forrest
Gunner
Carpr. James Simpson
Boatswain George Rea
Cook and Peter M.Slatterdale Surgeon of the said Ship
that the said Ship belongs to the Port of Cork
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Cork to the West Indies
and to Return to some Port
in Great Britain
and that
Thomas Ross of Cork in Ireland
is Merchant is the principal

John Mahony

Owner of the Ship
On the same day
This Declarn was made
Before me

And: Cotter Purser
Surrogate.

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Revenge

The Libel Roman as is Entd in Italic was
granted to Thomas Graham to set forth the
Revenge of Pga Sess relating to the Ship of
Cork mentioned in the said Libel Graham
petitioner Commr dated the 25th January 1701
and in the 21st year of his Majtys Reign

9th Jan. 1701

Appeared personally Edmund Johnson of Princes Street
Salisbury London Gent. on behalf of Capt. John
Flannery and made oath as followeth

That the Libel and other Comm. Papers annexed are the proper
Papers belonging to the said Ship and that the Certificate
Register granted and now to him shewn
Flannery
and produced by him is the Original Certificate made by the Officers
of his Majtys Customs at Port Patrick
as he hath been informed and believes
Flannery
That the Ship mentioned in the said Libel
called the Mary of Ayr mentioned in the Head
of the Libel

That the said Ship is employed in Trade and
that Prego consists of Provisions
that the said Ship is of the burthen of 85 Tons, that hee and John Flannery
part Comr of her Boat who carries 10 Carriage Guns
navigated by 6 Pounder & 6 Swivel guns 40 Men 20 small
arms 40 Cutlasses 10 Blunderbusses 20 Pounds of Powder that the said
200 Wt of Match that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has
Cables, Hawsers 3 Anchors 4 Cables and about 1000 Wt of other
Cordage that Capt. Thomas Brown Gunner John Sharp Mate or Navigator
William Bogart Capt. Alex. Dick Surgeon of the said Ship and that the
said Ship belongs to the Port of Perth
that she is now on a Voyage from the Port of Perth to Lisbon
and to return to Great Britain

sworn before William Marshall of Perth Merchant
in Presence of

Edmund Johnson

Cover Letter and Oath of the said Ship
of the same day
and subscribed
before me Wm. Cobbe Deputy

[illegible] the [illegible] was Gent.n in [illegible] was granted to John Ramsay to set forth the [illegible] of 85 tons [illegible] to the West & North whereof the said Jno. Ramsay goeth Com.r dated the 26th Jan.y 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Maj.ys Reign.

No 4

Appeared personally James Barnard of Bishopsgate Street London Gent.n on behalf of Capt.n William Doyle now at Sea

[illegible] Mart. from the R.t Hble the Lords Commiss.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Irel.d &c for granting a Commission to him the said William Doyle and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following declaration to wit that he the said William Doyle [illegible] the Lurcher British Built being Square Sterned having no Head and [illegible] that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions and Dry Goods

[illegible] ship is of the burthen of 70 Tons that the said Wm. Doyle [illegible] goeth Com.r thereof that she carries 10 carriage guns carrying four pounds sh.t & no swivel guns thirty Men thirty small arms 30 Cutlasses 20 Bls of Powder 50 rounds of great shot & abt. 100 wt. small shot. That the said Ship is victualled for [illegible] 6 Months has 2 Suits of sails 2 Anchors 3 Cables and abt. 4900 wt. of spare cordage that William Doyle goes Com.r Mate & Lieut William Wilson Gunner John Wells Boatswain John Johnson Carp.r David Cooke Cook & Jeffery [illegible] Surgeon of the said ship, that the said ship belongs to the Port of Liverpool [illegible] is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Liverpool to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain that Alexander Wotherspoon Thomas Wakefield and Tenadale Moult and Company of Liverpool Merchants are the Owners & Setters out of the s.d Ship

James Barnard

The same day
This Decl.n was made
Before me And. Coltee Ducarel
Surr.

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Lurcher

The Lurcher as is entitled Folio 1. was granted to Patrick M.c Donnough to Forth the Conqueror of the Cutthem of 120 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol and Where of the said Patrick M.c Donnough is Master Coman. dated the 26th Jan.y 1791 and in the 21st year of this Maj.s Reign.

Conqueror

Patrick M.c Donnough

The Lithe Carron as is entitled Folio 1. was granted to Patrick M.c Donnough to Forth the Conqueror of the Cutthem of 120 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol and Where of the said Patrick M.c Donnough is Master Coman. dated the 26th Jan.y 1791, and in the 21st year of this Maj.s Reign.

Jno Common Dep.t Aff.t and Bail Bin.r the Cinque Ports of Bails.

26 Jan.y 1791 — 23 — 24

Upwards personally came before Samuel Secretan of Shaftesbury Lovedon Brecknock on behalf of Elisha Roland master of the Ketch called the Lurcher of Jersey burthen about 60 tons navigated with six men and one boy and mounted with two guns and no more and made oath that the Vessel mentioned in the Register Ticket for the said Ketch granted at the Island of Jersey the 26th day of January instant unto Elisha Roland — whereof he is at present Master was duly registered in the Island of Jersey and that the said Elisha Roland — is the only person who hath any property therein and that the said Ketch was built at Jersey in the year 1791 and that the said Elisha Roland — is a subject of Great Britain born at Jersey and that he — is duly qualified to act as Master of the said Ketch according to the Act of Parliament in that case made and provided and that the said Ketch — is bona fide intended to be employed in Trade and for no other Purpose whatsoever and that the Burthen of the said Ketch — doth not exceed the Burthen mentioned in the Register Ticket thereof and that the said Ketch — is navigated with the Complement of men mentioned in the Articles of Agreement and no more and that the said Ketch — is provided with the Ammunition Guns and Small Arms by Law required and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Fishing contrary to the Act of Parliament in that case made and provided and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Carrying Passengers contrary to the Act of Parliament in that case made and provided and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Smuggling or Illicit Trade and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Privateering and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Piracy and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Plunder and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Depredation and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Hostility and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Annoyance and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Offence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Defence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Resistance and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Opposition and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Violence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Force and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Arms and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of War and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Hostility and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Annoyance and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Offence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Defence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Resistance and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Opposition and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Violence and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Force and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of Arms and that the said Ketch — is not provided navigated or victualled for the purpose of War

Sworn before me at Jersey the 26th day of January 1791 — Elisha Roland — Peter Le Breton Deputy Viscount

Peter Gruchy — Boatswain

Jn.o Elmes — Carp.r Robert Bayne — Cook

John Colbeck Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship is now in the Island of Alderney bound on a Voyage from the Island of Alderney to Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain

and that John Le Brocq and Lewis Brecknock are the Owners of the Island of Alderney Brecknock are the Owners & Attorneys of this Ship

Samuel Secretan

On the same day the above Declaration was made before me

And: Coke Ducarel Surrogate

N Blair

Surcher

the Chairman as is Entd Folio 1 was
granted to Wm Doyle to set forth the
Surcher of 70 Tons Burt. the port of
Bristol Master of the said Wm Doyle
gooth Coun: dated the 26th Jan: 1701
and in the 21st Year of this Majs Reign

Conqueror

Patrick Mc Donnough

The Like Licon as is entred Folio 1 was
granted to Patrick Mc Donnough to
set forth the Conqueror of the Burthen of
120 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol
and whereof the said Patrick Mc Donnough
gooth Coun: dated 26th Janry 1701, and in
the 21st year of this Majs Reign.

Mast

Noe Caution Decl. Affd and Bail in the
Sumds of Bails.

26 Jan 1701

Upsall personally Samuel Secretan of Walbrooke
London Merchant on behalf of Elisha Roland

came and declared that the Snow Commonly called the Hope of
Bristol Burthen 60 Tons or thereabouts for Gabriel to him the said Elisha
Roland — whereof is Master and his Majtys Subject and the following
Men to wit Peter De Vic Elisha Roland — — — — —
and the Affirm Ten Boats being Square Sterned
Square in Head — — — — — — — —
One Gun Carriage Ten Swivels Navigated in Trade and
for Cargo Bound to Lisbon — — — —
That the said Ship is Navigated with Men &c One that the said Elisha Roland
— — — gooth Comr. for that Voyage carries 6 Carrg Guns carryg
Shot 6 pounds & 4 Swivel Guns 30 Men 20 small Arms
20 Cutlasses 6 Pistols & Powder 30 Pounds of great Shot and Ammunition
Stores and that he is victualled for 3 Months last 2 months
Shot 3 months 3 Gallons at 5,00 Mo Algiers Voyage that
Saild Galliot — now last Mate and Peter De Vic
Gunner Peter Grand — Boatswain
Ten Men — Carpr Robert Payne — Cook
John Collins Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship is
bound to the Island of Alderney Lyeth —
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Island of Alderney to
Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain —

and that John Le Breton and Son of
the Island of Alderney Merchants are the
Owners & Freighters of the said Ship
On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me

Samuel Secretan

And: Cutler Ducarel
Surrogate

N Wishart

The like Commission was Entd in Public Office
granted to Elisha Rebow to sail with the Mary
of Cotterslidge to the Island of Alderney
whereof the said Elis Rebow doth Come
dated the 21st Jan.y 1781 and in the 21st
Year of his Majs. Reign.

1781

26th Jan.y 1781

Appeared personally Coln Bridges of New Court
Comd and Swan Lane London Merchant on behalf of
Capt.n Joseph Dwyer now at Sea
who produced a Warr.t from the Rt. Hble the Lords Commrs for executing the Office and Duty of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c. to grant Letters of Marque unto the said Joseph
Dwyer and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructs made the following
Oath that he the said Joseph Dwyer
doth intend with the Ship called the Bereford Letter Leary square Stern
and Head
for 1 Year that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
her cargo consists of Provisions
that the Tonnage of the said Ship Joseph Dwyer
is to Commander which is 10 Carriage Guns
and 6 Pounders 10 Swivel Guns 30 Men 30 small Arms
30 Cutlasses 10 Pistols 50 rounds of great Shot & alt 500 lbs of
Shot that the Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Anchors & Cables
3 Hawsers 3 Cables and alt 200 lbs of Sharp Lodge that Colin
Owner Bridges Master Wm Thompson
Mate John Robinson Boatswain John
Cook Capt Joseph Greedy Cook & Victualler
Dresser and Surgeon of the said Ship, and that the said Ship is
belonging to the Port of Waterford
and bound on a Voyage from the Port of Waterford
to the West Indies & so return to Great Britain
and that Peter Long of Waterford and Launcelot Cooper &
James Hosken of Bristol Merchants are
the principal
Owners Interested in the said Ship

Bridges

Sworn the same day
and Declaration made
Before me Jno. Collier Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Licence as aforesaid is also hereby granted
to Robert Draper to celebrate the Marriage between
Ann Bryant Spinster and Robert
Brewster Batchelor
Dated the 26th January 1761 and in the 34th
Year of his Majty's Reign.

26th January 1761

Appeared personally Thomas Britten of Redcliffe
Lane London Merchant on behalf of Capt.
Robert Delatour now at Sea
and made Oath that he the Said Thomas Britten is the Lawful Attorney
Agent Owner & Consignee of the Ship called the Westmoreland
whereof the said Robert Delatour is Master and that the
Ship now lies in the Port of Bristol and is bound
from thence to Lisbon and the Return of the said Robert Delatour
is Expected to be ECHO Agreeable to Bond

And this Deponent further Saith that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
has on board at the said Ship is employed in Trade and
has on board at the said Ship a Cargo consisting of Provisions
and that the said Ship is navigated at 20 Men and that the said
Robert Delatour doth Covenant that she carries 6 Carriage Guns
navigated by 4 Pounders and no Swivel Guns 230 Men 30
Seamen 90 Cattle 10 Sheep Under 50 Tons of Goods
and 500 Weight of Small Shot and that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months
and Provided with 3 Anchors 2 Cables & at 1000 Weight of Spare
Ancient 1 Cable — Guns Ammunition
and Small Arms Thomas Gibson
Master Robert Johnson Capt. Wm. Lyon
Mate & Robert Jones Surgeon of the Ship and that the
Ship is belong to the Port of Bristol
and is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Bristol to Lisbon
and to return to Great Britain
and that Edward Price and Lewis Ames of
Bristol Merchants are the principal

Owners & Interested in the said Ship

Thos Britten

On the same day
the Declaration was made
Before me Adm. Colthe Ducarel
Surrogate

Britten

Echo

I do hereby Command & Enjoin you that
you do not Suffer the said Echo to sail with the
Letters of Marque to the same granted
untill you shall receive my further Order
Given under my hand this 26th day of Sept.
1781

By Command of his Excellency
the Governor

26th Sept.r 1781

Appeared personally Capt.n John Bridges of Newport
in the County of London Merchant on behalf of
Capt.n Wm Hewitt now at Sea

who being duly sworn from the Holy Evangelists deposeth & saith that
he is well acquainted with the Ship called the Echo whereof
Wm Hewitt is Master and that the said Wm Hewitt
is a natural born Subject of his Majesty King George the Third
and that the said Wm Hewitt
is bona fide Lord Lieutenant being Square Rigged
no Head

and that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
her Cargo consists of Provisions

and that the said Wm Hewitt
is to take on board the said Ship 4 Guns (carriage
and 30 Men 30 small arms
10 Pistols 30 pounds of great shot and about 500
pounds of small shot, that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months past & Suits of
Sails 3 anchors 3 Cables & that the Owners of the said
Ship are John Jones — Jeremiah Quin John Leech —
— Skinner John Lee — Nicholas
John Johnson — Capt.n John Gregg
John Townsend Surgeon of the said Ship and that the
said Ship is belonging to the Port of Waterford
and is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Waterford to the
West Indies & to return to Great Britain

and that Peter Long and Samuel Newport of
Waterford Merchants are the Principal

Sworn & Subscribed in the Office
On the same day
this Declar.n was made
Before me Wm: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Bridges

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26th Jan.y 1701

Appeared personally Richard Adams of Lime Street London Merchant on the behalf of Capt.n James Burnett now at Sea

who made oath that the Ship called the Commissioner of which the said Capt.n Burnett is Master is a Ship of the Built of Great Britain & navigated for the most part with British Seamen & that the said James Burnett is the sole Owner thereof as this Deponent verily believes & that the said Ship is called the Elizabeth & Square Sterned, having no Head & is about 200 Tons & that the said Ship is employed in Trade and hath on board her Cargo consisting of Provisions

& that the Complement of Men which the said James Burnett is Mann'd & navigated with is 40 & that the said James Burnett — hath on board the said Ship 6 Carriage Guns 4 Square Brass Patteraroes 2 Chambers 10 Swivel Guns 40 Pikes 60 small Arms 30 Cutlasses 7 Barrels of Powder 30 rounds of great Shot & about 7000 lb Weight of small Shot & that the said Ship is victualled for 3 Months last past & hath 4 Anchors 2 Cables and about 1 1/2 of spare Cordage that the Capt.n Stamford goes Mate or Lieut Rich.d Baker Gunner Jas.s Hall Boatswain Rich.d Witten Carpr Wm Rea Cook Sam.l Pearson Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship belongs to the Port of Berwick upon Tweed that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Berwick to Bermudas and to Return to Great Britain & that Edw.d Maward, Alexander Robertson and Colin Proctor of Berwick upon Tweed Merchants are the Owners & Freighters of the said Ship

On the same day this Declaration was made Before me Rich.d Adams

And: Colvill Deputy Surrogate

Lord Carlisle

Whereas Letters of Marque and Reprisals were granted to Wm Hamilton Esqr Commander of the Ship Lord Carlisle of 35 Guns belonging to the Port of Waterford and owned by the said Wm Hamilton and others dated the 21st January 1701 and in the 26th Year of his Majs Reign

26th Jan.y 1701

Appeared personally Richard Adams of Lime Street London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n James Burnett now at Boston

and made oath that the Commission granted by the Queens Majesty to the said James Burnett for the Ship called the Elizabeth & Susanna of Berwick upon Tweed whereof the said James Burnett is Master burthen about 80 Tons mounted with 10 Guns and navigated with 40 Men and no more

and that the said Ship is employed in Trade and hath on board her a Cargo consisting of Provisions

and that the Number of Men intended to be carried in the said Ship is 40 and that the said James Burnett — the Commander of the said Ship carries 6 carriage Guns 4 Swivels 10 Hand Granadoes 40 Men 60 small Arms 20 Cutlasses 7 Pistols & Power 30 rounds of great Shot & about 4000 lb Powder and that he carries no Prisoners for 3 Months last past

and that the Names and Qualities of the Officers and Mariners intended to be carried in the said Ship as far as can be known at present are as follows

James Burnett Commander
Jas. Stamford Gunner
Jas. Wade Boatswain
Jas. Parker Carpr
Wm. Rew Cook
Wm. Allen
Jas. Fenwick
Tho.s Pearson Surgeon

of the said Ship & that the said Ship doth belong to the Port of Berwick upon Tweed and that no Bond is given on the Ship's going from the Port of Berwick to Bermudas and to return to Great Britain

and that John Maward, Alexander Robertson and Walter Proctor of Berwick upon Tweed Merchants are the Owners & Victuallers of the said Ship

Sworn at the same time before me

Rich.d Adams

And: Colt Deputy Register

Elizabeth

The like Comm as is Ent? in Sable was granted to James Barnett to sell for the Elizabeth of 40 Tons belg to the Port of Berwick in lieu of the said ? Barnett's Comm? dated the 26th Jany 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majs Reign

26th Jany 1781 — 28 29

Appeared personally John Herrington of Canterbury Square Southwark in the County of Surry Gentleman on behalf of Capt: William Ferguson now at Sea

and made Oath that he the said John Herrington is Owner of the Ship Elizabeth whereof the said William Ferguson is now Master and that the said Ship is duly registered and that the said William Ferguson is the only Master thereof and that he the said William Ferguson is a Subject of Great Britain born at Leith in North Britain and that he the said William Ferguson is a Single Man and has no Wife or Family living to the best of the Deponents Knowledge and Belief

~~And I do further say that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 107 Tons and that the said William Ferguson is duly qualified according to Law to take charge of the said Ship and navigate her as Master and that the said Ship is navigated with 10 Men including the Master and no more or Apprentices to the Number of 10 and that the said Ship is victualled for the Voyage hereinafter mentioned for Six Months and that the said Ship is mounted with 12 Carriage Guns and no more and that the said Ship is bound from the Port of Leith to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain~~

And I do further say that the said Ship is ~~of the Burthen Square Stemmed has no Head~~ employed in Trade and her Cargo consisting of Provisions that the said Ship is of the burthen of 107 Tons that the said William Ferguson is duly qualified according to Law to take charge of the said Ship and navigate her as Master and that the said Ship is navigated with 10 Men including the Master and no more or Apprentices to the Number of 10 and that the said Ship is victualled for Six Months and that the said Ship is mounted with 12 Carriage Guns and no more and that the said Ship is bound from the Port of Leith to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain

And that Alexander Johnson of the City of Perth Merchant is the Principal Owner of the said Ship

John Herrington

On the same day the Deponent was made before me D. Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

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Appeared personally) 26 Jan.y 1781

Wilson - Lawson, Gentleman and one of the Masters Attendants of this Port aforesaid personally known to me the Subscriber thereof who being duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that the Ship or Vessel called the Patrick Lawson

and belonging to this Port whereof Patrick Lawson is at present Master

Head

Is a 3 Mast Ship or Vessel employed in Trade and belonging to Messrs Roxwick of Darby Subscribers the East India Company and that the said Ship or Vessel called the Patrick Lawson built at Calcutta in the Year 1806 and navigated by 99 Men 90 Small Arms 60 Cutlasses 30 Pistols and 300 Tons or thereabouts that the said Ship or Vessel is victualled for 20 Months and 2 Suits of Sails and Anchors and Cables for the Voyage that the Names of the Persons who are Owners of the said Ship or Vessel are as follows (that is to say) John Wadley of Great Grey John Thompson Boatswain Wm. Wallis Carpr John Geary Cook and that the said Ship or Vessel belongs to the Port of London and that she is bound on a Voyage from London to the East Indies and China and to return to London

Richard Lowe Samuel Lach
Robert Williams and Thomas
Jest of London Burgesses one of the
Owners of the said Ship

John Watts

Sworn at the Same day
and Subscribed made
before me

And. Colvile Deputy
Surrr

Seal

Locke

Pro. L. Comm. to Pat. to Thos Edie
granted to Patrick Lawson & others for
the Locke of 1100 Tons Burth. the first of
London whereof the said Pat. Lawson is
Comr. dated the 26th Jany 17[illegible] in the
21st Year of his Majs Reign &c.

27th Jan.y 1781

Appeared personally James Shoreburgh of Princes Lane
London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n Thomas Edie
now at Sea

who made oath that from the best Info.n he the Deponent can
obtain & verily believe he the said Thos Edie
is a Subject of Great Britain born in the Town of Leith
and in pursuance of his Majs Instructions made to persons desiring
to take out Letters of Marque or Commission of Reprisal
against the Ships Goods & Effects of the Subjects of the United
Provinces of the Netherlands

Deponent further saith that the said Thos Edie
hath applied to the Deponent to procure for him a Commission
of Marque & Reprisal against the Ships Goods & Effects of the
Subjects of the United Provinces of the Netherlands
for the Ship Liberty Thos Edie Master
burthen about 150 Tons mounted with 14 Carriage Guns
and navigated with 40 Men and small Arms
that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Provisions

And Deponent further saith that the said Thomas Edie
is the Owner of the said Ship & that the Ship is
navigated with 8 Pounders 12 Swivel guns 40 Men Small arms
& Cutlasses 10 Rounds of Powder & Shot & that the Ship
is victualled for 6 Months last past & that
the Ship is provided with 3 Anchors & Cables & that Deponent says that
Adam Jones is the Master
Samuel Gunner
Gabriel Mate
Patrick Boatswain
Alexr Jackson Gunner
John Smith Surgeon of the said Ship & that they are
Subjects of the King of Great Britain
and to be born in Great Britain
And that Mr Charles Hardie and Mr Jas Leith Merchts
are the Sureties for

James Roxburgh

Sworn & Subscribed at the Office
in the Prize Day
Mr Lucas's Clerk was made
Before me Wm. Collier Deputy
Surrogate

Goodenough

Shewbridgeman was Plt. in Letter of Mart granted to Thomas Edie ~~Gooth~~ to sail for the Liberty of 150 Tons Burthen to the port of Leith or Newcastle and said Shew Edie Gooth Comr. stated the 27th Jany 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majs. Reign.

1 Writ

Sheriffmuir

The like Caution as in entred folio 1. was granted to Leonard Webb to sail with the Chance of this burthen of 80 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol and whereof the said Leonard Webb Gooth Comr. Dated 27th Jany 1781. and in the 21st year of his Majs. Reign.

Leonard Webb

Cooper

See Caution Book. Appd. and Bail in the Bundle of Bails

Appeared personally James Roxburgh of Sheriffmuir Esqr. Sworn and Sayth, on behalf of Capt. Peter Paton now

at Leith from the 21st Regt. of Foot commanded by Major General Skene that the Ship Peter Paton

belonging to the said Peter Paton

is bona fide the property of the said Peter Paton

Charlotte Hoop Burthen Plain Head

and that the said Ship is employed in Trade and

her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods

navigated by 12 Men Burthen 180 Tons that the said Peter

Paton hath given Bond in the Office of Customs in Leith in the penalty of £ 1200 with two sufficient

Securities in the sum of £ 600 each conditioned that the said Ship shall not carry

any Men or Goods prohibited by Law to be exported from Great Britain

Walter Hurst Master Wm. Wilkinson Boatswain Walter Hurst

Gunner Wm. Gibson Carpenter and Alexr. Gibson

Cooper the Complement of Men and Boys belonging to the said Ship

Sheriffmuir

Leith

and that the said Ship is bound from the Port of Leith to Lisbon and to

Cetua & Great Britain

and that Peter Paton and Peter Paton

Merchants are the Owners of the said Ship

James Roxburgh

Sworn & Declared before me this 27th day of January 1781

And. Coltee Ducarel

Surrogate

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By Ben Hyde

Appeared personally ( ) [illegible] Gooch Esqr Collector
[illegible] Esquire and Captain Timothy Dwight
[illegible] Master and Commander of the Ship [illegible]
[illegible] and made oath that the Contents of the above
[illegible] are true to the best of his knowledge
[illegible] and belief

Sworn before me this [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Port of Boston

[illegible] Cask

[illegible] Surgeon of the said Ship or that the said Ship
[illegible] hath not to the best of his knowledge
[illegible] Contagious Distemper
[illegible] Great Britain

[illegible] Port of Boston

[illegible] Collector of the Ship

In the same day
this Declar[ation] was made
Before me

Jno Gooch

Jno Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

(Boston Port)

Be it known that there is granted to Peter Paton to set sail the
Charlotte of 130 Tons Burthen the Master
of Said Vessel the said Peter Paton
aged Twenty Two years dated the 27th Jany 1761
in the first year of his Majs Reign

the Like Comon assistant in Said Ship
proceed to Lunenburg Nova Scotia to set her
the Broadwright of 80 Tons Burthen
part of Yarmouth as the property of the
Peter Hayman Master Commanded the
Broadwright 7th Jany 1791 and in the 31st Year
of his Majts Reign

27th Jan 1791

Appeared personally John Wilson of Liverpool Esquire
Mayor of the Town Corporate of Liverpool on behalf of Capt Peter Hayman
and did
Solemnly Sincerely and Truly Declare and Affirm that the Passport
or Protection to which this Deponent is subscribed Witness was
granted to Peter Hayman
Master of the Ship or Vessel called the Broadwright
mentioned in the said Passport and that the said Peter Hayman
is a Subject of His Majesty King George
and that the said Peter Hayman
is really the true and Bona fide Master of the said Ship or Vessel called the
Broadwright
and that the said Ship is Navigated and Victualled for the Voyage
mentioned in the said Passport and that the said Ship is bona fide
and Truly belonging to the Port
of Liverpool
and that the Ship of Liverpool to Lisbon and to return
to Great Britain
and that Edgar Corrie, Jno. Leyland, Saml. Halliday, Phil.
Barker, Jno. Parke, Benjn. Arthur Heywood, Benjn.
Heywood & Nathl. Heywood Merchants of
Liverpool are the
Owners of the said Ship
And that the said Ship is
Navigated with
Twenty Seven Men
and Boys
and Carries
Six Guns
Twelve Pounders
Twelve Pattereroes
Twenty Four Muskets
Twenty Four Cutlasses
Twelve Blunderbusses
Twenty Four Pistols
Twenty Four Boarding Pikes
Twenty Four Hangers
Twenty Four Cartridge Boxes
Twenty Four Powder Horns
Twenty Four Bayonets
Twenty Four Shot Bags
Twenty Four Shot Belts
Twenty Four Gun Slings
Twenty Four Gun Locks
Twenty Four Gun Barrels
Twenty Four Gun Stocks
Twenty Four Gun Triggers
Twenty Four Gun Springs
Twenty Four Gun Screws
Twenty Four Gun Nuts
Twenty Four Gun Washers
Twenty Four Gun Pins
Twenty Four Gun Rivets
Twenty Four Gun Bolts
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Twenty Four Gun Washers
Twenty Four Gun Pins
Twenty Four Gun Rivets
Twenty Four Gun Bolts
Twenty Four Gun Keys

John Wilson

In the same day
this Declarn was made
Before me Jno: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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29th January 1731.

