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HIGH COURT
MADRAS

(SUPREME COURT)

ADMIRALTY
RECORDS

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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Affdt. of Rick Donovan with 4 Orders

1803.

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side -

William Roberts
versus
The Ship Ali Madud. -

Rick Donovan one of the Serjeants of this Honorable Cou
maketh Oath and Saith, that he this Deponent did on the Eleven
of this Instant June serve Mollah Phereese Hossan Khan the own
the said Ship Ali Madud with the annexed four Orders of this
Honorable Court by delivering unto him in Person at Debtors Goal
the Black Town of Madras true Copies thereof and at the same ti
Shewed him the said Original Orders under the Seals of this Hono
Court. -

Sworn to before me this
27th day of June 1803.

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R Donovan

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Vacation after 2d Term

Admiralty side

Friday 10th June 1803 –

William Roberts
vers
The Ship Alli
Madud – }

Upon the Motion of Mr Compton advocate for the Promovant and upon reading the Certificate of the Register that Mollah Pheraa Hosan Shaw the Owner of the said Ship Alli Madud was on the 4th day of May last proclaime a third time to appear on or before the 9th day of the said month – but had not appeared accordingly – It is ordered that he be procla a fourth time to appear on or before Friday the 17th day of June instant –

George Mc Mahon
Proctor

By the Court –

A Temple
D: Reg:

Mr McMahon

Served a Copy of this Order to Mallah Pheruse Hossan Shaw in Goal — this 11th June 1803 —

R Donovan

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side

In the Vacation after the Second Term 4th May 1803 —

William Roberts
vers
The Ship Ali Madeed

Upon the Motion of Mr Compton Advocate for the Promovant Reading the Certificate of the Register that Mallah Pheruse Haassan Shaw, the owner of the said Ship Ali Madeed was on the 11th of April last proclaimed to appear on or before the 18th day of the said Month, but had not appeared accordingly — It is Ordered that he be — proclaimed a Third time to appear on or before Monday Next the 9th Instant

By the Court

H Temple
Dy Regr

George McMahon
Proctor

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Served a Copy of this Order to Mollah Pheruse Hossen Shaw in Goal this 11th June 1803 —

E. P. Donovan

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side

Second Term
11th April 1803

William Roberts
vers
The Ship Ali Madud

Upon the Motion of Mr Compton Advocate for the Promovant, and on Reading the Certificate of the Register that Mollah Pheruse — Hossan Shaw the owner of the said Ship Ali Madud was on the 7th Instant proclaimed to appear on or before the 9th Instant but had not appeared accordingly — It is Ordered that he be proclaimed a Second time to appear on or before Monday Next the 18th Instant

By the Court

H. Semple
Dy Regr

George McMahon
Proctor for Promt —

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Served a Copy of this Order to Mollah Pheruse Hossen Shaw
in Goal this 11th June 1803 —

L P Donovan

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side

Second Term
7th April 1803

William Roberts
vers
The Ship Ali Maded

Upon Motion of Mr Compton
on the behalf of William Rob
the Promovant and on hea
Certificate of the Register that an Attachment to
Seize the Ship Ali Maded issued in this Cause
on the First of April inst and was returned on
the 4th "Served" and that no appearance has been entered
on the part of Mollah Pheruse Hassan Shaw the
owner of the Ship — It is Ordered that Mr George
McMahon be allowed to appear as Proctor for
the Promovant and make himself party for him
That the said Mollah Pheruse Hassan Shaw the
Master of the said Ship in special and all Persons
in general having or pretending to have an Interest
in the said Ship be proclaimed to appear on or
before Saturday the 9th Instant

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H Temple
Dy Reg

George McMahon
Proctor for Promt

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Served a Copy of this Order to Mollah Thenise Hossen Shaw in Goal this 11th June 1803 —

R Donovan

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Supreme Court

Admiralty Side

William Babcock
vs
The Ship Ali Maded

Affidav. of Rich. Dow-ran

Filed 1 July 1803
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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Affdt. of William Roberts.

1803.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side —

Between William Roberts ...... Promovan
and
Mulna Feruz Haſsen Shaw ... Impugn

William Roberts of Madras Mariner the Promov
maketh Oath and saith that the abovenamed Impugnant Mulna
Haſsen Shaw is now a prisoner in the Custody of the Sheriff of Ma
and Resident within the Jurisdiction of this Honorable Court — And th
Deponent further saith that the said Impugnant Mulna Ferruz Ha
Shaw is and stands justly indebted unto this Deponent in the
Sum of Fifteen thousand Ticals of the current Money of Rangoon
the Currency of Madras the Sum of Fifteen thousand Rupees
or thereabouts upon a Respondentia Bond or Writing Obligatory ex
the said Impugnant Mulna Ferruz Haſsen Shaw to this Deponen
Ship, Tackle, Apparel and Furniture of a certain Veſsel formerly call
Industry and now called the Ali Madud now lying at Anchor in
of Madras and within the Jurisdiction of this Honorable Court and
date the Thirteenth day of December in the year of our Lord One thous
Eight hundred and Three. —

W. Rob

George McMahon
Proctor

SWORN to before me
the 3d day of March 1805

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Supreme Court

Admiralty Side

William Roberts . .
Promovent
Mulna Farrez Hassen Shaw
Impugnant . .

Affidavit
of
Promovent

Filed 31 March 1803

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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Certificates in reference to M. P. H. Shaw

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Admiralty Side   Vacation after Second Term 1803

William Roberts
vers
The Ship Ali Madud

I hereby Certify that Mollah Pheruse Hossan Shaw the Owner of the said Ship Ali Madud was on the 11th of April last proclaimed to be and appear on or before the 18th of the same Month and that he has not yet appeared dated 4th May 1803 -

H Temple
Dy. Regr

Filed 4th May 1803

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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Respondita Bond in refce. to W. Roberts

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
Vacation after 2d. Term 1803
Admiralty Side

William Roberts
~~vers~~
The Ship Ali Madud

I hereby Certify that Mollah Pheeren Hosp
Shaw the Owner of the said Ship Alli Madud wa
the 10th. Instant proclaimed a Fourth time to be and ap
on or before the 17th. Instant - and that he has not yet
appeared - Dated 20th. June 1803 -

H. Temple
Dy. Reg

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I Mulna Feruz Hassen Shaw Merchant of Rangoon ——— am held and firmly bound unto William Roberts ——— in the penal Sum of Tickals 25 p Cent thirty thousand ——— Current Money of Rangoon — to the true and lawful Payment whereof I do hereby bind my Self my Heirs, Executors, Administrators, and Aſſigns, firmly by theſe Preſents: IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto ſet my Hand and Seal in Rangoon — this thirteenth — Day of December in the Year of our Lord, One Thouſand ~~Seven~~ Eight Hundred and Two ———

WHEREAS the above bound Mulna Feruz Hassen Shaw hath ——— taken up and received of the aforeſaid William Roberts ——— the full and juſt Sum of Tickals Twenty five pr Cent fifteen thousand ——— which Sum is to run at Reſpondentia, on Block of the Ship Alli madud whereof is now Maſter or Commander from this Port or Road of Rangoon to Madras payable at the Rate of thirty Star Pagodas for each hundred Tickals in all port & place and for further Security of the Same mortgages & assigns over the Bills of Sale of the Said Ship Alli madud in [illegible] Rivers, Enemies, Fires, Pirates, &c. to be on Account of the ſaid William Roberts ——— and for the further Security of the ſaid William Roberts ——— the ſaid Mulna Feruz Hassen Shaw ——— hereby conſent and agree for him self — Heirs, Executors, Adminiſtrators, or Aſſigns, to mortgage and aſſign over to him ——— the ſaid William Roberts Heirs, Executors, Adminiſtrators, or Aſſigns, the ſeveral Wares and Merchandize, laden or to be laden, on the ſaid the Block and Bill of Sale of the ~~[illegible]~~ Ship Alli madud which ſaid Block & Bill of Sale Wares and Merchandize, with their Produce, are thus mortgaged and aſſigned over, and are to be diverted to no other Uſe or Purpoſe whatever, until Payment of this Bond is made, with the Premium that may become due thereon.

NOW the Condition of this Obligation is ſuch, that if the above bound Mulna Feruz Hassen Shaw ——— ſhall well and truly pay, or cauſe to be paid, unto the ſaid William Roberts Heirs, Executors, Adminiſtrators, or Aſſigns, the full Amount of this Bond, and the Premium due thereon, at the Expiration of Thirty one days after the Safe Arrival of the Said Ship Alli madud at Madras or any other Port or Place or in Caſe of the Loſs of the ſaid Veſſel, (which GOD forbid!) ſuch an Average as by Cuſtom ſhall become due on the Salvage; then this Obligation to be void, and of no Effect otherwiſe to remain in full Force and Virtue. having Granted three Bonds of the Same tenor and Date the one of which three fullfilled the other Two to Stand Void ———

Signed ſealed, and delivered, where no Stamped Paper is uſed, in the Preſence of
John Taylor

Respondentia Bond for 16000 Rs

William Roberts

v

the Ship Ali Madad

Exhibit delivered in on the part of the promovent at the trial of the above cause the 1st of July 1803.

W Smith
Dy Reg

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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Petition in reference G. Mc. Mahon.

1803

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
Admiralty Side at Fort Saint George Madras

In the Name of God, Amen!

Before you the Honorable Sir Thomas Andrew Stra
Knight, Lord Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of
Judicature at Madras, and your Companion
of the said Court.

George McMahon the Proctor of William Roberts of
Marriner, against the good Ship or Vessel called the Ali Ma
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Hasen Shaw late a Merchant at Rangoon
the Kingdom of Pegue but now a Prisoner in the Custody of the Sh
Madras by his certain Bond or obligation in writing bearing date the
thirteenth day of December which was in the year of our Lord one
eight hundred and two duly signed sealed and executed by the
Ferus Hasen Shaw and to the Court now shewn became held and firm
bound to the said William Roberts in the penal Sum of Tickals twent
five per Cent, thirty thousand of the Current Money of Rangoon afore
making in the Currency of Madras the sum of Thirty Thousand
Rupees ______ or thereabouts – That in and by the said Bond or
Obligation in writing, it was recited that the said Mulna Ferus Hasen
Shaw had taken up and received of the aforesaid William Roberts the
and

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
Admiralty Side
Fort Saint George
to wit – } William Roberts puts in his place and stead
George McMahon as his Proctor in a Libel
against the Ship Ali Madud –

W. Roberts

Filed 31st March 1803 –
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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
at Fort Saint George Madras

Admiralty Side

In the Name of God, Amen!

Before you the Honorable Sir thomas Andrew Stra
Knight, Lord Chief Justice of the Supreme Court o
Judicature at Madras, and your Companio
of the said Court.

George Mc Mahon the Proctor of William Roberts of a
Marriner, against the good Ship or Vessel called the Ali
(late the Industry) burden two hundred Tons or thereabouts now
Riding at Anchor in the Roads of Madras aforesaid and the Tac
Apparel and Furniture of the said Ship or Vessel lying and
within the Admiralty Jurisdiction of this Honorable Court and
all and every person or persons, intervening or appearing in Judgem
for the said Ship or Vessel by way of Complaint and here by Complain
unto your Lordships in this behalf Doth say alledge and in Law
propound Articulately as follows, that is to say.

