Cosgrave & Holland
Dublin

Belfast 9 July 1807

Gentlemen I intend clearing the St Johns, on Saturday with what she has got, & beg that you have the ~~[illegible]~~ Trade ready to sail with the Hawke — Yours &c C Bruce

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J Taylor & Sons
Cork

To
Gentlemen I was duly favd with yours of the 27 Ult to wh I should have replied ere now but waited the determination of the Ship Mr & the result of some of my friends in the Brewing Trade making Trial of the Coals, the former that the Frt offered to low they wanted a guinea & a Tow I find the Quality of the Coals is pretty well liked but they complain of their being rather small & the Price here have been very low for some time past — I think they wd on an Average the year round sell for a Guinea & a Tow if you are disposed to try a few Cargoes, under my care, you may depend I shall do the best for your Interest & by your acceptd of 2 p ct & remit you London or Scotch Bills at par in a few days after the Cargoes are discharged when you are at a loss for Vessels I can frequently supply you if the Freights be not too low — In the meane time

P S 10 Jult

Am Gentn Yours &c C Bruce

Cosgrave & Holland
Dublin

St Johns cleared out this day for your Port full & wind said tomorrow — I hope let nothing prevent your sending off the Trial so that the Man arrive if possible before the Hawke for which ever is their first always get the best Cargo, the Lemon Juice in your store belongs to J Jennison & Sons Leith it is for Croker & Co — Messrs J & T Kennedy & Co wishes you to dispose of the sour Beer on the best terms you can, on the Funchal they always get 2/9 each you will be allowed a comm for doing so

Am Gentn Yours &c C B & Mk

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10 July 1807

J Turner Esq
Excise Office

Notice & Catalogue

That I intend holding an auction at the House of the Late James Pirkie in North Street on Monday the 13th inst to Commence at 10 Clock

C B Nr

Smiths & Biggs
Bristol

Gentlemen Recd from Mess B & C of Dumfries 2 Boxes of Cloth S B 1 & 4 — but too late for the Swallow wh I have since been instructed to ship by way of Lpool provided I found there was a regular Conveyance from thence for your Port — & being informed by a Gentleman that there is an inland navigation I have this day shipt outward the Commerce James Kearney Mr now clear addressed to Cape Mr J Wm Liverpool who is instructed to forward them as speedily as possible — Messrs B & C, conceived this mode for your Interest than to let them remain for the next Bristol Vessel

P S 11 Jult

Am Gentn Yours &c C Bruce

J Whitte
Lpool

Enclosed you have Bills of Lading for 3 Boxes & 1 Pack, Linens p Commerce

ISK 1 Box recd from B & C. to be forwarded to J Scott Kennedy & Co London

M 1 Pack recd from A MacIlray to be sent to F. Shaw & Co

SB 2 Boxes fm B & Co ~~to be forwarded~~ to Messrs Lindsay & Biggs Bristol by the speediest & cheapest Conveyance wh I am informed is by the Canal however you know best, they came too late for the Bristol Vessel & they are much wanted

Yours truly C B

Commerce
J Scott