Appeared personally William Reynolds Swan
of St Johns Wapping Mariner
and made oath that the Ship called the Anna Maria Square Stern
Square Head and
that she is employed in the trade to and from
as consists of various kind of Merchandize
and Manufactures
that she is of the burthen of 300 Tons that the said Wm Reynolds
Swan is Commander that she carries 12 Carriage guns
navigated with 60 Men 20 small arms
that she is victualled for 6 months that she sailed
with 10 Barrels of Powder 30 rounds of great shot and 200 lb of
small shot that her last Port she cleared from was London
that she is bound to Jamaica that the Ship's Company consists of
Charles Archer and about 10 others of whom Cordy Jones
Gunner David Lee Boatswain John
Jones Carpenter David Williams Cook & Isaac
Sachs Cooper and that the said Ship is navigated
according to the Act of Parliament
that in case of Separation in the Voyage from the Port of London to
Jamaica and Abbotstown to Great Britain
they shall meet Edward Reynolds George Gibbons
and Benjamin Jones of London Merchants
at the Rendezvous
Wm Reynolds Swan

Sworn in Court & Signed by the said Deponent
on the same day
& the Oath was made
Before me Edw: Colbe Deputy
Surrogate

The Ship [illegible] was [illegible] [illegible]
granted to [illegible] [illegible] the
Anna Maria of 300 tons [illegible] to the [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] the [illegible]
Anna Maria [illegible] the 24th Janry 1781 and in
the 21st year of his Majesty's Reign

Received one hundred and sixty ~~two~~ one
pounds in full for commissions
for January 1781 by me
Geo Harris
£ 16~~2~~1. DC. 14 March 1781

Recd same time Two Hundred &
eight pounds ten shillings for
139 Letters of Marque [illegible]
[illegible]
J. Crickitt

1 Feby 1781

Appeared personally Charles Gregorie of the
Inner Temple London Mariner
and prayed a Warrant from the Rt. Hble the Lords Commissrs for executing the office of Lord
High Admiral of Great Britain & Irel. &c for granting a Commission to him the said Charles
Gregorie and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following
Declaration that the Ship the said Charles Gregorie
goes in called the Fortitude
Square Stern figure head
3 Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade
and her Cargo consists of Bale Goods
that the said Ship is of the burthen of 761 tons that the said Chas.
Gregorie goes Comr of her, that she carries 22 carriage guns carrying 9
and 4 pounds shot & no Swivel guns, 100 Men 100 small Arms
100 Cutlasses 57 Brls of Powder 90 rounds of great shot and abt 700
Wt of small shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 12 Months has 2
suits of sails 5 Anchors 5 Cables & abt 9000 Wt of spare Cordage that
Wm Milne goes Mate or Lieut John Collins
Gunner Wm Smith Boatswain
Henry Archer Carpr Thos Hollis Cook & John
Harris Surgeon of the said Ship, and that the sd Ship is belonging
to the Port of London
and is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to
Madras and China & to Return to Great Britain
and that Jeffery Jackson of Lime Street
London Merchant is principal
Owner & Setter out of the said Ship
Chas Gregorie
On the same day
This Declaration was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

1st Feb.y 1760

[illegible] personally [illegible] John Fiott of Colledge Hill London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n Edward Le Couteur now [illegible] and [illegible] from the 1st Inst.t the said Edward Le Couteur may [illegible] Edward Le Couteur [illegible] pursuance of his Majs Proclamation [illegible] [illegible] Edward Le Couteur's [illegible] for prize being [illegible] [illegible] no Goods [illegible] that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of provisions

Know all Men by these Presents that We Edward Le Couteur [illegible] Ship of the Burthen of 80 Tons that the said Edward Le Couteur — [illegible] Master, [illegible] 6 Carriage Guns [illegible] 3 pounders 6 Swivel Guns 30 Men 30 small Arms 30 Cutlasses 30 [illegible] under 30 rounds of Great Shot & abt 500 Musquet Ball that the said Ship is valued at 6 Months last Past 3 Anchors 3 Cables one abt 300 Ton Burthen [illegible] Edwd De Caen — for Mich.s Lent John [illegible] Malzard [illegible] John Bellevoir — Matthews Philip Le Quet Esqr Philip Hipson — both of John Le Maitre Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is belonging to the Island of Jersey bound on a Voyage from the Island of Jersey to Madeira and to Exeter in Great Britain and that Nicholas Fiott Esq.r Edwd Remon & John Dillemenfue of the Island of Jersey and Philip De Gruchy of and John Fiott of College Hill London Merchants are the Owners of the said Ship

And the same day the Declar.n was made

Before me Ad: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

John Fiott

Albion
Edwd Matthews Esqr
Master
Bristol

The like Comon as in entred Licit. was granted to Edward Matthews to sail with the Albion of the burthen of 200 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol, and whereof the said Edward Matthews is Master Comm.dator 1st Feby 1761. and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Per Comon Lecti.s Off.s and Delivd in the Bundle of Bailes

Feb. 1781

Appeared personally James Wade of Windmill street
Tottenham Court Road Mariner

who being duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists deposeth & saith
that he is Lieut by Patent for granted & Commission to him the said James
Wade and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following
Demands to which he gave the said James Wade
Superscribed the Sidney being Square Sterned having
no Head

That the said Ship is employed in Trade and
her Cargo consists of Provisions
That the said Ship is of 150 Tons or thereabouts James
Wade Commander she hath Mounted 4 Carriage Guns
viz 2 Pounders & 6 Swivel guns 30 Men 24 small
Arms 24 Cutlaces 3 Pistols 30 rounds of great shot 24
30 lb small shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months
2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables and 300 lb of spare
Cordage Andrew Smith 1st Mate 2nd Lieut James
Flett Gunner John Proctor Carpenter
Alex Allen Esqr John Thomas Cooper
Richinson Surgeon of the said Ship & that he and the
Ship belong to the Port of London
That it is intended to go from the Port of London to Marseilles
and to return to Great Britain
That Benjamin Sidney, Samuel Moffat, Samuel
Peach Esqr Philip De Gruchy and John Fiott
of London Merchants are the
Owners & Setters out of the said Ship

Jas Wade

On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me
A.D. Colbe Deputy
Surrogate

Kidney

The like Commission was Extended [illegible] granted to James Wade to set forth the Kidney of 60 tons bur. & the Port of London [illegible] the said James Wade [illegible] Com: dated the 7th Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs. Reign

8 Feb 1781

Appeared personally John Langdon of [illegible] Lane London Merchant on behalf of Thomas Harrison [illegible] [illegible] the said Thos. Harrison

[illegible] Admiral Rodney Square Stern [illegible] that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods that the ship is of the Burthen of 160 tons that the said Thomas Harrison [illegible] that she carries 14 Carriage Guns [illegible] 6 Swivel Guns 50 Men 50 small arms 120 Cutlasses 500 [illegible] Powder 500 [illegible] shot 500 [illegible] that the ship is victualled for 6 months [illegible] 2 anchors 2 cables [illegible] 1600 [illegible] John [illegible] gunner John [illegible] Boatswain [illegible] Cook [illegible] Surgeon of the said ship & that the said ship belongs to the Port of London [illegible] bound to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain

and that John Adkins Thos. Bullock Richard Johnson Robert Russell John Lawrey and John Smith [illegible] Owners [illegible] of the said ship

On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me

John Langdon

Andw Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comon as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to Thos Harrison to set forth the Admiral Rodney of 160 Tons [illegible] the Port of Lancaster whereof the said Thos Harrison is [illegible] Comm.n dated the 2d Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs. Reign.

Admiral Rodney

The like Comon as is entred folio 1 was granted to James Collinson to set forth the Alfred of the burthen of 150 Tons belonging to the port of Liverpool, and whereof the said James Collinson goeth Com.r dated 2d Febry. 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs. reign.

See Comon Decl.n Aff.t and Bail in the bundle of Bails

Alfred

J. Collinson

[illegible]

Appeared personally William Mackay of [illegible] in County of Middlesex [illegible] and [illegible] from [illegible] the Lords Commiss.rs [illegible] [illegible] Carey and in pursuance of [illegible] made the following [illegible] that [illegible] the [illegible] Carey [illegible] the [illegible] Henry Richard

[illegible] that the said ship is employed in Trade and [illegible] of [illegible] of the burthen of 80 Tons [illegible] Carey — without [illegible] 8 [illegible] 3 pounders 6 Swivel guns 30 Men 20 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 10 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 300 [illegible] 6 Months [illegible] 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables 200 [illegible] [illegible] Thos Spears gunner Wm King [illegible] Thos King Carpr Henry John [illegible] Thos Voss [illegible] belong.g to the Port of London — That she is bound on a Voyage from London to the West Indies and to Return to Great Britain and that [illegible] Declarer William Mackay and Charles O Harris of Smithfield Merch.ts [illegible] Owner & Merch.t of the said Ship

Willm Mackay

On the same day
This Declaration was made
Before me And. Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm^on was Ent^d in Sticks Office
granted to Wm Cargey to set forth the Done
of Mexico &c to the Port of London
where of the said William Cargey doth
Comm: dated the 5th: Feby 1761 and in the Deve
21st year of his Majs Reign.

5th February 1761 40 41

Appeared personally Roman Catholic Subjects of his
County of Woodbridge Merchant and Captain
Robert Chalmers and made oath
pursuant to the Act from the Rt Hble the Lords Commrs for executing the Office of High
Lord High Admiral &c to grant a Licence to him the said Robert
Chalmers and in pursuance of the Majesty Instructions made the following
Declaration that he the said Robert Chalmers
is the sole true and lawful Owner of the Ship called the Mary
and that no Subject or Subjects of his Majesty is or are
directly or indirectly Owner of the said Ship or Vessel
nor has any Mortgage or Interest therein
that the said Ship is Navigated with 150 Tons Burthen
Chalmers — Commander for the Intended Voyage
carrying about 10 Guns Navigated with 50 Men
Small Guns 50 Cutlass 30 Brl of Powder 50 pounds of Great Shot 4
cwt of Small Shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months
and 2 Anchors 3 Anchors 3 Cables and about 500 Weight of
Stores that William Ewer is Master Mate and Lieut Archers
Wells — Gunner Richard Evans Boatswain
William Watts Carpr Simon Neale Cook
William Jones Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship is
belonging to the Port of London
and that John Berkley Charles Edwards &
Andrew Lindegreen of London Merchants
Mortgagees
Owners of the said Ship

Alman Hill

On the same day
this Declaration was made
before me

Jno: Collier Deputy
Surrogate

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The Libe Comm was Entd in Said Inst.
granted to Rt Chalmers set forth the
Masts &c 150 Sons belg to the Navy of Eng.
whereof the said Rt Chalmers doth Com.
Masts dated the 2d Feb. 1761 and in the 21st
Year of his Majs Reign.

Feby 6 1761 — 41 — 42

Appeared personally Charles Hicks of Cuthall
Court London Gentleman on behalf of
Capt Peter Magennis late Commr of the Ship
Chatham now Commr of the Ship Experiment
and made Oath that he was present & did see the
Deed Poll or Instrument of Writing to which
this Affidavit is annexed duly executed by
the said Capt Peter Magennis and that the
Name Peter Magennis thereto subscribed is
of the proper Handwriting of the said Peter
Magennis and that the Name John Harvey
thereto subscribed is of the proper Handwriting
of the said John Harvey

Sworn at Somerset House in the
County of Middx before me

Charles Hicks

Sworn Clerk

Mark that this Ship is employed in the
Coal Trade between Whitehaven
and Dublin and that John
Harvey part Comr of the Latine carries 8 Carriage Guns
and 3 Swivels 3 Pounders 8 Swivel Guns 30 Men 30
small Arms 30 Cutlaces 20 Pistols 30 round & grape Shot
abt 300 lbs of small Shot, that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months
and 2 Anchors 3 Cables & abt 500 lbs of
Junk Cordage that Peter Comr
David Lee junior Workman Hicks
Scattergood Wm Cooke Capt Peter
Master Cook & Mogridge Trade Burthen of the
said Ship and that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of Whitehaven
Master is bound on a Voyage from
the Port of Whitehaven to Dundalk and to
Ireland to Great Britain
and that
Edward Fletcher of Whitehaven in the
County of Cumberland Shipwright are the
Owner & Setter out of the said Ship
On the same day
This Declarn was made
Before me

Charles Hicks

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Libel Common acts Entd in Behalf was
granted to Jno. Storey to set forth the Injus
of Costs belg. to the Ward of Whitehaven
whereof the said John Storey goeth Com.
Lynx dated the 6th Feby. 1781 and in the 21st
Year of his Majesties Reign

February 6th 1781

Personally came before me Charles Edwards of
Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland Mercht
Master of the Brigt called the George
of Whitehaven of the burthen of about 150 Tons
or thereabouts now riding at Anchor in the
Harbour of Whitehaven aforesaid and
duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelists made the following
Oath and Declaration that the said George
is bona fide the property of His Majesty's Subjects
Residing within this Kingdom of Great Britain
and that no Alien or Person or Persons whatsoever
Resiant or Residing in Parts beyond the Seas
hath or have any Share Part or Interest
therein directly or indirectly

Sworn before me the day and year above written

Jno. Edwards

Charles Edwards

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The Oath of Com[mander] and Exam[ine]r in the Admir[alty] Court to be taken by the Master of a Ship or Vessel to be set forth by the Royal Proclamation of 1708 and the Act of Parliament made in the 6th year of her Majt[ies] Reign

Master

Entered the 6th Feb. 1707 and in the Eighth year of her Majt[ies] Reign

7th Feb. 1708

Appeared personally John Parker of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster Mar[iner] on behalf of Capt[ain] Robert Grimshaw now at Sea and made Oath that the Letters of Marque for Seizing & Taking Ships belonging to the Queens Enemies & her Subjects Robert Grimshaw Commander of her Majesty's Ship called the Sturdy Beggar & that the Sturdy Beggar is a square Stern'd square head and flush Deck'd Ship & that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 160 Tons that the said Robert Grimshaw doth intend to carry 16 Carriage Guns & 6 Patteraroes and 150 Small Guns 50 Men 40 Pounds of Bullets 40 Barrs or Bo — Pounds of Musket Bullets & that the said Ship is victualled for 6 — Months & that she hath on board her 3 Anchors 3 Cables and about 500 fm of Rope & that Chas Floyd — is Master John Ray Gunner Wm Hodgson — Boatswain Henry Williamson — Carpenter & John Carter — Surgeon of the said Ship & that the rest of the Company consist of — Men Boys & Passengers as by a List thereof signed by the Master doth appear & that the said Ship is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to the West Indies & from thence to Great Britain

John Parker

Sworn before me in the County of Lancaster Vice Admiralty Court

Owner & Settlement of the said Ship

John Parker

On the same day
This Declar[atio]n was made
before me

W. Colbeck Ducarel
Surrogate

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Murdy
Boyger

Whereas Conway Highington & al: in a Letter of Marque
granted to Rob.t Grimshaw to set forth the Murdy
Boyger of 100 Tons Cabb.e the Master of Liverpool
as per the said Rob.t Grimshaw granted
dated the 9th October 1781 and in the 21st year
of his Majs Reign.

Whereas
Conway Highington

Bristol Merchant

The like Letter is entred folio. & also
granted to Conway Highington to
set forth the Entorprize of the burthen
of 270 Tons, belonging to the port of
Bristol, and whereof the said Conway
Highington is Com.r Dated 9th Febry
1781. and in the 21st year of this Majs
Reign.

Sceleman Dep.r Aff.t and Bailiff
the Bundles of Waifs.

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8th February 1781 44

Appeared personally
Robert Furnace of Great
Eastcheap London Merchant on behalf of Mr
William Nicoll now at
Plymouth who declared that he the said Robert
is well informed & believes that the Ship Dove Hall
of Plymouth & her Company is gone to the Island of
Nicoll and in pursuance of the Act of Parliament made in the 26th
year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the 3d
intitled An Act for granting Letters of Marque &c
against France &c he the said Robert doth hereby
declare that the said William Nicoll
is a Subject of this Realm Inhabitant of the Parish of
Devonshire Place in the County of Middlesex
and that the said William Nicoll
hath not directly or indirectly by himself or any other
person or persons to his use or in trust for him
Granted or Assigned any Letters of Marque or Commission
for any Ship or Vessel whatsoever nor hath he
Entered into any Bond or Bonds in pursuance of the
Act aforesaid nor hath he received any Letters of
Marque or Commission for any Ship or Vessel
whatsoever other than the Letters of Marque
granted to the said William Nicoll
Commander of the Ship Dove Hall
of Plymouth for the Ship Dove Hall
and that he the said Robert doth not know
or believe that the said William Nicoll
hath granted any Letters of Marque or Commission
for any Ship or Vessel whatsoever other than
the Ship Dove Hall of Plymouth
aforesaid

Sworn before me
Thomas Parlby Mayor of Plymouth

Robt Furnace

Merchant in the Parish of
Great Eastcheap London
Com.r and Letter out of the said Ship

On the same day
This Declar.n was made
before me
and: Colter Ducarel
Surrogate

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Appeared personally 8 Feby 1781

Phill London Merchant on behalf of Captain
alex^r Tait now at sea

Dunstan

Lecce

Know all Men by these Presents that I John Turner of Garlick Hill London Merchant on behalf of Captain alex^r Tait now at sea do hereby Constitute and appoint the said Captain alex^r Tait — and in Case of his death or absence from the Ship the Lieut. Commg for the time being of the Brig or Vessel for merly Called the Thistle but now called the Britannia or Commander for the time being of the said Brig or Vessel to be my Lawful Attorney or Attorneys for me and in my name to demand sue for recover and receive of and from all and every Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate whatsoever all such Sum and Sums of Money Goods Wares Merchandizes Debts Dues Effects and Demands whatsoever as now are or hereafter shall become due owing or belonging to me for or by reason or on account of the Ship or Vessel formerly called the Thistle being Captain alex^r Tait — and Master and now called the Britannia being Captain alex^r Tait — and Master and to Use and take all lawful ways and means for the Recovery thereof by Arrest Imprisonment or otherwise and upon Payment or Satisfaction thereof to make and give sufficient Receipts Releases or other Discharges for the same and Generally to do and perform all and every other Act Matter and Thing whatsoever in the premises as fully and amply to all Intents and Purposes as I could do if personally present Ratifying and Confirming all and whatsoever my said Attorney or Attorneys shall lawfully do or Cause to be done in the premises by Virtue of these Presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Eighth day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Eighty one

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of us

Wm Wallis
Jno Wright

John Turner

Personally appeared before me the Subscribers John Turner Merchant in London and made Oath that he saw the above named John Turner Sign Seal and as his Act and Deed Deliver the above Letter of Attorney for the Uses and Purposes therein Mentioned and that the Name John Turner thereto Subscribed is of the Proper Handwriting of the said John Turner and that the Name Wm Wallis thereto Subscribed is of the Proper Handwriting of him this Deponent

Sworn before me at Doctors Commons London this 8th day of February 1781

Wm Wallis

Jno Wright

Before me
And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Know all Men by these Presents that I John Turner of Garlick Hill London Merchant on behalf of Captain alex^r Tait now at sea Do hereby Constitute and appoint the said Captain alex^r Tait — and in Case of his death or absence from the Ship the Lieut. Commg for the time being of the Brig or Vessel formerly called the Thistle but now called the Britannia or Commander for the time being of the said Brig or Vessel to be my Lawful Attorney or Attorneys for me and in my name to demand sue for recover and receive of and from all and every Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate whatsoever all such Sum and Sums of Money Goods Wares Merchandizes Debts Dues Effects and Demands whatsoever as now are or hereafter shall become due owing or belonging to me for or by reason or on account of the Ship or Vessel formerly called the Thistle being Captain alex^r Tait — and Master and now called the Britannia being Captain alex^r Tait — and Master and to Use and take all lawful ways and means for the Recovery thereof by Arrest Imprisonment or otherwise and upon Payment or Satisfaction thereof to make and give sufficient Receipts Releases or other Discharges for the same and Generally to do and perform all and every other Act Matter and Thing whatsoever in the premises as fully and amply to all Intents and Purposes as I could do if personally present Ratifying and Confirming all and whatsoever my said Attorney or Attorneys shall lawfully do or Cause to be done in the premises by Virtue of these Presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Eighth day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Eighty one

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of us

Wm Wallis
Jno Wright

John Turner

Personally appeared before me the Subscribers John Turner Merchant in London and made Oath that he saw the above named John Turner Sign Seal and as his Act and Deed Deliver the above Letter of Attorney for the Uses and Purposes therein Mentioned and that the Name John Turner thereto Subscribed is of the Proper Handwriting of the said John Turner and that the Name Wm Wallis thereto Subscribed is of the Proper Handwriting of him this Deponent

Sworn before me at Doctors Commons London this 8th day of February 1781

Wm Wallis

Jno Wright

Before me
And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Know all Men by these Presents that I William Wallis of Plymouth in the County of Devon Mariner am held and firmly bound unto the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty of Great Britain for the time being in the Sum of Five hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain to be paid to the said Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty for the time being or to their Certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns for which Payment well and truly to be made I bind myself my Heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these Presents Sealed with my Seal Dated the 8th day of February in the 21st Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth and in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Eighty one

The Condition of this Obligation is such That if the above bounden William Wallis his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns do and shall well and truly Content and Pay unto the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty for the time being or to their Certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns the Sum of Two hundred and Fifty Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain at the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid within Three Calendar Months next after the Day of the Date hereof without Fraud Covin or Delay Then this Obligation to be void and of none Effect or else to remain in full Force and Virtue

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of us

Wm Wallis

Jno Wright

The Like Common Seal is entered folio 1. was granted to William Wallis to ascertain the Britannia of the burthen of 95 Tons belonging to the port of Ilfracombe and whereof the said William Wallis goeth Com^r dated 8th Feby 1781. and in the 21st year of his Maj^s Reign

See Certificate Book Office and Mail in the Hands of Mailes

Britannia
Ilfracombe

Wright

Shiells

The Libel Lemon was by Decree made pro-
per to Alexander Neil to which the
Shiells of Lee stow refer to the Libel of
Dunbar whereof the said Alex.r Neil
stands Indicted dated the 8.th Sept.r 1761 Lindsay
the 21.st year of this Majesties Reign.

10th Feb.y 1761 46 47

Appeared personally James Bernard of Basinghall street
Esqr and on behalf of Capt.n William Armstrong
Master and Part Owner of the Ship Lancaster
now lying in the River Thames Commander Produced his Letters
of Mandate from the Right Hon.ble the Lords Commissioners of his Majesties Treasury
for granting a License to the said Wm Armstrong
to proceed to and in pursuance of the Directions therein made he the said
James Bernard on behalf of the said William Armstrong Master
and Part Owner of the said Ship Lancaster
Burthen about Three hundred Tons or thereabouts
now lying in the River Thames and bound to
Barrington in Africa and Places adjacent
with Liberty to touch and trade at any Ports or Places in Africa
in her Voyage outward bound homeward bound and Intermediate
two Decks and no more navigated with
her Cargo consists of Provisions
and other Goods and Merchandizes Value about 100 Sterling
and that the said Wm Armstrong
Master now hath on board the said Ship 10 Seamen
and Navigators including himself 4 Gunners Mates or Quarter Masters
and Carpenter 20 Gallants 10 Boys or Servants 30 Men 40 Small
Boys 4 Surgeons Mates or Surgeons 500 Men
Slaves 10 Boys or Women 30 Children great and small
Slaves which the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has
on board 3 Guns 3 Pounders and 1000 Pounds of Gunpowder
and no more Arms or Ammunition and that the Names
and Places of Abode of the Owners of the said Ship
are as follows viz.t John Shore
Thos Lloyd of Lancaster Merchant
Jno Strong of Lancaster Merchant
Jno Thomson of Lancaster Merchant
and that the Property
of the said Ship doth wholly belong to Subjects
of his Majesty residing in the Port of Lancaster
and that no Alien or Subject of any Foreign Prince or State
is Owner Proprietor or Part Owner of the said Ship
to the best of the Knowledge and Belief of the said
James Bernard and that the said Ship
is bona fide bound to the West Indies & to return to Great Britain
and that the Names of the Owners of the Cargo
are Messrs Wood Simpson and Mayhall
of Lancaster Merchants and the Principal
Owners Part Owners of the said Ship
So help him God
That Declaration was made
before me

James Bernard

And: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Barrington

Be it Remembered That on this Twenty seventh
day of November in the Year of our Lord One
Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty one
personally appeared before me Andrew Colter Pascal
Surrogate of the City and County of New York
John Carey of Aldermanbury London Merchant
and Master of the Ship called the Captain William
Scott now lying in the Port of New York and
duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty
God deposeth and saith that he the said John
Carey is Master of the said Ship called the
Captain William Scott and that the said Ship
is Navigated according to the Directions of
an Act of Parliament made in the Twenty
seventh Year of the Reign of His present
Majesty King George the Third entitled
An Act for the Encouragement of British
Shipping and for the Increase of Seamen
and for the better Regulating Seamen in
His Majesty's Service and that the said
Ship is duly qualified according to the
Directions of the said Act and that
the said Ship is bona fide the Property
of His Majesty's Subjects and that
no Alien or Person not duly qualified
according to the Directions of the said
Act hath any Share Interest or Property
in the said Ship and that the said
Ship is now bound from the Port of
New York to the Island of Guernsey
and that the Intended Voyage of the
said Ship is from the Island of Guernsey
to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain
And the said John Carey for himself and Brothers of Guernsey
his Partners and Owners of the said Ship
in this behalf doth hereby promise and
Covenant that the said Ship shall
not during the Voyage aforesaid
carry any Goods or Merchandizes
whatsoever from any Port or Place
to any Port or Place other than
and except such Goods and Merchandizes
as are the Growth Produce or Manufacture
of the Island of Guernsey aforesaid
and that the said Ship shall not
during the Voyage aforesaid touch
at any Port or Place whatsoever
except in case of Stress of Weather
or other unavoidable Accident
and that the said John Carey
and his Partners and Owners
of the said Ship shall and will
produce to the Collector and Naval
Officer of the Customs for the
Port of New York within
Twelve Months from the Date
hereof a Certificate under the
Hand and Seal of the Governor
or Lieutenant Governor of the
Island of Guernsey aforesaid
that the said Ship hath
arrived at the Island of Guernsey
aforesaid and that the Duties
of Tonnage and Poundage
Outwards have been duly
paid and satisfied at the
Custom House of the said
Island of Guernsey and
that the said Certificate
shall be produced to the
Collector and Naval Officer
of the Customs for the
Port of New York aforesaid
within the Time aforesaid
by the Master or Commander
of the said Ship for the
Time being or by the
Owners or Part Owners
of the said Ship or by
some or one of them
or by their Agent or
Agents Factor or Factors
or Attorney or Attorneys
for the Time being
Provided always that
if the said Ship shall
be lost or taken by the
Enemy in the Voyage
aforesaid and that
the Master or Mariners
of the said Ship shall
make Oath of the
Truth thereof before
the Collector and Naval
Officer of the Customs
for the Port of New
York aforesaid or
any other Person
duly authorized to
administer an Oath
for that purpose
within the Time
aforesaid then
and in such Case
the Bond shall
be void and of
none Effect
otherwise to
remain in full
Force and Virtue
Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of
Wm. Haigue
Brothers of Guernsey
Principals
John Carey
Sworn Owners
Bond of the said Ship
On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me
And. Colter Pascal
Surrogate

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the Letter Comm.n as in Entry in Solicitors
granted Will.m Stoell to act for the Attorney
of Jo.s Lee & Co.s the Owners of Queen
where of these Will.m Stoell is Master & states
Octobr the 1st Feb.y 1781 and in the 21st year
of his Majes.s Reign.

12th Feby 1781

Appeared personally Abraham Le Messurier of Lothbury
London Merchant and took his Oath on the Holy
Evangelists &c. to the Truth of the Contents
of the above Declaration by him subscribed
and that the said Ship called the Queen
Charlotte is now actually bound on a Voyage
from this Port of London to the Island of Guernsey
and thence to the Coast of Africa
for the purpose of taking in a Cargo of Slaves
and thence to the West Indies and that the
Crew of the said Ship consists of Thirty
Men and no more and that the said Ship
is navigated with Ten Guns Ten Swivels
Twenty Muskets Twenty Cutlasses Twenty
Pistols Ten Barrels of Gunpowder Fifty
Rounds of Great Shot and Five Hundred
Musket Shot that the said Ship is victualled
for Six Months and that the Names of the
Owners of the said Ship are John Adams
James Sinnett Thomas Cook & John Cook
all of the Island of Guernsey and that
the said Ship is navigated with Thirty
Men and no more and that the said Ship
is bound on a Voyage from the Island of Guernsey
to the West Indies and the Coast of Africa to Great Britain
and that William Sinney James Sinney
Richard Heath of Horsdale and Daniel Brouard of Guernsey
are the Owners of the said Ship
On the same day
this Declar.n was made

Before me And: Colbie Ducarel
Surrogate

A. Le Messurier

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The like Comission as is first herein before
granted to Philip Durell to the Sixth
the Seal of the Same to the Island of
Guernsey to the Sd Philip Durell
good Cause to be had the 10th Feby 1761 in
the 1st Year of this Majesty's Reign.

Durell

10th Feb.y 1761

George Brander of East Smithfield
in the County of Middlesex Mariner

Personally appeared before me one of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs in London and made Oath that the Ship called the Victory whereof George Brander is at present Master is duly Navigated according to Law and that the said George Brander is a Subject of Great Britain and that the Ship was built in Great Britain and belongs wholly to Subjects of Great Britain and that no Alien or Person whatsoever not being a Subject of Great Britain hath any Share Part or Interest therein directly or indirectly and that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 150 Tons or thereabouts and that the said George Brander is the sole Owner thereof and that the Ship is navigated with 10 Men and Boys including Officers and no more and that the said Ship mounts 12 Guns and no more and that the said Ship is provided with 4 Pateraroes 4 Patereroes 40 rounds of great Shot 300 lb of small Shot and no Letters of Marque or Commission for private Ships of War or Reprisals have been granted against the Subjects of the Crown of Great Britain or the Effects of any of them to the best of this Deponent's Knowledge or Belief and that the said Ship is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Lisbon and so return to Great Britain and that the said Capt.n George Brander is the Principal

George Brander

Sworn before me the Day and Year above written
And: Colhe Bucarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm.n as is Ent.d in folio [illegible] was granted to George Brander to set forth the Aurora of 150 tons belg to the Port of London whereof the sd Geo: Brander goes Com.r dated the 10th Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majty's Reign.

Aurora

Appeared personally [illegible] William Brock of Martins Lane Cannon Street London Merchant on behalf of William Collbec and produced a Warrant from the Rt Hble the Lords Commiss.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland &c for granting a Commission to him the said William Collbec, and in pursuance of the Hon. Instructions made the following Declaration that his the said William Collbec [illegible] the Experiment Square Stern [illegible] head

[illegible] that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Dry Goods & Provisions that the said ship is of the burthen of [illegible] tons that the said William Collbec goes Com.r that she carries 12 Carriage guns carrying 6 pound shot 8 swivel guns men 30 small arms 30 Cutlasses 10 barrels of powder 30 rounds of great shot & about 300 wt of small shot that the said ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables and about [illegible] wt of spare cordage that John Colthes goes Mate [illegible]

Chas. [illegible] Gunner Peter Loclin Boatswain Richard [illegible] Carpt. Peter [illegible] Cook Wm. McGowan Surgeon of the said ship and that the said ship is belonging to the Port of London that she is bound on a Voyage from London to Lisbon and to Return to Great Britain.

And that [illegible] Brock and Company of London and Henry Brock Merchant and Chapman and Peter Mauger of Guernsey Merchant are the Owners & Setters out of the said Ship

William Brock

On the same day
This Declar.n was made
Before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm as is Ent.d in Folio [illegible] granted to William [illegible] to set forth the Experiment of 76 Tons [illegible]

Experiment

of [illegible] whereof the said W.m [illegible] goeth Com.r dated the 10th Feb.y 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj.ts Reign.