That Mulna Serus Hassen Shaw late a Merchant at Rangoon in
the Kingdom of Pegue but now a Prisoner in the Custody of the Sh
Madras by his certain Bond or obligation in writing bearing date the
thirteenth day of December which was in the year of our Lord one
eight hundred and two duly Signed Sealed and executed by the
Serus Hassen Shaw and to the Court now Shewn became held and firm
bound to the said William Roberts in the penal Sum of Tickals twent
five per Cent, thirty thousand of the Current Money of Rangoon aforesa
making in the Currency of Madras the sum of Thirty Thousand
Rupees ——— or thereabouts – That in and by the said Bond or
Obligation in writing, it was Recited that the said Mulna Serus Hassen
Shaw had taken up and Received of the aforesaid William Roberts the fu
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and just Sum of Sickals twenty five per Cent Fifteen thousand of the Current Money of Rangoon aforesaid (making in the Currency of Madras the Sum of Fifteen Thousand Rupees ———— or thereabouts) which Sum was declared to run at Respondentia on the Block of the ship Ali Madud whereof Mahomed Assmam — was then Master or Commander from the Port of Rangoon aforesaid to Madras payable at the rate of thirty Star Pagodas for every hundred Sickals, in all ports and places - and that for further Security of the said Sum the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw had Mortgaged and assigned over to the said William Roberts the Bill of Sale of the said Ship Ali Madud in consideration whereof the usual Risk of Seas Rivers Fires Pirates &c. was declared to be on account of the said William Roberts and that for further Security of the said William Roberts the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw did thereby Consent and agree for himself his Heirs, Executors Administrators or assigns that the several Wares and Merchandizes laden or to be laden on the said Ship and also the said Block of the said Ship with the produce, should be Mortgaged and assigned over to the said William Roberts, and should not be diverted to any other use or purpose whatsoever, until payment of the said Bond or writing obligatory should be made with the premium that might become due thereon - and the Condition of that obligation was such that if the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw should well and truly pay or Cause to be paid unto the said William Roberts his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns the full amount of the said Bond and the Premium due thereon, at the expiration of thirty one days after the safe arrival of the said Ship Ali Madud at Madras or at any other port or places; or in case of the loss of the said Vessel, such an average as by Custom should become due on the Salvage, then the said obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue. - And the party proponent doth alledge and propound, every thing in this Article contained jointly and Severally -

Secondly That at the time of the execution of the said Bond in the preceding Article mentioned, the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw was the sole owner and

proprietor

Proprietor of the said Ship Ali Madud - that the said Bond was execute Rangoon aforesaid - that the Bill of Sale of the said Ship Ali Madud wa delivered to the said William Roberts at the time of the execution of th Bond and is now in the possession of the said William Roberts - that said Ship Ali Madud arrived in safety at Madras on or about the eighteenth Day of February last and still continues at anchor in the of Madras, within the Jurisdiction of this Court - that th Ferus Hassan Shaw hath not p[illegible]d to the said William Ro by the said Bond or any part thereof, and that there is now due the said William Roberts, the full and just Sum of Fifte Rupees ———, of the Current Money of Madras and the p doth alledge and propound every thing in this Article contained jo Severally. -

Lastly — That of and concerning the premises it hath been and is rightly co to your Lordships and the party proponent doth propound and alle That all and singular the premises were and are true public and and thereof there is a public voice fame and report, of which legal pro being made, the party proponent prays right and justice to be effectua administered to him and his party in the premises and that it may be pronounced declared and decreed that the said Ship the Ali Madud be condemned for the payment of the said Sum of Money herein be articulately set forth - and the Costs and Charges made and to be m in this Cause on the part and behalf of the said party, and comp the due payment thereof by this Honorable Court, and at final or definitive Decree to be given in this Cause and if necy Ship to be sold to answer the purposes aforesaid - And to issue out and under the Seal of this Court, certain process to arrest and attac Cause and Command to be arrested and attached, according to the Cour of the High Court of Admiralty of that part of the United Kingdo Called England - and to detain the said Ship until the said Sum of Mone herein before articulately set forth together with the Costs as aforesaid Shall be paid to him the said William Roberts or good and sufficient

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Security given to answer obey and abide by the definitive Sentence or Decree of this Honorable Court – And that your Lordships will also cause due process Monitions and Citations under the same Seal to issue against all parties whom it may concern according to the practice of the said High Court of Admiralty – And further that your Lordships will do and Decree in the premises what shall be lawful in this behalf and be pleased to proceed Summarily with all possible dispatch according to the Course of the said High Court of Admiralty the party proponent not obliging himself to prove all [illegible] premises, nor taking upon himself the burden of superfluous proof against which he protests but hoping so far as much he shall prove of the premises he may so far obtain therein the benefit of the Law being always saved to him, humbly imploring the aid of your Office in this behalf.

McMahon
Proctor }

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ADMIRALTY SIDE

Warrant of Exicution in refe. to W. Roberts

1803

Madras } George the Third by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and so forth:- To the Sheriff of Madras, Greeting: We Command you that you arrest and Seize the Ship Ali Mudad now riding at anchor in the Roads of Madras belonging to Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw late a Merchant at Rangoon in the Kingdom of Pegue but now a Prisoner in the Custody of the Sheriff of Madras aforesaid, in whose hands soever the said Ship now is and upon the attachment of the said Ship that you cite or Cause to be cited the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw owner thereof Specially and Generally and also all and any Other person or persons who have or pretend to have any right or title to or interest in the said Ship Ali Mudad or the Goods wares Merchandizes Tackle apparel Furniture or ammuntion in and appertaining to the same or who may have or make or pretend to have or make any Claim or demand thereon or thereto or in or to any part thereof severally and respectively to be and appear before our Justices ~~in the~~ Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid on the ~~Fourth~~ — day of ~~April instant~~, then and there to answer to William Roberts of Madras Mariner in a Certain Maritime and Civil Cause instituted and now depending on the admiralty side of our said Supreme Court by the said William Roberts

against

against the said Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw and the said Ship Ali Mudad whereof the said William Roberts hath filed his Libel of Record in our said Court and to answer to the said Libel in the said Cause and abide such Order Sentence and Decree as shall be made by our said Court therein — Witness Sir Thomas Andrew Strange, Knight, Chief Justice, at Madras aforesaid the ~~First~~ day of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three —

George M. Mahon
Proctor

Jno. Ricketts
Reg.

By Virtue of the within Writ to me directed I have caused the within named Ship Ali Mudad to be Arrested together with her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture, as appears by a certain Certificate hereunto annexed And I have also caused the within named Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw to be Cited by Delivering him [illegible] the Writ

R. Dalrymple
Sheriff

On the Second day of the Month of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and three, this Warrant was duly executed by Arresting the aforementioned Ship the Ali Mudad (whereof Mulna Ferus Hassen Shaw is Master) her Tackle Apparel and Furniture, Lying at Anchor in the Roads of Madras and by Citing all Persons in general, having or pretending to have any Right, Title or Interest therein, to appear at the time and place, and to the Effect aforementioned. —

John Vexom

On the 4th day of April
in the Year of our Lord 1803
the aforesaid John Vexom
was sworn to the truth of
the above Certificate —
~~Sworn~~ in Court

Jno. Ricketts
Reg.

Entd.

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Signed the 2d Apl. 1803

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras—

Admiralty Side—

William Roberts
against
The Ship Ali Madud.

Interrogatories to be administered to James
a Witness to be produced sworn and examined
in a certain matter now pending in the Supre
Court of Judicature at Madras, on the Admira
Side, wherein one William Roberts is Promovent
against the Ship or Vessel called the Ali Madud
now riding at anchor in the roads of Madras—

On the part and behalf of the Promovent, as follows—

Interrogatory— Do you know the party Promovent William Roberts in the Title of these Interrogatories named— and Do you know Mulna Feroz Hassen Shaw the owner or reput owner of the Ship Ali Madud, or either and which of them, and how long have you known them, or either and which of them?—

Second Interrogatory— Do you know John Taylor now or late of Rangoon in the Kingdom of Pegu, and if yea how long have you known him?— By what means in particular did you become acquainted with the said John Taylor and were you on an intimate footing with him or ot
~What is the nature of your profession, trade or calling, and where do y
generally reside?— Have you at any time or times received any Letters from the said John Taylor and are you by reason thereof or otherwise and how, acquainted with the character

character of the hand writing of the said John Taylor. Is the said John Taylor, or was he when you last saw him, or heard from him, and when particularly, a resident or Inhabitant of Rangoon, or any other and what place, and where doth the said John Taylor now reside, according to the best of your knowledge information and belief.

rd Interrogatory – Look at the paper writing now produced and shewn to you at this the time of your examination, purporting to be a Bond from Mulna Feruz Hassan Shaw to William Roberts and Look at the signatures or names of the persons who appear to have subscribed the same as Witnesses? Have you or have you not been frequently, or some times and how often at Pegue, and are you not acquainted with the Burmah character, or the mode of writing used by the natives of Pegue? Have you any and what reason to believe that the name or signature of one of the persons who appears to have subscribed the said Bond as a Witness is in the character so used by the natives of Pegue, or any other and what character. Look at the signature "John Taylor" subscribed at the foot of the said paper writing now produced and shewn to you ~~have you wrote~~ and say according to the best of your judgement and belief, by whom such signature was set and subscribed. and your reasons therefor declare.

th Interrogatory – Were you present at any time and when particularly when the paper writing in the preceding Interrogatory named was produced or shewn to Mulna Feruz Hassan Shaw respecting whom you have been before interrogated – and if yea, did any conversation pass with, or in the presence and hearing of the said Mulna Feruz Hassan Shaw, relating to the said paper writing, or to the execution thereof – if yea. Declare the same fully and particularly – and your reason for knowing that the Instrument now produced and shewn to you, is the same so produced to the said Mulna Feruz Hassan Shaw as aforesaid –

Fifth Interrogatory – Do you know, or have you any and what reason to believe, at what particular time the Ship Ali Meded last arrived in the roads of Madras. and where is the said vessel at present, as you know or believe?

Last Interrogatory – Do you know of any other matter or thing, or have you heard, or can you say any thing, touching the matters in question in this case, that may tend to the benefit and advantage of the Promovent in the title of these Interrogatories named, besides what you have been interrogated unto? Declare the same fully and at large, as if you had been particularly interrogated thereto –

Herbert Compton –

George McMahon
Proctor for Promt –

Supreme Court
Admiralty Side

William Roberts
vers
the Ship Ali Mustied -

Interrogatories on the beh
of the Promovent -

Filed 1 July 1807
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Madras. **William the Fourth** by the Grace of God of the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth. To the Sheriff of Madras **Greeting**. We Command you that you arrest and Seize the Brig or Vessel called Anna now riding at anchor in the roads of Madras whereof Tatha Narne Aveling now is or lately was Master, in whose hands soever the said Brig or Vessel now is, and upon the attachment of the said Brig or Vessel that you do Cite and monish or Cause to be Cited and monished the said Tatha Narne Aveling Specially and Generally, and also all and every other person or persons who have or pretend to have any right or title to or interest in the said ~~Ship~~ Brig or Vessel or the Goods Wares, Merchandizes Tackle Apparel Furniture or ammunition in and appertaining to the same or who may have or make or pretend to have or make any Claim or demand thereon or thereto or in or to any part thereof Severally and Respectively to be and appear before our Justices in the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid on **Saturday the Sixteenth** day of **April Instant** then and there to answer to John Lester, Appia Belramroo Ramroo Appia Paddia Pla[illegible] Appia Durgia Narioo Appia Bandary Ramasawmy Tomsawmy Yanka and Joseph, in a Certain Maritime and Civil Cause or instituted and now depending on the admiralty side of our said Supreme Court by the said John Lester, Appia Belramroo Ramroo Appia Paddia Place

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Appia Durgia Nariroo Appiah Bandary Ramasawmy Tom Sawmy Yanka and Joseph against the said Fatha Narne Aveling and the said Brig or Vessel Anna whereof the said John Lester Appia Belramoo Ramroo Appia Paddia Place Appia Durgia & Nariroo Appiah Bandary Ramasawmy Tom Sawmy Yanka and Joseph have filed their Libel of Record in our said Court and to answer to the said Libel in the said Cause and abide such order, Sentence and Decree as shall be made by our said Court therein -

Witness Sir Ralph Palmer Knight Chief Justice at Madras aforesaid, the Second - - - - day of April - - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one - -

Admiralty Side

Attachment against the Brig
or Vessel Called Anna —

In the Cause

John Lester and Others Chief Mate
and Crews of the said Brig —
~~with~~

Latha Narne Aveling — Master

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Capitulation agreed upon between Captain C. Cole commandg H. M. Ships and Captn Joachim Wiind of the Infantry of Banda to whom the command has devolved by the death of Lieut Col. J. F. During this morning

As the troops of His Britannick Majesty have already taken possession of the fort Belgica and also of the Sea Battery called Van Zeytighed and the place cannot be defended with success the present capitulation shall take place and in compliance therewith

All public property shall be delivered over to H. B. Majestys forces

Private property shall be protected and remain in full possession of the individual.

The Garrison shall be permitted to march out with all the Honors of War.

The Officers and privates shall be transported to Java at the expence of the English Govt and receive their allowances to the time of their departure -

The Civil Servants shall be permitted to go or stay as they may prefer

Done at Banda in the fort Nassau
this 9th Aug. 1810

Signed J. Wiind
Captain

J. McDonall

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Articles of Treaty

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Recd Dec. 24. 1816

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6-4-42

In the Vice Admiralty Court at Madras.

Prize Jurisdiction.

Our Sovereign Lord the King

against

Certain Property captured on the Islands of Banda Neira, Great Banda and Pulo Ay.

Appeared personally Charles Watson Gates a Lieutenant in the Military Service of the honorable the East India Company under their Presidency of Fort St. George and being duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelists to depose the truth made oath as follows:

That the Captors of Banda Neira Great Banda and Pulo Ay having appointed the Deponent their Prize Agent at those Islands the Deponent took charge of the captured Property taken on the said Islands and particularly — what was taken on the said Island of Banda Neira to which the other two Islands are dependant.

