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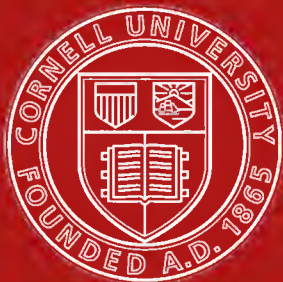
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Doctor Benjamin Franklin was born at Boston on the 6. January 1706 O.S. and died at Philadelphia 17. April 1790.

He was the son of Josiah and Abiah Franklin. He was of Boston and she was born Folger at Nantucket, the daughter of Peter Folger. He was the son of John Folger, who came from Norwich England in 1686; settled on Martha's Vineyard; visited Nantucket in 1659; accompanied Tristram Coffin in the first boat that visited that Island; went as interpreter for the Indians by whom the Island was inhabited.

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Doctor Franklin was appointed General Deputy Postmaster of the Colonies, in the year 1753, with a salary between him and his confederate of £600- "if they could get it". This experiment brought him in debt £900-; and his success in expediting the mails, which he dwells upon with much satisfaction in his writings, will create a smile in these days of Electricity, Steam, and young American speed - In the year 1754 he gave notice that the mail to New England, which used to start but once a fortnight in winter, should start once a week all the year, whereby answers might be obtained to letters between Philadelphia and Boston in three weeks, which used to require six weeks.

Franklin was removed from his Office, by the British Ministry; but, in the year 1775, the Congress of the Confederation having assumed the practical sovereignty of the Colonies, appointed a committee to devise a system of Post Office communication - who made a Report, recommending a plan, on the 26th of July, which, on the same day, was adopted, and Doctor Franklin unanimously appointed Postmaster General, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum.

The salary of the Postmaster General was doubled on the 16th of April, 1779, and on the 27th of December of the same year, Congress increased the salary to \$5000 per annum.

An Inspector of Dead Letters was also appointed at a salary of \$100 per annum, who was under oath faithfully and impartially to discharge the duties of his office, and enjoined to take no copies of letters, and not to divulge the contents to any but Congress, or to those who were appointed

by Congress for that purpose. -- Doctor Franklin on the 7th of November, 1776, was succeeded as Postmaster General, by his relative Richard Bache who remained in office to the 28th of Jan'y. 1782 when he was succeeded by Oliver Hazard, who was the last head of the General Post Office under the Confederacy.

In 1790, there were but 95 Post Offices throughout the United States, and but 1575 miles of post routes. The General Post Office, in the year 1790, was located in New York, and Samuel Osgood of Massachusetts was the first P. M. Genl. under the Federal Government. His conception of the duties of his Office, was doubtless very humble, as he recommended "that the Postmaster General should not keep an office separate from the one in which the mail was opened and distributed; that he might, by his presence, prevent irregularities, and rectify any mistakes that might occur. In fact, to put the Postmaster General, his assistant, and their one clerk, into the city post office, to see that its mails were assorted, and made up correctly. The salary of Mr. Osgood was \$1,500 per annum. Timothy Pickens was appointed by Washington, August, 12th, 1791, at an increased salary of \$2000. -- Joseph Habersham was the last P. M. Genl. appointed by Washington. He was commissioned April 22nd, 1795, at a salary of \$2,400 per annum. -- The Office was located in Philadelphia in the year 1796, and was established at Washington, when the Federal Government was removed there; and in 1802 the United States run their own stages between Philadelphia and New York; sending coaches, drivers, horses &c. and cleared in three years, over \$11000⁺ by carrying passengers.

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1776 th	To Cash p. Richard York as P. Receipt	£ 13.
Nov. 18 th	To do p. John Burrows as P. do	34.
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Dec. 2 nd	To do p. d. Tho. Maclean's Draft as P. do	18. 4
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✓ 14 th	To do p. d. John Perkins as P. do	10. --
" 18 th	To do p. d. John King as P. do	45. 10. 2
"	To Expenses of 2 trips to Bristol & London	5. 14. --
19 th	To Cash p. Bernard Wolf / Br. Redey	30. "

1776 th Dec. 13.	To Cash p. Tho. Maclean's Draft of \$18.00	9.
14 th	To ditto p. Jeremiah Libbey's D. as p. ditto.	18. 15.
1777 th Jan. 13.	To Cash paid Peter Bountheau's D. as p. ditto	34 12.
March 14.	To Cash paid Robert Gibson's D. as p. ditto	145. 14.
15 th	To Ditto paid Wm. Brown's D. as p. ditto	75. 7 6
Jan. 13.	To Ditto paid Tho. Maclean's D. as p. ditto	14. 8. 4
April 2	To Cash paid Ebenezer Hazard's D. in favor of Sh. Bradford	255.
May 7 th	To D. paid Richard Haynes D. as p. D. in favor of Sh. Bradford	68 17
	To D. paid Eben. Hazard's order, in favor of Wm. Gordon	
	for 20 State Lottery Tickets, as p. Letter from	75.
Aug. 3.	To Ditto paid Jeremiah Libbey's Draft in favour of John Langdon Esq. for	37. 10.
Sept. 3.	To D. p. Robt. Gibson's Draft in favor of Paul Trapier	95. 7. 1
5 th	To D. paid John Du Bossis Draft in favor of Joseph Pitney	30. 13 1
Dec. 4.	To Cash p. J. Byron Esq. Conveyer / p. R. Bach's Order 2200	825. -
July 28	To D. paid S. Lemon's Draft in Favor of A. Litcher	198. 14
	Robertson	43. 1
	Kenneth	300.
		94.

Arrived in Account Current with Peter Baynton *C^{rs}*

1776 th	By Cash received from Richard Bache Esq ^r	58	—	—
20 th	By Joel Spinnaker of H nd from do	28	—	—
Red ^d 14 th	By Cash rec ^d from R ^d Bache Esq ^r	100	—	—
	By Cash rec ^d from John Bolton	7	14	10

with Peter Baynton as Comptroller *C^{rs}*

1776 th	By Cash received from R Bache Esq ^r	100	—	—
ed. 14 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	105	—	—
30 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	261	5	—
1777 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	375	—	—
Jan ^y 2 nd	By ditto rec ^d from ditto 1000 Dollars	750	—	—
ay 7 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto 2000 —	100	—	—
ne 19 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	292	10	—
ugust 15 th	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	520 Dollars	145	—
pt ^r 3 rd	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	125	—	—
ct ^r 20 th	By Cash received from E. Hazard Esq ^r	3000	—	—
	Surveyor General — 4707 Dollars	1125	—	—
Nov ^r 16 th	By Cash rec ^d from R ^d Bache Esq ^r 3000	108	—	—
1778 th	By Cash rec ^d from R. Bache Esq ^r	1125	—	—
March 12 th	By Cash rec ^d from R. Bache Esq ^r 3000 ^d	1404 1/2	5265	11 3
il 18 th	By Cash rec ^d from R. Bache Esq ^r	1404 1/2	5265	11 3
4 th 22 nd	By Cash rec ^d from R Bache Esq ^r	1404 1/2	5265	11 3

Dr		Benjamin Franklin Esq. Postmaster			
1770					
Oct. 5.	To Cash paid him by the Postmaster at Albany	£25 M. Curr	23	8	9
	To Do. paid for him by the Postm. at Cambridge	£2 Doll.	1	10	0
			24	18	9
	Balance due Benjamin Franklin		522	19	7
			£547	18	4

General in A/B with Richard Burke —

C.

1775
August. By Cash William Goddard
1776
October 5. By Amount of Salary up to this day

100
2147.18.4
£ 347.18.4

Q^m

The General Post Office of the

For one year ending

1775

Aug. 7th

To Cash p. William Goddard Surveyor General of the post Roads for travelling Expenses p^y 1338

100 - -

1776

Janry 11 -

To Ditto paid ditto as p^y Receipt

70 - -

April 29 -

To Ditto paid ditto as p^y d^o

75 - -

June 10 -

To Ditto paid Joseph Cruckshanks his Bill of a printing work for the Gen^l Post Office . . .