Appeared Personally George Edward Hales of Fenchurch Street London Merchant on behalf of Captain Peter Potter now at Sea

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the instrument to execute [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] appointed him the said Peter Potter and in pursuance of his Majestys [illegible] made the following [illegible] that the said Peter Potter [illegible] called the Essex [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] 3 [illegible] that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions

that the said Ship is of the burthen of 100 Tons that the said Peter Potter goeth Com.r [illegible] that she carries 10 Carriage guns carrying 6, 4 & 2 pounders & no Swivel guns 20 Men 20 Small Arms [illegible] Cutlasses 10 [illegible] 50 [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] ab.t 500 [illegible] that the said Ship is victualled for 3 Months has 2 [illegible] Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables and ab.t 1000 lb of spare Cordage [illegible] John Fellow [illegible] Mate [illegible] Thomas [illegible] Gunner Job [illegible] Boatswain John Rule [illegible] Edward [illegible] Cook & Thomas Sharp Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship belongs to the Port of Liverpool that she is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to Africa and to return back to Great Britain

and that William Davenport, Benjamin Beale, John Copland Benjamin Carnean, Richard Middleton, John Galley, James Finlow and Peter Potter of Liverpool Merchants are the Owners & Setters out of the said Ship

George Edw.d Hales

On the same day
This Decl.r was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Essex

The Like Commission or Authority is
granted to Peter Sitler to set forth the Ship
of 100 Tons Called the Hart of Liverpool
whereof the said Peter Sitler is Master
dated the 13th Feby 1780 and in the 21st
Year of his Majts Reign

13 Feby 1781

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Appeared personally Walter Long of Shinfield Esqr
and Edward Coleman of Great Knolles Mercht and
severally made Oath that they have not directly or indirectly
any Share Interest or Property in the Ship or Vessel called the
Hart of Liverpool whereof Peter Sitler is Master now bound
from the Port of London to Cork or Kinsale and William
Brimmer and his Sureties by Bond of Attachment in the Penalty of
One Hundred Pounds bearing Date the Day of the Date hereof
stand bound that the said William Brimmer
shall obtain Letters of Marque for the said Ship
Hart and that the said William Brimmer
and 3 Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
not Busse Ketch or Hoy and that the said William
Brimmer is the Owner of the said Ship and that the Burthen of the
said Ship is about the Burthen of 220 Tons that the said William
Brimmer hath on board the said Ship to carry 12 Guns carriage
and 6 Guns 4 pounders & 4 Swivel Guns 25 Men 25 small Arms
and 6 4 pounders & 4 Swivel Guns 25 Men 25 small Arms
25 Cutlasses 20 Pistols Powder 50 rounds of great Shot and about 200
small Shot, that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Anchors
and Cables 3 Anchors 3 Cables and about 300 Fathom of Cordage that
the Names of the Master and Mate of the said Ship are
Richard Gregory Master — Gunner — Boatswain Peter
Cook — Carpr — Cooper Steward Cook and
Richard Sharp Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is
belonging to the Port of Bristol consist of Four Guns and
that she is bound on a Voyage from Bristol to Cork and
so return to Great Britain

and that

Sworn before me John Beauford Mar
Registrar and Jo — of Doctors Commons
are the sole Owner & Setter out of the said Ship

Walter Long

On the same day
This Declarn was made

Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Jeanie

The like Commission is Entd [illegible] was granted to Wm Kinnair to set forth the Ship Jeanie of 220 Tons belg to the Port of Glasgow whereof the said William Kinnair goeth Comr dated the 13th Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Appeared personally ( ) John Wilson of London Merchant on behalf of James Drum now [illegible] and produced a Warrt from the Rt Hble the Lords Commrs for executing the office of Lord High Adml of Gt Britn & Irelnd &c for granting a Commission to him the said James Drum and in pursuance of his Majesty's instructions made the following [illegible] that the said James Drum —

Ship called the Nepthune Pink [illegible] no head [illegible] Masts that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo Consists of [illegible] that the said Ship is of the burden of 90 Tons that the said [illegible] Drum goeth Comr of her that she carries 10 Carrge Guns carryg [illegible] 4 pounders & 6 swivel Guns 40 Men 40 small arms [illegible] 20 [illegible] of Powder 20 rounds of great Shot & abt 500 lbs of small shot that the said Ship is victualled for 6 months has 2 suits of sails 2 anchors 2 cables & ab. 500 wt of spare cordage that Jas Williams goeth Mate [illegible] John Day Gunner Geo: Roberts — Boatswain [illegible] William [illegible] Edwd [illegible] — Carpr Richd [illegible] Surgeon of the said Ship & that the sd Ship is belonging to the Port of [illegible] that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of [illegible] to Lisbon and to return to Great Britain and that James Robertson and Company of [illegible] is the Principal Owner & Setter out of the sd Ship

John Wilson

On the same day
this Declarn was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

The like Comon as is Entd in Solicitors
granted to James Drum to set forth the
Neptune of 90 Tons Burthen or thereabouts
Neptune for Sixteen months from the Date hereof the said Jas Drum doth
Comt dated the 13th July 1751 and in the
21st year of his Majts Reign

Before Me Thomas Martin of Spitalfields
Silkthrower Gentleman one of the Masters
Extraordinary in Chancery duly admitted
came John Reid late Commander of the Ship
Neptune now riding at Anchor in the River
Thames Burthen about 90 Tons or thereabouts
and he the said John Reid maketh Oath
and saith that he the said Ship is called the
Neptune and is now bound on a Voyage from
London to the West Indies
and that he the said John Reid is Master
of the said Ship and that the said Ship
belongs to the Port of London
and that she is bound on a Voyage from London to the West Indies
and to Return to Great Britain

And the said Thomas Bentby of Hatcham House
in the County of Kent Gent. Owner
of the said Ship

Thos. Martin

Sworn the same day
& Subscribed in my Office
Before me Wm: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm:ⁿ as is Ent:ᵈ in Folio (...) granted to John Reid to set forth the Hazard of 80 Tons belg. to the Port of London whereof the said Jn:ᵒ Reid go:th Com:ᵈ dated the 13th Feb:ʸ 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj:ᵗˢ Reign.

Hazard

Appeared personally James Elmslie of Lamb's Conduit Street London Merchant on behalf of Captain John Reap, ... who ... [illegible] ... John Reap ... Instrument made the ... Declaration to wit that his the said John Reap ... called the ... Susan ... Stern ... Square Rigged ... 3 Masts ... employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions ... that the said Ship is of the burthen of 250 Tons that the said John Reap ... carries 14 carriage guns ... 6 ... 4 Swivel guns 50 ... 40 small arms 40 Cutlasses 25 ... Powder 30 rounds of great shot ... 200 ... that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 500 ... John Johnson ... Peter Wade ... Will:ᵐ Trip ... John Job ... Job James ... Peter Potton ... of the said Ship, that the said Ship is ... the port of Gibralter ... that she is bound on a Voyage from Gibralter to Lisbon and to Return to Gibralter ... and that Robert Anderson and Company of Gibralter Merchants are the Owner ... of the said Ship

Ja: Elmslie

On the same day
This Decl:ⁿ was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Susannah

Mediterranean and Gibraltar Letters
granted to Mr. Heap to set sail the
Susannah of 250 Tons Coll. to the Port of
Gibraltar whereof the said Mr. Heap is Master
Com.: dated the 14th Day of March in the
21st Year of his Majs Reign.

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Appeared before me James Bickering of Broad Street
London Merchant on behalf of Captain James
Murphy now at Sea 56

[illegible] and in pursuance of his Majs Instructs made the following
Declaration touching the said Captain Murphy's Ship
called the Resolution being square Stern
and Head
Saith that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
that her Cargo consists of Provisions
[illegible] the burthen of 100 Tons and the said James
Murphy [illegible] 10 men 3 Guns
[illegible] 1456 pounds 2 Swivel guns 50 men 50 small
Guns 50 Cutlasses 20 B.s & under 500 pounds of Gunpowder & 1000
Weight of Shot the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months that she has two
Suits of Sails & Anchors & Cables & at present 1 Tons 10 of spare Cordage
that Peter Wade gunner Mate & Richd Johnes
Gunner William Jones Boatswain
George Williams Carpr. John Hicks Cook &
Abraham Earle Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said
Ship is Registered at the Port of Liverpool
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Liverpool
to Gibraltar and back to Great Britain
and that Anthony Collins of Liverpool
Merchant
aforesaid is the Principal

Jurat & Letter of Att. of the said Ship &c.

In the same day
Said Decln was made
Before me

Jno: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm[n] as is Ent[d] in the List was granted to James Murphy to set forth the Resolution of 100 Tons Belong to the Port of

Resolution Liverpool whereof the said James Murphy goeth Com[r] dated the 15th Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj[s] Reign.

Appeared personally Robert Miller of Cornhill London Merchant on behalf of Captain Nicoll Currie now at Leith [illegible] to be [illegible] from the [illegible] and Comm[rs] for executing the Office of Lord High Adm[l] of Gt Brit[n] & Irel[d] &c for granting a Comm[n] to him the said Nicoll Currie and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following Decl[n] to wit that his Ship the said Nicoll Currie is called the Hawke being Square Sterned Noted of [illegible] tons that the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo Consists of Provisions that the said Ship is of the burthen of 100 Tons that he the said Nicoll Currie [illegible] of her and she carries 12 carriage Guns [illegible] 3 Pounders & 8 Swivel Guns 50 Men 50 small Arms 50 Cutlasses 100 [illegible] of Powder 500 rounds of great shot & about 100 [illegible] of small shot that the said Ship is Victualled for 6 Months [illegible] 3 suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables & ab[t] 3.0 [illegible] of spare Cordage that John Dean goes Mate or Lieut. Jacob Jones Gunner John [illegible] Boatswain Peter Lee Carpenter David Dow Cook & Billy White Surgeon of the said Ship that the said Ship is belong[g] to the Port of Leith and that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Leith to the west Indies and to Return to Great Britain and that William Forbes Bar[t] James Hunter Sir John Walker Bar[t] & John ~~Miller~~ Whitford of Edinburgh Merchants are the Owners and Setters out of the said Ship.

Rob[t] Miller

On the same day
This Decl[n] was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Hanks

The Libel Command as in Eng.d in Libel was granted to Nicoll Curriet set forth the Hearth office how Celist the Port of Scott whereof the said Nic.s Curriet gett Com.n dated the 15.th Feb.y 17[illegible] and in the 21.st Year of his Majes Reign.

15 Feb.y 1781

Appeared personally Alex.r Emerdon of Copthall Court London Merchant and Capt.n of the Ship Dove of Dartmouth burthen about 85 Tons and made Oath that the said Ship is bona fide the property of Daniel Ogleman now Com.d by himself and navigated by 4 Men and 6 Boys and mounted with 2 Carriage Guns 30 Pounders 30 Swivels 20 Cutlasses 10 Pistols & Boarders 50 Pounds of Powder 50 lb.s of Musket Ball 2 Quarts of Small Arms 2 Barrels & about 1000 lb.s of Bread and that Rich.d Dyer — is the Pilot and that the Names of the Ship's Company now on board the said Ship are as follows (viz.t)

Wm Meoncklinner	George Lyon	Boatswain
George White	Sam.l Ford	Cook
Rob.t Erskin	Surgeon	

of the said Ship & that the said Ship is bound to the Port of Plymouth that she is bound on a Voyage from Dartmouth to Lisbon and to return to Great Britain and that Richard Newman and Company of Dartmouth Merch.ts are the Owners of the said Ship

Alex.r Emerdon

Sworn the same day
& the Decon was made
Before me Arch.d Colter Dunbar
Surrogate

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The like Commission is Entd in Folio 59 was
granted to Daniel Germain to set forth the
Surprize of Norfolk belg to the Port of
Yarmouth in Norfolk the said Daniel Germain
doth Covenant & state the 15th Feby 1781 and
in the 21st year of his Majts Reign

16th February 1781 59 60

Appeared personally John Young of Great Yarmouth
Merchant & Cashier of the Bank of Middleness
Merchant on behalf of John Simpson now at Yarmouth
aforesaid Esqr the Attorney duly constituted & appointed
by a Letter of Attorney bearing date the 10th day of
January last under the hand & seal of the said John
Simpson - and in pursuance of the power thereby given to him
hath made oath that the said John Simpson
is equipping the Ship called the Argus Cutter - Benj Soprano Master
mounting 16 Guns & navigated with 50 men employed in Trade and
for the Space of 1 Year & that the said ship is employed in Trade and
for 50 Months of Dry Goods & Provisions -
that the Burthen of the said ship is 60 Tons that the said John
Simpson doth Covenant that the said ship carries 10 Carriage Guns -
4 Swivels & 6 Small Guns 40 Men 40 small
Arms 10 Cutlasses 20 - Pistols 20 - Ammunition proportionable &
that the said ship is victualled for 6 Months has
2 Anchors 3 Cables and 3 Hawsers & that she navigates with 50 Men & Boys
that John Jones is Master Lieut David
Lee Gunner Wm Davies - Boatswain Peter
Wade Carpr Thos Sims Cook Peter
Wilson Surgeon of the said Ship and that the Ship is
belonging to the Port of Yarmouth
and is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Yarmouth
to Bergen in Norway and to return to
Great Britain

and that
Hugh Rose of Cross Lane Billingsgate
London Merchant Philip Walker of Lowestoft
Suffolk Gentleman & Richard King of Aylsham
Great Yarmouth Middlesex & John Sayers of
Norfolk and Owners of the said Ship Great Yarmouth in Norfolk
Merchant are the Principal

In the Long day
this Declaration was made
Before me
and: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Jn° Young

16th February 1781

Virgin Cutter

The Letter of Marque as is Entered in Folio [illegible] was granted to Wm Simpson to set forth the Virgin Cutter of Exmouth whereof the said Wm Simpson now is Comr dated the 16th Feby 1781 as is mentioned in the 21st Year of his Majts Reign.

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16th February 1781

Appeared personally Joseph Warwick of Earle Street Black Friars Gentleman on behalf of Captain Wilson Dobt now at Newcastle

[illegible] Captain [illegible] Wilson Dobt [illegible] Dreadnought — being Square Rigged — No Head Black Sides & [illegible] 1 Deck that Mounts Eight Guns Carriage in Front and Aft and Carries Navigated with Men and Boys Consists of Provisions [illegible] 80 — Men Mounting Wilson Dobt [illegible] 1 Swivel [illegible] 12 Long Guns [illegible] 4 Pounders 10 — [illegible] 60 Men 60 — [illegible] 60 Cutlass 20 [illegible] 50 — [illegible] 3 Trumpets [illegible] 4 [illegible] 9 [illegible] 500 — [illegible] Thos Mason — [illegible] Henry Downey [illegible] Wm Mackerman [illegible] Nathan Bacon [illegible] Walter [illegible] Stephen Morris [illegible] Daniel Waring [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to the Port of Newcastle [illegible] that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Newcastle to the West Indies & to return to Great Britain —

George Adams, Thos Barker and Henry Scott Esquires of Newcastle [illegible]

The [illegible] and Testimony of the said Deponent Joseph Warwick

Sworn in Court this 16th Feby 1781 Before me

And: Colvill Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comn as is Ent: in folio was granted to William Bell to set forth the Dreadnought of 140 tons Ship to the Port of Newcastle whereof the said

Dreadnought Wm Bell goeth Com: dated the 16th Feb: 1761 and in the 21st Year of his Maj: Reign

17 Feby 1761

Appeared personally George Brown of Chamberlain Street in the Parish of [illegible] Gentleman on behalf of Captain Thomas Berger now at Liverpool ... from the Lords of the Admiralty ... Thomas Berger and in pursuance of his Maj: Instructions ... the said Thomas Berger

Alice being Square — Sterned ... Mast that the said Ship is employed in Trade and belongs to ... Liverpool ... the burthen of 200 tons that the said Thomas Berger ... 16 Carriage Guns ... no Swivel Guns 50 Men ... 20 ... 30 ... 200 ... that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months ... 3 ... 300 ... that the ...

John Robinson — 1st Mate ... David Lee — ... Gunner James ... — David ... Lucia ... John ... Cook & Peter Bob — Surgeon ... the said Ship & that the said Ship ... belong to the Port of Liverpool

That she is bound on a Voyage from The Port of Liverpool to Lucia and back to Great Britain

and that

Thomas Gilbert of Liverpool — Merchant is principal

Owner and Setter out of the said Ship

Geo: Browne

On the same day
This Declar was made
Before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Alice

The like Comm as is Endd in Sd Mast was granted to Thomas Dwyer to sell for the Use of 200 Tons Act 9 to the Port of Liverpool in lieu of the said Thos Dwyer gone Comr dated 17th Feby 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majts Reign &c.

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Appeared personally [illegible]

[illegible] Sabbarton that the to sole Comm to [illegible]

[illegible] Spoken Spar [illegible]

[illegible] Liverpool

[illegible] Liverpool to the Ores

Sobei and to Leeward of Point Britain

and that Henry Chamberlain [illegible] John

Shorley and James Greenan of Liverpool

Merchants are [illegible]

Owners of the said Ship

John Newton

Sworn the same day

and Decr was made

before me

Wm: Colbe Ducarel

Surrogate

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Golden Lyon

The like Commission as is entered in [illegible] was granted to [illegible] to set forth the Golden Lyon of 400 Tons belonging to the Port of Liverpool whereof the said James [illegible] goeth Com: dated the 22d Feby 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Heart of Oak
John Ash

[illegible]

The like Commission as is entered folio 1 was granted to John Ash to set forth the Heart of Oak of the burthen of 140 Tons, belonging to the port of Liverpool and whereof the said John Ash goeth Comr dated the 22d Feby 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majesty's reign.

See Commission Declaration Affidavit and Bail in the bundle of Bails.

Appeared personally Andrew Dickie of Swithin's Lane London Merchant on behalf of Captn Henry ~~Hunter~~ Hudson now at Sea

and alledged that [illegible] Commission [illegible] to him [illegible] Henry Hudson [illegible] Henry Hudson [illegible] the Diamond Square Sterned figure Head

[illegible] 3 Masts that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods [illegible] burthen of 260 Tons [illegible] Henry Hudson [illegible] 17 [illegible] 6 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 40 men 40 small arms 40 cutlasses 20 Barrels powder 20 rounds of great shot & abt 500 weight of small shot [illegible] victualled for 12 months [illegible] 2 [illegible] 4 [illegible] 4 [illegible] 1000 [illegible] that John Clark [illegible] David Lee gunner John Jacob [illegible] Donald Chisp carpenter Alexr Flitter [illegible] John Pieters [illegible] of the said ship and that the said ship is belonging to port of London [illegible] bound on a voyage from the Port of London to the West Indies & to Return to Great Britain and that Samuel Hartley of London Merchant is the principal

Andw Dickie

Owner [illegible] of the said ship

On the same day
This Declaration was made
before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Commission entered in the next Book granted to Henry Hudson of Dartmouth of 260 Tons Custom the Port of Dartmouth Lord Warden of the said Mr. Hudson for all Cons dated the 22d. Feby 1701 in the 13th. year of this Majs. Reign.

Diamond

The like Cocket entered folio. 1. day granted to Aaron Floyd to set forth the Dartmouth of the Burthen of 70 Tons belonging to the port of Bristol and whereof the said Aaron Floyd goeth Cont dated 22d. Feby 1701. and in the 21st. year of his Majs. Reign.

See Cocket Book Aff. and Bail in the bundle of Bails.

Aaron Floyd

Boff

22d. Feb. 1701

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Square perish. by Robin. Herrington of Lime Street Square London Mercht. on behalf of Cap. Thos Pain and at the Request of the said Thos Pain the Insurance being first made and the Policy Signed Sealed and Delivered at St. Patricks Long Square aforesaid

Whereas the said Ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions and the Body of the said Ship is of the Burthen of 120 Tons Sailing Custom Pain — port and the Voyage is from 12 Aug. 1701 to 4 June 1702 at 10 ℔ Cent. for 30 Men 330 — 30 Men 33 Gallons 13 Butts 20 Tons Provisions 150 ℔ Vessell & Goods to Barbados & 6 Ports 2 ℔ Cent. 8 Men 8 Gallons 1000 ℔ Cent. Capt. John Lee — Mate Patrick Turner John Stokes — Boatswain Robert Bower John Todd — Cook Rob. Jones

All risque to the port of Waterford

Whereas the Ship is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Waterford to the West Indies & to return to Great Britain and whereas John Langthorn, David Jones, Henry Allen and John Hurley of Waterford Merchants are Owners & Settlors of the said Ship

In the same Policy Insurance was made

John Mannington

Entered

And: Colthurst Ducarel
Surrogate

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No like Seizure was ever Entered in the Book of Seizures
prior to the Seizure of the Ship Lord Hobart
Master of the Ship Lord Hobart Master
St Patrick Waterford whereof the said Ship was
possessed Cert. dated the 27th July 1701 and
in the 13th Year of his Majts Reign

23d February 1701

Came personally George Gibbons of St Mary Colechurch London
Gent. on behalf of Capt. Reycock Knudsen now at
Portsmouth
and Declared that the said Commander [illegible] Reycock
Knudsen and his Company [illegible] Reycock Knudsen
and that the Ship Salisbury Ketch square sterned having a
Square Head
3 Masts [illegible] and Navigated with Trade and Her
Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods
and belonging to the burthen of 320 or thereabouts Reycock
Knudsen Master and that she carries 22 Guns
Men of 9 Pounders 2 Murtherers 60 Men Comman-
ders Cockatoon 15 Pistols Sponges 20 Cartridges Powder 300
and that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months for 2
Watches 3 Anchors 3 Cables & 200 lb Cartridge but
John Birch Master mate Wm James
Gunner — Saml Rogers — Carpr Edwd
Williams Carpr Robt Johnson Boatn
Saml Thompson — [illegible] and Navigated the said Ship
Belonging to the Port of London
and that the Intended Voyage from the Port of London to the
Island of Jamaica & to Return to Great Britain
and that John Heyward of Malden in the
County of Wilts Gentn is the principal

Owner & Part Owner of the said Ship

Gibbons

In the same day
This Declarn was made
Before me Wm. Colte Deputy
Surrogate

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The above Commission as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to Wynfield Rusden to set forth the Salisbury of 320 Tons belongs to the Port of London whereof the said Wynfield Rusden goeth Com.r dated the 23.d Feb.y 1781 and in the 21.st year of his Maj.ys Reign.

Salisbury

Alexander Watson of Three Kings Court Lombard Street London Gentleman on behalf of James Scott [illegible] and produced a warrant from the [illegible] for the granting a Commission to the said James Scott [illegible] that the ship [illegible] James Scott [illegible] called the Elderslie Square Stern [illegible] Head [illegible] 3 Masts [illegible] employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Dry Goods and Provisions [illegible] of the burthen of 230 Tons [illegible] James Scott [illegible] carries 12 Carriage guns and 12 Swivel guns 2 Cohorns [illegible] 25 Men 25 small arms 25 Cutlasses 15 Barrels of Powder 20 rounds of Great Shot [illegible] 6 [illegible] 2 suits of Sails 3 Anchors 4 Cables and about 400 weight of spare Cordage [illegible] John Blair [illegible] goes Mate or Lieutenant [illegible] John Johnson Gunner William Walker [illegible] Boatswain [illegible] Freeman Cook [illegible] Richard [illegible] Carpenter [illegible] Jones [illegible] Surgeon of the said ship and that the said ship belongs to the Port of Glasgow [illegible] bound on a Voyage from Glasgow to Jamaica and to Return to Glasgow and that Messieurs McLeans Mackay and Co of Glasgow Merchants are the Owners & Setters out of the said ship

Alex.r Watson

On the same day
This Declaration was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Hulsley

The Condition is such That if
granted to James Scott to set forth the
Elderberry of 230 Tons belg to the Port of
George Sidney the said James Scott
doth Comply with the Act 26th Geo 3 1785 and
in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

27 February 1787

(Appeared before me)

(1) John Channington of Dudley
Street Southwark Gentleman on behalf of
George Hagney Esqr aforesaid

(2) Abraham Hopkinson Carpenter
Thomas and in pursuance of the Act 26th Geo 3 Intituled An Act
for more Effectual Regulating the Trade
of Shipping and for the Encouragement
of Seamen

(3) Abraham Hopkinson Carpenter
Master Mariner
of the Burthen of 230 Tons or thereabouts
Built at George Sidney
Thomas Hopkinson Master Mariner
Appointed by the Owners of the Ship
Elderberry

(1) John Channington
(2) Abraham Hopkinson
(3) Thomas Hopkinson

Jointly and severally bound unto His Majesty
His Heirs and Successors in the Sum of
Three Hundred Pounds of Lawful Money
of Great Britain

The Condition of the above Bond is such
That if the above bounden John Channington
Abraham Hopkinson and Thomas Hopkinson
or any of them their or any of their
Executors Administrators or Assigns
do and shall from time to time and at all
times hereafter well and truly obey observe
perform fulfil and keep all and every the
Orders Directions Rules Penalties Forfeitures
Clauses Matters and things in the said
Act of Parliament mentioned and contained
which on the part and behalf of the Master
Owners or Mariners of any Ship or Vessel
are or ought to be observed performed fulfilled
and kept according to the true intent and
meaning of the said Act of Parliament
and of all other Acts of Parliament
relating to the Trade of Shipping
then the above Obligation to be void
and of none effect or else to remain in
full force and virtue

John Channington
Abraham Hopkinson
Thomas Hopkinson

Sealed and delivered
in the presence of
John Church and William
Managers of Such Merchants and Other
Owners & Settlement of this Ship

On the same day
This Bond was made
Before me

And: Colvile Ducarel
Surrogate

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Admiral Keppel

Admiralty Office 1 March 1781

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Admiral Keppel

Britannia
Wm Huntington

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Eagle

The like Commission is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to Moses Cranford to set forth the Eagle of 170 Tons belg to the Port of Greenock whereof the said Moses Cranford goeth Com.r dated the 1 March 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Maj.s Reign.

Active
Duncan Fisher
Grenc

The like Commission as is entred folio 1 was granted to Duncan Fisher to set forth the Active of the burthen of 164 Tons belonging to the port of Bristol and whereof the said Duncan Fisher goeth Com.r dated 1st March 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj.s Reign.

See Comm.n Decl.n Aff.t and Bail in the bundle of Bails.

1 March 1781

Appear.d personally

Robert Duxbury of [illegible] Fenchurch Street London gentleman on behalf of Timothy Major [illegible] Timothy Major [illegible]

Timothy Major

[illegible] employed in Trade and the Cargo [illegible] of Provisions [illegible] 150 [illegible] Timothy Major [illegible] 10 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

John Lee [illegible] John Gregory [illegible] Beatten [illegible] John Croe [illegible] William Pratt [illegible] of Bristol [illegible] on a Voyage from Bristol to the West Indies and the Return to Bristol

Mark Davis the Younger Philip Protheroe of Bristol Merchants are the [illegible] said Ship

Robert Duxbury

On the same day
this Decl.n was made
before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

The Libel Condescended upon & Sworn to as
Lawful Debt & Interest thereof from the
1st March 1781 to the 21st April
of this Instant

2 March 1781

Appeared personally George Woodbridge Savage
of London Gentleman and being duly sworn
on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God
maketh oath that he is well acquainted with
the Handwriting and Signature of Thomas
Brudenell Esqre late of Stern Square Road
in the County of Middlesex and verily believes
that the Bond or Obligation hereunto annexed
bearing Date the 2nd day of March 1781
and the Signature thereof is of the proper
Handwriting of the said Thomas Brudenell
Esqre and that the Name of Alexander Taylor
of Savage Gardens in the
County of Middlesex Esqre and the Name
of William Robertson of the
Parish of St Martin in the Fields in the
County aforesaid Gentleman thereto
subscribed as Witnesses were severally
written by the said Deponent
at the same time
that the Deed was made

Before me

Geo. Woodbridge

And: Colthurst Durnford
Surrogate

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Bridport

The Libel Condemnation and Sentence
Process to Warrant Appraisement and Sale
Inventory Bill of Sale Account Protest &
Extract Minutes of the said Court Copies
Collated the Deposition of Francis
Ingram Master Mariner

2d March 1787.

Appeared before me Joseph Chabrey of Castle Court
Birchin Lane Comhill London Notary Publick
in behalf of John Loadman now at Sea

and produced a Power of Attorney from the said John
Loadman under the Hand and Seal of the said John
Loadman and Mary his wife bearing Date the 28th day of
September last past and John Loadman
Master of the Ship called the Lady Georgiana
of 300 Tons Burthen or thereabouts now lying in
the River Thames bound from London to Charles Town
and East Florida with a Cargo of Provisions &
Baggage and that John Thum now of London Merchant
is principal

Jos. Chabrey

Power of Attorney of the said Ship
On the same day
this Deed was made
Before me
And: Colbe Bucarel
Surrogate

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the late Commission [illegible] I was
[illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] of [illegible] to the Port
[illegible] Since the [illegible]

Lady Georgina

[illegible] in the 2d [illegible]
in the [illegible] Majs. Reign

Appeared personally [illegible] 8 March [illegible] 73 74

[illegible]
[illegible] Brown [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] John
Brown [illegible]
[illegible] John Brown
[illegible] Harriett [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] John Brown
[illegible] 16 [illegible]
[illegible] 6 [illegible] 8 [illegible] 40 [illegible] 30
[illegible] 30 [illegible] 10 [illegible]
[illegible] that the said ship is victualled for 6 Months
[illegible] 3 Anchors 3 Cables [illegible]
[illegible] John [illegible] Mate [illegible]
[illegible] Gunner John Lomas [illegible]
Lee [illegible] Carp.r Patrick White [illegible]
[illegible] Surgeon of the said ship & that the said ship is
[illegible] of the Port of London
[illegible] from the Port of London to
Montreal - and to return to Great Britain

That The said Declarant James Potts
is the principal
Owner & fitter out of the said ship

J. Potts

On the same day
This Decl.n was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

8 March 1781

Appeared personally John Major of Shilbottle

Lancaster Lond. Lancaster Sheriffdom Gent. or

the Lairdship of Carfstairs Prestgate Carnforth Glasgow

Parish and Barony of Carfstairs and Lanerk respectively

Shire of Lanerk Batchelor and Bachelor of Arts and Common to the Universities of

Glasgow and Edinburgh respectively Duly Authorised by Letters of Procuratory

from Alexander Campbell

Merchant in Glasgow Copartner with the said

John Major under the Name and Firm of

Campbell & Major

and called the Plaintiffs Agents and Attorneys

for Causes

2dly That the said Pursuer is employed in Trade

and that Copartnery Company or Adventure

for the said Shire of the business of which the said Alexander

Campbell & Major as Merchants in Glasgow

and Factors for Merchants in Virginia

and Maryland in America

That John Lee — Master Mariner

Commander of the Ship called the

Thistle of Glasgow

That the said Ship is now lying in

Clyde and bound on a Voyage from Glasgow to the West

Indies and to Return to the Port of Glasgow

and that

William Grangor and Co

of Glasgow Merchants Partnership

John Major

Sworn before Me at Edinr

On the same day

This Decln was made

before me

And: Cobbe Ducarel

Surrogate

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9.th March 1781

Appeared before me [illegible] Manchester
Street London Gentleman and Deputy Agent to
Richd Sheridan Esqr Member of the
Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland
and Governor of the Island of Dominica
and Richard Sheridan
Swan Walk Square Chelsea Middx
Physician and Man Midwife employed on the Trade
and Patrick Nicholson of Rock Merchant
as Principals

Power of Attorney from the said Richd
Sheridan to the said Richd Sheridan
2 Powers of Attorney from the said Richd Sheridan
30 Bills of Exchange 30 Bills of Exchange
30 Bills 10 Bills 1 Bond 50 Bonds from the said Richd Sheridan
Master of the said Ship Richmond for the Voyage
Clerk 3 Anchors 3 Cables 1 Coble Stopper Cable Bolt
Gunner John Farmer Surgeon James
Carpr John Roberts Mate
Doctor Rodgers Surgeon of the said Ship Thirteen Colonies
Bound to the Port of Rock
Master Boatswain Voyage from the Port of Rock to the
West Indies and to Return to Great Britain
and Ireland Patrick Nicholson of Rock Merchant
as Principal

Power of Attorney from the said Ship
to the same day
This Deed was made
before me

John Cohingo

And: Coltee Ducoret
Surrogate

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The like Commission as is set down in folio [illegible] was granted to Richd Sheridan to set forth the Snow [illegible] of 65 Tons called the [illegible] & [illegible] Master of the said Rd Sheridan as [illegible] Comn dated the 9th March 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign.