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That exclusively of the Mace and Nutmegs on the said several Islands at the time of the capture thereof, the public property taken possession of as Prize, consisted of Specie of different denominations and value, and of Rice and Cloth and other articles found in the public Government Store=houses, And also of Paper Money not current after the capture of the said Islands.

That the Parkeniers of the different Parks on the said several Islands by the terms and stipulations contained in the Government Instructions under which the Parkeniers cultivate and manage their Parks, were entitled to receive from Government on the delivery into the public Stores of those Islands of the Mace and Nutmegs produced on their Parks, certain stipulated prices per Pound; or in lieu of part thereof were entitled to have delivered to them

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from the Government Stores a certain quantity of Rice for each Slave in the charge of those Parkeniers at a certain fixed rate; and in lieu of other part thereof were entitled to be supplied from the Government Storehouses with the necessary Cloth for their Slaves at moderate prices.

That the delivery of Mace into the public Storehouses takes place once in each Month, but the Nutmegs are only delivered about once in four Months.

That the Rice and Cloth necessary for the Slaves are wholly supplied from the Island of Java, and those supplies only forwarded at stated periods or seasons of the year, it was therefore considered that to have applied the Specie Rice or Cloth so captured in any other way than that of satisfying the Parkeniers for the Mace and Nutmegs which they

e ready to deliver into Store; or to have
the same captured property now
nd of Banda Neira within the
ion of any Vice Admiralty Court in
uld have occasioned actual distress
rkeneers their families and Slaves
e other Inhabitants of those Islands.

ifter the capture of the said several
nd when and as the Parkeneers —
their Mace and Nutmegs into the
ewises the Deponent as Prize Agent
d and having the previous authority
tors satisfied the Parkeneers for the
d Nutmegs which they delivered out
tured Property partly in specie and
Rice and Cloths agreeably to the
s contained in the said Government
s And that the amounts of the
on delivering the Mace and Nutmegs
gal to Madras on board his —
Majesty's

Majestys Ship the Piedmontese and now landed and within the Jurisdiction of this Court were satisfied and made under the orders of the Deponent out of the captured Property aforesaid

That it appears from the Affidavit of the Deponent already filed in this matter, that the Price paid to the Perkeniers for Mace delivered in the Months of September October November and December One thousand Eight hundred and Ten and in January and — February One thousand Eight hundred and Eleven was paid by the Deponent as Prize agent under the orders of the Persons necessarily exercising the Government of the said Islands But the Deponent did not thereby mean or intend to be understood that in making — those payments for the Mace he acted solely under the orders of the person exercising the Government of the said Islands he the — Deponent having in fact acted under the

R Orme
King's Proctor

the authority and with the sanction of
Captain Cole and Captain Foot two of
the Captors of the said several Islands.

C W Yates
Agent

Sworn at my Garden
House at Madras this
first day of September
in the Year 1811.
Before me

T Strange

Vice Admiralty Court
Prize Jurisdiction

In the business of certain
Property captured on
the Islands of Banda
Neira Great Banda
and Pulo Ay.

Affidavit of
Lieut C. W. Gates
in further Proof
[illegible] of Capture—

Filed the 6th of Sept. 1811
Ally.

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R. G. Smile
Kings Proctor

7-4-42

In the Vice Admiralty Court at Madr

Prize Jurisdiction

In the Business of the
at Banda Neira [illegible]
Pulo Ay —

Petition of James Balfour and Richard Bromley of Madras Esquires Prize Agents for the Captors ....
States —

That by a certain Order or Decree ma
Matter on Monday the 9th day of Septem
The Judge pronounced declared and decreed
Spices then prayed to be decreed as good and lawful Prize tak
Ships Caroline, Piedmontese, and Baracouta wher[illegible]
[illegible]
incurred by the Captors for and on [illegible] of the said Spices and
Commission should issue authorising and empowering the said
and the said Merchants jointly and severally to administer an Oa
to such person or persons as might be before them examined to
the said Account and that such Account should be returned with a
Convenient dispatch

That in pursuance of such Order a Commis
issue directed to your Petitioners authorising them to sell
that upon receipt of the said Spices on behalf of the Captors
payments were made in Consideration thereof to the persons u
Estates they had been produced and by whom they were delivered
Prize Agent appointed at the time by the Captors which payment
made out of other Property then and there claimed by the Cap
It was further Ordered that all disbursements advances and

nd incurred for and on Account of the said Spices by the
ould be also to them or their agents reimbursed and made go
said Proceeds, such disbursements advances and Charges
proved of and allowed by this Court and that it should be
he Registrar of this Court and to George Arbuthnot, John
Sebastian Holford Greig of Madras Merchants or any of the
Account of all such disbursements advances and C[illegible]
d ought not to be adjudged and Condemned as good and
ken by H. M. Ships of War, but allowed and admitted the cla
behalf of the Crown and decreed that the said Spices belonged
d that a Commission of Sale of the said Spices should forthw
sale proceeds thereof be brought into Court on or before the
of December next ensuing and by the Registrar thereof be
the Government Bank and that all costs and expences of
to be deducted an[illegible] the said Proceeds and
[illegible] sold and [illegible]
nds of the Registrar of this Court.-

That the Referees named in the said Order or
taken an Account of all the disbursements advances a
nd incurred by the Captors for and on Account of the said
t to the Sum of 34,016 St. Ps. 35 f. and 5 Cash as on refe
ccount made out by the referees and now filed of
will fully appear.-

That your Petitioners are desirous of having
34,016 St. Ps. 35 f. and 5 Cash paid into their hand
for the Officers and Crews of H. M. said Ships Caroline
racoutaa.-

Your Petitioners therefore hum
Pray that the said Sum of 34,016 St
50 be paid over to them on acct. and in be
[illegible]

[illegible]

Prize [illegible]

In the Business of
Spices taken at Banda
Neira Great Banda
and Puloaye.–

Brief

To move that the
Prayer of the Petition
be granted on Friday
the 15 May 1812.
Mr Kings Adv.

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J Nicholl

Fild 15 May 1812

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George the third by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth to Henry Vahagan Esquire Registrar of our Vice Admiralty Court at Madras and the Territories thereunto belonging George Arbuthnot, John Binny and Sebastian Welford Greig of Madras aforesaid Merchants Greeting. Whereas our beloved the Honorable Sir Thos. Andrew Strange Kt. our Commissary and Judge in our said Court in a certain Cause of on our behalf moved and prosecuted before him against certain Property consisting of Mace and Nutmegs. brought to Madras aforesaid on board our Ship the Piedmontaise whereof Charles Foote Esquire was Commander, taken at the Island of Banda Neira and its dependencies hath Ordered and decreed a further Commission to issue unto you for you for the administering of an Oath or Oaths to Charles Lowdaire or any other person or persons as may be before you examined touching the Matter in a Petition filed in our said

Court

Court on the 15th of April instant by Lieutenant Charles Watson Yates of the Madras Military Establishment and hath committed his power and authority unto you in that behalf. We do therefore authorize and empower you jointly and severally that you do receive admit and administer an Oath to the said Charles Saudoin and to every person who may be by and before you examined touching the Matters in the Petition alledged and in the Affidavit subjoined thereto.

Given at Madras in our aforesaid Court under the Seal thereof this 15th Day of April in the year of our Lord 1814 and of our Reign the

Henry Graham

Registrar

7-4-42

Vice Admiralty Prize Court
Madras –

In the Business of the Spices
taken at Banda and brought
to Madras on board His
Majestys Ship Piedmontaise
Captain C. Foote. –

Commission to Administer
Oaths to Witnesses. –

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Filed 15. April 1814

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Henry Gahagan Regr. –

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Recd 16 May
1816.

In the Vice Admiralty Court at Madras.

Danish Brig Cawder Bux (1)

Apana Marukan – Master

Appeared personally James Murray lately Master of His Majesty's Ship Victor Thomas Groube Esquire Commander and being sworn on the Holy Evangelists to depose the truth made Oath That the Papers and Writings hereto annexed numbered from one to Sixteen are all the Papers Passes Sea Briefs Charter Parties Bills of Lading Cockets Letters and other Documents and Writings which were delivered up or found on board the above Brig Cawder Bux taken by His Majesty's said Ship Victor on the twenty ninth day of February last at which Capture and detention this Deponent was present And that the said Papers and Writings are brought and delivered in as they were received and taken without any fraud addition subtraction or embezzlement saving the numbering thereof

J. Murray

D. Bruce
Registrar

Sworn at Madras in the
East Indies this 25th day of
October in the Year 1808
Before me

B. Strange

Filed Oct. 29th 1808
AG
Registrar

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificat for the Cargo of the Brig

No. 1.

Sewapamalesi

		Rd.	
Een Skrift og Certificater for Skibet Muchaidin Kader Bux, drægtig 150 Tons a 25 Rdl.		37 Rd.	6 f.
„ Secretairen for Udfærdigelsen og notariale Documenter	16 Pag.	„	8 f.
„ Mandlee Einsen	2	„	.
Summa	18 Pag.	38 Rd.	2 f.

Tranquebar
den 21. September 1805

Betalt
C. F. Braun

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificate for the Cargo of the Brig

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No. 2.

Sewaframalin [illegible] Debet

To Engl. Tras. of Certificates for said

Brig Merchant [illegible] Bey [illegible] 150 [illegible] Rs. 37. 6f

for [illegible] of translator [illegible] Pag 16 .. 8f

Pag 16. Rs. 38. 2f

Tranquebar den 11te September 1807

J Rosford

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No. 3 7a

FORT CORNWALLIS,—PRINCE OF WALES ISLAND.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, to whom it may Concern, that the Owner of the Brig Maydeenbux Exported on the ſaid Veſsel to Najou the under-mentioned Articles, on which the Honorable Company's Export Duties have been charged here:

Piculs	
2 —	Sweetmeats
1079 — „	Betlenut
5 „ 95 —	Bees Wax
51 — —	Brimstone
31 — 34	Benjamin
— 3 —	Beads
4 „ 50 — —	Tin
38 — —	~~Long~~ Pepper
1.9 — 22 —	Rattans
4 — —	Pepper
200 China Cups	

W. E. Phillips
Collr. of Customs and
Land Revenue

CUSTOM HOUSE, the 2d of February 1808

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificat for the Cargo of the Brig

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We Governor & Members of the Government of His Danish Majesty's East India Possessions do hereby certify and declare, that this Day the 25th. of August in the year 1807 Compared before us Leenapamalim dwelling & residing in the town of Tranquebar, who has the management of the expedition with the Brig named Muchaiden Kader Box, at present commanded by Hasena Marukan, destined from the port of Tranquebar to Achin Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good hope, and that he has by his Oath in legal form deponed and declared, that the said Brig has no goods or merchandizes on board, but what is the property of Subjects of His Majesty our Sovereign King, or of those of other neutral powers. — In Witness whereof we have signed this Certificate and affixed our Seal thereon

Given &c. as above

(Signed) Hermanson. Lindgren

J. Koefo

(L. S.)

A true Translation from the Original

Mocford

Translation

No 5.

We Christian the Seventh

by the Grace of God, King of Denmark
& Norway of the Vandals & Goths, Duke
of Slesvig, Holstein, Stormarn, Dithmarsh
& Oldenbourg &c. &c.

To all whom these presents shall come send Greeting Know ye that whereas in the Council of our East India Government Sewaparmalam, Our Subject and Citizen of Tranquebar, most humbly has represented that the Brig called Muchaidin Kader Box burthen of 150 Tons, belongs to him, and that he intends to dispatch her under the Command of Hasena Marcikan or any other constituted in his place, from the Port of Tranquebar to Achin Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good hope, so as the Circumstances will admit & it might be found beneficial for Trade or where this Veſsel may Obtain any freight, and the said our Subject having affirmed this on oath, We do by these presents grant Our Paſsport for the said Brig & the said Captain. In Consequence whereof We do by these presents friendly demand & request of all Powers by Land & Sea, Kings, Princes, Republicks & States, especially of the parties now at War, as well as their Chiefs, Admirals, Generals, Officers, Commanders of Sea Ports and Captains of Ships or Letters of Marks, & all other Officers to whom may be trusted any Commands at Sea or on any Ports, who may meet the said Brig or in whose Fleets or in whose Harbours she may come, that they will be pleased in Virtue of the Treaties of Alliance & Friendship which subsist between us & every Sovereign and Republic, not only to allow the said Captain Hasina Marikan or any other in Case of necessity Constituted in his place, as well as all Persons, Effects or Merchandizes on board the said Brig, at Liberty to proceed on her Voyage without Detention or Injury whatever, but also if need should be to give him as our Subject, All possible Assistance promising on our part and in the name of our Subjects the like good Offices, in the same or any other Circumstances. Our own Subjects are Obliged to accomplish in this respect our Orders.