70 - -

July 8 -

To d^o paid William Brown Postmist of Bath Town N^o Carolina, his Draft in favor Robert Shum for £39. 9. 1 Shilling

65. 15 -

10 -

To d^o paid Wm Luchet for binding Books as p^y d^o

2. 17

15 -

To d^o paid John King in full for post riding between Annapolis & Fredericks being up to the 6th of June

48. 2. 6

August 16

To d^o p. Robert Gibson Postmist of George Town N^o Carolina his Draft in favor Paul Francis for £184. 12. - Carolina Currency

42. 12 -

29

To d^o p. William Goddard in full for Salary & travelling Expenses up to the 5th of June

67. 18. 2

Apr^l 4 -

To d^o p. ditto on account of travelling Expenses

50 - -

Dec^r 29

To Amount of years Salary due the Comp^l Secretary this day \$110 Dollars

127. 10

Oct^r 5

To Amount of the Postmaster General's Salary from his Appointment on the 26th July 1745 to this day at 1000 Dollars p^y Annum

447. 18. 4

£1167. 13

united States of America in A/c wth Rich^d Bache Comp^t Cr

5th October 1776

1776				
Oct 5	By Cash rec ^d from Phil ^a Post Office the Balance due	✓	✓	125. 3. 9
	By d ^o rec ^d from Cambridge Office	✓	✓	53. 6. 6 1/2
	By d ^o rec ^d from Bristol Office	✓		6. 9. 2 3/4
	By d ^o rec ^d from Trenton Office	✓		10. 16. 11
	By d ^o rec ^d from Princeton Office	✓		12. 10. 1
	By d ^o rec ^d from Eliz Town Office	✓		3. 15. -
	By d ^o rec ^d from Stamford Office	✓		5. 7. 6
	By d ^o rec ^d from Fairfield Office			8. 15. -
	By d ^o rec ^d from New Haven Office	✓		39. 6. 6
	By d ^o rec ^d from New London Office			40. 18. 9
	By d ^o rec ^d from Salem Office	37. 3. 7		37. 2. 4
	By d ^o rec ^d from Ipswich Office	✓		4. 3. 8
	By d ^o rec ^d from Newbury Office	47. 13. 6		49. 14. 2
	By d ^o rec ^d from Middletown Office	✓		18. 11. 5
	By d ^o rec ^d from Springfield Office	✓		2. 17. 8
	By d ^o rec ^d from Wilmington Office	✓		2. 14. -
	By d ^o rec ^d from Head Blk Office			5. 8. 7
	By d ^o rec ^d from Charles Town Office	✓		4. 19. 10
	By d ^o rec ^d from Barford Office	✓		4. 18. 6
	By d ^o rec ^d from Baltimore Office	155. 11. 32		155. 13. 9
	By d ^o rec ^d from Annapolis Office	18. 9. 1		18. 3. 4
	By d ^o rec ^d from Upper Marlboro Office	20. 11. 1		20. 10. -
	By d ^o rec ^d from Bladensburg Office	✓		12. 10. 8
	By d ^o rec ^d from New Castle Office (on Delaware)	✓		1. 2. 6
	By d ^o rec ^d from Chester Town Office	✓		20. 8. 2
	By d ^o rec ^d from Queens Town Office	✓		10. 11. 8 3/4
	By d ^o rec ^d from Talbot Office	✓		20. 11. 7
	By d ^o rec ^d from Lancaster Office	✓		16. 12. 8
				713 9 91

Philadelphia October 5th 1776 Balance 454 3 2.

Errors Excepted £1167. 13. -

Rich^d Bache


1776 D.^r

The General Post Office of the United

Oct. 5..	To Balance of last years Account.	254. 3. 27 $\frac{1}{2}$
Nov. 14	To Cash paid William Goddard	60.

States of America in A/C with Rich Bache C.th

1776

Nov^r 27. By Cash rec^d for the President of the Congress's
Order on Michael Heilegar. } 1000" — " —

3 1777	D ^r Ebenezer Hazard Esq. Surveyor in A ^l			
May 7 th	To Cash rec ^d from sundries as off head	540	5	3
	To Cash, in full	270	10	-
		£ 810	15	3
	To Cash advanced to him, as surveyor	429	7	11
July 11 th	To D ^r rec ^d of sundry Post Masters G ^r Acco ^t	26	11	4 1/4
		£ 155	19	3 1/4
	To Ball due G ^r Contra	£ 230	6	5 3/4
Oct ^r 20 th	To Cash in full	£ 64		
Oct ^r 20 th	To Cash advanced him as Surveyor	£ 686		
Nov ^r 11 th	To D ^r rec ^d of Tho ^s Richardson P ^r M. at George Town	7	16	3
1778		£ 693	16	3
Jan ^y 5 th	To Ball: of Acco ^t end ^d this Day brought down	£ 156	18	1 3/4
Feb ^y 27 th	To Cash from John Todd late P ^r M. at Jacksonburgh		6	5 1/2
March 19 th	To Cash from M ^r Stewart at George Town, South Carolina	1	5	4 1/2
	Ball due Eber. Hazard, carried to G ^r of next Acco ^t	338	3	6 1/4
		£ 496	13	6
August 22	To Cash in full	1053	18	3 1/4
		£ 1053	18	3 1/4
"	To Cash advanced him as Surveyor	232	1	9

with Peter Baynton, Compt^r C^r

1777

May 7 th	By Cash, paid sundries, as $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ Acco ^t ...	649	5	3
	By a Quarters Salary, as Surveyor ending 4 th 1777	25	—	—
	By Allowance for Travelling Expenses, to this day	136	10	—
		$\text{\textit{f}}$ 810	15	3

July 11 th	By Cash & Sundries $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ Acco ^t dated this Day	118	2	9 1/2
	By a Quarters Salary ending 5 th Inst ^t	25	—	—
	By Allowance for Travelling Expenses	82	10	—
	By Ball. due $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ Contra	230	6	5 3/4
		$\text{\textit{f}}$ 455	19	3 1/4

20th By Cash in full — — — — — $\text{\textit{f}}$ 230 6 5 3/4

Oct ^r 5 th	By Acco ^t ending this Day	64	—	—
1778	By Sundries $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ his Acco ^t ending this Day	$\text{\textit{f}}$ 536	18	1 1/4
Jan ^y 5 th	Ball. carried to new Acco ^t below	156	18	1 3/4
		$\text{\textit{f}}$ 693	16	3

April 5th By Sundries $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ his Acco^t ending this Day — — — $\text{\textit{f}}$ 496 13 6

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April 5 th	By Ball. due him on Acco ^t end ^d this Day bro ^t down	$\text{\textit{f}}$ 338	3	6 1/4
July 5 th	By Sundries $\text{\textit{f}}^{\text{d}}$ Acco ^t ending this Day	715	14	9
		$\text{\textit{f}}$ 1053	18	3 1/4

" By Balance transfer'd to Book B fol 3. 2321 1 9

Dr The Post Office at Philadelphia

1776		
Jan'y 5	To Balance as of Account rendered	49. 1. 0
April 5	To Ditto. as of Ditto	81. 12. 8
		130. 13. 8
Oct. 10	To Balance of quarterly Account ending 5 th Apr	48. 16. 10

Dr The Post Office at Cambridge

1776				
Jan'y 5 th	To Balance as of Acct. rendered	6. 12. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	8. 5. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	
April 5 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account	23. 7. 4	29. 4. 8	
July 5 th	To Ditto	12. 13. 6	15. 16. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		42. 13. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	53. 7. 4	
1777				
May 23 rd	To Balance of Quart. Acct. ending 5 th Oct	15. 3. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	18. 15. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	To Ditto of Ditto ending 5 th January 1776	40. 4. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	50. 5. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	
July 2 nd	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th April	11. 9. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	14. 6. 6	
August 25	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	16. 4	20. 5	
Decem. 22	To Balance of ditto ending October 5 th	25. 3. 6	31. 9. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1778				
Jan. 5 th	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th Jan. 1778	53. 4. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	66. 10. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	
April 27	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th April	29. 10. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	36. 18. 2	
August 17	To Balance of ditto endg 5 th July	50. 17. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	63. 12. 4	
July 5 th	To Sund. of his Genl. Acct. endg this Day	274. 7. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	342. 18. 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	
		£515. 17. 9	£644. 17. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	

Contra

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1776				
July 5.	By Balance of quarterly Account due R. Bache.	✓	5	9 11
Oct. 5.	By Cash on full	✓	125	3 9
			130	13 8

Contra

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1776					
Febry 14.	By cash rec. of P. P.	Land full money	3	7	1
March 14.	By ditto rec. of P. P.		3	5	1
April 6.	By cash paid for H. Franklin and Rec.		1	4	10
July 9.	By Ditto rec. of P. P.		22	3	9
Aug 6.	By Ditto rec. this day		17	13	6
			42	13	3
1777					
May 29.	By cash paid M. Hazard, no P. Rec.		55	4	8 1/4
July 28.	By ditto rec. of P. P.		11	9	2 1/2
August 25.	By ditto rec. of P. P.		16	4	5
Dec. 8th	By cash paid James Bryson Esq.		25	3	6
Jan. 29.	By cash p. E. Adams / P. Rider / as P. Rec.		60		
July 5th	By Sund. of his Genl. Acc ^t ending this Day		348		
			555	17	9
			644	17	1 1/2

D^r The Post Office at Bristol

1776			
Janry 5	To Balance as aff'd. rendered ending this day . . .	✓	1. 10. 3
April 5	To Balance as aff'd. quarterly account ending this day . . .	✓	4. 18. 11/4
			6. 9. 2 1/4
1777			
Sept. 27 th	To Balance of acct ending		13