Appeared personally Thomas Wright of Mark Lane London Gentleman who for [illegible] Captain George Cleland now at Sea [illegible]

[illegible] George [illegible]

Cleland [illegible]

George Cleland

[illegible] Pallas being a Square Sterned [illegible]

[illegible] 3 [illegible] that the said ship is employed in trade and her cargo consists of Wine

[illegible] £300 [illegible] George

Cleland [illegible] 14 [illegible]

6 [illegible] No Swivel guns 30 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

[illegible] 20 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

[illegible] 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

John Lee [illegible] Charles

[illegible] Boatswain

[illegible] John Davis [illegible]

John [illegible] of the said ship and that [illegible]

[illegible] London

that she is bound on a voyage from the Port of London to Lisbon & to return to Great Britain

[illegible] John Shoolbred of London Merchant is the principal [illegible]

Thos Wright

[illegible] the same day the Declon was made before me

And: Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

9th March 1781

the Obligation and Condn in Writing hereunto
annexed to become bound to the Said Thomas
Pallas of the Same Parish in the Sum of Two
Hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain
with Condition for the Payment of the Said Sum
of Two Hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain
unto the Said Thomas Pallas his Executors
Administrators or Assigns on the Eleventh
Day of May which will be in the Year of
our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and
Eighty one as in and by the said Obligation
and Condition relation being thereunto had
may more fully and at large appear

Sworn before me this
Tenth Day of March
1781

Thomas Pallas

10 March 1781

(1) Thomas Inglis of Ratcliffe
Shipwright London Obligor

(2) Archibald Hyslop Thomas Inglis
Joseph Inglis and Thomas Inglis Obligees

3 Such Ship or Vessel as shall be employed in Trade and
for the Space Capacity of One Hundred Tons
Men and Seamen for the Service of Two Hundred
Guns which the Obligor is to build for the Obligees
Archibald Hyslop Thomas Inglis and Joseph Inglis
Obligees Executors Administrators or Assigns
Obligor his Executors Administrators or Assigns
Chamber Cattle Boatswain Seven Pounds
Ten Shillings Carpenter Eight Pounds
Surgeon of the said Ship and that the Ship
Port of London
Voyage from London to the West Indies
and to Europe or Great Britain

(3) Thomas Inglis of London Shipwright

Thomas Inglis

Sworn & Letter out of the said Ship
the Day
Bond was made
Before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Quebeck

The like Commission as is Quebec [illegible] was granted to [illegible] to set forth the Quebeck of [illegible] Commanders [illegible] of the said [illegible] Dated the 10th March 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Appeared personally (David Conkie of the Hermitage (Mariner [illegible] (David Conkie [illegible] (David Conkie [illegible] Catherine [illegible] employed in Trade and [illegible] David Conkie [illegible] 6 [illegible] 200 [illegible] 6 [illegible] 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 300 [illegible] Gunner [illegible] Boatswain [illegible] Johnson Carpenter [illegible] Cook John [illegible] Surgeon of the said Ship [illegible] to the Port of London [illegible] on a Voyage from London to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain and that (James Rhyn of London Merchant is the [illegible]

David Conkie

Owner & Setter out of this Ship

On the same day
This Declaration was made
Before me

Andr: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Catherine

The Bill Contained as is Endd: in Sicilia Imas granted to Daniel Conbie to set forth the Catharine of 400 Tons Burthen &c. and for Granting Letters of Reprisal &c. and for Regulating Privateers &c. and for the Encouragement of the Capture of Spanish Ships &c. in the 21st Year of this Majesty's Reign

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12th March 1807

Appeared personally John Fraser of Broomhall Street London Esquire on behalf of William Robertson master

and the said John Fraser produced a Certificate under the Hand of Rear Admiral Sir Thomas Williams Knight Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed on a Separate Service on the Coast of Portugal and Mediterranean and Commander in Chief of the Squadron now employed on the Coast of Portugal bearing Date the 3rd Instant whereby it appears that the said William Robertson is a Subject of His Majesty and that the Ship called the British Union whereof he is Master is navigated by 3 Masts and that the Ship is Navigated by Ten Men and Boys and Carries no Passengers

And the said John Fraser also produced a Certificate under the Hand of the said Sir Thomas Williams bearing Date the 3rd Instant whereby it appears that the said William Robertson is the Commander of His Majesty's Ship Rattler mounting 22 Guns Carriage Guns 12 & 6 Pounders 6 Swivel Guns 80 Men & no Officers Supernumeraries 50 Marines & 50 Seamen & Boys in all 300 Men and that the said Ship is a Vessel of War belonging to His Majesty and that the said William Robertson is Master of the British Union Merchant Vessel for 6 Months or 2 Cruizes and that the said Vessel is of the Burthen of 1000 Barrels or thereabouts and that

John Jones — mate
Thomas Smith — Boatswain
Joseph Jones — Carpenter
Edward Jones — Cook

belong to the Port of London

And the said John Fraser also produced a Certificate under the Hand of the said Sir Thomas Williams bearing Date the 3rd Instant whereby it appears that the said Vessel is bound on a Voyage from London to Dublin and from thence to the West Indies and so back to Great Britain and that

John Fraser Esq.

is Owner or Principal Owner of the said Ship

Sworn Letter of Attorney

Before the Surrogate

John Fraser

And the same day this Bond was made before me

And: Colte Durnford
Surrogate

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[illegible] Commissioned in Letters
[illegible] to William Rawlinson to
[illegible] British Seas commanded
[illegible] said William
Rawlinson will [illegible] the 21st
British [illegible] the 1st Year of his
Reign.

2d March 1788

Royal Britton
Charles Slopper Com.

Bags
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Thos Like Cattion as in entred folio. 1.
granted to Charles Slopper to Ply for the
Royal Britton of the Burthen
of 130 Tons, belonging to the
part of Bristol and whereof the
said Charles Slopper is Com.
12th March 1788 and in the 21st
year of his Majs Reign.

See Comon Decln. Oath and Bail
the bundle of Bails

[illegible] 3 March 1791

William Gibbons of Tewkesbury
Wool Stapler, Thomas Hancock of
Saint Mary Redcliffe in the County of Somerset
Esqr and Richard Farr of the City of Bristol
Merchant are bound unto Our Sovereign Lord
Lord North Esqr one of His Majesties Principal
Secretaries of State in the Penal Sum of
[illegible] of lawful money of Great Britain
to be paid to the said Lord North his Heirs
or Assigns for which Payment well and truly
to be made they bind themselves and every
of them jointly severally and for the whole
their Heirs Executors and Administrators
firmly by these Presents Sealed with their
Seals Dated this 3 day of March in the
Year of our Lord 1791

The Condition of the above Obligation is such
That if the above bounden William Gibbons
his Executors or Administrators do and shall
well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto
the above named Lord North his Heirs or
Assigns the Sum of [illegible] of lawful money
of Great Britain at the Receipt of His Majesties
Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid or his
certain Attorney his Heirs or Assigns on the
[illegible] day of [illegible] next ensuing the
Date hereof without any Fraud Deceit or
further Delay Then the above Obligation to be
void and of none Effect or else to remain in
full Force and Virtue

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of
Jno Johnson
James Cole
Peter Gratrix
Thos Harris

William Gibbons
Thomas Hancock
Richard Farr

Jno Johnson of Bristol Gentleman personally
appeared before me the Subscriber one of His
Majesties Justices of the Peace for the City
and County of Bristol and made Oath on the
Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he
saw the within named William Gibbons
Thomas Hancock and Richard Farr
James Cole Gentleman Peter Gratrix
Gentleman and Thomas Harris Gentleman
Sign Seal and as their Act and Deed deliver
the within Obligation for the Uses and Purposes
therein mentioned and that he this Deponent
with the said James Cole Peter Gratrix
and Thomas Harris subscribed their Names
as Witnesses thereto

Sworn before me this 3 March 1791
Wm Whiteley

And: Colthurst Ducarel
Surrogate

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Lord North

17 March 1781

Anthony Sherman & John Colson

Lightening

March 16th 1731

Appeared personally George Moffatt of Savage Gardens
London Gentleman who being sworn on the Holy
Evangelists & Subscribed the Oath of Allegiance
& Supremacy & Abjuration & Test & made Oath
that he the said William Arthur
was Born at Lady Townshend square Stanmore
Lyon Key & was
3 Months last Past employed in Trade and has
Property in the Ship Elizabeth called the William
Arthur of the Burthen of 810 Tons or thereabouts
now lying in the River Thames in the Port of London
Master
9 Guns 24 Men 100 Tons 30 Men all Carry
20 6 Pounders
6 Swivels 2 Patteraroes
4 Coehorns 60 Hand Granadoes
Simon Bob
Peter Jonas
Luke White
William
Portsoken Ward
That the said Ship is bound from the Port of London to
Lisbon & to Return to Great Britain

Elizabeth Tyler of Savage Gardens London
widow & William Robertson of the Crescent Minories
are the
Sureties for the said Master
in the Sum of One Thousand
Pounds of Lawful
British Money

Geo: Moffatt

And: Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Lively

[illegible]

The like Commission Out[illegible] in Folio was granted to William Arthur to set forth the [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] tons [illegible] the [illegible] whereof the said Wm Arthur [illegible] dated the 16th March 17[illegible] in the 21st year of His Majesty's Reign.

Appeared personally John Cecil of Chancery Lane London Merchant on behalf of Captn. Thomas Hutchinson now at Sea

[illegible] Thomas Hutchinson [illegible] Thomas Hutchinson [illegible]

George [illegible] [illegible] Hygate[illegible]

[illegible] 3 [illegible] employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Salt [illegible] 310 [illegible] Thomas Hutchinson [illegible] 16 [illegible] 4 [illegible] 10 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 90 [illegible] 10 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 6 [illegible] 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

Wm Smith Gunner — goes Mate or Lieut — John Jones — Jas. White Boatsn. — Jas. Peter Carptr. — ~~[illegible]~~ Saml. Jackson [illegible]

Robinson — [illegible] port of Liverpool [illegible] bound on a voyage from the port of Liverpool to Riga and to return to Great Britain and that Messrs. Peter Freeland and Co. of Liverpool Merchants are the ~~principal~~

Jn. Cecil.

[illegible] On the same day [illegible] before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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7th March 1781

John Cecil of Chancery Lane London

Merchant on behalf of Capt. John Foy Master

&c. for

William Thomas Master of the Great Prince Ltd

Ship called the Hannah Liverpool Burthen

about 400 Tons John Foy

Mess.rs Peter Freeland & Company of

Liverpool Merchants and the

J. Cecil.

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

23 March 1801

Baltimore } Connolly Mc Causland of Waterford
Middlesex } Merchant.

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Mr Causland — Connolly

Connolly Mc Causland

Swallow
is square sterned no Head

sail'd — laden with a Cargo of Dry Goods

Connolly Mc
Causland — 6 Cases Cassimeres
6 — 2 — 20 — 14 — Ditto
14 — 3 — 40 — 40 — Ditto
— — — — 6 — 2 — Ditto
3 — 3 — 1 Trunk
John Shepherd — John Sampliere
— Jonathan Nesbitt — James —
Boreham — James Duffy — Robert —
Harshin —

Earl of London — the Earl of London to New York

Benjamin Joy of Hatton Street in ~~the~~ London is the sole Owner

Connolly Mc Causland

And: Colles Ducarel
Surrogate

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24th March 1791

Solen Pennington of Broad Street London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n Francis Ellis now at Sea

Francis Ellis

Keeping Fish Square Vessel bearing

employed in Trade and

burthen of 50 Tons or thereabouts called the Francis

Ellis — Master

Solen Lee — Robt.t Cross — Solen Baker — Solen Anderson — Mariners

Port of Hull

The Port of Hull to Norway and to Return to Great Britain

Philip Green of Hull Merchant

is the Principal

P. Pennington

Adm: Collee Ducarel
Surrogate

Inventor

The Libel Comes in Public Form
granted to Francis Ellis to extend the
Sum in Suit of £ [illegible] Sterl.g to the Sum of
Eight thousand Pounds Sterl.g with Interest
Expired the 24th March 1781 and in
the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Myers
Nash

26th March 1781

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James Irvine of Grays Inn
Gentleman on the behalf of Capt.n John Ellis now
at Sea

John Ellis

John Ellis

The Grand Trinimed square sterned
figure Head
183 T. 85 Hundredths Tons Burthen or thereabouts
Cargo consisting
of 288 Tons Shalloons 44 Tons Yarn
18.3.64.4 Woollen Cloths no. 140 Pieces 140
140 Pieces 30 Pieces 100 Pieces 600 lbs
5 Pieces 3 810

Jas. Williamson — Pierce Dickson
Thos. Williams
Wm. Jones — Carpr — Jas. Slaugh —
John M.c Kenzie

belonging to the Port of London

That the said Ship or Vessel called the Ellis now
lying in the Port of London is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to
Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain Bantam
and that Robert Mayne of Vermyn Street Bantam
and George Graham of Seymour Street in the County
of Middlesex and to Esquires are the

Owners of the said Ship
Ellis
That Duplicate was made
before me

Jas. Irvine

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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26 March 1701

Captain William Renwick

of Berwick Shr Commander —

William Renwick — William Renwick

Inthefirst belongs to the Port of Berwick
was Burthen of 160 Tons Square Sterned Three Masted
Carv 2 Guns Bound on a Voyage from
Berwick to Jamaica w^th a Cargo of Provisions and back
160 William
Renwick 10
6 Guns 110 100
Carv 100 Men 60 50 400
3 Swivel Guns 3 Carriage & 3 Brass 500
John Lee — Mariner aged John Jones —
— Gunner Thomas Lane — Gunner Georges
Cole — Carp^r Joseph Linn
George Smith
Register for Port of Berwick
bound on a Voyage from Berwick to Jamaica with
a Cargo of Provisions and back —
and that John Proctor the Younger of Berwick
Merchant is the principall

Sworn before and sett my hand
& Seal this day
& Year above written
Before me

Wm Renwick

And: Colhe Ducarel
Surrogate

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Whereas Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c. have granted to William Bennett of the Island of Jersey Master of the Ship called the Hope of Jersey of the Burthen of 160 Tons or thereabouts and navigated with Ten Men and Boys or thereabouts Letters of Marque bearing Date the 26th day of March 1781 and he the said William Bennett hath given Security for his Behaviour in the Execution of the said Letters of Marque according to the Directions of the Act of Parliament in that Case made and provided

Bitrapse

26th March 1781

Joseph Barton of Little Bolton Merchant

John Monkhouse of Liverpool Master

Mariners

Gunners

Seamen

William Bennett

Thomas Williams

Gunner

Quarter Gunner

Carpenter Steward Surgeon and Surgeons Mate

Boatswain

Cook

Gunner

Quarter Gunner

Carpenter

Steward

Surgeon and Surgeons Mate

Boatswain

Cook

32

William Gunsteed

Thomas Williams

Thomas Williams

10 — 100 — 50 —

12 — 100 — 1000 —

12 — 3 —

5 — 5 — 1 Ton — Benj.

Douglas — David Lee

Benjamin Poole — Thomas

Maywood — John Thomas

Joseph Barton

of the Port of London

Merchant and Owner in the Ship or Vessel called the London to

the East Indies & to return to Great Britain

William Bromfield of Warrington, William

of the County of Lancaster & the Declarer

Pole of Liverpool and Isaac Jameson and Joseph

Barton Merchants are Sett

in the County of Lancaster

Joseph Barton

and: Colte Ducarel

Surrogate

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Prince William

The like Commission as is entd in Folio [illegible] was granted to William [illegible] to set forth the [illegible] William of 36 tons [illegible] the Port of London whereof the said [illegible] with Commission dated the 26th March [illegible] in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Appeared personally George Harrison of Walbrook London Merchant on behalf of Captain Thomas Palairet [illegible]

[illegible] Thomas Palairet [illegible]

[illegible] Thomas Palairet —

Alert Square Stern Sloop of [illegible]

[illegible] Hampden Bake

and her Cargo consists of Provisions —

[illegible] 180 [illegible] Thomas Palairet [illegible] 20 [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] 100 [illegible]

[illegible] 30 [illegible] 80 [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] 2 [illegible]

[illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Geo Smith — [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Island of Alderney —

[illegible] Alderney to Gibraltar — and [illegible] to Great Britain

John Le Chesnes and Company the Island of Alderney Merchants are the principal —

Geo Harrison

[illegible] Before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Alert

The like Comm.n as is entered [illegible] was granted to Tho.s Falaise to set forth the Alert [illegible] Tons belong.g to the Island of Alderney whereof the said Tho.s Falaise [illegible] Comm.n dated the 20th March 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Maj.s Reign.

29th March 1781

[illegible] John Cooper of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster Mariner

[illegible] John Cooper [illegible] John Cooper [illegible] Liverpool Hero being Square Sterned having a Figure Head [illegible] 3 Masts [illegible] is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions [illegible] 200 [illegible] John Cooper [illegible] 12 [illegible] 35 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 500 [illegible] for 9 months has 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] Jn.o Savage [illegible] Cha.s Wilson [illegible] Tory Young [illegible] John Jones [illegible] Jn.o J Jackson [illegible] John Scaffe [illegible] the port of Liverpool [illegible] the port of Liverpool to Africa & the West Indies & to return to Great Britain [illegible] Mess.rs Park and Heywood of Liverpool Merchants are the principal

John Cooper

[illegible] the said [illegible]
On the same day
[illegible]
before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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At the Commissioners Court held in the Cinque
ports & Members at Dover the Port
of Liverpool return'd the within Bond duly exec.
Liverpool } & dated 29th March 1781 in the 21st
Hare. } year of his Majty's Reign &c.

31st March 1781 92 93

Thomas Martin of Godliman Street
London Gentleman on behalf of Capt.n John Edgerly
now at Dover

Jno. Edgerly
John Edgerly
Rodney being Square Sterned with no
Head
3 Masts Burthen 70 Tons employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Provisions
John Edgerly
A Prayer Book 40 Men 40 Women 40
Letters 50 Testaments 500 Books
Peter Caron — Master — Jno. Whitaker
Gunner — Jno. Elles — Mariner
Dan.l Owen — Mate — Geo: Harris — Mariner
Tho.s Jones — Boatswain
Belonging to the Port of Dover — Gothenburg
which is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Dover to Lisbon
and to Return to Great Britain
and that
Benjamin Glansfield of Dover Merchant
is the principal
Thos. Martin
Owner & Allowed at the said Office
the Letter day
this Bond was made
Before me
Wm. Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Rodney

Ad[mi]ralty Office 1st March 1781

Sir I desire you will move their Lordships that a Warrant may be made out for the Discharge of Capt[ain] Edgerley of the Rodney now at Plymouth and that he may be directed to repair to this Office in order to be appointed to the Command of one of the Ships now fitting at Deptford

I am Sir
Your most obed[ient] humble Serv[an]t
Geo. Marsh

Mr Stephens

Received twenty seven pounds in full for commissions for March 1781. By me Geo. Harris

£ 27 D. C. 30 Ap. 1781

Rec[eive]d the same time Thirty seven pounds ten shillings, for 25 Letters of Marque passed in March 1781.

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D. April 1781

James Booth of Crosby Square Gentleman on behalf of Capt[ain] James Bull

James Bull

James Bull

Granham Berry of Liverpool Master

Burthen about 200 tons

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6 Pounders 4 Swivels 50 men 50 more

50 men 20 Guns 50 men

James Bull

John Evans
Timothy Smith
David Lee

James Bull

Granham Berry of Liverpool Master

Burthen about 200 tons

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6 Pounders 4 Swivels 50 men 50 more

50 men 20 Guns 50 men

James Bull

John Evans
Timothy Smith
David Lee

John Jones of Bradford Merchant

James Booth

Owner's Letter on the back of the Bond

In the same day
the Bond was made
before me

Wm. Cobbe Doctors Advocate

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Grantham

[illegible] Common was Entd in Sollo Inas
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Bill got the Com.rs dated the 2d April
[illegible] the 21st year of this Reign

Betsey
Christopher Graham

2 April

Master

The like Common as is entred Solio 1. Does grant to Christopher Graham to Go forth the Betsey of the burthen of 40 Tons, belonging to the Port of Dartmouth and whereof the said Chris. Graham is Master dated 2d April 1781. and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

The Common Decl.n Affd and Bail in the Bundle of Bails.

April 19th 1781 95 15

Know all Men by these Presents that We Nicholas Trist of Dartmouth Merchant Robert Newman of the same Place Mariner and William Graves of the same Place Mariner are held and firmly bound unto the Right Honble John Lord Viscount Howe Admiral of the White Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet and Commander in Chief of all and singular His Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed and to be employed in the Cove of Cork and the Harbour of Kinsale and all other Ports Harbours Roads and Places within the Kingdom of Ireland and the Dependencies thereof in the Sum of Four hundred pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain to be paid to the said Right Honble John Lord Viscount Howe his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns for which Payment well and truly to be made We bind ourselves and each of us in the whole our and each of our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these Presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this Nineteenth day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eighty one

The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above bounden Nicholas Trist Robert Newman and William Graves or any of them their or any of their Heirs Executors or Administrators do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Right Honble John Lord Viscount Howe his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns the full and just Sum of Two hundred pounds of like Money of Great Britain within Six Calendar Months next after the Date hereof without Fraud Coven or Delay Then this Obligation to be void and of none Effect or else to remain in full Force and Virtue

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of
Robert Newman
Wm Graves

Nicholas Trist

Lambolle

Sworn before the Right Worshipful Lambolle Eccles Esqr Surrogate of the Consistorial Court of the Right Honble John Lord Viscount Howe Admiral of the White Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet and Commander in Chief of all and singular His Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed and to be employed in the Cove of Cork and the Harbour of Kinsale and all other Ports Harbours Roads and Places within the Kingdom of Ireland and the Dependencies thereof at Dartmouth in the County of Devon this Nineteenth day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eighty one before me

Arch: Colles Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Commission as is Entd. in folio [illegible] was
granted to William Croule to set forth the
[illegible] of [illegible] the Port of

Biscaymaid [illegible] whereof the said Wm. Croule
goeth Comr. dated the 17th April 17[illegible] and in
the 21st Year of his Majs. Reign.

14th April
Dick John Campbell
Lpool

The like Commission as is entred folio 1. was
granted to John Campbell to set forth
the Dick of the burthen of 204 Tons
belonging to the port of Liverpool,
and whereof the said John Campbell
goeth Comr. dated the 14th April 1781.
and ~~whereof the said~~ in the 21st year
of his Majs. Reign.

See Commission Declt. Afft. and Bail in
the Bundle of Bails

[illegible] Thomas Naftel of Guernsey
Mariner

[illegible] Thos.
Naftel [illegible] and in pursuance of his Majs. [illegible] the following
[illegible] Thomas Naftel
[illegible] Emily being a square Sterned
having a figure Head
[illegible] 3 Masts [illegible] employed in Trade and
Cargo consists of Plantation Stores
[illegible] 250 tons [illegible] Thos.
Naftel [illegible] 16 carriage guns carrying
6 [illegible] 60 men [illegible]
60 [illegible] 10 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 500
[illegible] 6 [illegible]
[illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]
John Clark [illegible] Mate [illegible] Wm. [illegible]
Gunner John Jones Boatswain
Thos. Smith Carpr. Robt. Brown Cook
John Williams Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said ship
belongs to the Island of Guernsey
that she is bound on a voyage from the port of London to
Barbadoes & the West Indies & to return to Great Britain
[illegible]
Elisha Tupper of the Island of Guernsey
Esqr. is the Sole [illegible]

Thomas Naftel

[illegible] Letter out of the said Ship
On the same day
this Declaration was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Emily

M[illegible] in folio I was granted to Thomas [illegible] set forth the Emily of 250 tons [illegible] to the [illegible] Guernsey [illegible] of the said Thos. [illegible] [illegible] Commission dated the 21st April 1781 in the 21st year of his Majesty's Reign.

21st April 1781

Appeared personally Matthew Backhouse of the Old Swan London Mariner for and on behalf of Captn. John Brown now at Sea [illegible] John Brown and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following [illegible] that the ship [illegible] John Brown's [illegible] Weardale Square sterned no Head that the said ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions that the said ship is of the burthen of 40 Tons that the said John Brown goes Commander, that she carries 3 carriage guns carrying shot 12 pounds & 4 Swivel Guns 20 Men 20 small arms 20 cutlasses 10 barrels of powder 50 rounds of great shot & about 3 cwt of small shot that the said ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 suits of sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables & about 1000 lbs of spare cordage that John Jones goes Mate or Lieutt. John [illegible] gunner [illegible] Brown Boatswain Wm. [illegible] Carpenter Thos. [illegible] Cook [illegible] Johnson Surgeon of the said ship & that the said ship is [illegible] of the Port of Newcastle that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Newcastle to Lisbon & so to return to Great Britain and that John Wood of Newcastle Merchant is the principal Owner & Setter out of the said ship

On the same day
This Decl. was made
Before me

Mattw. Backhouse

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Know all Men by these Presents, That We, Henry Clennel Master and John Adamson of Newcastle upon Tyne Mariner are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lord the King in the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain, to be paid to our said Sovereign Lord the King, his Heirs and Successors, for which Payment well and truly to be made, We bind ourselves and each of us in the whole, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals. Dated the 21st April 1781 in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Whereas the above bounden Henry Clennel Master hath obtained a Register for the Ship called the Hannah whereof he is at present Master, for a Voyage from the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne to Lisbon and to return to Great Britain with Liberty to touch at Madeira and Teneriffe

Now the Condition of the above Obligation is such, That if the above bounden Henry Clennel Master of the said Ship Hannah do not during the said Voyage trade to or with any Ports or Places in Europe not mentioned in the said Register, or to or with any Ports or Places in Africa, America or Asia, without Leave for so doing first had and obtained, then the above Obligation to be void and of none Effect, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Henry Clennel

John Adamson

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of
Jno. Lee
Wm. Lee

21st April 1781.

Appeared personally at the Admiralty Office Matthew Backhouse of the Parish of St Dunstan in the West London Gentleman on behalf of Captain Henry Clennel Master now at Sea and made Oath that the Condition of the within Bond hath been duly complied with by the within bounden Henry Clennel Master to the best of Deponent's Knowledge and Belief.

Henry Clennel

Sworn at the Office aforesaid the Day and Year above written before me

Rd. Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

Know all Men by these Presents, That We, Henry Clennel Master and John Adamson of Newcastle upon Tyne Mariner are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lord the King in the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain, to be paid to our said Sovereign Lord the King, his Heirs and Successors, for which Payment well and truly to be made, We bind ourselves and each of us in the whole, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals. Dated the 21st April 1781 in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Whereas the above bounden Henry Clennel Master hath obtained a Register for the Ship called the Hannah whereof he is at present Master, for a Voyage from the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne to Lisbon and to return to Great Britain with Liberty to touch at Madeira and Teneriffe

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Whereas the above bounden Henry Clennel Master hath obtained a Register for the Ship called the Hannah whereof he is at present Master, for a Voyage from the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne to Lisbon and to return to Great Britain with Liberty to touch at Madeira and Teneriffe

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Henry Clennel

Sworn at the Office aforesaid the Day and Year above written before me

Rd. Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

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She left Cowes on the 6th Instant bound
to Quebec & Henry Clerk Esqr to whom
the Vessel & Cargo belong'd the Master
herewith transmits the Ship's Papers
with Letter dated the 21st March 1781
the 21st year of this Most Gr. Reign.