In Witness whereof our Royal Seal to these presents are affixed.

Given at Our Fort Dansborg the 25th August 1807

(L. S. R.)

By His Majestys Order

(Signed)

Hermanson Lindgreen

J. Horsford

Passport for the Brig Machaudin Kader Box
burthen of 150 Tons
Captain Hosina Marikan

A true Translation from the Original

J. Horsford

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Traduction du Certificat pour la Cargaison du Brick

Nous Gouverneur & Membres du Gouvernement des Etablissements de Sa Majesté Danoise aux Indes Orientales, Attestons & certifions qu'au 25 d'Avril de l'année 1807 s'est sisté devant nous le nommé Sewapamalin Citoyen & habitant de la Ville de Tranquebar, expediteur du Brick Muchadin Kaderboy, actuellement commandé par Hasena Maraikan, & destiné du port de Tranquebar à Achin Pulopinang & à tous les ports à l'Est du Cap de bonne esperance, & qu'ayant preté son serment en forme legale, il a declaré & deposé, que le dit Brick n'est pas chargé d'aucune marchandise, qui ne soit pas la proprieté des sujets du Roi notre auguste maitre, ou de ceux d'autres puissances neutres. En foi de quoi nous avons signé ce Certificat & y apposé notre sceau ordinaire. — Fait &c. comme dessus.

(signés) Hermanson; Lindgreen.

(L. S.)

J. Roefoed

Pour la vraie Traduction

J. Roefoed

At Capitaine, Asmus Mauritzen førende Briggen Markeiden Kadet
Bonn [illegible] destineret herfra til Acheen, i Indladning og
[illegible] Reis og Rigtighed for [illegible]
for bemeldte Brigs [illegible] attesteres herved, [illegible]
det [illegible] bemeldte Brig [illegible] Toldklarering under min Haand og det Kongelige
[illegible] Told-Segl

Tranquebar paa [illegible] Toldkammer
den 23de September 1807.

Toldner

At Capitaine Assena Marcikand förender Briggen Muckadin Kader Bey, Rederiet Lewinwappa Mudliar, destineret herfra til Atchin, Pulopinang og andre Indiske Havne og herfra tilbages igien, haver aflagt rigtig Rede og Rigtighed for dette Søe-Told-Sted for bemelte Brigs ind og udbragte Ladning, attesteres hermed; Thi meddeeles hermed bemelte Brig denne Told-Clarering under min Haand og det Kongelige Søe-Told-Segl.

Tranqvebar [illegible] Toldkammeret den 19de September 1807.

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No. 9.

Translation of the Ship Certificate

We Governor & Members of the Government of His Danish Majesty's East India Poſseſsions, do hereby certify and declare, that this Day the 25th August in the year 1807, compared before us Severivapamalim, dwelling & residing in the town of Tranquebar, and by the Oath with which he has aſser-mented his fidelity to His Majesty our Sovereign King, has made his declaration that the Brig named Muchaidem Kader Box, burthen of 150 Tons, belongs to the port of the aforesaid Town, and that the said Brig is truely and avowently the property of the said Deponent a Subject of His Majesty our Sovereign only, and that the said Brig is now destined to go from the port of Tranquebar to Achin, Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good Hope, laden with the merchandizes mentioned in the manifest of the Customhouse Officer, and that the said Deponent has also declared on oath, that the said Brig is belonging to His Danish Majesty's Subjects only, and do not contain any prohibited goods, destined for any of the parties now at War. In Witneſs whereof we have signed this Certificate and affixed our Seal thereon. — Given &ca as above

(Signed) Hermanson. Lindgreen

J. Koefoed

(L. S.)

A true translation from the Original

G Koefoed

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Vi Det Kongelige Gouvernement i Tranquebar giöre hermed Witterligt, at eftersom den her værende Kongelige Tömmermester Rama Ayen har edelig bevidnet for Os, at han har maalt Skibet Muchaidin Kader Box kaldet, som föres af Skipper Leiwapamalim maalt den rigtig og ret, og befunden den lang imellem begge Stevne 68½ Fod, 16½ Fod Breed og 14½ Fod Dyb, og derefter at kunde före 150 Tons: Dette bliver sligt til Witterlighed og Bekræftelse attesteret med Vort Segl, og have Vi ladet dette underskrive af Gouvernements Secretairen.

Castellet Dansborg i Gouvernementet den 16de Septemb: 1805.

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(: Gouvernements Secretair :)

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Mandtalls-Rülle

Paa det Samtlige Mandskab af Officeerer og Gemeene som ere antagne og forhÿrede til at fahre med Briggen Müchaidin Kader Bax kaldet / Dragtig 150 Tons, tilhørende Lewapa Malin i Tranquebar. Destineret herfra til Atchin, Pollupinang, og andre Indiske Havne, østen for Cap det Gode Haab, og tilbages til Staden Tranquebar.

N°	Navne	Station	Nation	Maanedlig Gage
1	Assana Marikan	Capitaine	Mohr	P. Mag. 20
2	Malon Lewawapa	Stÿrmand	d°	12
3	Seymira	Serang	d°	„ 10
4	Kader	Tandel	d°	„ 9
5	Lalla	Succanny	d°	„ 8
6	Sessamaleve	d°	d°	„ 8
23	„ „	Lascarer	d°	à 6
Idalt 29		Passageerer 100		

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At foranførte Officeerer og øvrige Mandskaber ere antagne og forhyrede til at fahre med Briggen Mickaldin under Boosmaldet herfra Tranquebar, og at denne Mandtalls Rulle, efter den mig giorte behørige Forklaring saaledes i alle maader rigtig befunden —

Til Bekræftelse under min Haand og Søe Enrollerings Segl

Tranquebar
den 14de Septbr
1807

Hans Kongelige Majestæts til
Dannemarck og Norge ved
Gouvernementet Const. Equipagemester
J. G. Meinhardt
Stadets Equipagemester

Verte

Vi bevidne hermed at Johan George Meinhardt som til ovenmeldte Mandtalls Rulle har sadt sin Haand og Seigl er lovlig constitueret Equipagemester her paa Stedet og authoriseret til Skibs Rullers Udfærdigelse i denne Stad —

Det til Bekræftigelse under Vore Hænder og Gouvts Segl Castellet Dansborg i Gouvernementet den 14de Septbr 1807

Hermansson

N°. 12.

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Nos Gubernator & Consiliarii Gubernationis Possessionum Sacræ Regiæ Majestatis Danicæ in Indiæ Orientalis, attestamur, & certificamus, quod die 25. Mensis Augusti Anni 1807 coram Nobis comparuerit Lewapamalim Civis & Incola Civitatis Tranquebar, qui de Navi Muchaidin Kader Box, eique propria, jam sub ductu nancleri Hasena Mareikan e portu Tranquebar ad Achin Pulopinang cæterosque in partem orientalem promentorii bonæ spei spectantes portus expedienda curam gerit, atque sub juramento ad formam legis declaraverit & asseveraverit, prædictam navim nullas, nisi quæ Subditis Regis Domini Nostri augustissimi & aliis neutrarum partium hominibus propriæ sint, merces vehere. —

In quorum fidem hanc Certificationem subscribimus & Sigillo nostro munimus. Dabantur in Castro Dansborg die annoque ut supra

Hermansen

Wagner

Stricker

No 14.

Nos Christianus Septimus

Dei gratia, Rex Daniæ, Norvegiæ, Vandalorum Gothorumque, Dux Slesvici, Holsatiæ, Stormariæ Dithmarsiæ ac Oldenburgi &c. &c.

Notum testatumque volumus omnibus & singulis quibus hæ Nostræ Salvi Conductus literæ exhibentur. Quandoquidem in Consilio Nostro Gubernationis Indiæ Orientalis, Subditus Noster Sewapamalim Civis & Incola Civitatis Nostræ Tranquebar humillime Nobis exponi curaverit Navim Muchaidin Kader Box dictam Cl. Tonnarum cap. ad se revera pertinere eique propriam, seque jam in eo esse, ut navim istam sub ductu Naucleri Hasena Mareikan vel alius forsan in ejus locum substituendi ex Portu Tranquebar ad Achin Pulopinang cæterosque in partem orientalem promontorii bonæ spei spectantes Portus, quemadmodum id res & commerciorum utilitas postulaverit, vel prout hac Navis vecturam adinvenire possit, mitteret; quod cum prædictus Subditus Noster juramento affirmaverit Nos

eundem Nauclerum cum præfata Navi, hisce Nostris Salv
Conductus Literis muniendum censuimus. — Proinde ab
omnibus & singulis terrarum mariumve Potestatibus,
Regibus, Principibus, Rebuspublicis ac liberis Civitat
bus, imprimis vero a partibus hoc tempore bello se lacessen
tibus earumque Ducibus, Classiarchis, Generalibus, Offic
alibus, Navium portuumque Præfectis, Capitaneis, In
structoribus, aliisque omnibus, quibus custodia aliqua mar
aut portus commissa est, quibuscunque Navem hanc na
vigando obviam venire, quorumque in Classes et Naves for
incidere, aut in portubus morare contigerit, respective, amic
benevole & clementer petimus & requirimus, ut ratione fœde
rum & amicitiæ, quæ Nobis cum unoquoque Rege vel
Republica intercedunt, dictum Nauclerum Hasena Ma
reikan aut alium in illius locum, urgente necessitate con
stituendum, cum navi, personis, rebus & mercimoniis omnib
illi impositis, non solum libere ac absque ulla molestia, de
tentione, vel impedimento quocunque iter suum prosequi
permittant; sed etiam eidem, tanquam Nostro Subdito u
opus fuerit, omnia humanitatis officia exhibeant, eadem

vicissim a Nobis, Nostrisque in pari vel alio casu experturi.
Nostri vero jussis qui sunt exequentur hujus Mandati Nostri
voluntatem. — In quorum fidem præsentes has Literas,
Sigillo Nostro Regio firmari jussimus.
Die XXV Mensis Augusti, Anni MDCCCVII.

Ad Mand[illegible] Majestatis

Hermanson

Litteræ Salvi Conductus
Navis Muchaidin Kader Bo[illegible] CL Tonnarum
Sub ductu Naucleri Hasen[illegible] Mareikan

Traduction du Certificat pour [illegible]

Nous Gouverneur & Membres du Gouvernement des Etablissements de Sa Majesté Danoise aux Indes Orientales, Attestons & certifions qu'au 25 d'Aout de l'année 1807, s'est présenté devant nous le nommé Lewapermal Citoyen & habitant de la ville de Tranquebar, & que sous le serment par lequel il est tenu envers Sa Majesté Notre auguste Maître, il nous a declaré que le Brick Marchand Vernier Bog du port de 150 Tonneaux appartient au port de la dite ville, & que le dit Brick est à juste titre la propriété du susdit sujet de Sa Majesté notre auguste Maître, qu'il est actuellement destiné à aller en droiture du port de Tranquebar à Achem, Pulopinang & à tous les Ports à l'Est du Cap de bonne Esperance, chargé des marchandises specifiées dans l'exposé pour les Officiers de la Douane, & puis sous le dit serment il a prouvé, que le dit Navire appartient aux seuls sujets de Sa Majesté & qu'il ne porte aucune marchandise defendue, qui soit destiné à aucune des parties actuellement en guerre.

En foi de quoi nous avons signé ce Certificat & y apposé notre sceau ordinaire. — Fait &c. comme dessus

Signés Hermansen, Lindgreen

J. Kofoed

(L. S.)

[illegible] Traduction

J Kofoed

hristian Sept
race de Dieu, Roi de
k, et de Norvege, des Vandales
Duc de Slesvig, Holstein, Stor.
Ditmarsie et Oldenbourg &c.