D^r The Post Office at Trenton

1776			
Janry 5	To Balance as aff'd. rendered up to this day . . .	✓	2. 11. 5
April 5	To B ^d . as aff'd . . . up to 5 th April	✓	4. 13. 6
July 5	To D ^d . . . as aff'd . . . up to 5 th July	✓	3. 12. "
			10. 16. 11
1778			
July 28 th	To Balance of acct ending 20 th July 1778		£. 5. 6. 1

Contra Cred¹

1776		
April 20	By Cash rec ^d from Charles Beponet	✓ 56. 9. 2 1/4
1777		
Sept. 27 th	By Cash rec ^d in full	✓ 13

Contra

6th

1776		
Febry 6.	By Cash rec ^d from Abraham Hunt	2. 11. 5
April 13	By Dells	4. 13. 6
Aug 17	By Dells	3. 12. -
		✓ 10. 16. 11

1778th
 July 28. By Cash received from James Paston Esq^r £. ✓ 5. 6. 1

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D^r The Post Office at Prince Town

1776				
Janry 5	To Balance as <i>affl^d</i> rendered ending this Day	✓	3	2
April 5	To Ditto . . . as <i>affl^d</i> ditto	✓	5	15
July 5	To Ditto . . . as <i>affl^d</i> ditto	✓	3	12
				5
			12	10

D^r The Post Office at Brunswick

7 Dr The Post Office at Woodbridge

Dr The Post Office at Elizabeth Town

1776	January 3 th	To Amount of Quarterly Account tending this day.	✓	2	9	10
	April 5 th	To Balance of ditto ending this day . . .	✓	2	14	2
					5	4
1777	June 16 th	To Balance of ditto, ending 3 th July 1776.	✓	2	7	9 3/4
		To Dr. of 2 ^d ending 27 th November 1776. —		8	16	10
				10	8	7 3/4

Contra Cred^{to}

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1776			
July 4.	By cash rec ^d from Edward Thomas	✓ 3	15
...	By Dr ^d to Mann the Post Rider	2	9 1/2
		6	4 1/2
1777			
June 16.	By cash rec ^d from Edward Thomas this day	10	3 9 1/4
		16	8 7 3/4

8 Dr. The Post Office at Newark

Dr The Post Office at New York

¹⁷⁷⁶		N York City			
Jany 5..	To an Overcharge in Commissions on this ad.	3 . 13 2½	3 . 8 7½		
Nov ^r . 7.	To Balance of Quarterly Account ending 3d Oct:	58 . 9 . 6 ..	54 . 16 4		
^{1777.}					
May 17th.	To Cash paid Ebenezer Hazard & as per Receipt —————— }	53 9 - ¾ ✓	50 2 1		
		\$115 N 8½	108 . 7 - 7½		

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1776	Janry 5	By Balance due Ebenezer Hazard Postmas as of Account settled up to this day	43	17	1/2	41	2	6
	April 5	By Ditto of his Quarters acct ending this day	22	9	1/2	21	1	3 1/2
	July 5	By Ditto of ditto ending this day	16	11	2	15	10	4
			82	17	10 1/2	77	14	1 7
1777	Jan. 10	By Ditto of ditto ending the 5 th Inst.	32	13	9 1/2	30	12	11
			115	11	8	108	7	1 1/2

9 Dr The Post Office at Stanford

		Lawfull Money			
1776	Jan'y 5 To Balance of Quarterly Account	19	3	1	4 1
April 5	To Ditto of ditto	1	10	8	2 5 10
July 5	To Ditto of ditto	1	9	11	1 17 5
		4	5	10	5 7 4
June 1777	To Balance of Acc't ending 5 th Oct 1776	3	—	—	3 15 —
Oct. 27 th	To Balance of Acc't ending 5 th Jan'y 1777	1	12	5	2 — 6
"	To Ditto of ditto ending 5 th April	1	—	8	1 5 10
"	To do of do ending 5 th July	—	12	4	— 15 5
"	To do of do ending 5 th October	—	3	9	— 4 8
Jan'y 5 th 1778	To do of do ending 5 th Jan'y 1778	1	4	5	1 10 6 1/4
April 5 th	To do of do ending 5 th April	—	14	8	— 18 4
		8	8	3	10 10 3
To Balance as Contra		—	6	9	— 8 4 1/2

Dr The Post Office at Fairfield

		Lawfull Money			
Jan'y 5 th 1776	To Balance of Quarterly Account	4	4	7 1/4	5 5 2
April 5 th	To Balance of do	5	3	4 1/2	6 9 2
July 5 th	To Balance of do	4	9	7	5 11 11 1/4
Oct. 5 th	To Balance of do	5	12	6 1/2	7 — 8
Jan'y 5 th 1777	To Balance of do	2	2	4 3/4	2 12 11 3/4
April 5 th	To Balance of do	4	2	4	5 2 11
July 5 th	To Balance of do	3	12	3	4 10 4 3/4
Oct. 5 th	To Balance of do	4	4	5 1/4	5 5 6
Jan'y 5 th 1778	To Balance of do	5	18	— 1/2	7 7 6
April 5 th	To Balance of do	8	14	8	10 18 4
"	To an Overcharge on Corn	—	2	8	— 3 4
July 5 th	To Balance of Quarterly Acc't	7	14	4 1/4	9 12 11 1/2
		£ 56	—	9 1/4	70 — 11 1/2
To Balance as Contra		5	19	1 3/4	7 8 11 1/2

Contra

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1776	May 31	By cash rec ^d from Ebenezer Wied	Lawfull Money	2. 15. 11.	3. 10. -
	July 30	By cash rec ^d this day.		1. 10. -	1. 17. 6.
				4. 5. 11.	✓ 5. 7. 6.
1777	June 1 st	By cash paid M ^r Hazard.		4. 12. 6.	5. 15. 7 1/2.
	Oct. 27	By cash rec ^d from Ebenezer Wied.		13. 9. -	✓ 4. 6. 3.
Balance due				6. 9.	8. 4 1/2.
				8. 8. 3.	10. 10. 3.

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1776	July 9	By cash rec ^d from Thaddeus Burr of Post.	Lawfull Money	7. - -	✓ 8. 15. -
1777	April 7 th	By Ditto paid M ^r Hazard		12. - -	15. - -
	Oct. 6 th	By cash rec ^d from F Burr.		9. 2. -	✓ 11. 7. 6.
Nov. 25 th		By cash p. James Bryson.		5. 9. -	6. 16. 3 1/2.
1779	March 18	By cash rec ^d this Day.		16. 10. 7 1/4.	✓ 20. 13. 3 1/2.
Balance due				5. 19. 13 1/4.	7. 8. 11 1/2.
				£ 56. - 9 1/4.	70. - 11 1/2.
By cash rec ^d (omitted above)				5. 18. - 1/8.	✓ 7. 7. 6.

10 Dr^d The Post Office at Stratford

No office here —

Dr^d The Post Office at New Haven

1776		Lawful Money	Pennycs	Cts
January 5 th	To Balance as f ^d l ^d . rendered ending Thursday	10. 10. 4 1/2	13.	2. 11 1/2
April 5 th	To Ditto as f ^d ditto	12. 7. 1	15.	8. 10 1/2
July... 5 th	To Ditto as f ^d ditto	8. 11. 9 1/2	10.	14. 8
		31. 9. 3	39.	6. 6
October 5 th	To Balance as f ^d ditto	10. 3. 3 1/4	12.	14. 1 1/4
Jan ^y 5 th 1777	To Balance as f ^d ditto	4. 13. 7	5.	17. —
May 10 th	To D ^o as f ^d D ^o ending 5 th April	4. —. 3	5.	2. 3 3/4
July 25 th	To ditto as f ^d ditto ending 5 th Ins ^t	5. 19. 8 1/4	7.	9. 1/4
Dec ^r 9 th 1777	To ditto as f ^d ditto ending 5 th October	4. 6. 4	5.	8. —
Jan ^y 22 nd 1778	To ditto as f ^d ditto ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	5. —. 7	6.	5. 9
April. 27 th	To an Error in Acct. endg 5 th April 1778.	6. 2.	7.	8 1/2
Oct ^r 8 th 1778	To Cash paid Elias Beers by E. Hazard.	45. 6. 8	56.	13. 4
		74. 16. 11	99.	15. 9 1/2
	To Balance as f ^d Contra	5. 10.	7.	3 1/2

Contra Credit

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1776

Nov. 8.	By Cash rec ^d from Elias Beers...	10. 10. 4 1/2	13. 2. 11 1/2
Aug. 27.	By Ditto rec ^d this day in full...	20. 18. 10 1/2	26. 3. 7 1/2
		31. 9. 3	✓ 39. 6. 6

Laurel Money

1777

May 10 th	By Cash paid to H ^r Hazard	15. 10. 1	19. 7. 7 1/4
July 25 th	By ditto rec ^d of profit	6. - -	7. 10. -
Oct. 12 th	By Cash rec ^d for Ball ^d of acct ^s } ending April 5 th	4. 3. -	5. - 3 3/4

Nov. 26.	By Cash p ^d James Burson D. tw ^{ty} .	3. 12. 9	4. 11. -
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1778

Jan. 14.	By Cash rec ^d from Elias Beers.	5. 1. -	6. 6. 3
April 27.	By Balance of tith ^s . Acct. endg 5 th April 1778.	30. 14. 4	38. 7. 11
July 5 th	By Balance of tith ^s . Acct. endg this day	14. 12. 4	18. 5. 5
	Balance as p ^d Contra.	5. 10. -	0. 7. 3 1/2
		74. 10. 17	99. 15. 9 1/2

In the Post Office at Guilford

No Office here.