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Alexander Currie of the
Town of London Merchant

Alexander Currie

Alexander Currie

Alexander Currie

Alexander Currie

William Robertson Esqr

Alex Currie

Ch. Wm. Dacres
Rear Admiral
Commander in Chief

Wm. Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

Appeared personally Thomas Martin of Little Britain
London Factor & Merchant & Thomas Henderson
of Bristol Merchant & severally made Oath on the Holy Evangelists
of Almighty God that the Ship called the Thomas whereof
Thomas Henderson is Master now lying in the Port of
Bristol & bound from thence to Lisbon & so to Great Britain
with Liberty to touch at any Port or Ports in her Way
and back again to Great Britain & that the Property
of the said Ship or Vessel & her Cargo doth entirely
belong to the Subjects of His Majesty King George
the Third & to no Foreigner or Foreigners directly or
indirectly in Trust or otherwise howsoever & that
the Bill of Sale now produced & shewn unto us
for the said Ship or Vessel is a true Bill of Sale
thereof & that no Foreigner or Foreigners directly
or indirectly hath or have any Share Part or Interest
therein & that the said Ship or Vessel is duly
navigated according to Law & that the Master
thereof is a Subject of His said Majesty & that
to the best of their Knowledge & Belief the said
Ship or Vessel doth not carry any Gun or Guns
Mounted or Unmounted & that the Burthen of the
said Ship or Vessel is about 300 Tons & no more
& that the Ship or Vessel mounts 12 Carriage Guns
& navigates with 30 Men & no more & that
the Names of the Owners of the said Ship or Vessel
are entered in the Margin hereof & that the
Names of the Persons who compose the Crew of the
said Ship or Vessel do not exceed the Number
of Men by the Act of Parliament for regulating
Navigation allowed to be navigated with & that
no Part of the Crew of the said Ship or Vessel
consists of Men procured by Beat of Drum or
Advertisement & that no Part of the Crew of the
said Ship or Vessel consists of Men pressed from
on board any Ship or Vessel & that no Part of the
Crew of the said Ship or Vessel consists of Men
who have been Prisoners & have entered into the
Service of the Enemy to obtain their Liberty
& that no Part of the Crew of the said Ship or
Vessel consists of Men who have been Prisoners
on board any Ship or Vessel belonging to the Enemy
& have entered into the Service of the Owners
of the said Ship or Vessel to obtain their Liberty
& that no Part of the Crew of the said Ship or
Vessel consists of Men who have been Prisoners
on board any Ship or Vessel belonging to the Enemy
& have entered into the Service of the Owners
of the said Ship or Vessel to obtain their Liberty
& that no Part of the Crew of the said Ship or
Vessel consists of Men who have been Prisoners
on board any Ship or Vessel belonging to the Enemy
& have entered into the Service of the Owners
of the said Ship or Vessel to obtain their Liberty

Thos Martin

Sworn at the Office of the Surrogate
in Doctors Commons
this 26th day of April 1781
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

C & T

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the Commission is Entered in Publick Office
granted to James Henderson to set forth
the Dimsdale of Hertford to Inoculate the Children of
Bristol without Charge from Henderson
Dimsdale Att. Com. dated the 26th April 1781 on the
the 21st year of his Majs Reign

26. April 1781

Appeared personally Sir James Wright of Great
Ormond Street London Gentleman on behalf
of Patrick Bernard Esquire
the Person named in the within Commission by the said
Sir James Wright to be the Person intended by the said
Commission and in pursuance of the Act passed in the 25th Year of
the Reign of His present Majesty entitled An Act
[illegible]
Sworn before me in the Office of Commissioners for Trade
and Plantations this 26 day of April 1781
Dimsdale

Lord Hawke Sqr Admiral of the White
[illegible]
and Vice Admiral of Great Britain
[illegible]
Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships
[illegible]
Captains Commanders and Officers
[illegible]
John Jones Master Boatswain Robert Sumner
Gunner Simon Lee Carpenter John Williams
Captain Peter Jackson Commander
John Brisbane Surgeon of the said Ship & Chatham a Cutter belonging to the Island of Guernsey
Master to proceed in Ballast from Guernsey to the Leeward
Indies and so return to Great Britain
and that

John Dorrell of Guernsey
Merchant
Owner of the Ship called the Prince Edward
Whereof James Wright
is Master

Sworn & Subscribed before me
this 26th day of April 1781
And: Colvill Ducarel
Surrogate

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26th April 1781

Peter Cauder, Mr Rochead of the
Lyon, Minister, London, Gentn an Ensign of Hond.
John Lyon Master and Engineer

Mr Lean
Alexander Lean a Figure Head
Carving
her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods
Mr Lean
196 Pounds Bar Iron 26 Gun Carriages 162
Bar Iron 10 Half Inch Bolts 2 Anchors 1 Cable 1 Hawser
Cables & Junks 6 Double Blocks 3 Sheave Blocks
93 Cwt Nett 5304 lbs Copper sheathing
Canon Iron Work Glass
John Hart Smith
Capt John Smith
Duncan Surgeon of the Sloop Michael
Port of Glasgow

This is to Certify that the Port of Glasgow to
New York & to return to Great Britain
and that Alexander Graham, John Mannan &
William Cody said of Glasgow Merchants
and Mrs Capt John Mc Lean are the
Owners of the said Ship

Claud Mc Kechnie

And the same day
this Oath was made
before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Declaration is Entered in Letter Book
Granted to Major Lockhart Ross for all the
Lands Tenements & Hereditaments Late the Estate
of Lord Henry Cavendish situate lying & being
in the City of Dublin the Grant
dated the 26th April 1781 and
in the 21st Year of this Majs Reign

Alexander

Sc Stefanus was cut in Solid Irons
round the Neck Leon the Left Hand the
Alexander of Greek Fire Left on the Part of
Stamps where of the said Wm McLean
gave Bond dated the 27th August 1701 Stamps
in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

Appeared personally David Lindsay of Buchan Lane
in London Gentleman on behalf of Captain
Moses Birch now at Sea

and in consideration of £67 to him paid Commissioners of the Stamp Duties for Great Britain doth swear That Moses Birch whereof he is Master for the present Voyage and now bound for Attadura Bay in Jamaica and no other Place to the Use of Moses Birch and all others whom it may concern that the Burthen of the said Ship does not exceed the Number of 100 Tuns and that the Number of Men navigating the said Ship in the present Voyage does not exceed 20 and that the Ship is provided with 6 Carriage Guns 50 Men 24 Cutlasses 24 Pistols 25 Barrels of Powder 20 Rounds of great Shot at 300 lb each and that the said Ship is victualled for 3 Months for 3 Months for 3 Months for 3 Months and that the said Ship is navigated as follows viz 3 Masters 3 Mates 3 Boatswains 3 Carpenters 3 Gunners 3 Quartermasters 3 Coopers 3 Cooks 3 Surgeons and that the said Ship is not above the Burthen of 300 Tuns and that the Master Owners or Commander of the said Ship for the present Voyage is John Lee — Thomas Jones
Mate — George Smith — Thomas
Clark — Joseph Lane — Cook &
George Nash — Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is
about to Sail from the Port of London —
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Attadura
& Jamaica and to return to Great Britain
and that
John Julius Ungerstein and James
Mather of London Merchants are the

Owners & Settlement of the said Ship
Sworn this day
This Declaration was made
before me

David Lindsay

Wm: Colbe Deputy
Surrogate

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The Libel Cause as is Entered in a Libel Issued
granted to Princess Royal to set forth the
Annella Brig of 400 Tons Bulk &c to the Port of
London whereof the said Princess Royal was
Annella Com.r dated the 27th April 1781 and in the
Brig 21st year of the Reign of

The Effect Commanded in Chief in Scotland was granted to James Urmston to set forth the Letters Patents of Specialties belonging to the Post of Lieutenant of the said Sr. Thomas Livingston dated the 29th April 1761 and in the 21st year of his Majty's Reign

Lieut Mulgrave

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28 April 1781

Appeared personally George Russell of Savage Gardens London Gentleman on behalf of John Neal Master and Owner of the Ship called the Defiance of Whitby of the burthen of 180 Tons or thereabouts now riding at Anchor in the River Thames and bound from thence to Virginia and Maryland and made Oath that he the said John Neal

and that the said Ship is navigated with 14 Men and Boys and no more and that the said Ship is victualled for 6 Months and has 2 months Provisions on board and that the said Ship is not provided with any Letters of Marque or Commission for private Ships of War or Privateers to the best of his knowledge and belief and that the said Ship is bound on a Voyage from London to Virginia and to return to Great Britain

and that the said John Neal

Elizabeth Tyler, William Tyler George Russell and James Cuthbert of London Merchants are the Owners of the said Ship

and that the said Ship is navigated

Before me Geo Russell

Wd: Colvill Ducarel

Surrogate

Defiance

Mutl Comm was Ext. in Solic Forms
and he has in Pursuance with the
Statute made Oath of the due Exec
of the said John Hoadgeath
Com: dated the 20th April 1771 and in the
11th Year of this Majs Reign.

30 April 1771

John Charlton of Lond Merch
London Gen Hyman on behalf of
Captain Bishopp Barton appointed
Master of the Ship or Vessel called the Defiance
Burthen about 300 Tons or thereabouts now
lying in the River Thames and bound from
London to Lisbon and thence to Gibraltar
and thence to Port Royal in Jamaica and
back to Great Britain with Liberty to touch
at any Port or Place in the Way outward
or homeward bound

Jacob & Grace Sea Boy in Guard

One Boat and Eleven Hands and no more to be employed in Navigating the
said Ship in the Voyage aforesaid Qty Guns
Cargo Carried 8 Qty Guns
Navigated by 11 Small Guns 10 Men to small Arms
Cutlasses 10 Pistols 30 rounds of powder & shot
Apprehended that the said Ship will be cleared for 60 Tons or
thereabouts 3 Decks 86 Feet at 1000 Tons burthen
John Cooper — Mate Richard Brown — Boatswain
— Gunner Robert Brown — Boatswain
Carpr John Roberts — Cook
John Johnson Servant to the said Ship & that the said Master
is not a Member of the Guild of Liverpool

Is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to Lisbon and to
Return to Great Britain

Thomas Wrankley and Benjamin
of Liverpool Shipwrights are Sworn
to Matters mentioned in the within
Certificate

Before me
And: Colvill Deputy
Surrogate

John Charlton

Goodlad

The like Caveat as in that in Folio 1 was granted to Robert Barton set forth the Nullity &c Dated the 1st day of April 1781 Liverpool where the said Robert Barton doth Claim & the 1st April 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign &c

Natl

The like Caution as is entred folio 1. was granted to William Robbin to set forth the Heriditaments of 300 Tons belonging to the Ship the Carthon of Bristol and whereof the said William Robbin is Master dated 30th April 1781. and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign &c

Herculel
Wm Robbin

Sec Caution Decld & Sign'd and Bail in the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds

Bagg
Off

Received sixteen pounds in full for Commissions for ye month of April 1781. Geo. Harris
7 June 1781

£16

Rec'd same time Nineteen pounds Ten Shillings for 13 Letters of Marque passed in April 1781

Gichins

1st May 1781

Appeared personally William Gladman of Gould Square Aldgate Gent'n as Attorney of Capt'n Fairfax Bedlington and at the same time produced a Commission from the R't Hon'ble Lords Commissioners of the High Court of Admiralty to the said Capt'n Fairfax Bedlington and the said William Gladman as such Attorney as aforesaid Took the Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oath of Allegiance Supremacy and Abjuration and Subscribed the Test

Minerva Square Vessel Fifteen Guns

and Swath that the Ship is employed in Trade and that the Crew consists of Dry Goods

Liberty is granted to the said Capt'n Fairfax Bedlington to take in other Guns not exceeding 24 in the whole and 12 pounders & no larger and 50 Men 50 small arms 20 Cutlasses 20 Pistols or Carbines 30 rounds of Powder & Ball for each Gun and that the said Ship be employed for 6 Months and 2 months Liberty to Cruize &c

Peter Rogers
Gunner

Geo. Brown Master Carpenter
Robt. M'Briarer Cook

Tho's Glover Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is bound to the Port of London

And that the Intended Voyage from the Port of London to Lisbon & from thence to the Baltic and to Return to Great Britain

Godfrey Thornton of Clapton Esq'r London Esq'r is the Principal Owner of the said Ship

Wm Gladman

And: Colvill Bacarel
Wm Wrottesley

Granting

The like Commission was this instant
granted to Thomas Bedlington to act as
Master Attendant of Sheerness &c. &c. &c.
& London Returned the said Oath —
Bedlington qualified dated the 1st May
1781 and in the 21st year of his
Majesty's Reign

Minerva

Appeared personally before me this 2nd May 1781 Robert Quarrell Chirurgeon
in the service of the Honble United East India Company
who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth
and saith that he this deponent did on the 3rd day of March last past
visit and examine Thomas Pearce
then lying sick on board the Ship Northumberland
now lying in the River Thames and that the said Thomas Pearce
was then labouring under a Dysentery and Scurvy
and that he this deponent is of opinion that the said Thomas Pearce
is not fit to proceed to Sea on a Voyage to India
and that he this deponent hath not visited the said Thomas Pearce
since the 3rd day of March last past

Robt Quarrell

Sworn before me this 2nd day of May 1781
Thos Bedlington Master Attendant
Before me
And: Collier Ducarel
Surrogate

Northumberland Captain Thomas Pearce
from Bengal to St Helena and Bengal and so Returned to London
with Cargo

John Mifford Esquire of
Buckingham in the County of Middlesex Merchant
and Samuel Brush and Joseph Mifford of Bermondsey Street
in County aforesaid Esquires are the Principal
Owners of the said Ship

Both this day
Personally
Before me

Jon Rees

And: Collier Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Caveat as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to James Peart set forth the Northumberland &c. 3 Jno Lee to the Northumberland Lands situate & the said James Peart declared the 2.d May 1781 and in the 21.st year of his Majt.s Reign

Appeared personally before me 2.nd May 1781

George Edwin Hales of Paul's Head Court Cornhill Merchant & London Gen.l Agent for Captain Stephen Poles Commander of the Ship or Vessel called the Northumberland of London burthen about 200 Tons now lying in the River Thames & bound from thence to Virginia & Maryland & for Navigating the said Ship or Vessel to Virginia & Maryland & back to London aforesaid

John Savage

Saith that the said Ship or Vessel is navigated in Trade & that the Burthen of the said Ship or Vessel is about 200 Tons and that there are now on board the said Ship or Vessel 16 Carriage Guns carryg Shot of 3 Pounds Weight and upwards 15 Men 35 small Guns Muskets Fuzees & Blunderbusses 20 Swords & Cutlasses & that the Number of Men navigating the said Ship or Vessel in 12 Months past & during the Time she hath been employed in Navigating her from the Port of London to Virginia & Maryland & back to London aforesaid were 30 Men & no more

John —

Thomas Master & Part Owner

Edward Evans Boatswain

Richd Stephens Gunner

Capt. Edward Powell

Richd Stephens Gunner

and that the Names of the Men who have been employed in navigating the said Ship or Vessel during the Time she hath been employed in navigating her from the Port of London to Virginia & Maryland & back to London aforesaid & who are now on board the said Ship or Vessel are as follows & no more

John Savage

William Peak

Thomas Hen Sherbeard

and that

William Peak of Deptford in Kent Merchant is Part Owner & Letter on Board the said Ship

George Edwin Hales

In the same Day
Sworn before me

Adm: Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

Grene

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The Obligation as is Endorsed in Public Instrument
granted by the Surety to answer to the Value of £200 Sterling Obligation
Liverpool whereof the said John Savage
Vulture's Master dated the 2d. May 1781 and
in the 21st. year of his Majs. Reign &c.

2nd May 1781. 109 110

George Edward Haley of Parish
Head Capt. Lieutenant Bluecoat London Gent.
and John Gleadon Gent. of Liverpool
Aforesaid in the Kingdom of Great Britain Merchants
are held and firmly bound unto the Right Honble. John Earl
of Sandwich Lord High Admiral of Great Britain and Lord
Commissioner for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral
of Great Britain and Ireland and the Plantations &c. in the
Penal Sum of £500 Sterling to be paid to the said John Earl
of Sandwich or his Certain Attorney Executors Administrators
or Assigns for which Payment well and truly to be made
we bind ourselves and each of us in the whole our and each
of our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally
firmly by these Presents Sealed with our Seals and dated
this 2nd. day of May in the 21st. year of the Reign of our
Sovereign Lord George the Third by the Grace of God of
Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith
and so forth and in the Year of our Lord 1781.

The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above
bounden George Edward Haley
Master or Commander for the Time being of the Ship or Vessel
called the Vulture of the Burthen of 250 Tons or thereabouts
now bound from Liverpool aforesaid to Africa and
back again to Liverpool aforesaid with Men and Guns
Mariners 16 Guns 4 Swivels
Small Arms 30 Men Cutlasses 30 Men Boarding Axes
Pistols 8 Men Powder 20 rounds Great Shot 1000
Small Shot that the said Ship or Vessel for 12 Months has & Navigate
with Men 3 Months Wages 800 Men Short Voyage that
the above bounden George Edward Haley
and John Gleadon
and Thomas Boulton John
Cook Corpl. John Cr. Cattle Cook
Blacksmith Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship
belongs to the Port of Liverpool
that she is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to Africa and then
to the Coast of Guinea and to return to Liverpool
and that
William Gregson of Liverpool
Merchant is the Owner
Owner of the said Ship
and the same
Obligation is made
with his Consent
and Approbation
Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of
Wm. Gregson

George Edwd Haley

Gleadon

Adm: Colbee Bucarel
Surrogate

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Appeared personally) 2nd May 1781

George Edward Hales of Paul Head
near Pucaldwood in the County of London Gentleman
and Robert Underwood Master Mariner of the Parish
of Saint Mary Whitechapel in the County of Middlesex
Seaman and severally maketh Oath and Saith that
the said George Edward Hales is Master
and the said Robert Underwood is Chief Mate
of the Ship or Vessel called the Nancy
whereof the said George Edward Hales is Master
now outward bound on a Voyage from
the Port of Liverpool to Africa and
from thence to the Island of Jamaica and
back to the Port of Liverpool aforesaid
and that the said Ship or Vessel
is navigated with Twenty Seamen
including the Master and Mate
and no more

Sworn at Liverpool in the County of Lancaster
this 2nd day of May 1781
before me
And: Colley Ducarel
Surrogate

George Edw: Hales

Robert Underwood

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She like Comm was Enter'd in Stolic Inwards
granted to Mr. Leonard Edwards the
Cargoe of 232 Sh. Called the Port of
Liverpool whereof [illegible] is Master Bound
for Gibraltar and the Straits
Cleared the 12th May 1761 and in the 31st
Year of his Majesty's Reign

Appeared personally before me the Worshipful Mayor of the City of Bristol
Samuel Span Esquire Alderman and Deputy Register of the Court of Admiralty
for the City of Bristol or Commissary lawfully constituted Sitting
in the Tholsel or Guildhall of the City aforesaid Solomon
Chapman of Greenock in the County of Renfrew Mariner who being
duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists deposeth and saith that he
the Deponent Solomon Chapman
is a Subject of His Majesty King George the Second
3 Mast Vessel the Ship is called the Isabella and is now employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Spain
and that the Ship is of the burthen of 400 Tons or thereabouts
Navigated by 30 Men and no more that she hath on board her 12 Guns 4 Pounders
and no other that she carries 12 Guns 4 Pounders
and no more nor less and that she sails with 30 Men 30 Men
30 Men and no more nor less and that she is bound from
this Port to Spain and back again to this Port and back again
and that she hath a Permit to do so for 9 Months and no longer
and that the Ship is 3 Masts 3 Decks and 500 Tons
Joseph Bird carpenter made in Great Britain
Thomas Johnson Master Isaac
Harrison Cooper Thompson Clerk
John Cheltenham Surgeon of the Ship Charles of Bristol
and that the Port of Bristol
that the Ship is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Bristol to North
America and to return to Great Britain
and that Samuel Liddell of Newcastle upon Tyne
Merchant the said Captain Solomon Chapman are the
Principle Owners of the said Ship

Sworn before me the 8th day
of May 1761 Made

John Crawthorn
Jurat

Wm: Cotter Ducarel
Surrogate

Blake

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[illegible] the other Commission [illegible] was
[illegible]
the Northumberland of 40 [illegible]
[illegible] Bristol [illegible] of the said Ship

Northumberland [illegible] Chapman [illegible] Com.n dated the 3d May
1781 and in the 21st year of his Majesty's
Reign.

Appeared personally Alexander Mitchell of Budge Row London Gentleman on behalf of Captain James Elkington now at sea

[illegible] James Elkington and in pursuance of his Majesty's Instructions made the following declaration [illegible] James Elkington's [illegible] Deptford is a square Sterned has a figure Head [illegible] 3 Masts [illegible] of the Burthen of 750 Tons is employed in Trade, and her Cargo consists of dry Goods — [illegible] burthen of 750 [illegible] James Elkington [illegible] 26 Carriage guns [illegible] 9 & 4 pounders no swivel guns 99 Men 60 small arms 60 Cutlasses 40 [illegible] 40 [illegible] 1000 lb [illegible] 12 months [illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] John Lee — [illegible] Mate [illegible] John Smith — [illegible] George Cole — Boatswain — John Doe [illegible] John Dick [illegible] John Thomas [illegible] belonging to the Port of London [illegible] from London to the East Indies & ~~back to London~~ — to return to Great Britain — [illegible] Barrington Buggin of Harpur Street Red Lyon Square Merchant is the principal ~~[illegible]~~

[illegible]

Alex.r Mitchell

On the same day [illegible]
before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

C. Bishop

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Appeared personally Joseph Richards of Stepney (Mariner
in the County of Middlesex a Mariner —

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and made Oath that he the Deponent the Master
Richards now is and for many years last past hath been
and the Deponent is a Subject of
King George born at Deane
in Parish of Stead
and that he the Deponent is employed in Trades by the
Hudson Bay Company
that the Ship the Furlow 200 Tons that the said Joseph Richards
is appointed to be Master and 10 Carpenters &c
Navigated Ships Owned 50 Men 50 Tons
50 Miles 20 Leagues 30 Miles at Sea & 500 Miles
and that the Ship is provided for 6 Months 2 Months
Provisions & Stores & 1000 Spare Bread Flour
Jones Mate Smith
Master Boatswain Cooke
Brown Carpenter Wm Lee Cooke
John Jones Gunner of this Ship that the Ship
last from the Port of London
that she has been at Sea from the Port of London to Hudsons
Bay and is returning to Great Britain
and that the Hudsons Bay Company are the

Jos Richards

Sworn at Guildhall London this 4th
day of March
1781 before me
Ad: Colvill Durard
Surrogate

Godfrey

4th May 1791

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The Like Caution as is Entd in Table Inwas
granted to Jonathan Hunter to set forth
the Prince Rupert of 200 Tons Burthen
Prince Rupert and Mounted with 12 Guns to the
Burthen Parts of London whereof the said Jon.
Hunter is Master for a Voyage from the Port of
London to Quebec and to return to Great Britain
with such Goods Wares and Merchandizes as
he shall there purchase or Load for Ballast
Dated the 5th May 1781 and in the 21st Year of his
Majs Reign

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5th May 1781.

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Appeared before me Robert Deming of Little Carter Lane
London Gentleman on behalf of Captain Robert
Whitfield late of Portsmouth
and made Oath that the Ship called the Prince Rupert
whereof the said Robert Whitfield
is Commander is Mounted with 12 Guns
and Navigated with 60 Men
and that the said Robert Whitfield
is a Subject of His Majesty King George and
Navigates the said Ship
as Master
And this Deponent further Saith that the said Ship
is Navigated as follows (that is to say) 12 Men
Part of the Crew are Foreigners and
the Cargo consists of Dry Goods
that the said Ship is of the Burthen of 227 Tons
and no more or other than is Navigated as follows
(that is to say) 12 Men 6 Swivel Guns 18 Men 18 small Arms
18 Cutlasses 20 Men 30 Barrels of Gunpowder 300 lbs of
small Shot and that the Ship is victualled for 6 Months
and no more or other than is victualled as follows
(that is to say) 3 Months Provisions 3 Months Water
and that the Ship is bound from the Port of London to
Quebec and to return to Great Britain
and that the said Capt. Robert Whitfield of
Bishopsgate Street London is Owner
Owner Part Owner and Master of the said Ship

Robt Deming

Sworn this 5th day
of May 1781 at
Doctors Commons
London before me

Wm: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Caution was Entered into by the said Isaac Pigeon
granted to Robert Whitfield to depart the
King George of 200 Tons Burthen now
lying in the River Thames & bound to
Fort St. George & China & back to London
with Liberty to touch at the Cape of Good Hope
in the Way Outward bound Homeward

7th May 1781 117

Appeared here in Court Peter Pigeon of Cleveland in the
County of State of Carolina 116

and made Oath that he is the Reputed Father of a Male Child
lately born of the Body of Elizabeth Bateman Spinster and
that the said Child was Born on the Twenty Sixth Day of
January last and was Baptized by the Name of Peter Pigeon
and that the said Peter Pigeon
is now living at Bermondsey in the County of Surrey

Head
Ship Bounty Burthen 384 Tons Mariners 99 Men 50 Guns 30
Soldiers 50 Master 30 Commander Joseph Wall & 500 Tons
Mariners that the Ship is Victualled for 24 Months and Cleared
Outwards 5 Instant & Pilot & Tonnage Paid at James
Douglas Gunner Mate Joseph Goode Boatswain Thomas
Owen - Capt. Geo. Leckus - Capt. John
Frost - Surgeon of the Ship Victualler Capt
Jeffreys & the Port of London
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to the
East Indies Homeward to Great Britain
and that Malcolm & Co. Agents at Virginia James London and
James Farquharson of Gough Square London Merchants
are the
Owners of the said Ship

Peter Pigeon

Sworn this day
Before me

And. Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Caveat as is entd Pro Thos Burges
granted to Peter Pigeon he set forth the
Ship Friendship of Liverpool to Cruize
Blanford Island Coast of the said Peter Pigeon forth
Cont: dated the 7th May 1701 and in the
21st Year of his Majts Reign

18th May 1701

Appeared personally Curwen Gale
of Broad Street Buildings London Gentleman on behalf of Captain
Thomas Burges now at Liverpool

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Came & Exhibited & Prayed the Lords Comm.rs process of the Office of Adml against
the Ship Friendship & prayed a Warrant to him directed Thomas Burges
Master for the Arrestment of the Ship & Goods made the following Caveat
to be entered viz.

Caveat Entred by Thomas Burges
Master of the Ship Quaker

That the Ship is of the Burthen of 150 Tons that the said Thomas Burges
is Master that he carries 16 Guns & navigated
with 60 Men & no more viz. 50 Men 50 small Arms
10 Pistols 10 Cutlashes 30 cartouch boxes & 200
Powder & Shot that the Ship is victualled for 6 Months that 2 Guns
& 3 Men & 3 muskets & 400 lb of powder belongs to John
Smith Master Dalrymple William Lovegrove
Owner John Roberts Boatswain
Cooke & Mrs
Hillcam Johnson Richard & Geo. Rogers
Johnson Surgeon of the Ship & that the Ship
is to go to the Port of Liverpool
that is bound sailing from the Port of Liverpool to New
found land

That Thomas Gilbert of Liverpool Merchant is
the principal

Curwen Gale

Sworn & Subscribed in my Office
in the presence of
Ind: Prot: & Act made
before me

Wm: Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

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Sucker

The like Comn as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to Thomas Smyth to set forth the Sucker of 150 Tons bel.g to the Port of Liverpool whereof the said Thomas ... Comd. dated the 1.th May ... in the 21.st year of his Maj.s Reign. &c

Appeared personally 11 May 1781

Henry Derrill ... of London ... &c

Thomas Molyneux ... as the ... to the ... British ... Thomas Molyneux and ... the said Thomas Molyneux ... Rumbold Square Ship ... Plead ... employed in Trade and her Cargo is Provisions ... burthen 220 ... that the said Thomas Molyneux ... 16 Carriage Guns carrying 6 & 9 ... 6 Carronades ... 40 Men 40 small Arms 40 Cutlasses 10 Bl.s of Powder 5 rounds of great shot & ab.t 560 ... of small shot that the s.d Ship is victualled for 6 ... Months has 2 ... 3 Anchors 3 Cables ... 1000 ... that John Gibson ... Lee ... Gunner John Jones ... Boatswain ... Carp.r John White ... John Finch Surgeon ... & that the s.d Ship belong.s to the Port of ~~London~~ Liverpool ... that she is bound on a Voy.e from London to the Africa & West Indies and to return to London ... that Joseph Brooke the Younger Thomas Rumbold Thomas Staniforth James Carruthers & Francis Ingram of Liverpool merchants are the Owners ...

Henry Derrill

On the same day the said Declar.t was made before me

And: Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

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The like Cert. was put in to [illegible]
granted [illegible] [illegible] for the
the Rumbold [illegible] of the Port
of Liverpool whereof the said Thomas
Rumbold Molyneux Com.^r dated the 11th May
1781 and in the 21st year of his
Maj's Reign.

Appeared personally John Hay of Mark Lane
London Gentleman on behalf of 119
Samuel Hill [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Samuel
Hill [illegible] [illegible] made the following Declaration
[illegible] said Samuel Hill
[illegible] British Built Square Sterned
[illegible]
3 Masts that the Ship is employed in Trade and
her Cargo consists of Provisions
that the Ship is [illegible] burthen 450 [illegible] Samuel
Hill [illegible] carries 12 carriage guns carry [illegible]
6 pounders & 10 Swivel Guns 30 Men 20 small Arms 20
Cutlasses 30 Bls of powder 50 rounds of great shot & ab.t 1000 W.t of small
shot that the s.d ship is Victualled for 6 Months has 3 suits of sails
3 Anchors 3 Cables & ab.t 1000 W.t of spare Cordage that
John Jones quartermaster [illegible] Henry Lee
gunner Thomas Green — Boatswain Stephen
[illegible] Carp.r John Spratt Cook &
Simon Johnson Surgeon of the s.d Ship & that the s.d Ship is
belong.g to the Port of London
that she is bound on a Voyage from London to the East
Indies & return to London
and that John Shoolbred of Mark Lane
London Merchant is the
Owner & Setter out of the s.d Ship

Jn.o Hay

On the same day
This Decl.n was made
Before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

British Hero

The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Hillsborough one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State granted to Samuel Hill Esq. to collect the Bounty of £5 per man allowed by Act of Parliament for every able bodied Seaman Landman or Boy who shall be entered and serve on board any of his Majesty's Ships of War or Vessels of War in the Service of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for the Encouragement of Seamen and Landmen to enter into the Royal Navy bearing Date the 14th day of May 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majesty's Reign

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May 18. 1781

Entered hereon the Oath of John Corderoy of the Parish of [illegible] in the County of Middlesex Gentleman as Master of the Bounty Brigantine called the Bruce Burthen 250 Tons or thereabouts mounted with [illegible] Guns and navigated with [illegible] Men Commanded by the said John Corderoy bound on a Voyage from London to the Coast of Africa and from thence to the Coast of America and back to London and that the said Bruce is not employed in the Service of any Foreign Prince or State but is the Property of Subjects of Great Britain as appears by the Certificate of Registry granted at the Port of London the 14th day of May 1781 and that the said Bruce is navigated by Twenty Men and no more and that the said John Corderoy is the only Person interested therein as Owner

Sworn before me at the Office in Craig's Court London this 18th day of May 1781

Jno. Corderoy

Wm. Adair

Jno. Sutton

Jno. Pinkney

Jno. Stuart

Jno. Corderoy

Wm. Adair

Jno. Sutton

Jno. Pinkney

Jno. Stuart

Entered hereon the Oath of John Corderoy of the Parish of [illegible] in the County of Middlesex Gentleman as Master of the Bounty Brigantine called the Bruce Burthen 250 Tons or thereabouts mounted with [illegible] Guns and navigated with [illegible] Men Commanded by the said John Corderoy bound on a Voyage from London to the Coast of Africa and from thence to the Coast of America and back to London and that the said Bruce is not employed in the Service of any Foreign Prince or State but is the Property of Subjects of Great Britain as appears by the Certificate of Registry granted at the Port of London the 14th day of May 1781 and that the said Bruce is navigated by Twenty Men and no more and that the said John Corderoy is the only Person interested therein as Owner

Sworn before me at the Office in Craig's Court London this 18th day of May 1781

Jno. Corderoy

Wm. Adair

Jno. Sutton

Jno. Pinkney

Jno. Stuart

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Earl of Chesterfield

The like Comn as is Ent. in folio 1 was granted to Bruce Burnell to set forth the Earl of Chesterfield [illegible] the Port of London whereof the said Bruce Burnell goeth Comr. dated the 18th May 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs. Reign.