A tous ceux, que ces presen vernant, Salut. Savoir
faisons que nous ayant été C de Notre Gouvernement
aux Indes Orientales, tres humblement exposé [illegible]
Notre Sujet & Bourgeois de la Ville de Tranquebar, que
le Brick nommé Machado [illegible] du port de 150 Ton.
neaux appartenant à lui et desseins de le faire partir
conduit par le Capitaine H Durchan ou celui qui sera
mis en sa place, de la Rade de Tranquebar à Achin, Pulopinang
& à tous les ports à l'Est du Cap de bonne esperance suivant
les Circonstances & le Benefice d où il peut
trouver du fret, et que notre affirmé par
serment: Nous avons trouvé bo au maitre dudit
nné dudit Brick nos presentes Lettres & Passeports et
requerons Nous prions & requerons instamment & amicalement
chacun suivant sa qualité respective toutes les Puissances,
parties & par Mer, Rois, Princes, Re ues & Villes libres,
specialement les Parties actuelle guerre, comme aussi
leurs Chefs, Amiraux, Generaux Commandants aux
Ports de Mer & Capitaines ayant Comm
& à tous les autres Officiers C à la C
la Mer et des ports qu leur t
rencontrer les flottes & dans les ports d

en Tiguemar, qui est
habitant en Tranquebar de Republique a
nos Tribunaux l'hasfra son voyage au dit Capitaine
Hansmiar Amarkam tre constitué en cas de necessité
en sa place de m..d qu sonnes, effets & marchand
dises embarqués sur le en toute liberté sans aucunes
difficultés détention ment quelconque, mais même
de lui prêter en cas de d, comme à Notre Sujet, toute
assistance possible permettant de Notre Côté au nom de
Nos Sujets pareil off pareil cas en tout autre. Ceux
que sont de notre obé d'impliquer en ceci Notre Volonté
En foi de quoi nous t scellé les présentes de Notre
Sceau Royal

Donné à Not Fort Dansborg le 25 d'Avril 1807

S. R.

le Roi

(signé)

rmanson Lindgreen

J. Horford

Passeport Wa Muchadin Kader bey
Du Port de nany
Capitaine Hanaikan

Pour la vraie Traduction

J Horford

Madras

Camder Box 11

Fee [illegible] 29th 1805

by Register

In the Vice Admiralty Court
at Fort Saint George – Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

The Cawder Bux
Chinna Pappoo
Nacodah

The Claim of Comarapah Naick a Native Merchant residing and trading at Cuddalore under the British Government there – Which said Comarapah Naick is the true Lawful and sole Owner and Proprietor of the said Veſsel called the Cawder Bux her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture and her Cargo seized and detained by His Britannick Majesty's Ship of War the Victor Thomas Groube Esquire Commander as setforth in the Affidavit hereunto annexed and for all such Freight, Loſses, Costs – charges, Damages, Demurrage and Expences as have arisen or shall or may arise by reason of the seizure or – detention aforesaid –

D. Neale
Proctor.

In the Vice Admiralty Court
at Fort Saint George Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

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The Cawder Bux
Chinna Bappoo
Nacodah or Master

Recd Jan 12

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Claim of Comarapah
Naick the sole Owner
of Brig and Cargo

Filed February 1809

D. Neale 2/3
Proctor

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In the Name of God Amen We Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight Judge of the Vice Admiralty Court of Madras and the rritories thereunto belonging and also to hear and determine all manner of Causes nd Complaints as to Ships and Good seized and taken as Prize Specially Constituted and Appointed having heard seen, and understood and fully and maturely discuſsed the merits and Circumstances of a Certain busineſs of seizing and taking of a Certain Ship Called La Caravanne whereof Charles Dupont was Master, her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same taken by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander and brought to the Port of Madras which was lately and still is depending before us on the part and behalf of our Sovereign Lord the King against the said Ship, her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same and against all Persons in General who have or pretend to have any right title or interest therein, and We rightly and duly proceeding in the said busineſs and the procurator for our Sovereign Lord the King Appearing before us, and Praying Sentence to be given and Justice to be done and all others in General who have or pretend to have any right title or interest in the said Ship her tackle, Apparel and Furniture, and the said Goods Wares and Merchandizes being duly and legally Cited and intimated, Called and not Appearing having first enquired into and duly Considered the whole proceeding had and done before us in the said busineſs and having observed what by law ought to be observed in this behalf, have thought fit and do think fit thus to proceed to

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the giving and promulging of our definitive Sentence or final decree in the said business in manner and form following, that is to say Forasmuch as We have by the Acts, enacted deduced alledged and propounded and proved in the said found and Clearly discovered that the Procurator for our Sovereign Lord the King, Sufficiently founded his intention, deduced in a Certain allegation given and admitted on his behalf in the said business and now remaining in the Registry of this Court which said allegation and other matter propounded, Exhibited and admitted We take and will have taken as if here read and inserted for us to pronounce for the Condemnation of the said Ship her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the said Goods, Wares, and Merchandizes as belonging to Enemies of the Crown of Great Britain and Ireland and as such or otherwise liable to Confiscation and Condemnation as hereinafter mentioned and that nothing at least Effectual hath been excepted deduced, alledged pleaded propounded or proved by any Person whatsoever which may or Can any Ways defeat prejudice or Weaken the intention of the said procurator, Therefore We Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight first Calling upon the name of Christ and having God alone before our Eyes and having heard Counsel learned in the law thereupon do hereby pronounce decree and declare that the said Ship whereof Charles Dupont was Master her tackle, Apparel and Furniture & the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same were rightly and duly taken seized by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander and that the Ship her tackle Apparel and Furniture did, at the time of the Capture and seizure thereof, (as far as appears to us) belong to the French Republic or to Persons being Subjects of the French

Republic

Republic or inhabiting within the territories of the French Republic and the said Goods Wares and Merchandizes did (as far as appears to us) belong to the Batavian Republic or to Persons being Subjects of the Batavian Republic or to Persons inhabiting within the territories of the Batavian Republic and that the said Ship her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the said Goods wares and Merchandizes as such as aforesaid ought to be Accounted and reputed liable and subject to Confiscation and to be adjudged and Condemned as and for Good and lawful Prize to our Sovereign Lord the King and We do also pronounce and declare that the said Ship her tackle Apparel & Furniture and all and Singular the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same be adjudged and Condemned as Good and lawful Prize to our Sovereign Lord the King, seized and taken by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander by this our definitive Sentence or final decree which We read and promulge by these presents. –

T Strange

This Sentence was Read, Signed and promulged by the Judge aforesaid upon the 19th day of June in the Year of our Lord 1809 in the Court House in Fort St. George Madras. –

Which Attest

Henry Gahagan
Register

The Admiralty Prize Court,
Madras

The King
V
The Ship La Caravanne
Charles Dupont Master

Sentence of Condemnation

Filed 19th June 1809
Registered 19 June 1809

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Will. M'Taggart
Marshal

Vice Admiralty Prize Court Madras

Monday the 19th day of June 1809

Our Sovereign Lord
The King
V
The Ship La Caravanne
Charles Dupont Master

On motion of the Kings' advocate and on reading the depositions of the Witnesses Examined upon the standing interrogatories, together with the papers and Writings found on board the said Ship - It is ordered and decreed that the said Ship and Cargo be adjudged and Condemned as good and lawful Prize seized and taken by His Majesty's Ship Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander and that Sentence of Condemnation [illegible]

T Strange

Admiralty Prize Court
Madras

The King
V
The Ship La Caravanne
Charles Dupont Master

Order for Condemnation
Filed 19th June 1809
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Henry Gahagan Registrar

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George the Third by the Grace of God of the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King defender of the Faith to William Mc. Taggart Gentleman Marshal of the Vice Admiralty Court of Madras and the Territories thereunto belonging and to his Deputy whomsoever Greeting. Whereas our beloved The Honorable Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight our Commissary in our said Court and President and Judge thereof and also to hear and determine all and all manner of Causes and Complaints as to Ships and Goods seized and taken as Prize specially Constituted and appointed in a Certain business moved and prosecuted before him in our said Court on our behalf against the Ship Called La Caravanne taken by our Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander rightly and duly proceeding at the Petition of the Proctor of the Claimants alledging that Henry Hall of Madras Esquire, Captain Joseph Carroll, Captain William Mac Nicoll Mr. James Martin, Captain John Napier, Captain William Doig and Mr. Nicolas Birsay, of the same place are necessary Witnesses to prove the Contents of the Petition given in and admitted in the behalf of the said Claimants but that they refuse to Come and give their Testimony in the said Cause unless by Law Compelled thereto hath decreed the said Henry Hall of Madras Esquire, Captain Joseph Carroll, Captain

Robert

Robert Mac Nicoll, Mr James Martin, Captain John Napier, Captain William Doig and Mr Nicolas Bisay of the same place to be monished cited and Called to Judgement at the time and place under written and to the effect hereinafter expressed.

We do therefore strictly Charge and Command You jointly and severally that You omit not by reason of any liberty or Franchise but that You monish and Cite or Caused to be monished and Cited peremptorily and personally the aforesaid Henry Hall of Madras Esquire, Captain Joseph Carroll, Captain Robert Mac Nicoll, Mr James Martin, Captain John Napier, Captain William Doig and Mr Nicolas Bisay of the same place that they and each of them appear at the hour of eleven o'Clock in the morning of the fifth day of July Instant at the office of the Registrar of our said Court in Fort Saint George then and there to take the oath by Witnesses usually taken and to testify the truth of what they and each of them may Know in this behalf and further to do and Receive in this behalf as to Justice shall appertain under pain of the Law and the peril which will fall thereon And that You

You duly Certify us or our said Judge or his Surrogate what You shall do in the premises together with these presents. –

Given at Madras in our aforesaid Court this 4th day of July in the Year of our Lord 1809 – And of our Reign the Forty Ninth. –

Henry Gahagan
Registrar

recd. 10 minutes past 10 a.m., 5th July [illegible]

This monition was duly executed on Tuesday the Fourth
day of July One Thousand eight hundred & nine by citing & monishing
the within named Henry Hall Esq Captn Joseph Carroll Captn
Robert Mac Nicoll Captn John Napier & Captn William Doig
And on the morning of Wednesday the fifth day of said Month
& year aforesaid by citing & monishing the within named Mr James
Martin & each of them to appear and testify to the truth in
all respects as therein directed.

Wm. McTaggart
Marshal.

In Admiralty Prize Court
Madras

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In the business of
The ship
La Caravanne }

Compulsory Monition to
Certain Witnesses.—

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Returned and filed 5th July 1809
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Henry Gahagan Register

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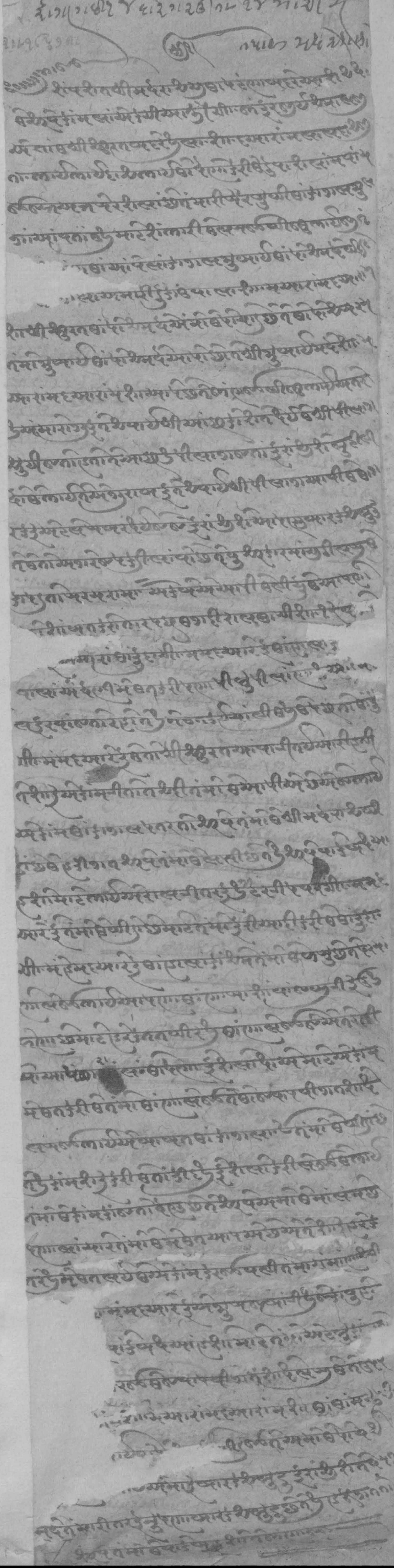

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This is arrived by Tappy on Paulgoona Bahoola Souty Thursday of the Epocha 1867 or 14th March 1811. —

Translation of a Letter addressed by Sah Dayauraum Laul Doss & younger Brother Bayee Doss Bayee with due respect & Compliments from Soorat Bander to the perusal of Meeyah Jaupherjy Ebraumaulji who is fit to manage every affair at Madras Chennapatnam Bander. —

We are in good state of health here we have not got the pleasure of hearing your welfare long time since. you will be so good as to inform the same at your [illegible] — You Brother have forwarded by Tappy to Bombay the Letter arrived from Penang which our shop keeper Sah Mayauraum and Dayauraum transmitted to us by the Tappy of Soorat you might have paid the Bombay Postage for the same which is likewise paid by Mayauraum and Dayauraum which you are to understand That (Brother) our Vessel called Pattasavaye did set sail from hence to proceed to Penang and touched the Port of Achay and in her way from the Port of Achy to Penang she was plundered by the French and (Brother) after the Vessel Pattasavay had cast her Anchor at the Port of Penang we heard that the English had captured the Ship of French who did plunder our Vessel Consequently a written Complaint was made to the Circaur and praves were given Concerning Cloth & by paying 1/8 One Eighth part as charges we Recovered only the Cloth and with respect to 12 purses of Dollars &ca Ready Money our Nacoda Meeyah Mahommed Areef & Vaunala Causam used their utmost exertions but it is frustrated by the Admirals leaving Poolpenang & proceeding on his