In the Post Office at New London

		Lawfull Money			
1776	Janry 5 th To Balance as offd. rendered. . .	6	8	—	8
	April 5 th To Ditto of Quarterly Account . . .	13	12	—	17
	July . . . To Ditto of Quarterly Account ending this day	12	14	11	45 18 8
		32	14	11	40 18 8
1777	May 17 th To Balance of Quarterlies ending } October 5 th 1776. . .	14	18	4	21 2 11
	To D ^o of D ^o ending 5 th April . . .	3	7	1	4 3 10 1/2
	Aug ^t 26 th To Ditto of Ditto. ending July 5 th . . .	9	15	9	12 4 8 1/4
	To an error in Acco ^t 10 th . . .	—	2	8	3 4
	Decem ^r 4 th To Balance of 4 th ly. Acco ^t end 9 th 5 th Oct ^r . . .	10	7	—	12 18 9
	Feb ^r 5 th To Balance of Acco ^t end 9 th 5 th Jan ^y 1778 . . .	8	2	2	10 2 8 1/2
	May 20 th To Balance of Acco ^t end 9 th 5 th April 1778 . . .	9	9	11	11 17 4 3/4
	Sept ^r 4 th To Balance of Acco ^t end 8 th 5 th July 1778 . . .	12	5	4	15 6 8
		£ 40	8	3	88 — 3 1/4

Contra Credit

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[G. Suttonistall P. Master] Contra		B ^r			
1776		Lawful			
Mar: 26.	By Cash recd P ^p .	6 ⁰⁰	8 ⁰⁰		
Aug: 13.	By Ditto rec ^d this day	26 ⁰⁰ 17 ⁰⁰	32 ⁰⁰ 18 ⁰⁰ 9		
		32 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰	✓ 40 ⁰⁰ 18 ⁰⁰ 9		
1777					
May 17 th	By Ballance of Quort ^d acc ^t ending } January 5 th	5 ⁰⁰ 17 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰	7 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰		
	By Cash paid M ^r Howard.	11 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰	13 ⁰⁰ 16 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 4		
Novem: 24 th	By Cash paid James Bryson Esq ^r	23 ⁰⁰ 12 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰	24 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 2		
1778					
April	By Cash paid Elias Osers	8 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰	10 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 2		
July	By Cash paid ditto	21 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰	27 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 4		
		£ 70 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰	88 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰ 4	

12 D ^r The Post Office at Westerly				
1776				
Oct 30	To Balance of years acct. ending 5 th Inst	1. 3. 8	1. 9. 7	
1777				
Oct 27	To Balance of a years acct. ending 5 th Inst	11. . . .	13. 9	
		<u>£ 1. 14. 8</u>	<u>2. 3. 4</u>	

D ^r The Post Office at New York				
1776				
Jan'y 5 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account	11. 11. 5 ¹ / ₂	11. 9. 3 ³ / ₄	
9 th	To an Overcharge in Commissions	 7. .	 8 ¹ / ₄	
April 5 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account	11. 18. 9 ¹ / ₂	18. 13. 5 ¹ / ₂	
9 th	To an Overcharge in Commissions	 16. .	 1. 7 ¹ / ₂	
July 4 th	To Balance of quarterly Account.	13. 17. 7 ¹ / ₂	13. 17. 11	
October 4 th	To Balance of quarterly Account.	15. 14. 8 ¹ / ₂	50. 8. 3 ³ / ₄	
9 th	To an Overcharge in Commissions.	.. 8. 10	.. 11. .	
		<u>£ 58. 9. 3</u>	<u>73. 1. 8³/₄</u>	
To Balance as f ^r Contra carried & To Book B. fol: - 21.		11. 8. 10 ¹ / ₄	14. 5. 11 ¹ / ₄	

Contra Bred^D

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1776 Oct. 30.	By Cash paid Mr. Goddard as Mr. Babcock's	Li Money			
	Letter the 10 th Instant	1. 3. 8.	...	1. 9. 7	
1777 Oct. 27.	By Cash rec ^d from Mr. Babcock	11. . .		13. 9.	
		\$ 1. 14. 8.		2. 3. 4	

(Solomon Southwick P.M.) Cr

1776 ^o April 2.	By Cash paid Benjamin Mumford	La full			
	Post Rider as off Receipt.	22. 13. 4.		28. 6. 8	
1777 th Oct. 18.	By ditto paid ditto as off.	24. 7. 7/4		30. 9. 1	
	Balance due by S. Southwick	11. 8. 10 1/4		14. 5. 11 3/4	
		\$ 58. 9. 3		73. 1. 8 3/4	

13	Dr The Post Office at Tower Hill				
1776 Oct. 30	To Balance of years account ending the 1 st Jan full Insland	1	7	11	1
				1	14
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Dr The Post Office at Greenwich					
1776 Novem. 18 th	To Balance of a Years Account ending the 14 th October 1776	Law full	4	8	1/2
	Balance due S. Mumford	1	4	1/2	
				5	10
				1	9
				7	
1777 May 23	To Ballance of Quarty Recd ^s ending 5 th Jan	1	1	9 3/4	2 1/4
Aug ^r 4 th	To ditto of 2 Quarty Recd ^s ending 5 th July	1	11	6	4 1/2
Nov 2 nd 17 th	To ditto of quarterly Acct. endg 5 th Oct. 1777	"	10	6	13 1/4
Feb 4 th 1778	To Balance of City. Recd. endg 13 Jan 1778	"	9	3 1/4	11 7
April 10 th	To ditto: . of . . . endg 10 th April	1	10	10 1/2	1 1/2
" 1 st	To an Overcharge for sealing Wax &c.	"	3	—	3 9
July 27 th	To Balance of City. Acct. endg 5 th July 1778	1	15	5 3/4	2 4
		6	11	5 1/4	8 3 1/4
	To Balance Contra		15	4	19 5

Contra Cred^d

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 April 7th By cash paid A. Hazard ^{L. Johnson} 2. 5. 3⁴ 2. 16. 6 ³/₄

3. Mumford Contra Cred^d

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 Nov. 18th By amt. of Salary & incidents as P^{re}st^{er} ^{Sam^l full} 1. 6. 6 ¹/₂ 1. 13. 2
 By cash p^{aid} the S^{er} Hider to Hiderby 4. 5. 0 5. 6. 10

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¹⁷⁷⁷ ~~By cash~~
 May 23rd By cash paid A. Hazard, as P^{re}st^{er} 1. 19 ³/₄ 1. 10. 2 ¹/₄
 Aug. 1st By Balance of a former acct. 1. 4. 4 1. 10. ~~2~~
 Nov. 17th By cash reciv'd P^{re}st. " 10. -- 1. 2. 6
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 April 10th By cash reciv'd P^{re}st. 1. 16. -- 1. -- --
 July 27th By cash reciv'd P^{re}st. 1. 13. -- 2. 1. 3
 Balance due " 15. 7 19. 5

6. 11 5 ¹/₄ 8. 3. 4 ¹/₄

14 Dr The Post Office at Providence

		Lanfull Money	
1776	May 5 th To Balance of Quarterly Acct. ending this day	11. 14. 8	18. 1
April 5 th	To Ditto... of Ditto	11. 1. 6	13. 16. 10 1/2
		11. 10. 2	14. 15. 2 1/2
July 5 th	To Balance of quarterly Acct. end of this Day	11. 9. 8	14. 7. 1
Oct. 5 th	To ditto ditto	12. 15. 7	15. 19. 5 1/2
1777			
Jan. 5 th	To ditto ditto	13. - - 1/2	16. 5. 1/2
April 5 th	To ditto ditto	9. 8. 4 1/2	11. 15. 5 1/2
July 5 th	To ditto ditto	7. 14. 8	9. 13. 4
Oct. 5 th	To ditto ditto	9. 18. 1	12. 7. 7 1/4
1778			
Jan. 5 th	To Balance of Acct. end of 5 th Jan. 1778	7. 11. 5 3/4	9. 9. 4
April 17 th	To Balance of Acct. ending 5 th April 1778	4. 3. 5 1/2	11. 9. 3 1/4
1779			
February 6 th	To d ^o . of Acct. ending July 5 th 1778	12. 2. 6 1/4	15. 3. 2 1/4
		£ 93. 3. 11	£ 116. 9. 9 1/2

Dr The Post Office at New Bedford

		Lanfull Money	
1777	May 12 th To Balance of Acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1777	10. 6. -	13. 1 1/2