Fox [illegible]

George Fagg

[illegible]

The like Commission as is entred folio 1 was granted to George Fagg to set forth the Fox of the burthen of 140 Tons belonging to the port of Folkstone and whereof the said George Fagg goeth Comr. dated 25th May 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs. Reign.

See Common Declr. Afft. and Bail in the bundle of Bails.

Appeared personally John Wilson of Jeffery's Square London [illegible] on behalf of Captain James Johnson [illegible] of Liverpool [illegible] produced a warrant from the [illegible] for a Commission [illegible] to him the said James Johnson [illegible] James Johnson [illegible] the Molly being square stern'd [illegible] that the ship is employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Dry Goods and Provisions [illegible] that the said James Johnson [illegible] 10 carriage guns carrying [illegible] 4 [illegible] 35 Men 30 small arms 30 [illegible] 10 [illegible] 20 rounds of great shot [illegible] 500 wt. of [illegible] 6 months [illegible] 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 2000 wt. [illegible] that John Jackson [illegible] Mate [illegible] Gunner John Brown [illegible] John Short Cook [illegible] Henry Dickson [illegible] Surgeon of the Ship & that the Ship is [illegible] port of Liverpool [illegible] from the port of Liverpool to the Coast of Africa and to return to Great Britain and that Wm. Earle, John Copeland, Wm. Davenport, Thos. Parke and Benjamin Arthur Heywood of Liverpool Merchants are the Owners [illegible] the said Ship

John Wilson

On the same day
[illegible] was made
before me
And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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30th May 1781 Allan of Stago head Court

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John Watson

John Watson

Enterprize

James Allan

Andr. Colhoun Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Grant as is Entered in the Policy now
granted to John Watson to set forth the
Enterprize of the Ship called the Market
Endeavour with whereof the said John Watson is Master
Consideration the 30th day of June in the
21st year of his Majts Reign.

(P)
~~Stanl~~
~~John Richard~~

~~Boyd~~

Received in full for commissn
for Policy 17.81. fifteen
pounds Geo. Harris
D.C. - June 30 1781
£ 15 -

Recd. sanctione Twenty Guineas
Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling —
Letters of Marque passed in May 1781
J Critchley

1st June 1781 123 124

Appeared personally Thomas Martin of Little Carter Lane
London Gent. & on behalf of Capt. Wm. Manton
and at Dover
and the said Thomas Martin Solemnly Sworn upon the Holy
Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that the
Ship called the Market whereof the said William
Manton is now Master and whereof the said William Manton
is duly Licensed Master is a Ship of the Burthen of
about one hundred and Sixty Tons or thereabouts
and that the said William Manton
is duly Licensed to Carry Guns and Men and
hath Mounted no Guns
and that the said Ship is employed in Trade and
that she is going in Ballast to Lisbon
and that the Ship is of the Burthen of 160 tons that the said William
Manton is to Carry Guns and
Men 3 Brass Guns 6 Iron Guns 20 Iron 30 small Guns
30 Cutlaces 10 Pistols 20 muskets pistols & 500
Small Shot that the Ship is victualled for 6 Months 2 Suits
of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables & 500 lbs of Grape & Cartridge shot
Wm. Harris — Jas. Lovell — Boatswain
John Hammond — Carpr — Sam. Parker — Cook
Sam. Douglas — Surgeon
and that the Ship is
now in the Port of London
and bound from the Port of Dover to Lisbon
and to return to Great Britain
and that John Baker of Dover Merchant and
the said Capt. William Manton are the
Principal Owners of the said Ship

Thos. Martin

Sworn at the time and
place above Mentioned
Before me
Jno. Simpson Surrogate.

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She like Caution as is Entd in Folio 1 was granted to Wm Rankin to set forth the Sally of this burthen of 160 Tons &c to the Port of Liverpool at Lancaster whereof the said Wm Rankin got Com. dated the 1st June 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Pearl
John Richards

The like Caution as is entred folio 1. was granted to John Richards to set forth the Pearl of this burthen of 200 Tons, belonging to the port of Bristol, and whereof the said John Richards got Com. dated the 1st June 1781. and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Moss

See Common Decl. Aff. & Bail in this bundle of Bails

June 2. 1781

Appeared personally Thomas Wilson of Liverpool Mariner & Master of the Ship called the Sally of Liverpool burthen about 160 Tons now lying in the Port of Liverpool aforesaid and bound from thence to Greenland and Davis Streights for a Whale Fishing and made Oath that the Ship is the property of Thomas Wilson of Liverpool aforesaid Merchant and that no Alien hath any Share or Interest therein directly or indirectly and that the Ship is navigated with 30 Men and Boys only and no more and that the Ship is victualled for 6 Months and that the Ship is provided with 12 Guns 4 Pounders carrying Shot 9 Inches Diameter 6 Swivel Guns 10 Pistols 10 Small Arms 10 Cutlasses &c. and under 50 Pounds of Gunpowder and that the Ship is provided with Ammunition Stores and Provisions sufficient for the Men on board for 6 Months and that the Ship is navigated with 3 Anchors 3 Cables & 2 Hawsers & no more or other Guns Ammunition Stores or Provisions than are mentioned in the Victualling Bill of the Ship and that the Names of the Men on board the Ship are as follows (viz.)

James Jackson Gunner
John Lee Boatswain
Thomas Gun Carpenter
Johnson Cook
John Adams Surgeon

and that no Person on board the Ship is to the best of his Knowledge Deponent's Belief or Information entered on board the Ship as a Seaman or Mariner in order to protect him from being impressed into His Majesty's Service and that the Ship is bound from the Port of Liverpool to Greenland and Davis Streights and from thence to Great Britain and no other Place or Places whatsoever

Sworn at the Custom House Liverpool the Day and Year above written before me

Richard Kent of Liverpool Merchant in Pool

Thomas Wilson

Master & Owner of the Ship

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the Presence of

Thomas Jackson
Clerk to Mr Kent

The like Certificate is Entd in Exhibit Book granted to Thomas Wilson Master of the Betty of 30 Tons belonging to the Port of Bristol in Europe as it appears by the Oath of the said Thos Wilson taken before the Worshipful Thos Hunt Esqr Mayor of the City of Bristol the 12th June 1781 and in the 21st Year of his Majs Reign

12th June 1781

Thos Hunt
Wm Pinnan

The like Certificate as is entered folio. 1. was granted to William Pinnan to set forth the Hunter of the Burthen of 200 Tons belonging to the Port of Dartmouth and whereof the said William Pinnan is Master dated 12th June 1781. and in the 21st Year of his Majs Reign

22d June 1781

Ralph Dewen
Ralph Dewen

The like Certificate as is entered folio. 1. was granted to Ralph Dewen to set forth the Phenix of the Burthen of 150 Tons belonging to the Port of Penzance and whereof the said Ralph Dewen is Master dated 22d June 1781. and in the 21st Year of his Majs Reign

See Common Docket Office and Bails in the Bundle of Bails

29 June 1781

Michael Hambly Gentn Commander of the Ship or Vessel called the William Chalmers now riding at Anchor in the Port of Bristol and bound from the Port of Bristol to Africa and to return to Bristol

John Hambly Gentn Master of the Ship or Vessel called the William Chalmers now riding at Anchor in the Port of Bristol and bound from the Port of Bristol to Africa and to return to Bristol

Jacques Agricole Stern Prince Head 3 Masts Shallop Ship employed in the Trade and Navigation between Senegal Goree Gambia and Bale Goree and the Rivers Gambia Bissao and Cacheo in Africa and to return to Bristol with Slaves Gold Dust Bees Wax Teeth and other Merchandizes the Burthen of 350 Tons or thereabouts whereof William Chalmers is at present Master navigated with 22 Men and Boys and mounted with 20 Guns Navigated with 80 Men Navigated outward bound from Bristol aforesaid to Africa aforesaid with 10 Men and no Guns and navigated homeward bound from Africa aforesaid to Bristol aforesaid with 50 Negroes Gold Dust Bees Wax Teeth and other Merchandizes

Whereas it appears that the said Ship or Vessel is navigated for 6 Months and 2 entire Months more than 3 Months for which 3 Months Victualling Bond hath been given

Whereas the said John Hambly hath made Oath that the said Ship or Vessel called the William Chalmers now riding at Anchor in the Port of Bristol aforesaid is navigated by Twenty two Men and Boys and mounted with Twenty Guns and navigated outward bound from the Port of Bristol aforesaid to Africa aforesaid with Ten Men and no Guns and navigated homeward bound from Africa aforesaid to Bristol aforesaid with Fifty Negroes Gold Dust Bees Wax Teeth and other Merchandizes the Burthen of Three hundred and fifty Tons or thereabouts whereof the said John Hambly is at present Master belonging to the Port of London and that the said Ship or Vessel is bound from Bristol to Africa and to return to Bristol

John Hambly Master

Sworn before me at Bristol aforesaid in the Office of Exhibits this 29th day of June 1781

Wm Hambly

Entered the same day
This Declaration made
Before me

And: Colt Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comm. as is Ent.d in Folio 1 no
granted to William Chalmers to act in the
the Vacancy of 2 Sons & Exr. to the Will
of London in the room of the said Wm. Chalmers
Gascoyne deceased dated the 23d. June 1781 and
in the 21st. year of his Majs. Reign

30th June 1781

Reginald Benjamin Hammond Deign.
Marsh & Abbott

(The like Commission is entred Folio 1.
also granted to Benj.n Hammond to
Act with the Negibald of the Brethren
of the Trinity House of Deptford Strond
of 200 Tons, belonging to the Port of
Liverpool and Effects of the said Benj.n
Hammond goth Com.n dated 30 June
1781. and in the 21st. year of his Majs.
Reign.

See Common Book Aff.t 2 in Bailiffs
in the bundles.

Received the Sum of Seven
pounds, in full for Commissions
for June 1781. by me
Geo. Hamilton
D.C. 31. July
1781

Rec.d same time Four Pounds ten
Shillings for 3 Letters of Marque
passed in June 1781

7th July 1781

James Sibley Gent. Executor
of the Will of Sir Thomas Gascoyne late
of London Gentleman de-
ceased Philip Gifford named in a Com-
mission dated the 23d. June 1781 and
granted to the said James Sibley
Executor of the Will of the said Sir Thomas
Gascoyne deceased to Act for the said
Philip Gifford and whereas the said Philip
Gifford hath been duly sworn before me
at the Office in Maidstone Square Stern Regina
Head
that the Bond in the penalty of Two Thousand
Pounds conditioned for the due and
faithful Execution of the Office of Proctor
in the Court of Admiralty by the said
Philip Gifford to be executed
pursuant to the Statute in that case made
and provided was executed by the said
Philip Gifford and by John Johnson
of Great Tower Street London Merchant
and John Lee of Great Tower Street
London Merchant in the penalty of One
Thousand Pounds and that the Affidavit
required by the Statute in that case made
and provided was duly taken by the said
Philip Gifford before me as appears by
the Bond and Affidavit now remaining
in the Registry of this Court I do
therefore hereby admit the said Philip
Gifford to the Office of Proctor in this
Court in the room of the said Sir Thomas
Gascoyne deceased In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed the Seal of my Office this
7th day of July 1781

John Johnson
John Lee

Sworn before me
Ald: Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

Jas. Sibley

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The Obligation as in Gibr: in Dble I was
granted to Philip Gilliam to ut for the Port
Maidstone of 130 Tons bg: to the Port
of London whereof the sd: Philip Gilliam
Maidstone
goeth Com: dated the 7th July 17[illegible]
in the 21st year of his Majs: Reign.

Know all men by these Presents that we Aeneas Hugton of Mark Lane
London Gentleman on behalf of Capt. Patrick
Montgomery now at Irwin
Montgomery
Patrick Montgomery
Fox Cring Master Stronach having no
Cert
employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Provisions and Wearing Apparel
for the Voyage at her burthen of 160 tons that the said Patrick
Montgomery is to victual and navigate the said Ship
for 10 Months by no means less than 16 Men 16 or more than 16
Gallons 10 Gallons per Man 30 pounds of Bread per Man 1000 lb Pounds
Weight of Bread to be delivered in 6 Months for 2 Months 3
Quarters 3 Gallons of 1000 lb Weight to be delivered to James
Johnson
Robt. Brown
Robt. Smith
Capt. Thos. Robertson
Pat. Thompson Surgeon
Port of Irwin
Port of Irwin to Cork &
New York and to return to Great Britain
Arthur M.Clure and Company of
Irwin in North Britain Merchants and the

Aeneas Hugton

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Caveat as is Entered in Folio 1 was granted to Patrick Montgomery for the Ship of 166 Tons belg to the Port of Lon[n] whereof the said Pat.k Montgomery was Com[r] dated the 9th day of July 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Ship

Eagle — John — Hibbertswaite — Mark Abbott —

The like Caution as is entred Folio 1. was granted to John Hibbert Swaite to Export the Ship Eagle of the burthen of 170 Tons belonging to the port of Liverpool and whereof the said John Hibbert Swaite was Com[r] dated 9th July 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

See Common Decl.n Off.t and Bail in the Bundle of Bails.

11th July 1781 125

Richard Ormrod & John Charlton of Dean Street in Southwark in the County of Surry Merchant, 128.

Surr.f of Capt.n Ralph Abram now at Sea

Ralph Abram

Ralph Abram

Champion being Square Stern with Quarter Deck & Head

employed in Trade and not

Cargo consists of Stores and Provisions

Ralph Abram

350

20

45 50 50

Cattle 20 Sheep 50 Goats 500

Small Arms & Ammunition for 6 Carriage Guns

Swivels 2 Guns 3 Pounders

Nathan Dodd

Richd Wilson

Richd West

John Cant

Robt North

John Sharp

Liverpool

the Port of Liverpool to Africa and to return to Great Britain

Peter Baker and John Dawson of Liverpool Merchants

John Charlton

Sworn at the Office

in the same Day

first before me

And: Colbee Ducarel

Surrogate

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The like Caution as is Entered in Folio 1 was
granted to Patrick Montgomery & with the
Sum of 1600 tons Built at Port of Cowes
whereof the said Patrick Montgomery is
Comd. dated the 9th July 1791 and in the 21st
year of his Majs. Reign.

210x

Eagle — John — Hibbertwaite — Mash. Abbott —

The like Caution as is entred Folio 1. was granted
to John Hibbertwaite to the Ship
Eagle of the burthen of 170 Tons belonging
to the port of Liverpool and whereof the
said John Hibbertwaite is Master Comr.
dated 9th July 1791 and in the 21st year
of his Majs. Reign.

See Common Decln. Off. and Bail in the
Bundles of Bails.

11th July 1791 — 127

John Charlton of Dean Street
Southwark in the County of Surry Merchant, on
behalf of Capt.n Ralph Abram now at Sea

Ralph Abram

Ralph Abram
Champion being Square Sterned with
Bilanders Head
employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Stores and Provisions
of 350 Ralph Abram
20
9 45 50 50
Cutlass 20 Powder 50 500 lbs
Small Arms &c. 3 Pistols for Men
said 3 Guns 3 Cutlasses & a Pistol between Liverpool
Richd Wilson Nathan Dodd
Gunner Richd West John Cant
Robt North
John Sharp
Liverpool
the port of Liverpool to
Africa and to return to Great Britain
Peter Baker and John Dawson of
Liverpool Merchants

John Charlton

Sworn &c. before me
on the same day
first above mentioned
Before me
Wm. Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Letters Commissions Entered in Folio 1 was granted to Ralph Abraham to victual the Burthen of 250 Tons &c the Master Ralph Abram with Security entered into as the Ralph Abram with Security entered into as the 11th July 1781 in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

11th July 1781 130

Be it remembered that John Charlton of Dean street Southwark in the County of Surry Merchant on behalf of Robert Syers late of Liverpool 129

Robert Syers

Robert Syers

Prince William Henry Square Steward 18 Men and Boys all employed in Trade and Their Cargo consists of Provisions

Robert Syers

22 Carriage Guns 50 Men 50 small Arms 50 Pistols 10 Cutlasses 30 under the Tonnage 600 Tons 3 Anchors 3 Cables &c 1000 Weight and Robert Brown John Jones Victor Thomas Peterson Capt John Short Surgeon and that the Ship is Port of Liverpool

Port of Liverpool to Africa and to return to Great Britain

Thomas Plumbold, Thomas Parker, Benj. Arthur Heywood and Thomas Clinde of Liverpool Merchants are the

John Charlton

Sworn &c this 11th day of July 1781 before me

Wm. Colfox Deputy Surrogate

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Prince William Galley Capt. dated the 11th June 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign.

13th July 1781

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Thomas William Jolly of Bishopsgate Street London Merchant on behalf of Captain Thos. Walker now at Sea

Prince Alfred being square Stern no Head

One Gun employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions

256 Tons Thomas Walker Master Carries 20 Men 6 Guns 12 & 9 Pounders 12 Swivels 20 Men Navigate 120 Tons 90 Men 30 Pounders 30 Swivels 6 Pounders 500 Tons 6 Months 2 Masts 3 Anchors 3 Cables 500 Tons Thos. Nicholls Wm. Richards Edwd. Seccombe John Cook Patrick Roach Capt. Stewart

Sworn to the Port of Bristol and London

Thos. William Jolly

Before me

Wm. Cooper

Wm. Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

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The Letters Commissory Sub. in Solido is
granted to Thomas Hallett late of
the Prince Alfred of 251 Tons Burthen
Peter Forbes and Thomas Hallett
Prince Alfred the 13th Inst. Signed in the 21st Year
of his Majs Reign.

Charlotte 13th
Jas Wiseman
Grave.

The Letters Patent are in Parchment Dated the 1st July 1781 and Signed in the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign.

James Wiseman to the Port of Liverpool Master
of the Charlotte of 150 Tons Burthen or thereabouts
Edward Morrison
Dated 13th July 1781

Sworn before me
Geo: Moffatt

16th July 1781 — 131 — 132

Appeared personally George Moffatt of Savage Gardens
London Merchant one of the Partners Benjamin
Blanchet named in a Certificate of Register
Granted for the Ship called the Prince Alfred
whereof Thomas Hallett is at present Master
now lying in the River Thames and bound from
hence to Africa and the West Indies and to return to
Great Britain and the said George Moffatt
Maketh Oath and Saith that the said Ship
was Built at Quebec in the Year 1781 and
that to the best of this Deponents Knowledge
Information and Belief the said Benjamin
Blanchet is the only Person Interested therein
as Owner and that the said Ship is Navigated
by Twenty Men and Boys only as Mariners
whereof the said Thomas Hallett is Master
and that the said Ship is Mounted with
Twenty Guns and no more and that the said
Benjamin Blanchet is a Subject of his Majesty
and Resident in Great Britain and that the
said Ship was Taken by the Enemy and
Retaken by the Ship Prince Alfred
Commanded by Peter Forbes and that
the said Ship was Condemned as Lawful
Prize in the Court of Admiralty and
Purchased by the said Benjamin Blanchet
for the Sum of £1100 and that the said
Benjamin Blanchet is now Sole Owner
thereof and that the said Ship hath not
been Sold or Transferred to any Person
or Persons Whatsoever and that the
Burthen of the said Ship doth not
Exceed Three Hundred Tons to the best
of this Deponents Knowledge Information
and Belief and that the said Ship
hath not been Admeasured and that
the Name of the said Ship is painted
on a Board on her Stern and that
the Name of the said Ship is not
Changed and that the Letters Patent
for the said Ship bearing Date the
1st day of July 1781 were Granted
to the said Ship at the Port of London
and that the said Ship is Bona fide
Intended to Proceed from the Port of London
to Africa and the West Indies and to return to
and Land her Cargo in Great Britain
Elizabeth Tyler of Savage Gardens
London Merchant is the Sole
Owner of the said Ship

Geo: Moffatt

Sworn at the time above
in this Deposition mentioned
before me Ad: Colke Ducarel
Surrogate

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St Christopher to wit. Be it remembered that on the 16th day of July 1781 - personally appeared before me John Charlton of Dean Street Southwark Gentleman & made oath that the Ship called the Hope whereof Richard Cook is at present Master now lying at Basseterre in the Island of St Christopher is the property of the Deponent and that the said Ship is duly registered according to the Act of Parliament in that case made and provided and that the Deponent is the sole owner thereof and that no Alien or Subject of any Foreign State or Power hath any Share Interest or Property in the said Ship or in the Profits thereof directly or indirectly and that the said Ship is bona fide bound from Liverpool to Antigua and to return to Liverpool

Sworn at the Office of the Surrogate of the Right Honble the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain in Doctors Commons London this 16th day of July 1781 before me

And: Colkett Ducarel Surrogate

Samuel Browne of Antigua Merchant in the Island

John Charlton

Marsh

Henry Derrett of Mincing Lane
London Gentleman on behalf of Capt. Wm Allenson

Wm Allenson

Wm Allenson
Edward is square Sterned, has a Billet
Head and
three
carries Navigated in Brass and her Cargo
consists of India & Price Goods and other Merchandise
Wm Allenson
20 20 20 20
20 30 30
9 2 3 3
Johnston
Chas White Richd Neale
Walter Speed Peter Sharpe
John Lee
Wm Crane
Port of Liverpool
the Port of Liverpool to the
Coast of Africa and the West Indies and to return to Great Britain
Gill Slater, Thomas Stanisforth, Thomas Ryan,
Thomas Cropper & Thomas Carter of Liverpool Merchts
the said Captain Wm Allanson are the principal

Henry Derrett

Sworn in the same day
this Deed was made
before me
Wm. Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

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20 July 1781

Appeared personally Henry Derrett of Mincing Lane London Gentleman on behalf of Captain Clement Noble now at

Dear

Clement Noble

Clement Noble

Brooks is square Sterned, has a Figure Head

employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of India Piece Goods, and other Merchandizes

Noble

Compton

Walter Bathurst

Noble

Chas Lee

Patrick Leckie

Richd

Stevens

of the Port of Liverpool

from the Port of Liverpool to the Coast of Africa and the West Indies and to return to Great Britain

Thomas Staniforth, Francis Ingram,

Thomas Rumbold. James Carruthers, and Joseph

Brooks the Younger of Liverpool Merchants are

the principal

Henry Derrett

Wm. Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Bucks

dated the 20th July 1781 and in the 21st
year of his Majs Reign.

William Smith of Bishopsgate
Street London Merchant on behalf of
Charles Harrison Master of the

Harrison and Company Charles
Harrison and Company Ship called the Charles
Harrison of London Burthen 500 Tons or thereabouts
Charles Harrison
Commander now Outward bound from this Port
to Bengal in the East Indies and
intended to proceed from thence to Bengal aforesaid
and back to this Port with the Ship's Company
only and no Passengers

3 Guns 10 Men and no more
6 Navigated by 110 Tons or thereabouts 20 Men 30 Tons or thereabouts 30
10 Mariners or thereabouts 70 Tons or thereabouts
Burthen 6 Guns 2 Men and no more 2 Cutteaus 3
3 Swivels 20 Men 40 Tons or thereabouts 20
Goodfellowship Jacob Richard Ship
Jonathan Savage Master Boston Sloop
Peace and Plenty Edward Hyde Master
Good Hope Thomas Hyde Master
and the Ports of Hull
Liverpool and from thence to Hull to the West
Indies and so Return to Great Britain

John Dugan and James
Harris of Hull Merchants are the
Sureties in the Usual Penalty
for the due performance of the
Voyage and that the Bond
is to be void and of none effect
or else to remain in full force
and virtue

William Smith

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comission was Entred in Folio 1200 granted to Chas. Harrison to sell with the Indistinct 500 Tons belg.g to the Master of Butterfield Hall whereof the said Chas. Harrison is Com.r dated the 29th July 1701 in the 21st year of her Majts Reign

24th May 1701
Ruby
Edw.d Harrison

The like Comission is entred folio 1200 granted to Edward Harrison to sail with the Ruby of the Burthen of 250 Tons, belonging to the port of Glasgow, and whereof the said Edward Harrison is Com.r dated 29th July 1701. and in 21st year of his Majts Reign.

See Cocquet Decl.n &c. and Bail in the Bundles of Bails

Land &c

30th July 1701 — 137

Appeared personally Thomas Bell of Gutched Friars London Gentleman on behalf of Captain William Dennis now at Falmouth

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William Dennis

William Dennis Master of the Ship called the Elizabeth of London Burthen 300 Tons or thereabouts Mounted with 32 Guns Navigated with 60 Men and no more Carrying Six Pounders

Dennis

Entenfuzee is square Sterned has a figure head 3 Decks and has Carved Work belonging to her Cabbin is employed in Trade and her Cargo Consists of Wines

William Dennis

q.644 Barrells 214 Hogsheads 200 Pipes 200 Quarter Casks 200 60 40 1000 6 3 3 3 Hhds 150 Pun Lee

George Smith Master

George Line Richard Lamb

Capt George Moore Capt Thomas Jones

Masters of the Ships now lying and bound for the port of London

Falmouth to Jamaica and back to London

Sir Robert Eden Bart & Thomas Eden of London Merchants are the principal

Tho Bell

Sworn before me in the Office this 30th day of July 1701 at Falmouth

Jno Lee

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Enterprize

The like Commission bath been this day granted to William Dennis to set forth the Enterprize of [illegible] Tons [illegible] of the Port of London Mercht the said Wm Dennis &c. Com: dated the 30th July 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Received Fourteen pounds in full for Commissions passed in July 1781 —

£ 14

by me Geo. Harris
30. August 1781.

Received [illegible] Shillings for 11 Actions [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] James Margetson of Clements Lane Merchant in behalf of Willis Machell [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Willis Machell

[illegible]

[illegible] Willis Machell

[illegible] is Square Stern'd and no Head

and 2 Masts [illegible] Employed in Trade Her Cargo consists of Provisions

[illegible] 200 [illegible] Willis Machell

[illegible] 18 [illegible]

6 [illegible] no [illegible] 70 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 30

[illegible] 20 [illegible] 100 [illegible] 300 [illegible]

[illegible] 4 Months [illegible] 2 [illegible] 4 [illegible]

4 [illegible] 10 [illegible] Jn Harrison

[illegible] James Thomas [illegible]

William Ward [illegible] Thomas Phillips

[illegible] Jn Morron [illegible] Alexander

McGhie [illegible]

[illegible] Port of Leith [illegible]

[illegible] from Leith to the West indies and back to London

[illegible] James Margetson of London Merchant Principal Ower

J Margetson

[illegible]

[illegible] same day
[illegible] was made
before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Apollo

James Sutherland

Cricklade V. County

The Like Caution as is entered for a Ship called the
granted to James Sutherland to navigate
the Ship called the Apollo of the Burthen of 110 Tons
belonging to the Port of Bristol and
Master of the said James Sutherland
as the Com.rs dated 9th Aug.t 1781, and in
the 21st year of his Maj.ty Reign.

See Caution Book. fol. and Bail in the
Bundle of Bails.

16. August 1781 138 139

John Simpson of Hatton Court
Threadneedle Street London Merchant on behalf of
Captain Patrick Welch master Liverpool

Patrick
Welch
Patrick Welch

James being square Stemed ffigure
Head

three tiers of Guns navigated with Sixteen
Men Boys & Ordinary Seamen

196 Tons

Welch

Nine Pounders

Liverpool

Thomas Moss and William Moss of
Liverpool Merchants owners of the

Ship or Vessel called the

John Simpson

And. Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Libe Commissrs Exd their Folio Imas
wanted to Search Westbrook & the
Premises &c. & to Seize the Goods
Liverpool mentioned in the said Pat. Welsh
peth Com. dated the 16th. August 1701
and in the 13th. Year of his Mat. Reign

Examd

Appeard personally 17th. August 1781

John Turner of Bishopsgate Street
London Upholsterer & Cabinet Maker
Deposeth & Saith that he this Deponent
hath Compared the Copy of the Petition
of Daniel Boyer hereunto annexed with
the Original Petition of the said Daniel Boyer
and that the same is a true Copy

Attested

Thomas Wollaston Notary Publick

Appeard personally Thomas Wollaston Notary Publick
duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists & Saith that
he this Deponent hath Compared the Copy of the
Petition of Daniel Boyer with the Original Petition
of the said Daniel Boyer & that the same is a true
Copy

Sworn before me this 17th. August 1781

Thomas Wollaston Notary Publick

Appeard personally John Turner of Bishopsgate
Street London Upholsterer & Cabinet Maker
and made Oath that the Contents of the
Petition of Daniel Boyer hereunto annexed
are true to the best of his Knowledge
Information & Belief

John Turner

Sworn before me this 17th. August 1781

Wm. Colbee Bucarel
Surrogate

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Bealty

The like Commission as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted to Daniel Oyen to set forth the Bealtie of 50 Tons belong.d to the Port of London whereof the said Daniel Oyen goeth Com.r dated the 17th Aug.t 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj.ts Reign.