Voyage

Nacoda. Meeyah Mahommed Araph was Ready to proceed to Soorat and therefore We are obleged to give you the Trouble Respecting this affair and all the Papers and Vouchers Relate thereto being already forwarded to you at Madras and you might have understood the whole affair by what was written to you. — Meeyah Mahommed Areef did send to you a Power Attorney Respecting the said Dollars and therefore you will prefer Complaint and Recover it agreeable to what is written by Meeyah Mahommed Aurup & Naunalah Cawsaw. That our own Dollars is Reasonably due to us and therefore you will however Recover the same. It is necessary that the matter Respecting our Dollars be settled Consequently you will use your endeavors to Recover the same. you will forward an Answer to this particularly — Nine Papers Respecting this matters have been sent to you you will by holding the same take such measure as to settle the matter sooner. — Brother Being sensible of your having engaged in different branches of Business yet to the absolute necessary we are under induced us to give you the present Trouble you will under go the Trouble necessary in forwarding this affair. More over you might have understood this by your conversing with the man who did speak with Nacoda Mahommed Areef and therefore you will take the Trouble of Carrying on this affair you will write an Answer to this particularly and direct itto Sah Mayaraum & Dayauraum who are in our Shop and dispatch it to Bombay by Tappy and it shall be delivered to me which you are to understand. That at the time when our Vessel was plundered the Vessel came on account of you being also plundered by the same Frenchmen so that you might have come to the knowledge with the Circumstances fully which you are to understand. Brother I have written some thing more to be done by you which I hope you will get it done and send the same agreeable to what was written by me. The particulars of which as follow. —

You will send (10) Ten Pieces of fine Ninesook Turband of Bunder of Twenty Cubit in length Flowered like Paddy Ear Small Flower & Vanky Tara of good sort of Colour and high Value. 2 in Soosney Colour 2 in green Colour 1 in China Colour 3 in Red Colour & 2 in grey Colour.

Ten Pieces of fine Ninesook Cloth of high Value of diff^t. fashion with small Flowers of 10 or 11 Cubit in length of good grey Colour with such Breadth as that the great man wears.

3 whole flowered 2 in Small Flowers 1 of green Colour of whole flowers & 4 flowered like flee & 5 Pieces of Turband and Cloth of Short Value

2 Turbands in 20 Cubits length & 3 Cloths in Ten Cubits length

In all Pieces 25.

thus you procure Piece Goods for me & send it to me. you will not forget it. Brother you will freely write to me the Business you shall have occasion for. Donot make any distinction in writing on any subject. you will continue writing Letters to me. Besides this Meeyancaun elder brother of Caunjy Boye Pattah Boye & younger Brother Patta Ally who are at this place wrote Letters to you which is inclosed to this Letter & sent, by which you will also come to the knowledge. We need not write to you at large which you are to understand what can we write more which you are to understand you will write for any Business to be done Dated Paulgoona Saudda Vedea Sunday of the Epocha 1867 or Araph Navarojoo 17th or 24th Febry 1811. Bayee Dass wrote this with due Respects and Compliments which you will peruse. It is hoped that your Friendship should be increased. Being sensible of your favor. We have given you the Trouble in writing. you will deem this affair as yours and carry on the Business. If there be necessary to defray any thing respecting this you will do the same. you will however strive to get this Business Successively finished. If this Business be done all the People of my House will commend you. Brother you will answer this Letter as soon as possible. You will likewise write for the Circumstances of outer places I hope you will write for such

Business

as you shall have occasion for at Surat & Bombay the Shop is yours. —

A True Translation as near as
can be from the Malabar Language

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In the Vice Admiralty Court
Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

In the Busineſs of the French Privateer
La Confiance
Charles Thomasin Master
Taken by His Majesty's Ship
Blanche.
Richard Barton Esquire (acting) Commander

Cawder Saib of Madras Merchant one of the Claimants in this Busineſs on behalf of Boye Doſs and Mootee Ra Merchants of Surat, Maketh Oath and Saith that the Letter hereunto annexed in the Guzerat Character or Language Marked **A** is the Original Letter of Instructions addreſsed and Sent to this Deponent's Father Laſserjee Smalljie the other claimant in this Busineſs, upon which this Deponent and his said Father Acted in giving Instructions to their Proctor to prepare the Claim originally filed in this Matter and that the Paper Writing hereunto also annexed marked **B** is as this Deponent verily believes a true and Correct translation of the said Letter And this Deponent saith that from a misconception of the particular fact as to the place where the Ketch or Veſsel called the Fathy Shye in the said letter and in the said claim mentioned took on Board the Dollars

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and Gold Dust which are the Subject of the said Claim, it is Erroneously Alledged in and by the said Claim that the said Dollars and Gold Dust were shipped at Surat, and that the said Veſsel with the said Dollars and Gold Dust on board her Arrived at Acheen, and Sailed from thence in further Prosecution of her Voyage towards the Island of Penang **And** this Deponent saith that he is now + informed and believes that the said Dollars and Gold Dust were not shipped on board the said Veſsel at Surat for that when the said Veſsel took her Departure from + Surat, she had no Specie whatever on board, nor any thing but Merchandize that the said Veſsel was destined to proceed from Surat on a Voyage to Penang and having in the Course of her Voyage thither touched at Acheen a part of her Cargo was there sold and disposed of, and the Dollars and Gold Dust in question received in Payment **And** this Deponent saith that very soon after the said Veſsel departed from Acheen in Prosecution of her Voyage towards Penang, she was Captured with the said Dollars and Gold Dust on Board by the French Privateer la Confiance and that the said Dollars and Gold Dust were removed by the Captors on Board of the said Privateer la Confiance, which said last mentioned Veſsel was afterwards and before her arrival at any Port, taken

with the said Dollars and Gold Dust on board her as
Prize by His Majesty's Ship Blanche and Carried
to the said Island of Pinang. ~~[illegible]~~

Fort Saint George
this 25th day of May 1813.
Sworn before me
The Contents hereof having been
first Explained by the Court
Interpreter

T Strange

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Vice Admiralty
Prize Court
Fort St. George

In the Business of
La Confiance captured
by His Majesty's Ship
Blanche. —

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Affidavit of
Cawder Saib 9/12

Filed 28 May. 1813

Read again 30 Novr. 1813

Neale
Proctor

In the Vice Admiralty
Court at Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

In the Buſineſs of the french Privateer La Confiance brought in as Prize to His Britannick Majesty's Ship Blanche. —

The Amended Claim of Jafferjee Smalljee and Cawder Saib Merchants of Madras on behalf of Boye Doſs and Mootee Ram Merchants of Surat to Six thousand Two hundred and Forty five Spanish Dollars, and to Gold Dust of the Value of Twenty five other Spanish Dollars re-captured in the said Privateer La Confiance and brought to Madras by the said Ship Blanche.

The Claimants allege that the said Dollars and Gold Dust to the Value and amount aforesaid were Shipped at Acheen on board of the Ketch or Veſsel called the Futty Shye by Ahmed Boye Meyah Supra Cargo and Hoſsein Ally and Esoph Hoſsein Chief Mate and Syrang of the said Ketch on account of the said Boye Doſs and Mootee Ram the said

Dollars and Gold Dust having been received by them at that Place in Payment of a part of the Cargo of the said Ketch which had been there sold, and which Cargo had been previously shipped at the Port of Surat on the said Ketch Called the Futhy Shye.

The said Claimants do further allege that soon after the said Ketch departed from Acheen in Prosecution of her voyage towards Penang she was captured with the said Dollars and Gold Dust on board by the French Privateer la Confiance, and that the said Dollars and Gold Dust together with other parts of the Cargo of the said Ketch were removed by the Captors on board of the said Privateer la Confiance, which said last mentioned Veſsel was afterwards and before her arrival at any Port taken with the said Dollars and Gold Dust and other Cargo on board her as Prize by His Majestys Ship Blanche Richard Barton Esquire (acting) Commander and Carried to the said Island of Penang.

The said Claimants do further allege that the said Dollars and Gold dust and also the other parts aforesaid of the Cargo of the said Ketch Futhy Shye which were the Property of the

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said Boye Doſs and Mostee Ram were claimed at Penang by Mahomed Ariff as agent to the said Boye Doſs and Mostee Ram and that although such other part aforesaid to the value of Two thousand Five hundred and Sixty two Dollars and Sixty Nine Pice were at Penang aforesaid and according to the said Claim delivered on or about the Twentieth day of August in the year One thousand Eight hundred and Ten to the said Mahomed Ariff as such agent as aforesaid by Collington as Prize Agent in Consideration of the usual Salvage of one Eighth of the same Value, yet that the said Richard — Barton did not restore [illegible] not restored to the said Boye Doſs and Mootee Ram or any agent on their behalf the said Dollars and Gold Dust or any part thereof although often required so to do and altho' a Salvage thereupon at the rate aforesaid hath been duly tendered. —

That the said Dollars and Gold Dust have bee brought by the said Richard — Barton on board of the said Ship Blanche to Madras and that the same now are (as the Claimants have been informed and believe) in the Registry of this Honorable Court. —

That the said Dollars and Gold Dust are the just Property of the said Boye Doſs and Mootee Ram and are lawfully claimable on their behalf by reason of such re-Capture as aforeſaid as the Claimants are adviſed and believe. —

The Claimants therefore Pray that the several Papers writing annexed to the Claim originally preferred by them in this matter may be received in Evidence of the Premiſes and that the said Six thousand two hundred and forty five Spanish Dollars and the Gold Dust aforeſaid to the value of Twenty five Dollars may be restored to them as Agents for and on behalf of the said Boye Doſs and Mootee Ram, the Claimants submitting to pay and allow thereout one equal Eighth part of the Sum of the same Dollars and Gold Dust as the Salvage due for the re-Capture thereof by the said Ship Blanche. —

In the Vice Admiralty } In the Business of the french
Court at Madras. - - } Privateer **la Confiance** brough
in as Prize to His Britannick
Majesty's Ship **Blanche**

Cawder Saib a Mahomedan Merchant and Inhabitant of Madras maketh Oath and saith that (to the best of the knowledge and belief of this Deponent) the Matters of fact which are alleged by the foregoing Claim of Jafferjee Smalljee and this Deponent on behalf of Boye Doss and Mootee Ram Merchants of Surat are true and the several Papers writing annexed to the original Claim preferred in this Matter are authentic and worthy of Credit.—

J. Neale
Proctor for the
Claimants. —

Sworn by the Deponent }
at Madras this third day }
of December 1813 }
Before me }

T Strange

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In the Vice Admiralty
Court. Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

La Confiance

Amended Claim on
behalf of Boye Doss
and Mootee Ram. –

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Filed the 3^d Dec^r. 1813.
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Neale
Proctor for the Claimants

9-4-42

In the Vice Admiralty Court at Madras.
Prize Jurisdiction.

Dutch Transports Nº 4. and Nº 10.

Richard Bromley of Madras Esquire on behalf of the Captain Officers and Crew of His Majesty's Cutter Sylvia Augustus Vere Drury Esquire Commander personally appeared and being duly sworn to depose the truth made oath That His Excellency William O'Brien Drury Esquire Rear Admiral of the red and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed in the East Indies has received official communication from the said Augustus Vere Drury of the said Cutter Sylvia having taken and destroyed several Dutch Vessels with Cargoes on board, and amongst others two Dutch Transports Nº 4. and Nº 10. And the Deponent did further depose that part of the cargoes of the said two Transports have been sent to Madras on board the Merchant Ship Anna and landed and now remain within the Jurisdiction of this Honorable Court part of which is of a perishable nature and it is therefore necessary that it should be immediately sold for the benefit of the captors.

Richard Bromley

R. Orme
King's Proctor.

Sworn at Fort Saint George
this 21st day of July 1810.
Before me.

T Strange

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Vice Admiralty Court
Prize Jurisdiction

Dutch Transports
Nos 4. and 10.