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1776	May 25.	By bank paid Ben ^y . Mumford Pft= } Rider as of Receipt	Laufull						
			11.	16.	2.		14.	15.	2 1/2
1777			11.	16.	2.		14.	15.	2 1/2
April 7 th		By cash paid M ^r . Hazard	12.				15.		
1777		By cash paid Sundries as p ^{ro} ouchers	28.	16.	3		36.	—	3 3/4
Oct. 27 th		By cash rec ^d from J ^r . Carter	13.	8.	2 1/2		16.	15.	3
Dec. 5 th		By cash paid James Bryson Esq ^r	7.	10.	—		9.	7.	6
1778	Jan. 14 th	By cash rec ^d from John Carter	2.	11.	3 1/2		3.	4.	3/4
		By cash p ^{aid} J. Hastings as P ^{ro} ct.	7.	11.	5 1/2		9.	9.	4
April 23 rd		By cash paid . . . d ^o	9.	3.	5 1/2		11.	9.	3 3/4
1779	Jan. 27 th	By d ^o paid . . . d ^o . . . as of d ^o . Wanting to ballance	12.	2.	6 3/4		15.	3	2 1/4
					8				10
			£93.	3	11		£116.	9	9 1/2

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1777	May 12 th	By cash paid M ^r . Hazard	Laufull Money						
			10	6			13.	1	1/2

15 Dr The Post Office at Salem

1776	Jan'y 5 th To Balance of quarterly acct ending this Day	6	13	8 1/4	5	7	1
	April 5 th To Ditto . . . as d ^o . . .	13	13	10 1/4	17	2	4
	July 5 th To Ditto . . . as d ^o . . .	4	7	4 1/4	11	14	2
		29	14	11 1/4	37	3	7
	October 5 th To Balance of quarterly acct ending this Day	2	3	3 1/4	2	14	1
	Jan'y 10 th To D ^o of 2 ^d Ending 5 th Jan'y		2			2	6
	To Sundry Errors in D ^o , as per Memorandum		18	6	1	3	1 1/2
	To Balance of Quarterly acct ending 5 th April	2	15	2	3	8	11 1/2
	To an error in over charge of Commis ⁿ		1	8 1/4		5	9
	July 5 th To amt of quarterly acct ending 5 th July	4			5		
	Nov ^r 24 th To Balance of quarterly acct ending 5 th Oct ^r	3	13	6 1/4	4	11	10 1/4
	1778 To an Error in d ^o . . . d ^o		4	5		5	6
	Jan'y 5 th To Balance of acct ending 5 th Jan'y 1778	4	18	5 1/4	6	3	1 1/4
	April 5 th To Balance of acct ending 5 th April 1778	7	7	4	9	4	2
		26	7	4 1/4	32	19	1 1/4

Dr The Post Office at Ipswich

1776	Jan'y 5 th To Balance as of quarterly acct . . .		13	6 1/4		16	11 1/2
	April 5 th To Ditto . . . as d ^o . . .		1	9		1	16 3
	July 5 th To Ditto . . . as d ^o . . .		1	4	1 1/2	1	10 5 1/2
			3	6	11 1/4	4	3 8
	Oct ^r 24 th To Amount of Quarterly acct ending the 5 th Instant . . .		12			15	
	1777 Jan'y 5 th To amt of ditto ending this Day		10			12	6
	May 24 th To Balance of acct ending 5 th April		11	3 1/2		14	1 1/4
	July 25 th To ditto of ditto ending 5 th Instant . . .		1	1		1	6 3
	October 5 th To ditto of ditto ending 5 th October . . .		1	10	1	1	17 7 1/4
	Feb ^r 5 th To Balance of qly. acct ending 5 th Jan'y 1778			1	1		1 4 1/4
	April 5 th To Balance of acct ending 5 th April 1778			14	1		17 7 1/4
	August 16 th To ditto . . of d ^o ending 5 th July 1778			11	6		14 4 1/4
			5	11	2 1/4	8	18 11 1/4

Contra Credit

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		Low full Money			
1776	Feb ^y 26 By cash rec ^d from Edward Norris	8	12	1/4	5 6 1
	April 2 By d ^o in full	10			1 -
	May 25 By cash rec ^d this day	13	12	10 1/4	17 1 1
	July 13 By Ditto rec ^d this day	9	7	4	11 14 2
1777	Feb ^y 20 By cash rec ^d this day	29	13	1 1/4	37 2 4
	May 10 By d ^o paid A ^r Hazard by M ^r Williams	2	3	3 1/4	2 14 1
	By cash paid J ^r Libbey as p ^{er} rect	1	6		1 3 7 1/2
	Aug ^t 4 By d ^o paid d ^o as p ^{er} rect	2	15		3 8 9
	" By cash p ^d Jeremiah Libbey as p ^{er} rect	4	4	8 1/4	5 9
	Nov ^r 24 By cash p ^d Jeremiah Libbey as p ^{er} rect	3	13	6 1/4	4 11 10 1/2
1778	Jan ^y 23 By cash p ^d J. Libbey	4	18	8	6 3 4
	April 15 By cash paid J. Libbey as p ^{er} rect	7	7	4	9 4 2
	July 24 By d ^o paid J. Libbey as p ^{er} rect	4	4		5 5
	Balance due p ^d J. Bryson	26	7	4 1/4	32 14 1/4

(Daniel Noyes) Contra

		C ^r			
1776	April 20 By cash rec ^d p ^{er} post from Daniel Noyes	2	2	6 1/4	2 13 2 1/2
	July 20 By cash rec ^d this day	1	4	1 1/4	1 10 5 1/2
	Oct ^r 24 By cash paid the Post Office as p ^{er} rect	3	6	1 1/4	4 3 8
1777	May 21 By cash paid M ^r Libbey as p ^{er} rect	1	4		1 10
	July 25 By ditto paid ditto as p ^{er} rect	9	3	1/2	11 7 1/4
	October 20 By cash paid Jeremiah Libbey	1	1		1 6 3
	December 12 By cash paid James Bryson Esq ^r	1	7	6 1/4	1 14 5 1/4
1778	Jan ^y 23 By d ^o paid Jeremiah Libbey	2	8		3 4
	April 5 By d ^o paid d ^o	1	1		1 4 1/4
	July 24 By d ^o paid d ^o	14	1		17 7 1/4
		14	6		14 14 1/4
		5	11	1 1/4	5 18 1 1/4

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D^{to} The Post Office at Newbury

		Lawfull Money			
1776					
Janry 5 th	To Balance as f ^l l ^d rendered end of this Day	9	9	4	11 16 8
April 5 th	To Ditto as f ^l l ^d ditto	20	17	1 1/2	26 1 1/2
July 5 th	To Ditto as f ^l l ^d ditto	9	10	-	11 17 6
		39	16	5 1/4	49 15 6 1/2

October 5 th	To Balance of f ^l l ^d rendered ending	6	16	-	8 10
	this Day				
1777					
May 10 th	To D ^o as f ^l l ^d ending 5 th Janry	6	7	5 1/4	7 19 3 1/2
	To D ^o of Errors, as f ^l l ^d rec ^d	1	11	11	1 19 10 3/4
	To Cash, rec ^d from M ^r Hazard	27	2	-	33 17 6
	To Balance of Qu ^r ly f ^l l ^d ending 5 th April	3	18	8	11 18 14
	To an overcharge on Cornm st	-	-	7	- 8 3/4
August 11 th	To Balance of f ^l l ^d ending July 5 th	6	8	6 1/2	8 1 8
Decem ^r 26 th	To Balance of f ^l l ^d ending 5 th Oct ^r	7	6	9 1/2	9 3 6
Feb ^r 5 th 1778	To Balance of f ^l l ^d ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	5	1	-	6 6 3
Aug ^r 12 th	To D ^o of D ^o 5 th April 1778	8	7	0	10 9 7
"	To D ^o of D ^o 5 th July - 11	10	-	4	12 10 5
		83	-	11	103 18 7 1/2

D^{to} The Post Office at Portsmouth

		Lawfull Money			
1776					
Janry 5 th	To Balance as f ^l l ^d rendered end of this Day	11	8	7 1/4	14 5 9 1/2
April 5 th	To Ditto as f ^l l ^d ditto	9	13	1	12 1 2
July 5 th	To Ditto as f ^l l ^d ditto	9	1	2	11 7 1 1/2
Oct ^r 24 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account end of the 28 th Sept as f ^l l ^d	8	14	9 1/4	10 18 5 1/2
	To Cash rec ^d from the Postm ⁿ of Salisbury in July last	6	9	3	8 1 6 1/2
Dec ^r 1 st 1778	To Balance as f ^l l ^d rendered end of this Day	45	7	5	56 14 3
	To Cash rec^d from the Postmⁿ of Salisbury in July last				28 19