Appeared personally James Lempriere of Broad Street Buildings London Merchant on behalf of Captain John Poingdestre now at Sea [illegible] John [illegible] Poingdestre [illegible] John Poingdestre; [illegible] Mars & Square Sterned, No Head & 3 [illegible] Employed in Trade and her Cargo Consists of Provisions [illegible] 170 [illegible] John Poingdestre [illegible] 12 [illegible] 4 [illegible] 60 [illegible] 60 [illegible] 60 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 300 [illegible] 6 months [illegible] 2 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 3 [illegible] 1000 [illegible] John Dopere [illegible] William Webb [illegible] Peter Wilson [illegible] John Denson [illegible] David Cooper [illegible] William Wigort [illegible] Port of Jersey [illegible] from the Port of Jersey to the Western Islands & to return to Great Britain and that Thomas Pipon and Philip Robin of Jersey Merchants are the principal [illegible]

Sworn [illegible]

On the same day [illegible] made

Before me

And: Coltee Ducarel, Surrogate

Jas. Lempriere

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18 August 1781

Captn Gray Ford of Weymouth Shareholder

Gray Ford

Gray Ford

New Adventure Agnes Montgomerie
Master employed in Trade and
Ber. Cargo Consisted of Provisions

Gray Ford

370

96

8986 Pounds Fine Sugar 120 120 120

50 300

6 2 2

2 1000 John Jones

Wm Williams

Peter Lee Samuel Ford

Andrew Anderson Peter Frazer
Pilot of
Weymouth

Weymouth to the West Indies and
to return to London

Gabriel Steward and Francis
Steward of Weymouth Merchants
are the

Gray Ford

Power of Attorney to all Transactions
Relative to the Ship
Cargo Freight &c
Signed

And: Coffee Ducarel
Surrogate

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18. August 1781

Hugh Charnock of Buckinham

Thomas

Thomas

Thomas Daniell

Plantation Built

Succes Square Rigged

Employed in Trade

Thomas

150.

12

A No. 35 Tons 30 Men 30

20 10 200

6 2 3

500 John Jones

David Lee

William Webb John Thurnier

David Job Peter

Peters

Port of Bristol

Port of Bristol to Jamaica & to return to

Great Britain

Messrs Lowbridge and Richard

Bright of Bristol Merchants are

Principal

Hugh Charnock

Adm: Colke Ducarel

Surrogate

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Thomas Parker of Wapping in the
County of Middlesex Gentleman on behalf of Captain
William Mosspett now at Sea

William

Mosspett

William Mosspett
Unicorn Square Stern'd Nothead
1 Mast that has Employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods
1835 Tons that has William
Mosspett Master Mast mans that has in the whole carried 16 Guns navigated by 4
Foreign Sailors No Slaves Guns 8 Men 18 Small Arms 18
Cutlasses 18 Boys under 30 Years of age not above 200 Tons Burthen
Navigated in the whole by 6 Months last 2 Months Stores 3 Months
Provisions for about 500 Men she have on board last Sailed from
Chatham Date of last Clearance Henry Stevens Esq
Collector Comptroller Surveyor or Naval Officer
Clearance Thos Jones Deputy Collector
Bond given by Thomas Parker
to the Port of Folkstone
in the sum of 1000 pounds and is from the Port of Folkstone
to the Mediterranean Ports Return to Great
and Near Britain

Phineas Jacobs of Folkstone in the
County of Kent Merchant in the Principal

Thomas Parker

Sworn before me this 28th
day of August
1781 at Doctors Commons
Before me
Wm: Cooke Bucknell
Surrogate

21st August 1781
Engineer
James Stephens

Mortlake Cattan &c is entered Folio 1. &c
granted to James Stephens to depart
the Conqueror of this burthen of 100
Tons belonging to the port of Bristol
and whereof the said James Stephens
is Master dated 21st Aug. 1781. and
in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

See Cocquet dated 28th Aug. 1781 and Bail Bond
the Bundles of Mails

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Unicorn

The like Commission at [illegible] to [illegible]
granted to Wm Chapman set forth
the Bonniface of 100 Tons [illegible] to the
Port of Liverpool whereof the said Wm
Bonniface Chapman [illegible] Com: dated the 29th
August 1781 and in the 21st year of his
Majs: Reign

[illegible] Thomas Clark of Cornhill
London Merchant on behalf of Captain
William Le Lacheur Cloudathon
and produced a Warr from the Lords Commrs of the Admiralty [illegible]
[illegible] Wm Le Lacheur
[illegible]
[illegible] Wm Le Lacheur
[illegible] the Ship Round Stern [illegible] head
3 [illegible] employed in Trade and
her Cargo is Wines
[illegible] burthen of 30 [illegible] Wm Le
Lacheur [illegible]
1 Cohorn [illegible]
2 [illegible] 6 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 24 [illegible] 30 [illegible]
2 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 300 [illegible]
[illegible] 3 [illegible] 2 [illegible] 6 [illegible]
6 [illegible] 1000 [illegible] Thomas Long
[illegible] Chas Pike — [illegible]
Phil Garey — [illegible] James Pike
[illegible] John Jones — [illegible] Wm Lee
[illegible]
belongs to the Port of Guernsey
that she is bound on a Voyage from Guernsey to New
York & back to Guernsey —
and that
Elisha Tupper William Le Tupper
John Elisha Tupper and Isaac Carey of
Guernsey Merchants are the principal
Owners & [illegible] Ship

Tho Clark

[illegible] same day
[illegible] was made
before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Received eleven pounds in full
for eleven commissions passed
in august last Geo. Harris.
£ 11 — 10. Sept^r 1781

Received Eleven pounds in full
for eleven commissions passed
in August last Geo. Harris.
£ 11 — 10. Sept^r 1781

1^st Sept^r 1781

Richard Bingell Jun^r Mast
Dale Sheath London Hardwanna on
board the Ship Besom Novascotia

John Besom

John Besom
Revenge Squa. Allen Plaisted

Cargo Consisting of Provision — John Besom.

3 10 50 30 30 6 600

Richard Bingell Jun^r Mast
Dale Sheath London Hardwanna on
board the Ship Besom Novascotia

John Besom

John Besom
Revenge Squa. Allen Plaisted

Cargo Consisting of Provision — John Besom.

3 10 50 30 30 6 600

Daniel Gardon the Granger and
Louis Daniers of Guernsey Cordwainers

Daniel Gardon the Granger and
Louis Daniers of Guernsey Cordwainers

Michael Curtis — Gunner
Michael Curtis — Gunner

Chas. Bingham — Cook & Gun Boat
Chas. Bingham — Cook & Gun Boat

Guernsey
Guernsey to Lisbon and Cork to Guernsey
Guernsey
Guernsey to Lisbon and Cork to Guernsey

Sworn before me at the Navy
Office in the Town of
Poole this 1^st day of
Sept^r 1781

Before me
Jn^o Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

I Burnell

I Burnell

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The Commission and Instruction in Italic was granted to Sabin Hopkins set forth the Revenge of 70 Guns belg to the Island of Guernsey whereof the said Sabin Hopkins Esqr was duly Commissionated the 1st day of April in the 21st year of his Majs Reign

Phœnix

The [illegible] [illegible] as is Ent.d in folio [illegible] was granted to Henry Clarke [illegible] set forth the Master of the said Vessel to the Port of [illegible] whereof the said Mr. Clarke [illegible] dated the 1st Sept: 1781 and in the 21st year of his Maj.ts Reign.

[illegible] Samuel Curetan of Walbrooke London Merchant on behalf of William Commerson now at [illegible]

[illegible] William Commander [illegible] made the following [illegible] William Commerson

[illegible] called the Nimble Cutter Square Stern Pink head

[illegible] Employed in Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods

[illegible] 110 [illegible] Commerson [illegible] 8 [illegible]

[illegible] 6 [illegible] 40 [illegible] 30 [illegible] 30

[illegible] 10 [illegible] 50 [illegible] 1000 [illegible]

[illegible] 6 [illegible] 9 [illegible] 8 [illegible]

[illegible] Samuel [illegible] Wright [illegible]

John Sams [illegible] Ralph Gile

Joseph Head [illegible] Wm. Hay

[illegible] Island of Alderney [illegible]

Alderney to Gibraltar & to Return to Great Britain

and that Samuel Curetan and [illegible] of Alderney Merchants are the principal [illegible]

Samuel Curetan

Owner Letter [illegible] 9th Sep

On the same day this Decl.n was made Before me And: Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

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The like Caution as is Enter'd in Solid 1 was
given to the Alderm Commanded set forth
the Double Gilder of 12l Sterl. Value
Island of Alderney whereof the said Hon.
Commiss. well Cons. dated the 4th Sept.
1781 and in the 21st year of his Majs.
Reign.

Double
Gilder

Appeared personally 8th Sept. 1781

James Langlois of Broad Street
Merchant London Merchant on behalf of John
de Lacheux Esqr. of Guernsey
the Attorney [illegible] the said John de Lacheux
Esqr. and in his name subscribed the Oath
by him taken and made for telling the Truth
the whole Truth and nothing but the Truth
touching the Property Value and Contents
of the Cargo of the Ship or Vessel called the
Endeavour Agnace Mere Master
and whereof Thomas Bonamy is Master
for this present Voyage and whereof
the Burthen is about 50 Tons or thereabouts
now laden and bound from Guernsey to
Madeira and to Cadiz to London
and that the said John de Lacheux
is Owner of the Cargo on board the said
Ship or Vessel and that the Invoice
now produced by him to the Deponent
and by him signed for the Purpose of
Identification is a true and perfect
Invoice of the said Cargo and that
all the Goods therein mentioned
are the Property of the said John
de Lacheux and that no Person
or Persons hath or have any Share
Part or Interest therein directly
or indirectly save and except
the said John de Lacheux
Endeavour Agnace Mere Master
Owner Thomas Bonamy Master
employed in Trade and
for Guernsey Bonamy Master
Burthen of 50 Tons or thereabouts
Guernsey
John de
Lacheux
Cargo
6 Pounds Gunpowder 30 Gun 30 small 30
10 Pistols Powder 50 pounds Shot 300 Ball
Shot 6 Muskets 2 Swivel Guns 3
1000 Flints
John Lacheux
Peter Dobree
John Gran
Peter Dobree
John Scott
Paul
Guernsey
Madeira and to Cadiz to London
Nicholas Lenfestey
of Guernsey Merchant is Principal

Sworn Attested by the Deponent
at the same time
this Declaration made
Before me

Wm. Lemprière

Wm. Colbee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Cocquet as is entred fo: 150
was granted to Rich.d Stevens to
depart the Lady Howe of the
burthen of 150 Tons belonging to
the port of Dartmouth the Master of
the said Rich.d Stevens goeth Com.r
dated 10.th Sept.r 1781 and in the
21.st year of this Maj.ties Reign

& so Cocquet Dest.r to Rich.d Baile
in the Custody of Bailey

10.th September 1781

Lady Howe

Rich.d Stevens

ABoggy

11.th September 1781 150 151

Francis Kendall

Rivaz Martin Esqr Commr Hood Linda
for Newfoundland & Governor Island Guernsey

Cocquet for

John Gavet

John Gavet

Entered Outwards

John Gavet,

Master Burthen Tons Round
Navigated Men Guns Built Where
Bound to Lisbon Trade
Her Cargo Consist of Provisions & Dry Goods
Value 30
Gavet

No Description Value
No 1 Shipped on Board 20 Pipes 20 Contents 20
10 Pipes Wine 200 Gallons 300 Ogdens Gauge 2
Hogsheads Do for 2 Barrels 2 Kilderkins 2
3 Cases 100 Bottles Wine Do John
White
William Lee Master Charles Ripley
Boys Walter Hervet 15.m Men
Passengers Do Do Do to the Island of
Guernsey
Island of Guernsey to Lisbon & to return
to Great Britain

John Le Marchant, of Lisbon Merchant
Morant & Nicholas Mauger the Elder of
Principal Owners Citizens of this City
Merchants
Do hereby declare
that Each for
Himself
Severally

Rivaz

Wd: Colthee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Surprize

The 11 Guineas mentioned in this Policy were granted to John Grant and the other Surprizes of 30 Tons Each to the Port of Guernsey without the said Sir. Grant pays Cash to the Assd. Capt. Upton and the Assd. Capt & his Owners Receipt

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Upon Ship Commonly Called the Nehemiah Holland now at Liverpool

Nehemiah Holland

Nehemiah Holland

York is a Square Stern Ship Navigated employed in Trade and her Cargo of India and other Goods

80 Men that has Nehemiah Holland

no more than 25 Men 25 Men 25 Men

20 Guns 300 Tons

12 Pounders 3 Swivels 4

Thomas Jones

William James

John Jackson Robert Short

John Jones William Parke

Liverpool to Africa in the West Indies and to return to Liverpool in Great Britain

John Copeland and William Jenkinson of Liverpool Merchants are the

George Edwd. Hales

And: Colvill Ducarel
Wm Ogle

York

John Saubergue of Walbrooke
London Merchant & late of Jersey Attorney (Richard
Wilkinson now at Hexham
Richd
Wilkinson
Richard Wilkinson
No 1 Head Surprize Square Rigged
Compleyed in Trade thereof
Burthen Two hundred & fifty Tons Carriage 150 Richard
Wilkinson Master & Commander 14 Navigators &
4 Guns 70 Tons 10 Men 40
20 50 1000
3 2 3 3
500 Pounds Powder
Days
Reid Samuel Loyd
Dicter Stephen Tittle
Island of
Alderney
Island of Alderney to Gibraltar & to return to
Great Britain

John Le Mesurier & Peter Saubergue of
the Island of Alderney Merchants do hereby
Jamaica
Jn° Saubergue

And: Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

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Surprize

the Life Company in England to Richard Hillhouse to set forth the Surprize of 19£ 5s and to the Assured endorsed on the said Richd Hillhouse's Policy dated the 14th Sept. 1781 under the 1st Sum assured Pds

Surprize

Alexander Montgomery & Co. and Company of Glasgow Merchants are Proprietors

Sworn & Settlement Thos. by in the same day Jas Dec[k] was made by Jur. Sum Dign

And: Colbee Ducarel Surrogate

Jas. Hesseltine

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20th. Sept. 1701.

John Charlton of Lime Street London Gentleman as Obligor & Capt. Francis Holland mariner as Obligee

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Lea

Francis Holland

Bellona

square Stern Carr a Figure Head and [illegible] employed in Trade and the Cargo mentioned of Provisions & Stores for Guinea Francis Holland 250 Tons Burthen 4 Carriage guns carrying Shot of 9 Pounds Weight Navy Pieces 35 35 500 31 9 2 3 5 100 John Roberts Peter Lee Chas Pixley Jonathan Mather Philip Hanlon Nicholas Brickell Goodchild of the Port of Liverpool

Now the Condition of the above Obligation is such That if the above bounden John Charlton his Executors or Administrators do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the above named Francis Holland his Executors Administrators or Assigns the full Sum of One Hundred Pounds of Lawful Money of Great Britain within Three Calendar Months next after the Arrival of the said Ship Bellona from the Coast of Guinea at the Port of Liverpool or within Three Calendar Months next after the Death of the said Francis Holland in case he shall happen to die in the Voyage aforesaid Then the above Obligation to be void and of none Effect or else to remain in full Force and Virtue

Sealed & Delivered in the Presence of us

Jno Charlton

Add: Colbee Ducarel Surrogate

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Bettes

4th Sept 1781

Peter Bertram of London Merchant

Robert Cragg of Bow aforesd

Robert Cragg

Robert Cragg

Joseph Isaac Dias Pigueo Israel

employed in Trade and

Merchandize 390 Robert

Cragg 32

90 300 146 600 160

6 2 3

1000 John Lee

Edward Jones Wm Jones

Jas Doran Patrick Doran

Lee Estate

Port of Bristol

Bristol to Hebden

Indies & to Return to London

Joshua Powell and Company of Bristol Merchants and

Principal

Peter Bertram

Wm: Collins Deputy
Surrogate

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26th Sept. 1768

Thomas Morton

Thomas Morton
a Slave being & appears & stand having
a Slave Named
employed in Trade and has
Goods & Provisions and Dry Goods

100 Tho.s Morton

30 50 50 50
10 30 500
6 3
John Smith
W.m Palmer
John Brooks
Rob.t Brooks
Edw.d Bruce
Edw.d Robinson

Thomas Morton to the Port of London
has Liberty to Return from the Port of London to Africa
and to Return to Great Britain
and that Wm Camden and Anthony Calvert of Rodney
Street Wapping in the County of Middlesex
Merchants have the
Owners & Letters of the Ship
Orr the same day
this Deed was made

Before me
Thos Calvert

Jurrogate
Cockburn & Townley

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Ind: Collet Ducarel
Surrogate

Cornish & Townley

Bellona

The like Licence was in that Year in Like Manner granted to Francis Holland to set forth the Bellona of 250 Tons with 150 to the Port of Liverpool as Owner of the said Francis Holland gave Bond dated the 24th Sept. 1781 and in the 21st Year of this Majs Reign.

Appeared personally 24th Sept. 1781

Lane London } Peter Bertram of Whitehaven Gentleman and Robert Cragg Now at Sea

who produced a Warrant from Rt Hble the Lords Comm.rs for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c for a Grant to be made to him the said Robert Cragg and in pursuance of their Lordships Warrant made the following Entry with the Date thereof viz.t Robert Cragg

as per called the Swift Square Stern Pink Head

was 3 Masts Burthen 150 Tons employed in Trade and navigated by 12 Men Navigated with Guns Swivels Small Arms 150 Cutlasses 90 Lbs of Powder 300 Rounds of Shot & Ball 600 Hand Grenades and that the said Ship is fitted for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables Hemp 1000 Weight of Spare Cordage that John Lee White is Master for the present Voyage Chas. Jones Boatswain John Jones Gunner Jas. Doran Carpr Patrick Doran Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship belongs to the Port of Bristol

That she is bound on a Voyage from Bristol to the Coast of India & to Return to London and that Joshua Powell and Company of Bristol Merchants are Owners & Interested in the said Ship

Principal

Peter Bertram

Sworn at the same time & Bail Bond was made Before me

Wm. Cobbe Ducarel Surrogate

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The Obligation as is Entered into & Bond Dated
& Sealed & Delivered by the above bounden
Robert Cragg in the Penalty
of 300 Pounds & to the Form of Bristol Custom
the said Robert Cragg & all Parties Concerned
& all Persons in the 21st Year of his Majts
Reign &c.

Jupiter

26th Sept.r 1761

Appeared personally Anthony Calvert of Redlion Street
Wapping in the County of Middlesex Merchant on behalf
of Capt.n Thomas Morton now at Sea

and produced a Warrant from the Rt Honble the Lords Commrs of his Majts Treasury & the Gr. and Sigt
with Instructions thereto for granting a Commission to
Thomas Morton
with Instructions thereto for granting a Commission to
Thomas Morton
Commander of the
Jupiter being Square Rigged having
a Lion Head
3 Masts navigated the Ship is employed in Trade and her
Cargo to consist of Provisions and Dry Goods
and the Ship is admeasured at 400 Tons that the said Thos Morton
produces in Writing the Certificate of 20 Carriage Guns & Navigate with
30 men & no Swivel Guns 50 Men 50 Small Arms 50
Muskets 10 Pistols under 30 rounds of Powder & Ball 500 lbs of Small
Arms & the Ships Victualling for 6 Months has & hath given Bond with 3 Sureties
viz.t Jno Smith at £1000 Wm Cragg Joseph Cragg John Smith
and make oath Wm Lance Gunner
John Roberts Boatswain Robt Brown
Capt Thos Lance Gunr & Sa. Robinson
Surgeon of the said Ship and that the Ship is
belonging to the Port of London
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Africa
and to return to Great Britain
and that Wm Camden and Anthony Calvert of Redlion
Street Wapping in the County of Middlesex
Merchants are the
Owners & Freighters of the said Ship
On the same day
this Bond was made
Before me
Wm Calvert
Adm: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate
Cockhill & Towle

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Abdiac

The Affidavit was this day sworn to before the Commissioners of Customs by the Oath therein mentioned

Sworn before us

Wm Lowndes
Jno Thornton

26th Sept. 1801

Appeared personally Anthony Calvert of Redlion Street Lancashire in the County of Middlesex Merchant on behalf of Capt. Cuthbert Snowball now at Sea

and made Oath that the Ship called the Commerce whereof Cuthbert Snowball is Master bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to the Coast of Africa and back to London and that the said Cuthbert Snowball

did in pursuance of his Instructions make the following Entry outwards at the Custom House of the Port of London

That he the said Cuthbert Snowball

did clear the Commerce being a square Stern'd Snow having a Figure Head and

was 2 Masts had been employed in the Trade and her Cargo consists of Provisions & Dry Goods

That the Ship is navigated by 50 Men that the said Cuthbert Snowball

mounts on board the said Vessel 10 Carr.ge Guns carrying 4 lb Shot

12 Swivel Guns 20 Pikes 20 small Arms 20 Cutlasses 10 Pistols 20 rounds of Powder & Shot 500 lb of Gunpowder

That the Ship is victualled for 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors

3 Cables & 1 Hawser 600 lb of Bread and that

Jno Thompson Surgeon of the Ship that has

Ship's Name Master Burthen Guns Men Where bound

Commerce Cuthbert Snowball 200 Tons 10 50 Africa

Henry Stevens

Jno Thompson Surgeon of the Ship that has

Sailed from the Port of London

And he believes that the said Ship is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to the Coast of Africa and to return to Great Britain and that William Camden and Anthony Calvert of Redlion Street Lancashire in the County of Middlesex Merchants are the

Owners of the said Ship

To the best of this Deponent's Knowledge and belief

Anth.y Calvert

Sworn at the same time this Deponent was made before me

Jno. Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

Entered A. Townley

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If he like Comm[and] as is Cut Prem[ium] Solic[itors] Bonds
granted to Cuthbert Swinhoe & set forth
the Commission of Gov[ernor] to him to take the post of
London Merchant the said Cuthbert Swinhoe
gave the Com[missioners] dated the 26th Sept[em]b[e]r 1780 and in
the 21st Year of his Majesty's Reign &.

Commerce

Received thirteen pounds in
full for Comm[issio]n due on
Septr. 1781. by me
Geo. Harris
£ 13 — — 10. Oct 1781.

Reclaimed time Petition Bond &
Bar[re] Letter of Marque paid on
the 10th 1781 —
J. Cuthbert

Oct. 1st 1781

Appeared personally

Henry Dorset of Princes Lane
London Gent[leman] on behalf of John Reynolds
Hood Esqr

and the within named Cuthbert Swinhoe Comm[ande]r of the Eagle Letter
of Marque for the within mentioned Ship & the said John Reynolds —
— and in pursuance of the Act for the Encouragement of Seamen
made the said

John Reynolds

Mermaid Square Merchandize

and 3 Guns that the Ship is employed in Trade and Navigation
Consists of Dry Goods and Provisions
that the Ship is of the Burthen of 350 and that the John Reynolds
— — is the Commander thereof and intends to carry Guns
9 Pounders 20 Men 20 and no more and no Cutlasses
& 2 Pounder 30 and no other Arms or Ammunition and that the
said Ship is bound to — 6 Months and no other Voyage or Cruize
3 Cochineal & Rum to Europe and back John Cuthbert
— — — and that no Goods or Merchandize shall be taken
on board the said Ship but such as shall be mentioned in the Report
of the Commissioners of the Customs
Liverpool
that she is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to Genoa and to
Return to Great Britain
and that John Spurling and Company of Liverpool
Merchants are the principal Owners of the said Ship
Owners Settlement of the said Ship

Henry Dorset

On the same day
this Recog[nizan]ce was taken
Before me Ad: Colte Ducarel
Surrogate

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Mermaid

The like Comon as in Bd Cert: Solic: I was granted to John Rumbelo to set forth the Mermaid of 250 Tons belonging to the Port of Liverpool and whereof the said John Reynolds was Master for this present voyage the said Bd Cert: bearing date the 1st Octr: 1701 and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign.

Sturdy Beggar
Thos. Hughes

Goatling Junr.

The like Comon as is entred folio 1. was granted to Thomas Hughes to set forth the Sturdy Beggar Thomas of the burthen of 100 Tons belonging to the port of Liverpool and whereof the said Thomas Hughes goeth Comr. dated 1st Octr. 1701. and in the 21st year of his Majts Reign

See Comon Decln. &c. and Bail in the hands of Bailo

2d Oct. 1701

Appeared personally Francis Ferdinand Nuaiz of St Marlens in Lane Cannon street London Gentn. on behalf of Capt. Nicholas Lauga now at Guernsey

Nicholas Lauga

Nicholas Lauga

Harm Square Sterned having a

a Ram Head

? Burthen Men employed in Trade and

going in Ballast to Lisbon to take in a cargo of Wines

Nicholas Lauga

Mariners Men 50 Ordnance 50

Captain 30 Mattrosses 40 Guns 24 Shott 500

6 Months Provisions for

4 Gallons 1000 Wt of Bread Cordage &c

Nicholas Lauga

Owner David Lee Boatswain Chas. Wiltes

Gunner Danl. Gilson Carpr.

Nicholas Jackson Surgeon

Nicholas Lauga

Island of Guernsey

Island of Guernsey

to Lisbon and to return to Guernsey

Michael Robinson Richd. De Jersey and John Guilles of Guernsey Merchants are the

Owners Letters of the 2d day of Octr. 1701 Before me

Jno. Lewis

And: Colbe Ducarel Surrogate

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Illam.

She like Comm. was Bd. in Solio Imo
granted to Nicholas Langa Lasel for 14 Yrs.
Xmas Age Subj. to the Forts of Islands
of Guernsey whereof the said Nics Langa
galll Com. dated the 3d Octr 1701 doth in
the 13th year of his Majts Reign.

3d Octr 1701

Appeare personally Thomas Price of St James
Temple Lane London Mariner — 160

and declares that from the 2d of the Instant January he the said
Mr Price hath or shall have the Command of the Ship called the
Ceres — and in pursuance of the Act for Encouragement of Shipping
he the said Thomas Price
doth hereby declare that the Ship called the Ceres being square Stern'd having a Figure
Head —
and 3 Masts and that the said Ship is employed in Trade by the
Govr & Compa of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies
and that the Burthen of the said Ship Thomas Price
is about 423 Tons and that the Ship carries 26 Guns and no more or other
and that the Number of her Company are 99 Men 60 small Arms 60
Cutlasses 50 Pistols 20 Barrels of Powder 500 lb
and that the said Ship is victualled for 12 Months and 3 more if
Occasion shall require and that the Names of the Officers are John
Bradshaw Commander Jno Stevenson 1st Lieut Peter Lindsay 2d Lieut
Samuel Bickerton Master Nicholas Antoon Boatswain Thomas
Hampton Surgeon John Thompson Purser
John Gilpin Surgeons Mate and that the said Ship
belongs to the Port of London
that there is bound on a Voyage from the Port of London to Madras
and China and to return to Great Britain
and that John Raymond, Thos Newby, John Hilward
and Joseph Bird of London Esqrs are the principal

Owners of the said Ship

In the Time of
Sir Edward Ward
Knight Lord Mayor

Thomas Price

And: Cotton Ducarel
Surrogate

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The Letters was duly Read & Power in Such Case was granted to Thomas Price to act for the Heirs of Sir Jn° Lees belonging to the Port of London in case of the said Thomas Price's death &c. Dated the 3d Oct.r 1751 and in the 25th Year of his Majesty's Reign.

Letters

3d Oct.r 1751

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Appeared personally Cuthbert Watson of the City of

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Bristol Mariner

and made oath that he the said Cuthbert Watson is the only true and lawful owner of the Ship called the Orange Valley burthen about 250 Tons whereof is Master at present and that the said Ship is now employed in Trade and navigation and that the said Ship is navigated with Men and Boys and that the Cargo consists of Plantation Stores and that the said Ship is of the burthen of 250 Tons and that the said Cuthbert Watson is Master thereof and that the said Ship carries 20 Carriage Guns carrying Shot of 6 pounder Weight 6 Swivel Guns 30 Men 50 small Arms 50 Cutlasses 20 Pistols and no more Ammunition or Powder than what is Sufficient and Necessary for the Defence of the said Ship and that the Number of Men navigating the said Ship is limited for by Articles 2 Suits of Sails 3 Anchors 3 Cables and no more Ordnance Stores or Spare Cordage than what is Sufficient and Necessary for the Navigation of the said Ship and that William Guthrie is Mate or Lieutenant Thomas Lamey Gunner Jn° Dickson Boatswain William Goldsmith Carpenter John Cleeve Cook and Patrick M.c Kenzie Surgeon of the said Ship and that the said Ship is belonging to the Port of Bristol and that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Bristol to Jamaica and to return to Great Britain and that Richard Mayler and John Mauve of the City of Bristol Merchants and John Jarrett of Jamaica Esq.r are the Owners or Settlers of the said Ship

Cuth.t Watson

Sworn the same day & Year above mentioned Before me

Nath.l Colley Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comon as is Endd in Folio 1 was granted to Cuthbert Walson & set forth the Cringo Valley of the burthen of 250 Tons belonging to the port of Bristol whereof the said Cuthbert Walson goeth Comr dated the 3d Octr 1781 and in the 21st year of his Majtys Reign &c

Cringo Valley

4th Octr 1781

Fame
Wm Saunders Comr

The like Comon as is entred folio 1. was granted to William Saunders to set forth the Fame of the Burthen of 300 Tons belonging to the port of Bristol and whereof the said Wm Saunders goeth Comr dated 4th Octr 1781. and in the year of his Majtys Reign &c

Cricklett & Townley

See Comon Declon &c and Bail in the bundles of Bails &c

5th Octr 1781 163

Appeared personally John Sanderson of Cornhill London Gentn on behalf of Captn Thomas Harrison 162 was att &c

and Declared that the Ship is employed in Trades and that the Cargo consists of Provisions and Dry Goods

that the Ship is the burthen of 280 Tons that the Ship is navigated with 24 Men & Boys as per Agreement 15 Men 45 Smalls 45 Guns 8 Carriage 30 Pounders 20 Blunderbusses 30 Pounds of Powder 500 Weight of Shott 2 Cutlasses 2 Pistols for 6 Pounders 2 Muskets 12 Cutlasses 2 Pistols 1000 Weight of Lead that John Jones is Master Wm Williams Mate John Frazer Boatswn Peter Andrews Gunner Danl Swash Cook & John Ellam Surgeon of the said Ship & that the said Ship is belong to the Port of Lancaster that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Lancaster to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain and that Edward and Richard Salisbury of Lancaster Merchants are the Owners

Owners Letters of the said Ship

On the same day this Bond was made

John Sanderson

And: Colvile Ducarel
Surrogate

Lee & Co

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The like Comon as is Entd in folio 1 was granted to Thomas Harrison to depart the Edwards of 200 Tons carrying in the Vessel Lancashire whereof the said Thomas Harrison goeth Com. dated the 6th Oct. 1701 and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Edwards.