Affidavit

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Filed 21st July 1810
S.G. —

Rd Orme

8-4-42

Read on the 13th of [illegible] by [illegible]

George the third by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth to Henry Vahagan Esquire Registrar of our Vice Admiralty Court at Madras and the Territories thereunto belonging George Arbuthnot, John Binny and Sebastian Wolford Greig of Madras aforesaid Merchants Greeting. Whereas our beloved the Honorable Sir Thos. Andrew Strange Kt. our Commissary and Judge in our said Court in a certain [illegible] on our behalf moved and prosecuted before him against certain Property consisting of Mace and Nutmegs, brought to Madras aforesaid on board our Ship the Piedmontaise whereof Charles Foote Esquire was Commander, taken at the Island of Banda Neira and its dependencies hath Ordered and decreed a further Commission to issue unto you for you for the administering of an Oath or Oaths to Charles Lourdain or any other person or persons as may be before you examined touching the Matter in a Petition filed in our said

Court

Court on the 15th of April instant by Lieutenant Charles Watson Yates of the Madras Military Establishment and hath committed his power and authority unto you in that behalf. We do therefore authorize and empower you jointly and severally that you do receive admit and administer an Oath to the said Charles Saudoin and to every person who may be by and before you examined touching the Matters in the Petition alledged and in the Affidavit subjoined thereto _

Given at Madras in our aforesaid
Court under the Seal thereof this
15th Day of April in the year
of our Lord 1814 and of our Reign the
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Henry Gahagan
Registrar

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Vice Admiralty Prize Court
Madras.-

In the Business of the Spices
taken at Banda and brought
to Madras on board His
Majesty's Ship Piedmontaise
Captain C. Foote.-

Commission to Administer
Oaths to Witnesses.-

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Filed 15. April 1814

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Henry Gahagan Registr.-

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Recd 16 May 1816.

In the Vice Admiralty Court at Madras.

Danish Brig Cawder Bux (1)

Apana Marukan - Master

Appeared personally James Murray lately Master of His Majesty's Ship Victor Thomas Groube Esquire Commander and being sworn on the Holy Evangelists to depose the truth made Oath That the Papers and Writings hereto annexed numbered from one to Sixteen are all the Papers Passes Sea Briefs Charter Parties Bills of Lading Cockets Letters and other Documents and Writings which were delivered up or found on board the above Brig Cawder Bux taken by His Majesty's said Ship Victor on the twenty ninth day of February last at which Capture and detention this Deponent was present And that the said Papers and Writings are brought and delivered in as they were received and taken without any fraud addition subtraction or Embezzlement saving the numbering thereof

P.W. Rowe
Registrar

Sworn at Madras in the East Indies this 25th day of October in the Year 1808
Before me
T Strange

Filed Oct. 29th 1808
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Regist.r

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificat for the Cargo of the Brig

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No. 1.

Sewapamalessi ————	Dr.		
For Skrift og Certificater for Skibet Muchaidin Kader Box. drægtig 150 Tons a 25 Rbd ——		37 Rd	6 p.
„ Secretairen for Udfærdigelsen af notariale Documenter ——	16 Pag.	„	8 p.
„ [illegible] ——	2	„	
Summa —	18 Pag.	38 Rd	2 p.

Tranquebar den 21. September 1805 —

Betalt

C. T. [illegible]

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificat for the Cargo of the Brig

No. 2.

Dewasamalai [illegible] Debet

the Engl. Fee of Certificates for said

Brig Merchant Trader Rd.

Burthen 150 tons Rd. 37.6f

for [illegible] of translator [illegible] Pag 16..8f

Pag 16. Rd. 38.2f

Tranquebar den 11te September 1807.

J. Rosford

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FORT CORNWALLIS,—PRINCE OF WALES ISLAND.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, to whom it may Concern, that the Owner of the Brig Mayleenbeef Exported on the ſaid Veſsel to Naſou the under-mentioned Articles, on which the Honorable Company's Export Duties have been charged here:

Peculs	
2 –	Sweetmeats
1079 – ,,	Beetlenut
5 ,, 95 –	Bees Wax
51 – –	Brimstone
31 – 34	Benjamin
– 3 –	Beads
4 ,, 50 – –	Tin
88 – –	~~[illegible]~~ Pepper
19 – 22 –	Rattans
4 – –	Pepper
200	China Cups

W. E. Phillips

Collr of Customs and Land Revenues

CUSTOM HOUSE, the 2d of February 1808

No. 4.

Translation of the Certificat for the Cargo of the Brig

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We Governor & Members of the Government of His Danish Majesty's East India Possessions do hereby certify and declare, that this Day the 25th of August in the year 1807 Compared before us Seenapamalim dwelling & residing in the town of Tranquebar, who has the management of the expedition with the Brig named Mechaiden Kader Box, at present commanded by Hasena Marican, destined from the port of Tranquebar to Achin Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good hope, and that he has by his Oath in legal form deponed and declared, that the said Brig has no goods or merchandizes on board, but what is the property of Subjects of His Majesty our Sovereign King, or of those of other neutral powers. In Witness whereof we have signed this Certificate and affixed our Seal thereon

Given &c. as above

(Signed) Hermanson Lindgren

J. Koefoed

(L. S.)

A true Translation from the Original

Wosford

Translation

No. 28

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No. 5.

We Christian the Seventh
by the Grace of God, King of Denmark
& Norway of the Vandals & Goths, Duke
of Slesvig, Holstein, Stormarn, Dithmarsh
& Oldenbourg &c. &c.

To all whom these presents shall come send Greeting Know ye that whereas in the Council of our East India Government Sewaparmalam, Our Subject and Citizen of Tranquebar, most humbly has represented that the Brig called Muchaidin Kader Box Burthen of 150 Tons, belongs to him, and that he intends to dispatch her under the Command of Hasena Marikan or any other constituted in his place, from the Port of Tranquebar to Achin Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good hope, so as the Circumstances will admit & it might be found beneficial for trade or where this Veſsel may Obtain any freight, and the said our Subject having affirmed this on oath, we do by these presents grant Our Paſsport for the said Brig & the said Captain. In Consequence whereof we do by these presents friendly demand & request of all Powers by Land & Sea, Kings, Princes, Republick & States, especially of the parties now at War, as well as their Chiefs, Admirals, Generals, Officers, Commanders of Sea Ports and Captains of Ships or Letters of Marks, & all other Officers to whom may be trusted any Commands at Sea or on any Ports, who may meet the said Brig or in whose Fleets or in whose Harbours she may come, that they will be pleased in Virtue of the Treaties of Alliance & Friendship which subsist between us & every Sovereign and Republic, not only to allow the said Captain Hasina Marikan or any other in Case of necessity Constituted in his place, as well as all Persons, Effects or Merchandizes on board the said Brig, at Liberty to proceed on her Voyage without Detention or Injury whatever, but also if need should be to give him as our Subject all possible Assistance promising on our part and in the name of our Subjects the like good Offices, in the same or any other Circumstances. Our own Subjects are Obliged to accomplish in this respect our Orders.

In Witness whereof our Royal Seal to these presents are affixed.

Given at Our Fort Dansborg the 25th August 1807

(L. S. R.)

By His Majesty's Order

(Signed)

Hermanson Lindgreen

J. Koifoed

Passport for the Brig Machaidin Kader Box
burthen of 150 Tons
Captain Hosina Marikan

A true Translation from the Original

J Koefoed

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Traduction du Certificat pour la Cargaison du Brick

Nous Gouverneur & Membres du Gouvernement des Etablissements de sa Majesté Danoise aux Indes Orientales, Attestons & certifions qu'au 25 d'Avril de l'année 1807 s'est sisté devant nous le nommé Lewapamalin Citoyen & habitant de la Ville de Tranquebar, expediteur du Bri Muchudin Kader boy, actuellement commandé par Husena Maraikan, & destiné du port de Tranquebar à Achin Pulopinang & à tous les ports à l'Est du Cap de bonne esperance, & qu'ayant prêté son serment en forme legale, il a declaré & deposé, que le dit Brick n'est pas chargé d'aucune marchandise, qui ne soit pas la proprieté des sujets du Roi notre auguste maitre, ou de ceux d'autres puissances neutres.

En foi de quoi nous avons signé ce Certificat & y apposé notre sceau ordinaire. – Fait &c. comme dessus.

(signés)

Hermanson; Lindgreen.

(L. S.)

J. Hoefoed

Pour la vraie Traduction.

J. Hoefoed

At Capitaine, Asmus Marcussen førende Briggen Mechseidir Rachel
Bove [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] distinct hafer til Achen, i Indlysning og
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Re og Bighzge for dette [illegible] [illegible]
for [illegible] Brigs [illegible] og [illegible] [illegible] attesteres [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Brig [illegible] Toldklarering [illegible] [illegible] og det [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Tranquebar paa Dannisbalmens Toe og Toldkammer
den 23de September 1807.

J.M. Haltz
Tolder.

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At Capitaine Assena Mariekan fører der Briggen Muckadin Kader Bey, [illegible] Louiwappa Malim, destineret herfra til Atcheen, Pulopinang og andre Indiske Havne og her tilbage igien, haver aflagt rigtig Rede og Rigtighed for dette Søe Told Sted for bemeldte Brigs ind og udbragte Ladning, attesteres hermed; Thi meddeeles hermed bemeldte Brig denne Told-Clarering under min Haand og det Kongelige Søe-Told-Segl.

Tranckebar paa [illegible] Toldkammeret den 19de September 1807.

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Translation of the Ship Certificate

We Governor & Members of the Government of His Danish Majesty's East India Possessions, do hereby certify and declare, that this Day the 25th August in the year 1807 compared before us Seerivapamalim, dwelling & residing in the town of Tranquebar, and by the Oath with which he has asser-mented his fidelity to His Majesty our Sovereign King, has made his declaration that the Brig named Mechai-dem Kader Box, burthen of 150 Tons belongs to the port of the aforesaid Town, and that the said Brig is truely and avowently the property of the said Deponent a Subject of His Majesty our Sovereign only, and that the said Brig is now destined to go from the port of Tranquebar to Achin, Pulopinang & to all ports to the eastward of the Cape of good Hope, laden with the merchandizes mentioned in the mani-fest of the Customhouse Officer, and that the said Deponent has also declared on oath, that the said Brig is belonging to His Danish Majesty's Subjects only, and do not Contain any prohibited goods, destined for any of the parties now at War. In Witness whereof we have signed this Certificate and affixed our Seal thereon. — Given &ca as above

(Signed) Hermanson. Lindgreen

J. Koefoed

(L. S.)

A true translation from the Original

G. Koefoed

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Vi Det Kongelige Gouvernement i Tranquebar giøre hermed Witterligt, at eftersom den her værende Kongelige Tømmermester Rama Ayen har eedelig bevidnet for Os, at han har maalt Skibet Muchaidin Kader Box kaldet, som føres af Skipper Siwapamalim maalt den rigtig og ret, og befunden den lang imellem begge Stævne 68½ Fod, 16½ Fod Breed og 14½ Fod Dyb, og derefter at kunde føre 150 Tons: Saa bliver sligt til Witterlighed og Bekræftelse attesteret med Vort Segl, og have Vi ladet dette underskrive af Gouvernements Secretairen.—

Castellet Dansborg i Gouvernementet den 16d Septemb: 1805.

C. T. Boalt.
/ Gouvernements Secretair. /

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Mandtalls Rulle

Paa det Samtlige Mandskab af Officeerer og Gemeene som ere antagne og forhijrede til at fahre med Briggen Müchaidin Kader Bax kaldet, Drægtig 150 Tons, tilhørende Lewapa Malin i Tranquebar. Destineret herfra til Atchin, Pollupinang, og andre Indiske Havne, østen for Cap det Gode Haab, og tilbages til Staden Tranquebar.

No.	Navne	Staton	Nation	Maanedlig Gage
1	Assana Marikan	Capitaine	Mohr	Pagr 28
2	Malin Lewawapa	Styrmand	do.	〃 12
3	Seymira	Serang	do.	〃 10
4	Kader	Tandel	do.	〃 9
5	Lalla	Succanny	do.	〃 8
6	Sessamaleve	do.	do.	〃 8
23	〃 〃	Lascarer	do.	à 6

I Alt 29

Passageerer 100

At foranførte Officerer og övrige Mandskaber ere antagne og forhyrede til at fahre med Briggen Mühaidin under Boosmaldet / herfra Tranquebar, og at denne Mandtalls-Rulle, efter den mig giorte behörige Forklaring saaledes i alle maader rigtig befunden —

Til Bekræftelse under min Haand og det Enrollerings Segl

Tranquebar
den 14de Septbr
1807

Hans Kongelige Majestæts til
Dannemarck og Norge ved
Gouvernementet const. Equipagemester
J. G. Meinhardt
Stadets Equipagemester

Vérte

Vi bevidne hermed at Johann George Meinhardt som til ovenmeldte Mandtalls-Rulle har sadt sin Haand og Segl er lovlig constitueret Equipagemester her paa Stedet og authoriseret til Skibs-Rullers Udfærdigelse i denne Stad —

Dette til Bekræftigelse under Vore Hænder og Gouvts Segl
Castellet Dansborg i Gouvernementet den 14de Septbr 1807

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Nos Gubernator & Consiliarii Gubernationis Possessionum Sacræ Regiæ Majestatis Danicæ in Indiæ Orientalis, attestamur, & certificamus, quod die 25 Mensis Augusti Anni 1807 coram Nobis comparuerit Lewapamalim Civis & Incola Civitatis Tranquebar, qui de Navi Muchaidin Kader Box, eique propria, jam sub ductu naucleri Hasena Mareikan e portu Tranquebar ad Achin Pulopinang cæteroque in partem orientalem promentorii bonæ spei spectantes portus expedienda curam gerit, atque sub juramento ad formam legis declaraverit & asseveraverit, prædictam navim nullas, nisi quæ Subditis Regis Domini Nostri augustissimi & aliis neutrarum partium hominibus propriæ sint, merces vehere. —

In quorum fidem hanc Certificationem subscribimus & Sigillo nostro munimus. Dabantur in Castro Dansborg die annoque ut supra

Hermansen

Nº 14.