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Emerson	contra	cred ^d		16
1776		Lawfull money		
Feby 26.	By cash rec ^d of P ^{ost} from B ^{us} by Emerson	9. 9. 4	11. 16. 8	
June 8.	By Ditto rec ^d this day	21. -	26. 5. -	
Aug ^o 10	By Ditto rec ^d this day	9. 6. -	11. 12. 6	
		39. 15. 4	✓ 49. 14. 2	
1777				
May 16 th	By cash paid, as P ^{ost} rec ^d delivered to H ^{az} ard	40. 8. 6	50. 10. 7 1/2	
	By an undercharge on Commis ^{ion}	- 6. 5 1/4	- 8. 1	
Aug ^o 11 th	By cash paid H ^{az} ard April 25 th	3. 18. 6	4. 18. 1 1/2	
	By Ditto paid ditto July 17 th	2. 12. 9 1/2	3. 6. -	
Nov ^o 8.	By cash paid Libbey	7. 7. -	9. 3. 9	
April 5.	By Ball. of Acc ^{ts} Apr. 5. 1778. S. Libbey	8. 7. 8	10. 9. 7	
July 11 th	By cash paid Jeremiah Libbey	9. 18. -	12. 7. 6	
Jan ^o 5 th	By d ^{ts} paid d ^{ts} - (omitted)	5. 6. -	6. 6. 3	
Dec ^o 12.	By d ^{ts} paid James Bryson	5. 3. -	6. 8. 8 1/2	
	Balance due	8. -	2. 0 1/4	
		83. - 11	103. 18. 7 1/2	

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1777		L ^{aw} money		
May 12 th	By cash paid, by Sam ^l Penhallows	15. 4. -	56. 10. -	
	to Post Riders &c	- - - - -	- - - - -	
	By d ^{ts} paid H ^{az} ard	3. 5. -	4. 3	

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By Railways of Post & Road in Mass
May 15th via Jeremiah Libbey &c. 4. 17. 10

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In the Post Office at Falmouth

		Shropshire Money			
1776	Jan'y 5.	To Balance of this Quarters Acc't	1. 14. 2	2. 2. 8 1/2	
	April 5.	To D ^o of this Quarters Acc't	2. 14. 6 1/2	3. 8. 2	
	July 5.	To D ^o of this Quarters Acc't	2. 14. 6 1/2	2. 10. 7 1/2	
			6. 9. 3	8. 1. 6 1/4	

October 5 th	To Balance as off Acct. rendered end of this Day	1. 15. 4 1/2	2. 4. 2
1777	To an Overcharge on Comm ^s	" - 7 1/2	" - 9
Jan. 5 th	To Balance as off Acct. rendered end of 1 st day	1. 8. 9 1/2	1. 15. 11 1/2
	To an Overcharge on Comm ^s	- - 7	" - 9
June 13 th	To Balance of Quarters Acc't ending 5 th April	1. 2. 3	1. 7. 9 3/4
Aug ^t 6 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	1. 9. 5	5. 14. 9
Nov ^r 1 st	To ditto of ditto ending October 5 th 1777	3. 17. 11 1/2	4. 17. 4
Feb ^r 4 th 1778	To Balance of Q ^r ly. Acc't. end of 5 th Jan ^y 1778	3. 6. 2	4. 2. 8 1/2
April 5 th	To Balance of Q ^r ly. Acc't. ending 5 th April 1778	3. 10. 1 1/2	4. 15. 2 1/4
August 24 th	To Balance of Q ^r ly. Acc't. ending 5 th July 1778	3. 1. 7	3. 16. 11 1/4
		22. 18. 10 1/2	28. 13. 4 1/4

In the Post Office at Middle Town

		Comm ^s Money	Phil ^a Gold
1776	February 9 th	To Balance of Account rendered of Postages received by Wensley Hobbs prior to the present Establishment	4. 9. 4 - 5. 11. 8
	9.	To Balance of quarterly Account ending the 5 th January 1776	5. 1. 7 1/2 - 6. 7. -
	April 5.	To Ditto of Quarterly Acc't. ending this day	5. 6. 2 1/2 - 6. 12. 4
			14. 17. 2 - 18. 11. 5
1777	May 12 th	To Balance of 3 Quars. Acc't. ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	8. 10. 1 - 11. 0. 1/4
	June 26 th	To ditto of Quarters Acc't. ending 5 th April	2. 15. 7 - 3. 9. 5 1/2
	October 6 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	3. 7. 8 - 4. 14. 7
	Decem ^r 22	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th October	4. 2. 6 - 5. 3. -
1778	Feb ^r 4 th	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	3. 8. 10 - 4. 6. 1/2
	April 15 th	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th April 1778	3. 19. 2 - 4. 18. 11 1/4
	Sept ^r 8 th	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th July 1778	6. 10. 5 - 8. 3. 0 1/2
		£ 33. - 3	41. 5. 2

1776

July 5

By Cash Samuel Penhallow Treas. of
Portsmouth - - - - -

—Luzett—

6.9.3. . . . 8. 1. 10/21

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August 17th By Cash paid Jeremiah Libbey April 1st

3. 4. 2. 4. 0. 2 1/2

Oct. 25. By Cash paid Jeremiah Libbey

9.	9.	7½	..	11.	17.	—
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Nov: 20. By Cash paid d^o.

10.	4.	—	.	.	12.	15.	—
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Balance due

... 1. 1 ... 1. 2 1/4

22.	18.	10 1/2.	28.	13.	4 3/4
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1776

Feb 9. By Cash received this Day

Connecticut

Ph: 9. 6. 20

9.10.11/2 11.18.8

April 20. By Ditto

5.3.6	6.9.4/2
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May 11.	By Ditto
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...	2	8/2	...	...	3	4/2
14	17	2	✓	28	11	2

14	17	2	✓	18	11	5
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1777

May 24th By Cash paid M^r. Hazard, ad^o Rec^t -

8.	16.	1.	..	11.	-	1 1/4
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June 26. By bank rec. of post.
351 7/8 1/2 1/4 1/8 1/16 1/32 1/64 1/128 1/256 1/512 1/1024 1/2048 1/4096 1/8192 1/16384 1/32768 1/65536 1/131072 1/262144 1/524288 1/1048576 1/2097152 1/4194304 1/8388608 1/16777216 1/33554432 1/67108864 1/134217728 1/268435456 1/536870912 1/1073741824 1/2147483648 1/4294967296 1/8589934592 1/17179869184 1/34359738368 1/68719476736 1/137438953472 1/274877906944 1/549755813888 1/1099511627776 1/2199023255552 1/4398046511104 1/8796093022208 1/17592186044416 1/35184372088832 1/70368744177664 1/140737488355328 1/281474976710656 1/562949953421312 1/1125899906842624 1/2251799813685248 1/4503599627370496 1/9007199254740992 1/18014398509481984 1/36028797018963968 1/72057594037927936 1/144115188075855872 1/288230376151711744 1/576460752303423488 1/1152921504606846976 1/2305843009213693952 1/4611686018427387904 1/9223372036854775808 1/18446744073709551616 1/36893488147419103232 1/73786976294838206464 1/147573952589676412928 1/295147905179352825856 1/590295810358705651712 1/1180591620717411303424 1/2361183241434822606848 1/4722366482869645213696 1/9444732965739290427392 1/18889465931478580854784 1/37778931862957161709568 1/75557863725914323419136 1/151115727451828646838272 1/302231454903657293676544 1/604462909807314587353088 1/1208925819614629174706176 1/2417851639229258349412352 1/4835703278458516698824704 1/9671406556917033397649408 1/19342813113834066795298816 1/38685626227668133590597632 1/77371252455336267181195264 1/154742504910672534362390528 1/309485009821345068724781056 1/618970019642690137449562112 1/1237940039285380274899124224 1/2475880078570760549798248448 1/4951760157141521099596496896 1/9903520314283042199192993792 1/19807040628566084398385987584 1/39614081257132168796771975168 1/79228162514264337593543950336 1/158456325028528675187087900672 1/316912650057057350374175801344 1/633825300114114700748351602688 1/1267650600228229401496703205376 1/2535301200456458802993406410752 1/5070602400912917605986812821504 1/10141204801825835211973625643008 1/20282409603651670423947251286016 1/40564819207303340847894502572032 1/81129638414606681695789005144064 1/162259276829213363391578010288128 1/324518553658426726783156020576256 1/649037107316853453566312041152512 1/1298074214633706907132624082305024 1/2596148429267413814265248164610048 1/5192296858534827628530496329220096 1/10384593717069655257060992658440192 1/20769187434139310514121985316880384 1/41538374868278621028243970633760768 1/83076749736557242056487941267521536 1/166153499473114484112975882535043072 1/332306998946228968225951765070086144 1/664613997892457936451903530140172288 1/1329227995784915872903807060280344576 1/2658455991569831745807614120560689152 1/5316911983139663491615228241121378304 1/10633823966279326983230456482242756608 1/21267647932558653966460912964485513216 1/42535295865117307932921825928971026432 1/85070591730234615865843651857942052864 1/170141183460469231731687303715884105728 1/340282366920938463463374607431768211456 1/680564733841876926926749214863536422912 1/1361129467683753853853498429727072845824 1/2722258935367507707706996859454145691648 1/5444517870735015415413993718908291383296 1/10889035741470030830827987437816582766592 1/21778071482940061661655974875633165533184 1/43556142965880123323311949751266331066368 1/87112285931760246646623899502532662132736 1/174224571863520493293247799005065324265472 1/348449143727040986586495598010130648530944 1/696898287454081973172991196020261297061888 1/1393796574908163946345982392040522594123776 1/2787593149816327892691964784081045188247552 1/5575186299632655785383929568162090376495104 1/11150372599265311570767859136324180752990208 1/22300745198530623141535718272648361505980416 1/44601490397061246283071436545296723011960832 1/89202980794122492566142873090593446023921664 1/178405961588244985132285746181186892047843328 1/356811923176489970264571492362373784095686656 1/713623846352979940529142984724747568191373312 1/1427247692705959881058285969449495136382746624 1/2854495385411919762116571938898990272765493248 1/5708990770823839524233143877797980545530986496 1/1141798154164767904846628775559596109