8th Oct.

James et
John Caton

The like Cattard as is entred folio 1. was granted to John Caton to depart the Harmes of the Eastham of 400 Tons belonging to the port of Liverpool and whereof the said John Caton goeth Com. dated 8th Oct. 1701. and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

h: Gostling

The like Comon as is entred folio 1. was granted to Joseph Thelfall to depart the Harmes of the Eastham of 100 Tons belonging to the port of Liverpool and whereof the said Joseph Thelfall goeth Com. dated the 8th Oct. 1701. and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Suffolk
Joseph Thelfall

See Caution Decln Affid and Bail in the Bundles of Bailes.

8. Gostling

9 Oct 1701

John Charlton of Lime Street London Gentleman on behalf of Captain James Barton now at Sea

Appeared in person before the Right Worshipful Master Keeper and Commissaries of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully constituted and the Judge for granting Commissions for the same James Barton mariner aged thirty years or thereabouts and being sworn upon the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God did depose and say that he the said James Barton

Harlequin Square Merchantman

is employed in Trade and the Master thereof and that the Burthen of the said Ship or Vessel is about 150 Tons or thereabouts and that she now lies in the River Thames and is bound from hence to Barbadoes and that she carries 10 Men or thereabouts and 6 Guns or thereabouts and that she is victualled for 20 Men 20 months and 10 Barrels of Powder and no more or greater Quantity of Guns Powder or Men and that he this Deponent is Master of the said Ship and that the Ship is to sail from hence with all convenient speed and that he this Deponent is the only Master of the said Ship and that the said Ship doth belong to the Port of Liverpool and that she is bound on that Voyage from Liverpool to the East Indies & so to Fenham in Virginia in America and that

Messrs William Earle and Sons and John Baillie and William Hesketh of Liverpool Merchants are the Principals in the Charter Party and Bill of Sale of the said Ship

James Barton

Sworn the same day and year aforesaid before me

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Comon as is Ord? in folio 1 was y? Bonds to
James Barton to set forth the Harlequin of 150
Tons Burd? to the Port of Liverpool whereof the
Harlequin said James Bartlingatt Com? bound y? 1st Oct?
1781 and in the 21st year of his Majt? Reign.

10th Oct? 1781 164 165

Appeared personally James Margetson of Clement
Lane Merchant in behalf of Hesketh Pinkerton
Dixon now or late
and Jonathan Dixon of the Parish of Saint Botolph without Bishopsgate London
Jonathan Dixon
Jonathan Dixon
Sugret being sequestered
by No Head Of Stopped in Trade and
her Cargo Convey'd to Provence
Dixon & upon Com? that he would
A No Bond for 30 — 30 — 30
30 — 80 300
6 —
3 A 300 £ each Bond
Cancelled
Daniel Lowis — Master
Jonathan Dixon
Sugret being sequestered by Stopped in
Trade
Dixon
New York And to return to Great Britain
and that
Mess?s James Margetson and
Company of Clement Lane Merchants
Came & Subscribed the Bond by
In the same Day
The Said Warrant
Before me

James Margetson
and Co the Ducarel
Surrogate
Lust? & Hazel

Secret.

Whereas Thomas Parker of Wapping in the County of Middlesex Gent.n on behalf of Capt.n Peter Baxter now at Sea

and Peter Baxter the above named Master of the Ship called the Pegasus being Square Sterned

and navigated by Twenty Men and Boys and mounted with Twelve Carriage Guns and bound from the Port of Falmouth to Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain

and Daniel Fox of Folkestone in the County of Kent Merchant and the said Capt.n Peter Baxter are the Owners or Owner of the said Ship

Thomas Parker

15th Oct.r 1701

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Whereas Thomas Parker of Wapping in the County of Middlesex Gent.n on behalf of Capt.n Peter Baxter now at Sea

and Peter Baxter the above named Master of the Ship called the Pegasus being Square Sterned

and navigated by Twenty Men and Boys and mounted with Twelve Carriage Guns and bound from the Port of Falmouth to Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain

and Daniel Fox of Folkestone in the County of Kent Merchant and the said Capt.n Peter Baxter are the Owners or Owner of the said Ship

Thomas Parker

Sworn the same day and the Bond was made

Before me Edw: Colker Ducarel Surrogate

Whereas Thomas Parker of Wapping in the County of Middlesex Gent.n on behalf of Capt.n Peter Baxter now at Sea

and Peter Baxter the above named Master of the Ship called the Pegasus being Square Sterned

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and navigated by Twenty Men and Boys and mounted with Twelve Carriage Guns and bound from the Port of Falmouth to Gibraltar and to return to Great Britain

and Daniel Fox of Folkestone in the County of Kent Merchant and the said Capt.n Peter Baxter are the Owners or Owner of the said Ship

Thomas Parker

Sworn the same day and the Bond was made

Before me Edw: Colker Ducarel Surrogate

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The like Comon as is Ent.d in Folio 1 was granted
to Peter Baxter & to set forth the Pegasus
of 150 Tons Lying at the Port of Folkstone
whereof the said Peter Baxter goeth Com.r
Pegasus. dated the 15.th Oct.r 1781 and in the 21.st year
of his Maj.ty Reign. A.

Oct.r 17: 1781 166 167

Appeared personally Henry Sedgwick of Newman
Court London Merchant on behalf of
Robert Taylor now at sea
and Stephen Fromantle of the said Comon Warehouse Keeper
and Sufficient Security for made oath that the
Taylor — and is fourteen years of age Born at
Robert Taylor
Earl Talbot Square Stepney Head
Employed in Trade and his
Oath Provisions
Robert Taylor
986 90 99 99 99
90
3 1000
David Lee
Charles Coates Father Charles Jones
Comp.y Parish Law Clerk
John Charles Surveyor the said Ship
to the Port of London
London to the East
Indies and to return to Great Britain
Sir Charles Raymond of London
Baronet is the principal

Comm.r Letter on Office File
Bond same day
Oath Duly made
Before me

Henry Sedgwick.
And: Colter Ducarel
Surrogate

The like Comm^n as is Ent^d in folio 1 was granted
Robert Taylor to set forth the Earl Talbot of 750
Tons bel^g to the Port of London whereof the
Earl Talbot said Robert Taylor goeth Com^r dated the 17^th Oct^r
1781 and in the 21^st year of his Maj^ts Reign

Appeared personally (I) John Charlton of Lime Street
London Gentleman on behalf of George Leyburn
now at sea
[illegible] who alledged that from the [illegible] Lords Comm^rs for executing the Office of Lord High
Admiral of Great Britain & Ireland [illegible] to him the said George Leyburn
[illegible] and in pursuance of [illegible] made [illegible]
[illegible] George Leyburn
[illegible] (the) Benedick Square Stern Figure head
has 3 Masts that the s^d Ship is employed in Trade and her
Cargo Consists of Dry Goods and Provisions —
that the s^d Ship is of the burthen of 90 Tons that the s^d George Leyburn
goeth Com^r of her that she carries 10 Carr^g Guns carrying shot of
3 pounds weight no Swivel Guns 20 Men 20 small Arms 20
Cutlasses 10 B^ls of powder 50 rounds of g^t Shot & ab^t 500 w^t of small
[illegible] victualled for 6 Months has 2 suits of sails 3
Anchors 3 Cables & ab^t 1000 w^t of spare Cordage that John
Jones — is mate or Lieut^t David Lee
Gunner — Charles Ashlike(?) — Boatswain John Thomas
— Carp^r — Peter Johnson Cook & Lee
Lowe — Surgeon of the said Ship & that the s^d Ship is
belonging to the port of Liverpool
that she is bound on a Voy^g from Liverpool to ~~the~~ Africa
and back to Great Britain
and that (I) Thomas Backhouse, John Backhouse
and William Hutson(?) of Liverpool Merchants are the
Owner & fitter out of the said Ship

John Charlton

On the same day
this Decl^n was made
before me And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

Benedick

Ab. [illegible] Comm. as is Ent.d in Folio 1. was granted
George Leyburn to set forth the Benedick of 90
Tons Cert.e to the Port of Liverpool whereof the
said George Leyburn goeth Comr. dated the 19th
Oct.r 1781 Island in the 21st year of his Majts Reign

Lively
Peter Wade Esqr.

Boga

The like Comm.n as is entred folio 1. was
granted to Peter Wade Esq.r to set forth the
Lively of the burthen of 160 Tons
belonging to the Port of Bristol and
whereof the said Peter Wade goeth Comr.
dated the 19th Oct.r 1781. Island in the
21st year of his Majts Reign

See Comm.n Dec.d 30th 1781 and Bail in the
Bundles of Bailey.

23 Oct 1781

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Appeared personally George Curtis & declaring

That the Comm.n and Instructions granted by the Right Hon.ble the Lords Commissioners of his Majts Treasury to him the said George Curtis
as Captain of the Ship Benedick and to all Officers
and Seamen thereunto belonging
and that the said George Curtis
is well acquainted with the Build Burthen and Force
of the said Ship and that to the best of his Knowledge
and belief the Ship is Copper bolted and
fitted for Trade and
her Force consists of Twelve Guns and Eighteen
Men and that the Complement of Men
she is to carry is 30 Men and no more

1786 Oct.r 9th Signed Guns 30 Men 60 Manning 60
Tons 50 Ditto Mariners 24 Cannot get 300 Victualled
for 8 Months has 3 Months Stores
for 7 Months 3 Tons 17 Tons Dead Freight John Cox
Mure Esqr. Lloyds Agent at Liverpool
Duncan Wm. Cardie Barthw. John Lee
James Boyle James Harris Cook &
Owners Certificate Surveyed this day and that the Ship is
bound to the Port of London
and is intended to proceed from London to Madras Bengal
& Bombay and back to Great Britain
and that Between Timothy Williams and George
Curtis and William Cumming of London
Merchants are the principal

Owners of the said Ship

Geo. Curtis

On the same day
Oath duly made
Before me

And: Colvile Ducarel
Surrogate

Major of Slade

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The like Caution as in Entd in folio 1 was granted
George Curtis to set forth the Nottingham of 735
Tons bet. & the Port of London whereof the said
Nottingham George Curtis doth Com. dated the 23d Oct. 1781
and in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

Isabella
Sam. Robinson Com.
Greene

The like Caution as in entred folio 1. was
granted to Samuel Robinson to set forth
the Isabella of the burthen of 150 Tons
belonging to the port Liverpool, and
whereof the said Samuel Robinson
doth Com. dated the 23d Oct. 1781 and
in the 21st year of his Majs Reign.

See Caution Decr. 1781 and Bail in the
Candles of Bailo.

26th Oct. 1781

Henry Stewart of Gerard Street
Soho in the County of Middlesex Gentn on behalf
of Capt. John Hamilton Dempster now at Sea

John Hamilton Dempster
Ganges being Square Sterned
having a Figure Head and
employed in Trade by
the Honble East India Company
John Hamilton
Dempster 756. Burthen
26
12
50
99 99
50 1000
18 3 3
3 Years 5 Ton
John Jones
William Williams
John Peters Alexander
Prof. John Neale
Peter Dunbar
to the Port of London
the Port of London to the
East Indies and to Return to Great Britain
and that John Durand of Carshalton in the
County of Surry Esqr is the principal

C. H. Stewart

Entered Letter and Bill this day
Bond following day
Oath Decr made
Before me
Wm: Colbe Ducarel
Surrogate

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The like Seamen as is Entd in India I may grant to
John Hamilton Dempster to set forth the
Tonnage of 756 Tons belg to the Port of
London whereof the said Jno Hamn Dempster
Tonnage is Master now Commg for the Voyage
goeth Comn dated the 26th Oct 1781 and in
the 22d year of his Majts Reign

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Appeared personally 26 Octr 1781

John Bygrave of Penny Street
London Gentleman on behalf of Captain William
Coman now of Liverpool
who produced unto the Right Honble the Commrs for executing the Office of
Lord High Admiral of Great Britain &c the Act of Parliament
made in the 26th year of his Majts Reign intituled An Act for
the Encouragement and Regulation of Seamen employed in Trade and
for the Cargo Carried by Vessels not British and ascertaining the Number
of Seamen to be employed in Ships belonging to Subjects of Great Britain
and that the Master of every Ship not exceeding 200 Tons shall be
obliged to carry One Apprentice for every 50 Tons and every Ship
exceeding 200 Tons shall be obliged to carry Three Apprentices for the
first 200 Tons and One Apprentice for every 100 Tons above 200 Tons
and that no Ship shall be obliged to carry more than Six Apprentices
1844 Pounds Wt Rice Seven Eighths Bo Peas Bo small Peas Bo Oatmeal
10 Gallons Rum 50 Pounds Weight of Suet 200 Wt Bread and that
there is Victuals for 6 Months for 2 Mates 3 Seamen
3 Boys 1000 Weight of Cargo that John Lee
was Purser and Lee Wilde
Gunner John Adams Boatswn James Sinyard
Capr William Jones Cook Thomas
Allen Surgeon of this ship and that the Ship is
belonging to the Port of Liverpool
that she is bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to the Coast of Africa
& West Indies and back to Great Britain
and that John Coleman Samuel Warren
John Clowsley and George Johnstone
of Liverpool Merchants are the
Owners of the said Ship
Entitled to
Cert[ificate] dated
this Day
Before me

John Bygrave

And. Cotton Deputy
Register

ABH

The Letters Patents is Entd in Folio 1 was granted to Wm Corran to set forth the Antigallican of 200 Tons bel[g] to the Port of Liverpool wherof Antigallica the said Wm Corran goeth Comr dated the 26th Oct[r] 1761 and in the 22d year of his Majts Reign.

Appeared personally 26 Oct[r] 1781

John Bygrave of Lowry Street London Gent[n] on behalf of Thomas Anelay Shipwright Liverpool

[illegible] Thos Anelay [illegible]

and Maintenance of the Ship [illegible] Thos Anelay

Vessel that was the said Thos Anelay

Resources Square Stern

to 2 Masts Rat the Ships Outlayed in Trade and

Ann Burgo in Provisions

[illegible] 70 Tons Rat the Ships Thos Anelay

[illegible] 14 Carpenters Tools

3 Guns [illegible] 4 Swivel Guns 20 Men 20 Small Arms 20

Cutlasses 60 Pistols 50 Ammunition Cartridges 500 Hangers

Ship Rat the Ships Burthen 6 Months has 2 Suits of Sails 3

Set [illegible] 3 Topsails 1000 Weight of Bread

[illegible] for Trade James Jacobi

Master Jon Adams Boatswain Patk Boyd

Carpr Jon Williams Gunr

Surgn Ebenezer Barker Surgeon of the Ship Rat the Ships Burthen

to Consist of the Ps Sail for Liverpool

but was bound on a Voyage from Liverpool to Africa

& the West Indies and back to Liverpool

and that John Coleman and Samuel Warren of Liverpool Merchants

are the

Owners Letters of Hire within written

To the same as

Their Declarations made

Before me And: Colter Ducarel

Surrogate

Jno Bygrave

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The Obligation as in Gul. Einsfolio 1 may be entered
Thomas Noble to set forth the Reasons of his
Appeals to the Port of Liverpool whereof the said
Robt Cliffe Esq. Collector of the Customs dated the 26th Oct. 1701
and in the 21st. year of his Majs Reign &.

27th Oct 1701

Appeared personally John Barraud of London Merchant Landon Gentleman on behalf of Captain George Fortune master of the Ship Thames now lying in the River Thames and Mariner belonging to the Port of Liverpool and the said George Fortune and severally and respectively made Oath that the Ship called the George Fortune whereof the said George Fortune is Master is a Square Rigged Ship Navis Quadrata Built at Boston in New England and that she is Navis Quadrata Built at Boston in New England and that she is of the Burthen of about 300 Tons or thereabouts and that she hath on board her for the present Voyage Navigation from London to Barbadoes and back to Great Britain Navigation from London to Barbadoes and back to Great Britain and that

Thomas Odwen of London Merchant Partridge and George Reed of Barbadoes Planters and the Owners of the said Ship

John Barraud

Sworn before me

And: Colbee Bucknell
Surrogate

The like Comon and Bond in folio 1 was granted to
Jeo: Fortune to set forth the Swift of 70 Tons belg
to the Port of London mr. att the said Geo: Fortune
Swift goeth Com[r] dated the 29th Oct: 1781 and in the 22
Year of his Majts Reign.

Appeared personally 29th Oct. 1781 Francis Scott of the Temple
London Merchant

and prayed that upon the 12th Rule of Log Comon he personally the Offr of the High
Am. Ship Swift whereof he is Master & the Exchange Company Clearance for the
Ship in pursuance whereof Mr Scott hath made the following Oath to
wit that he the said Francis Scott
Ship is called the Hawke James Allen Disque head
Ton 3 Mast that the Ship is employed in Trade and
the Cargo of Provisions
that the Ship of the burthen of 72 Tons that the said Francis Scott
is Master of the Ship that she carries 26 Carriage Guns and
navigated 94 Men & no Swivel Guns 99 Men 60 small Arms 60
Cutlasses 50 Pistols Spears 20 rounds of shot at 300 lb. & small
shot that the Ship is Victualled for 20 Months has 2 Suttlers Cabb 6
Cabins 6 Cockpit 3 Ton & Upwards that James
Lloyd Master and Adam Hope
Junior Robert Bryant Scottish Ens. Flour
Capt. Francis Pitchot Cask
John Lyttleton Surgeon of the Ship & that the Ship is
belonging to the Port of London
that she is bound on a Voyage from London to Madras and
China and back to Great Britain
as that Deponent Beeston Long and Henry
Boulton of London Esquires are the principal

Owners of the Ship
On the same day
Oath duly made
Before me Francis Scott

And: Colter Ducarel
Surrogate

Witham

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The like Comon and Oath in solid manner granted to
Francis Scott to set forth the Tonnage of 223 Tons
belonging to the Port of London returned of the said
Hermione Francis Scott sworth Comr dated the 27th Octr 1781
and in the 22d Year of his Majtys Reign.

29th Octr 1781 174 175

Appeared personally Robert Hill of Basinghall Street
London Gentn on behalf of Captn Valentine Baker
now at Bristol

who made Oath from the Custom House Journal that Captn Hugh
Pigot Baker late of Portsmouth Gentn died Intestate and that
Letters of Administration of his Personal Estate were granted
out of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury to Valentine Baker
the Brother and next of Kin lawfully to be
Figure Head Asst Penny Square Stern Square Head
and Bread that the Ship is employed in Trade and her
Cargo consists of Provisions

And the said Deponent further saith that Valentine Baker
William Jones Esqr Valentine 160 Britannia Valentine Baker
William Jones Esqr Valentine 20 Anglesea Copper Mining
Company 20 Shares Value 70 Pounds 70 Annuities 70
Cullam 10 Bl Copper 20 Armorial Stone Value 1000 Pounds
and that the Deponent is 6 Foot Six Inches 2 Quarters 3
and 23 Carats 1000 Weight are Corporeal Johns
Jones Parish Clerk Wm Wright
Jones Carter Thomas Smith James
Wicks Carpr Wm Roberts Cook & Sons
Jackson Lycon of the Ship & that the Ship is
now in the Port of Bristol
but is intended to sail from the Port of Bristol to the
Island of St Christophers & to return to Great Britain
and that Messrs Gresley Blake & Co of the City of
Bristol Merchants are the

Owners & Letters on board the Ship

Entered the same day

Wm Hill

Delivered

And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Cæsar

The like Commission Entd in folio 1 was granted to Valentine Baber to set forth the Casar of 160 tons Burthen belonging to the Port of Bristol in Place of the said Valentine Baber as the said Ship is condemned dated the 29th Oct 1781 and in the 22d year of his Majs Reign.

Received twenty three pounds for Commissions for oct 1781 by me Geo. Harris D.C. 17 Nov 1781

£ 23.

Rec'd same time Twenty five pounds 10s for 17 Letters of Marque expedit Oct 1781

J. Cathcart

3 Nov 1781

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Appeared personally Robert Cole of Bristol Merchant and Gordon Gardiner on behalf of Captain Isaac Pocock Now at Bristol

who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth and saith that the Ship or Vessel called the Isaac Pocock whereof is Master or Commander for this present Voyage Isaac Pocock

Burthen Square Stern Bow Head

is navigated with 3 Guns and that the Persons employed in Navigating the said Ship or Vessel as Mariners are Twenty in Number and that the Owners of the said Ship or Vessel are Subjects of His Majesty the King of Great Britain and that the Names of the Owners of the said Ship or Vessel are as follows (viz.) Isaac Pocock

Robt Cole Merchant Bristol

and that no Foreigner or Person not a Subject of His Majesty the King of Great Britain is Owner in the said Ship or Vessel or hath any Share or Interest therein directly or indirectly

and that Abraham Elkins of Haverfordwest in South Wales Merchant is Agent for the Owners

Robt Cole

Sworn before me at Bristol the 3d day of November 1781 in the same day and year first above mentioned

Alex. Coltee Ducarel Surrogate

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Aurora

The like Comon as is Entd in folio 1 was granted to Isaac Pocock to set forth the Aurora of 150 Tons Belg to the Port of Milford whereof the said Isaac Pocock gott Com: dated the 3d Nov: 1761 and in the 2d Year of his Majs Reign

3 Nov: 1761

Appeared before me Richard Abel & Edward Harry Lide Black Esqrs Londn Insurers Edwd Browning Broker & Owner of the Ship or Vessell called the Aurora of Milford burthen about 150 Tons whereof is Master or Commander under God for this present Voyage the said Edwd Browning and in part Owner of the Ship or Vessell and he the said Edwd Browning being sworn on the Holy Evangelists deposeth & saith that the Ship or Vessell is bona fide Intended for Trade and Navigation only and that the Interest of Edwd Browning in the 1/8th part of the said Ship or Vessell doth really & bona fide consist in 365 Centum and that the Number of Seamen Navigating the said Ship or Vessell outward bound is 24 and no more or fewer than are mentioned in a Roll of Sea Stores and Provisions Signed by the Surveyors of the Navy and that the Provisions on board the said Ship or Vessell for the Number of Seamen aforesaid are 70 Men 70 Months Provisions 70 Months Provisions 20 Months Provisions 50 Months Provisions and that the Ship or Vessell is of the Burthen of 500 Tons or thereabouts and that the Guns or Cannon Navigated in the said Ship or Vessell outward bound are 6 Pounders that 2 Carriage and 3 Swivel Guns & no more or fewer and that the Names of the Persons Navigating the said Ship or Vessell outward bound are as follows (viz) John Jones Gunner James Webster Boatswain Daniel McDonal Carpr John Williams Cook

Thos Alcock Esqr Register of the said Ship or Vessell duly sworn deposeth & saith that the Name of the Owner of the said Ship or Vessell is truly & correctly set forth in the Register thereof and that the said Ship or Vessell doth not belong to the Port of Rhoyden in the Island of Zeeland or to any Port or Place in the Dominions of any Foreign Prince or State but that the said Ship or Vessell is bona fide Intended for Navigation from London to the Leeward Islands and to return to Great Britain and that Edwd Browning of London Merchant is the sole Owner of the said Ship or Vessell

Edwd Browning

Sworn before me at the Custom House London the Day & Year above written

In the same Day this Declaration was made & Subscribed before me

Richd Abel

Wm Collier Ducarel Surrogate

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Cipher

The [illegible] as is [illegible] in folio [illegible] was granted [illegible] Robt. [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] to be [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Appeared personally George Edward Hales of ~~[illegible]~~ Fenchurch Street London Gentleman on behalf of George McMinn Commander [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] presently the [illegible] High [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] George McMinn [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] George McMinn — [illegible]

Nancy [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] employed in Trade and [illegible] Cargo consists of Dry Goods and Provisions [illegible] [illegible] of 100 [illegible] George McMinn [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 110 [illegible] [illegible] 25 — Men 25 small arms 15 [illegible] at [illegible] 90 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 6 Months [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 3 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] —

[illegible] White — [illegible] John [illegible] — [illegible] Jones — [illegible] [illegible] — [illegible] Capt. John [illegible] — [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] belongs to the Port of Liverpool [illegible] [illegible] from Liverpool to Africa and back to Great Britain —

[illegible] Francis Ingram and Company of Liverpool Merchants are the principal [illegible]

Commander [illegible] [illegible]

George Edwd. Hales

On the same day
This [illegible] was made
Before me
And: Coltee Ducarel
Surrogate

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Nancy

The like Certificate as is ordered for the Vessel granted to George Hall for the Nancy of this Burthen of 100 Tons belonging to the Port of Liverpool and whereof the said George Hall is Master dated the 6th day of Novr 1781. in the 22d year of his Majs Reign

6th Novr 1781

Appeared personally David Lindsay & Archibald Cameron Agents for and on behalf of Conway Shipbuilders Liverpool

Conway Shipbuilders

Conway Shipbuilders

Conway Square Stern

Employed by the Board

3 of Ordnance 300 Conway

18

Shipbuilders 54 Gun 50 and 50

20 50 500

Ship is Male 6 Month and 9 Height 3 Inches

Burthen 1000 Qr Master John Smith

Quarter Deck Poop Forecastle

Quarter Deck John Dennis

Waist Wm Rae Carpenter

Adam Steel Master

Master London to Gibraltar

and back to Great Britain

and that John Robert Augustus Thomas

Lewis Henry Crothett and James

Mather Postgreedon Merchants are the

Owner & Owners of the Ship

David Lindsay

Subscribed the same day

first above mentioned

before me Archd: Colden Ducarel

Surrogate

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6th Nov 1781

Mercury

The like Oath as is entred folio 1. was granted to Conday Heighington to Navigate the Mercury of the Burthen of 300 Tons belonging to the Port of London and whereof the said Conday Heighington is Master Comd. dated 6th Nov. 1781. and in the 22d year of his Majts Reign

Personally appeared before me David Lindsey of Birchin Lane London Merchant on behalf of Captain Richard Davis now at Sea and made oath that the Ship called the Mercury whereof the said Richard Davis is Master and now bound from this Port to Gibraltar and back to Great Britain is the property of the said Richard Davis and that the Ship is Employed by the Board of Ordnance and that the Burthen of the said Ship is 350 Tons or thereabouts and that the said Ship is navigated by 18 Seamen and Boys and carries 6 Pounders 10 Cwt & no Swivel Guns 54 Men 50 small Arms 50 Cutlasses 20 Pistols & Powder 30 Pounds of Shot & about 500 lbs of small Arms and Ammunition which he intends to Mount 6 Months and has 2 Months Victuals and 3 months Water on board and that the Place of Abode of the said John Roberts is in the Parish of Stepney and that the Names of the Persons on board the said Ship are John Rogers Master James Brown Boatswain Thomas Willis Carpr John Jackson Cook Richard Adams Surgeon of the said Ship and that he the Ship is Cleared for the Port of London ~~to Gibraltar and~~ and that she is bound outward from from to Gibraltar and back to Great Britain

and that John Julius Angerstein Thomas Lewis Henry Crockett and James Matthew of London Merchants are the Owners of the said Ship

David Lindsey

Sworn before me this fourth day of December 1781 Before me

Rd: Colt Tucker
Surrogate

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Henry

The like Caution as entred folio 1. was granted to
Richard Davis to Ship the Henry of the
burthen of 350 Tons belonging to the Port of
London and whereof the said Richd Davis goot
Com.r dated 6th. Nov.r 1781. and in the 22d. year
of his Majs. Reign.

7th Nov.r 1781 180 181

Personally appeared John Neston of Copthall Court
London Merchant on behalf of Capt.n James
Neilson now at Bristol
who produced a Certificate from the Right Honble. the Lords Commrs. of his Majs. Customs
that Capt.n James Neilson
and in pursuance of the Act for Granting Duties
on Ships and Vessels
James Neilson
Trelawney burthen 350 Tons
Square Sterned
having a Figure Head
and 3 Decks and no Sails employed in Trade and has
Cargo consists of Provisions and Dry Goods
and he the said James Neilson
apprehends that he can proceed 20 Leagues in a day
and bound to the West Indies and to return to Great Britain
80 Barrels Beef 80 Barrels Pork 80 Barrels
80 Cattles 20 Bbls of Powder 30 round shot 24 lb at 500 lbs
and that the Burthen of the Ship John
Smith Master William Jones
Master Robt. Brown Master
Jno. Jackson Master Jno. White
Master Wm. Johnson Surgeon and that the said Ship
is belonging to the Port of Bristol
that she is bound on a Voyage from the Port of Bristol to the
West Indies and to return to Great Britain
and that Robert Gordon, John Gordon, Wm. Gordon
and John Gordon Junr. of Bristol Merchants
are the
Owners of the said Ship
Before me this
first Decr. was made
and: Olive Ducarel
Surrogate

John Neston

Sworn

Delaware

The like Caution as is entred fol. 1. day granted to James Nelson to the Forth Ho. Ste Gaudrey of the burthen of 200 Tons, belonging to the Port of Bristol, and whereof the said James Nelson is Master Dated 7th. Nov.r 1701. and in the 22d. year of his Majt. Reign.

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