

as nearly as the circumstances under which he may  
purchase will admit of, supplying other ships by your  
direction, upon receipts in the same manner as he would  
had any other species of provisions, strictly conforming  
to the regulations of the Service, particularly as to the  
issuing of tickets. It will be better that you keep  
your account of receipt of money for Bills, and your  
disbursements in Dollars and Cents. Any residue of  
cash you may possess upon being removed or relieved from  
the station, you will be pleased to deliver over to the  
succeeding Senior Officer, upon his receipt with a copy  
of this letter for his instruction. You will send me  
by the first opportunity information of what cash, and  
what rate may be obtained for Bills off New London.

The Atty. Genl. Paper

Handwritten

Supers.

I have the honor to be &

Sig. Blockhouse.

P.S. It will be advisable to get duplicate receipts  
from the Purser, keeping one, and sending me two.

Asia Decm 20th April 1814

Sir

I beg leave to acquaint you that I have  
had several applications to grant permission for vessels  
to proceed from hence for America, some of which have  
been restored by the Vice Admiralty Court, and others  
laden with Prize Goods, purchased for exportation to  
America, previous to the 25<sup>th</sup> instant. but having once  
instituted the Blockade of all the Ports of the United  
States, although I have every desire that justice should  
be done those who have been led to expect equip to the  
Ports lately blockaded. I wish to have your opinion  
how far, I may comply with their requests and act  
legally. I have therefore desired that all applications of  
this sort be made in writing, and laid before you, and  
I request you will be pleased to favor me with your

Opinion thereon.

I have the honor to be &

Yours truly

Sig. Blockhouse.