Nos Christianus Septimus

Dei gratia, Rex Daniæ, Norvegiæ, Vandalorum Gothorumque, Dux Slesvici, Holsatiæ, Stormariæ Dithmarsiæ ac Oldenburgi &c. &c.

Notum testatumque volumus omnibus & singulis quibus hæ Nostræ Salvi Conductus literæ exhibentur. Quandoquidem in Consilio Nostro Gubernationis Indiæ Orientalis, Subditus Noster Sewapamalem Civis & Incola Civitatis Nostræ Tranquebar humillime Nobis exponi curaverit Navim Muchaidin Kader Box dictam Cl. Tonnarum capac. ad se revera pertinere eique propriam, seque jam in eo esse, ut navim istam sub ductu Naucleri Hasena Mareikan vel alius forsan in ejus locum substituendi ex Portu Tranquebar ad Achin Pulopinang cæteroque in partem orientalem promontorii bonæ spei spectantes Portus, quemadmodum id res & commerciorum utilitas postulaverit, vel prout hæc Navis vecturam adinvenire possit, mitteret; quod cum prædictus Subditus Noster juramento affirmaverit Nos

eundem Nauclerum cum præfata Navi, hisce Nostris Salv
Conductus Literis muniendum censuimus. — Proinde ab
omnibus & singulis terrarum mariumve Potestatibus,
Regibus, Principibus, Rebuspublicis ac liberis Civita
bus, inprimis vero a partibus hoc tempore bello se lacess
tibus earumque Ducibus, Classiarchis, Generalibus, Offi
alibus, Navium portuumque Præfectis, Capitaneis, In
tructoribus, aliisque omnibus, quibus custodia aliqua mar
aut portus commissa est, quibuscunque Navem hanc na
vigando obviam venire, quorumque in Classes et Naves for
incidere, aut in portubus morare contigerit, respective, amic
benevole & clem ter petimus & requirimus, ut ratione fœde
rum & amicitiæ, quæ Nobis cum unoquoque Rege vel
Republica intercedunt, dictum Nauclerum Hasena Ma
reikan aut alium in illius locum, urgente necessitate con
stituendum, cum navi, personis, rebus & mercimoniis omnib
illi impositis, non solum libere ac absque ulla molestia, de
tentione, vel impedimento quocunque iter suum prosequi
permittant; sed etiam eidem, tanquam Nostro Subdito
opus fuerit, omnia humanitatis officia exhibeant, eadem

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vicissim a Nobis, Nostrisque in pari vel alio casu experturi.
Nostri vero jussis qui sunt exequentur hujus Mandati Nostri
voluntatem. — In quorum fidem præsentes has Literas,
Sigillo Nostro Regio firmari jussimus.
Die XXV Mensis Augusti, Anni MDCCCVII.

Ad Mand [illegible] Majestatis

Hermanson

Littera Salvi Conductus
Navis Muchaidin Kader [illegible] CL Tonnarum
Sub ductu Naucleri Hasen [illegible] Mareikan

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Traduction de Certi ical pour [illegible]

Nous Gouverneur & Membre [illegible] du Gouvernement des Etablissements de Sa Majesté Danois aux Indes Orientales, Attestons & certifions qu'au 25 de Nov [illegible] de l'année 1807, s'est présenté devant nous le nommé Lewapermalien Citoyen & habitant de la ville de Tranquebar, & que sous le ser [illegible] par lequel il a lieu envers Sa Majesté Notre auguste Maître, il nous a déclaré que le Brick Marchandier Navire Bog du port de 150 Tonneaux appartient au port de la dite ville, & que le dit Brick est à juste titre la propriété du susdit sujet de Sa Majesté notre auguste Maître, qu'il est actuellement destiné à aller en droiture du port de Tranquebar à Acheen, Pulo Penang & à tous les Ports à l'Est du Ca [illegible] de bonne Espérance, chargé des marchandises spécifiées dans l'exposé pour les Officiers de la Douane, & puis sous le dit serment il a prouvé, que le dit Navire appartient [illegible] aux seuls sujets de Sa Majesté & qu'il ne porte aucune ma [illegible] ise défendue, qui soit destinée à aucune des parties [illegible] llement en guerre. En foi de quoi nous avons signé ce Certificat & y apposé notre sceau ordinaire. — Fait &c. comme dessus

Signés Hermansen, Lindgreen
J. Krefoed
(L. S.)

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J. Krefoed

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race de Dieu Roi de
k et de Norvege des Vandales
Duc de Slesvig, Holstein Stor.
Ditmarse et Oldenbourg &c.

A tous ceux, que ces presen [illegible] verront, Salut. Savoir
faisons que nous ayant été C [illegible] de Notre Gouvernement
aux Indes Orientales, très humblement exposé Lerrasmalin,
Notre Sujet & Bourgeois de la Ville de Tranquebar, que
le Brick nommé Machadi [illegible] naboy du port de 150 Ton.
neaux appartient actuel et [illegible] desire de le faire partir
conduit par le Capitaine Han [illegible] narkar ou celui qui sera
mis en sa place, de Rade de Tranquebar à Achim, Pulopinang
& à tous les ports à l'Est du Cap de bonne esperance suivant
les Circonstances & le Benefice d [illegible] commerce où il peut
trouver du fret et que notre de [illegible] affirmant par
dement, Nous avons trouvé bon [illegible] mettre en mains
[illegible] ud dit Brick nos presentes Lettres & Passeports et
requerons Nous prions & requerons instamment & amicalement
chacun suivant sa qualité respective toutes les Puissances,
parties & par Mer, Rois, Princes, Re [illegible] ues & villes libres,
specialement les Parties actuelle [illegible] guerre comme pa
leurs Chefs, Admiraux, Gouverne [illegible] ommandants aux
Ports de Mer & Capitaines de [illegible] ayant Comm
& toutes les autres Officiers C [illegible] de la C
la Mer et des ports que [illegible] tiers le
[illegible] ontre les flottes & dans les ports de

en Tranquebar, qui est [illegible]

Intendant en Tranquebar [illegible] de Republicque et

ayant lealement l'intention [illegible] son voyage au dit Capitaine

Hassain Marikan son [illegible] tre constituer avec de nécessité

en sa place de m[illegible] q[illegible] personnes, effets et marchan-

dises embarqués sur le [illegible] avec toute liberté sans aucunes

difficultés détention [illegible]ment quelconque, mais même

de lui porter en cas de [illegible]t, comme à Notre Sujet, toute

assistance possible permettant de notre Côté au nom de

Nos Sujets pareil eff[illegible] pareil cas en tout autre. Ceux

que sont de notre obé[illegible] accomplissant en ceci Notre Volonté

En foi de quoi nous [illegible]t scellé les presentes de Notre

Sceau Royal.

Donné à Not[illegible] Fort Dansborg le 25 d'Avril 1807.

S. R.

le Roi

(signé)

[illegible]rmanson Lindgreen.

J. Horford

Passeport a[illegible] Wa Muchadin Kaderboy

Du Port de [illegible]nauy

Capitaine [illegible] Marikan

Pour la vraie Traduction

J Horford

Madras

Cawder Bar 11

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In the Vice Admiralty Court
at Fort Saint George — Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

The Cawder Bux
Chinna Pappoo
Nacodah

The Claim of Comarapah Naick a Native Merchant residing and trading at Cuddalore under the British Government there — Which said Comarapah Naick is the true Lawful and sole Owner and Proprietor of the said Veſsel called the Cawder Bux her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture and her Cargo seized and detained by His Britannick Majesty's Ship of War the Victor Thomas Groube Esquire Commander as set forth in the Affidavit hereunto annexed and for all such Freight, Loſses, Costs — Charges, Damages, Demurrage and Expences as have arisen or shall or may arise by reason of the seizure or — detention aforesaid —

D. Neale
Proctor.

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In the Vice Admiralty Court
at Fort Saint George Madras
Prize Jurisdiction

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The Cawder Bux
Chinna Bappoo
Nacodah or Master

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Claim of Comarapah
Naick the Sole Owner
of Brig and Cargo

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D. Neale
Proctor

In the Name of God Amen We Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight Judge of the Vice Admiralty Court of Madras and the rritories thereunto belonging and also to hear and determine all manner of Causes nd Complaints as to Ships and Goods seized and taken as Prize specially Constituted and Appointed having heard seen, and understood and fully and maturely discuſsed the merits and Circumstances of a Certain busineſs of seizing and taking of a Certain Ship Called La Caravanne whereof Charles Dupont was Master, her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same taken by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander and brought to the Port of Madras which was lately and still is depending before us on the part and behalf of our Sovereign Lord the King against the said Ship, her tackle Apparel and furniture and the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same and against all Persons in General who have or pretend to have any right title or interest therein, and We rightly and duly proceeding in the said busineſs and the procurator for our Sovereign Lord the King Appearing before us, and Praying Sentence to be given and Justice to be done and all others in General who have or pretend to have any right title or interest in the said Ship her tackle, Apparel and Furniture, and the said Goods Wares and Merchandizes being duly and legally Cited and intimated, Called and not Appearing having first enquired into and duly Considered the whole proceeding had and done before us in the said busineſs and having observed what by law ought to be observed in this behalf, have thought fit and do think fit thus to proceed to

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the giving and promulging of our definitive Sentence or final decree in the said business in manner and form following, that is to say, Forasmuch as We have by the Acts, enacted deduced alledged and propounded and proved in the said found and Clearly discovered that the Procurator for our Sovereign Lord the King sufficiently founded his intention, deduced in a Certain allegation given and admitted on his behalf in the said business and now remaining in the Registry of this Court which said allegation and other matter propounded, exhibited and admitted We take and will have taken as if here read and inserted for us to pronounce for the Condemnation of the said Ship her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the said Goods, Wares, and Merchandizes as belonging to Enemies of the Crown of Great Britain and Ireland and as such or otherwise liable to Confiscation and Condemnation as hereinafter mentioned and that nothing at least Effectual hath been excepted deduced, alledged pleaded propounded or proved by any Person whatsoever which may or Can any Ways defeat prejudice or Weaken the intention of the said procurator, Therefore We Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight first Calling upon the name of Christ and having God alone before our Eyes and having heard Counsel learned in the law thereupon do hereby pronounce decree and declare that the said Ship whereof Charles Dupont was Master her tackle, Apparel and Furniture & the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same were rightly and duly taken and seized by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander and that the said Ship her tackle Apparel and furniture did, at the time of the Capture and seizure thereof, (as far as appears to us) belong to the French Republic or to Persons being Subjects of the French

Republic

Republic or inhabiting within the territories of the French Republic and the said Goods Wares and Merchandizes did (as far as appears to us) belong to the Batavian Republic or to Persons being Subjects of the Batavian Republic or to Persons inhabiting within the territories of the Batavian Republic and that the said Ship her tackle Apparel and Furniture and the said Goods wares and Merchandizes as such as aforesaid ought to be Accounted and reputed liable and subject to Confiscation and to be adjudged, and Condemned as and for Good and lawful Prize to our Sovereign Lord the King and We do also pronounce and declare that the said Ship her tackle Apparel & Furniture and all and Singular the Goods Wares and Merchandizes laden on board the same be adjudged and Condemned as Good and lawful Prize to our Sovereign Lord the King, seized and taken by his Majesty's Ship of War the Fox Henry Hart Esquire Commander by this our definitive Sentence or final decree which We read and promulge by these presents. –

T Strange

This Sentence was Read, Signed, and promulged by the Judge aforesaid upon the 19th day of June in the Year of our Lord 1809 in the Court House in Fort St George Madras. –

Which I attest

Henry Gahagan
Register