2	15	7	✓	3	9	5	1/2
3	7	8	✓	4	4	7	

Octoburg. My dear Mr. J. M.
Dear Sir, I have had James M.

4.	2.	6.	.	5.	3.	—
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1773
By Cash rec'd from Wm. Hobbey Esq.

3.	8.	10	v.	4.	6. $\frac{1}{2}$
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April 5th Bay Cash reciv'd from . . ditto . .

3.	13.	9.	✓.	4.	12.	2 1/4
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Sept^r 8th By. ditto reciv'd from ditto.

6.	15.	-	✓.	8.	9
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Balance

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33.	—	3	41	5	2
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Dⁿ The Post Office at Hartford

1777 th Decem. 20.	To Balance of q ^{thly} . Acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1776	£ 6.	7.	9.	7.	11.	11.	3 ³ / ₄
"	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th April 1776	9.	5.	2.	11.	11.	4 ³ / ₄	
"	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th July 1776	10.	5.	11.	12.	17.	4 ³ / ₄	
"	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th October 1776	6.	12.	6.	8.	5.	7 ³ / ₄	
"	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th Jan. 1777	5.	4.	3.	6.	10.	3 ³ / ₄	
"	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th April 1777	9.	2.	11.	11.	8.	7 ³ / ₄	
		46.	18.	6.	58.	13.	1 ¹ / ₂	

1778

Thomas Hildner 3th Mo.

Jan. 5 th	To Balance of Acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1778	16.	11.	10				
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Dⁿ The Post Office at Springfield

1776	Jan'y 5..	To Balance of Quarterly Account ending this day	1. 4	1. 5. 4
	April 5..	To Ditto of do ending this day	1. 5. 10	1. 12. 4
			2 6. 2	2. 17. 8
1777	June 7.	To Balance of Quart. Acct. ending 5 th July 1776	4 12 4 3/4	5. 15. 5 3/4
		To Ditto of Ditto, ending 5 th October	1. 3 0 3/4	1. 8 4 1/2
		To Cash rec. from H. Hazard	3. 14 7	4. 8 3 1/4
		To Balance due Moses Church	4. 7	5. 8 3 1/4
			£ 9 15 8 3/4	11. 10. 8 3/4
1778	Jan. 14.	To Balance of Acct. ending 5 th Oct. 1777	5. 9. 9	6. 17. 2
			£ 5. 9. 9	6. 17. 2

Contra Cred

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Wm Ellery D.M.

1777	April 7 th	By Cash p ^d M ^r Hazard by J. L. Money	37. 15. 6	41. 4. 1/2
		William Ellery, Past Master		
	Decem ^r	By Cash p ^d James Bryson Esq ^r	9. 3. -	11. 8. 9
			46. 13. 6	58. 13. 1/2
1778	Jan ^y 4 th	By Cash paid J. Hastings as Off ^r Rec ^t	16. 12. -	

		(Moses Church P. Master)	Contra	Cred
1776	June 8	By Cash rec ^d from Moses Church	2. 6. 2	✓ 2. 17. 8
1777	June 7 th	By Ballance of Quarty Acc ^t ending 5 th Jan ^y	3. 4. 7	4. 8. 3 3/4
		By Cash p ^d M ^r Hazard, as Off ^r Acc ^t	5. 19. 11 2/3	7. 10. 0
			9. 4. 6 2/3	11. 10. 8 3/4
		By Ballance due Moses Church		
		brought from Contra Dr ^r	1. 15. 7	5. 8. 3 1/4
Jan ^y 14 th		By Cash p ^d James Bryson Esq ^r	5. 5. 2	6. 11. 5 1/4
			5. 9. 9	6. 17. 2

19 Dr^d The Post Office at Worcester

Dr^d The Post Office at Albany

1776					
Jan ^y 5.	To Balance as of Act. rendered end of this day.	Myak. Cur.	12.	4.	1.
April 5.	To Ditto of Quarterly Act. ending this day		29.	19.	1.
Sept. 26	To Balance of 8 ^o . ending July 5 th 1777.		19.	7.	7.
	Balance carried down . . .		18.	14.	7.
			80.	3.	4.
				75.	3.
Oct. 5.	To Balance of Accs. end of Oct. 5.		25.	9.	4.
Jan. 5.	To . . d ^o . . of d ^o . end of Jan. 5. 1777		5.	10.	1.
April 5.	To . . d ^o . . of d ^o . end of April 5. "		1.	16.	7.
July 5.	To Balance of 5 th ly. Acc. end of July 5. 1778.		54.	3.	1.
Oct. 5.	To . . d ^o . . of Accs. end of Oct. 5. "		14.	7.	1.
			£ 101.	6.	2.
				94.	19.
	To Balance carried to Book B. #34		82.	11.	7.
				77.	8.

Contra Cred^I

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1777
March 10

By ^{dwt. 8} 127. 3 of dead Letters sent from
Worcester by E. Hazard Esq. & Cur^r

Contra 6^m

1776

By cash paid M. Franklin

March 6th
25. . .

23. 8. 9

1777
May 13th

By cash rec^d this Day

55. 3. 4

51. 14. 4

80. 3. 4

75. 3. 1

Balance brought down

18. 14. 7¹/₄

17. 11. 3

Balance as of Contra

82. 11. 7¹/₂

77. 8. 4¹/₄

£ 101. 6. 2³/₄

94. 19. 7¹/₄

20th D^{to} the Post Office at Chester

D^{to} the Post Office at Wilmington

1776			
Jan'y 5 th	To Balance as of account rendered ending this day	✓	- " 8.2
April 5 th	To Ditto ending this day	✓	- " 15.-
July 5 th	To Ditto ending this day	✓	- 1. 10. 10
			✓ 2. 14.-
1777			
August 15 th	To Balance of one year last ending 5 th July		4. 11. 4

Contra

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Contra 6th

1776		
Jan ^y 16	By Cash from Jacob Broome Poppon ^r	8 2
June 25	By Cash from D ^r	12 7
July 11	By Cash in full	13 3
		✓ 2 14 2
1777		
Aug ^t 13 th	By Cash rec ^d this Day in full	6 11 4

21 Dr^d The Post Office at Head Elk

1776 Oct. 7	To Amount of Quarterly Account ending 5 th Inst.	2	2	8
.....	To Amount of Postages rec. by Jacob Hollingsworth for which he kept no regular Account	3	5	11
1777 Jan. 4 th	To Am ^t of Quarterly Acct ending 5 th Inst.	5	8	7
		3	-	-

Dr^d The Post Office at Charles Town

1776 Jan'y 5	To Balance as a/c rendered up to this Day	1	15	2
April 5	To Ditto as a/c	3	4	8
		4	19	10
July 3 rd	To Balance as a/c rendered up to this Day	3	11	4
Septem ^r 24 th	To Balance as a/c	2	19	9
1777 Jan. 4 th	To Balance as a/c	2	11	9
	To an undischARGE of a/c	3	4	
June 17 th	To Balance of Quart ^r Acct ending April 5 th	2	12	-
	To Balance of Acct ending 5 th Inst.	1	6	5
		13	4	7

Contra Cred^d

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1776			
April 8	By cash rec ^d from Jacob Hollingworth	2	3. 11
July 11	By Ditto. rec ^d from . . . Ditto	2	" "
Oct. 7.	By d ^o . . . rec ^d from . . . ditto	1	4. 8
1777			
Jan. 9.	By d ^o rec ^d from . ditto	✓ 5	8. 7
		£ ✓ 3.	" "

Contra

C^d

1776			
Janry 29	By cash rec ^d from Patrick Hamilton	1	15. 2
June 3.	By Ditto	3	4. 8
1777			
Apr. 5 th	-	✓ 4	19. 10
Jan. 15 th	By cash acc ^d from Patrick Hamilton	✓ 9	2. 10
	By Comm ⁿ on 8 th out undischarg'd		" 8
June 17 th	By cash rec ^d & post	✓ 3	18. 5.
	By an undercharge 6 th out as & rec ^d		2. 8

£ 13. 4. 7.

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In the Post Office at Hartford

1776			
April 5.	To Balance of two Quarters Acc ^t . up to this day	✓	3 3 4
July 5.	To Balance of Quarterly Acc ^t . ending this day	✓	1 15 2
		✓	4 18 6
1777			
May 2.	To Balance of 3 Quarters Acc ^t . ending 5 th April		7 2 6
July 10.	To ditto of one Quarter Acc ^t . ending 5 th Inst.		1 1 2
1778			
Sept. 8 th	To ditto of Quarterly Acc ^t . endg 5 th October 1777		1 47 —
			10 — 8

In the Post Office at Baltimore

1776			
Jan'y 5.	To Balance as of Acc ^t . rendered ending this day	✓	43 12 8
April 5	To Ditto . . . as of Ditto	✓	67 14 6 1/2
May 9.	To Amount of Letters rec ^d at Baltimore directed by Bill to Frederick Town as of Acc ^t . up to this date	✓	2 2 6
July 5 th	To Balance of Quarterly Acc ^t . ending this day	✓	1 16 8
	To Amount of Letters rec ^d for at Baltimore directed by Bill to Frederick Town as of Account . . .	✓	5 4
			155 11 8 1/2
Oct ^r . 25.	To Balance of Quarterly account ending 5 th Oct ^r	✓	10 10 —
1777			
Jan ^y 4.5.	To Balance of Quarterly Acc ^t . ending this Day		42 16 4
May 5 th	To Ditto of Ditto ending 5 th April		49 8 4
August 13 th	To Ditto of Ditto ending July 5 th		56 0 6
Decem ^r . 7 th	To Balance of quarterly Acc ^t . ending 5 th October 1777		10 15 10
1778			
July 5	To Balance of Acc ^t . ending Jan ^y 5 th and April 5 th 1778 being charged in Acc ^t . July 5 th 1778		155 9 —
"	To Balance of Acc ^t . ending July 5 th 1778 being charged in Acc ^t . ending Oct ^r 5 th 1778		59 18 1
			414 18 1

Contra Cred^d

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1776				
May 9.	By Cash rec ^d this day	3	3	4
July 11.	By Cash rec ^d in full	1	16	2
1777		✓ 4	18	6
May 2.	By Cash rec ^d from Joseph Miles as of ^{of} theud ^d	✓ 17	2	6
	By an undercharge		5	4
July 18.	By Cash rec ^d of Post	✓ 1	15	10
1778		✓ 1	1	57
Sept. 8.	By Cash rec ^d this Day	10		8

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1776				
Feby 10.	By Cash rec ^d of Post	41	3	9
2. 26	By Dr ^d rec ^d of Dr ^d	2	10	
May 6.	By Cash, rec ^d of Dr ^d	67	15	
13.	By Ditto	2	2	6
July 24.	By Cash rec ^d of Post this day	42	2	6
		✓ 153	13	9
Oct. 24.	By Cash rec ^d this day	✓ 40	10	
1777		✓ 42	16	4
Jan. 27.	By Cash rec ^d this Day	✓ 49	8	4
May 3.	By Cash rec ^d this Day	✓ 56	0	6
Aug. 13.	By Cash rec ^d this Day	✓ 10	15	10
Dec. 1.	By Cash rec ^d this Day			
1778				
Jan. 13.	By Balance of Acct ending 5 th Jan ^{ry} 1778.	119	1	6
April 27.	By ditto of do. ending 5 th April 1778.	36	7	6
July 5.	By ditto of do. ending 5 th July 1778.	59	18	1
		£ 444	18	1

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In the Post Office at Annapolis

1776	Jan'y 6 th	To Balance as $\$$ acct. rendered up to this day . . .	3	3	4
	April 5 th	To Ditto . . as $\$$ Ditto . . .	8	1	6
	July 5 th	To Ditto . . as $\$$ Ditto . . .	7	5	1
			✓ 18 9 11		
	Oct. 6 th	To Balance as $\$$ acct. ending this Day . . .	11	9	—
	Jan. 4 th 1777	To Balance as $\$$ acct. ending this Day . . .	20	7	—
	May 2 nd	To Balance as $\$$ acct. ending 5 th April . . .	1	15	—
	Nov. 1 st 1777	To Balance of acct. ending 6 th July 1777 . . .	7	7	10 1/2
	"	To Balance of acct. ending 6 th October 1777 . . .	4	3	3 1/4
Balance due Wm. Whitcroft paid by James Bryson as $\$$ acct.			3	5	7
			67 17 7 3/4		
1778	May 26 th	To Balance of acct. ending Jan. 5 th 1778 . . .	10	4	1
	"	To do. of acct. ending April 5 th " . . .	15	1	6
	August 11 th	To do. of do. ending July 5 th " . . .	29	7	9 1/4
			£ 54 13 4 3/4		

In the Post Office at Upper Marlboro

1776	Jan'y 5 th	To Balance as $\$$ acct. rendered ending this day . . .	6	7	—
	April 5 th	To Ditto . . as $\$$ do. . . ending 5 th April . . .	8	1	10
	July 5 th	To Ditto . . as $\$$ do. . . ending 5 th July . . .	6	2	3
			✓ 20 11 1		
	Oct. 17 th 1777	To ditto of Quarterly acct. ending 5 Oct. . . .	17	1	10
	Jan. 5 th	To ditto of Quarterly acct. ending this Day . . .	6	15	—
	July 16 th	To ditto, of ditto, ending 5 th of April . . .	2	2	10
		To ditto, of ditto, ending 5 th Inst. . . .	3	8	11
1778	Jan. 14 th	To an overcharge on Commissions . . .		4	—
Balance due S. West . . .				2	5
			19 15 —		

Contra Cred^{It}

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1776			
May 13.	By Cash rec ^d this day	11 ⁰⁰	5 ⁰⁰
Aug 22	By Ditto rec ^d this day	6 ⁰⁰	18 ⁰⁰
1777		✓ 18 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰
March 3.	By Cash rec ^d this Day	✓ 32 ⁰⁰	2 ⁰⁰
Jan. 4 th	By an Undercharge on Comm ^{rs} as ^{of} Acc ^t . ending this Day	1 ⁰⁰	14 ⁰⁰
May 2 ^d	By Cash rec ^d from William Whitcroft	✓ 1 ⁰⁰	15 ⁰⁰
	By an undercharge on Comm ^{rs}	1 ⁰⁰	5 ⁰⁰
Oct. 3 ^d	By Cash rec ^d of Post.	✓ 8 ⁰⁰	13 ⁰⁰
Nov. 17 th	By Cash rec ^d of Post.	✓ 4 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰
		6 ⁰⁰	17 ⁰⁰
1778			7 ³ / ₄
May 26.	By Cash rec ^d from W ^m Goldsmith this Day	✓ 10 ⁰⁰	4 ⁰⁰
Aug 11 th	By Cash rec ^d from . . . do . . . do	✓ 15 ⁰⁰	1 ⁰⁰
August 11 th	By do paid James Bryson Esq ^r (Surgeon)	✓ 24 ⁰⁰	7 ⁰⁰
		5 ⁰⁰	13 ⁰⁰
			4 ³ / ₄

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1770			
Jan 22	By Cash rec ^d from Stephen West Esq ^r	6 ⁰⁰	7 ⁰⁰
April 22.	By Ditto	8 ⁰⁰	00
July 15.	By Ditto	6 ⁰⁰	2 ⁰⁰
		✓ 20 ⁰⁰	10 ⁰⁰
Oct. 14.	By ditto rec ^d this day	✓ 7 ⁰⁰	2 ⁰⁰
1777 th		✓ 6 ⁰⁰	15 ⁰⁰
Jan. 4 th	By ditto rec ^d this day	✓ 5 ⁰⁰	12 ⁰⁰
July 10 th	By ditto. rec ^d of Post. this day		
1778 th			
Jan. 14.	By Balance of two q ^{tr} s. Acc ^t s ending 6 th Oct. 1777 th and 6 th Jan. 1778 th		5 ⁰⁰
		19 ⁰⁰	15 ⁰⁰

24	D ^{to} The Post Office at Bladensburg					
1776	Jan'y 5 th	To Balance as filed rendered, ending this day	✓	3	1	10
	April 5 th	To Ditto as f ^d d ^o	✓	5	1	10
	July 5 th	To Ditto as f ^d d ^o	✓	1	13	-
				✓	12	16 8
	Nov ^r 4 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account ending 3 th Oct ^r	✓	3	15	4
1777	Jan ^y 25 th	To Balance of ditto ending this Day		2	13	8
	May 2 ^d	To Ballance of d ^o ending 5 th April, as f ^d d ^o	—	1	15	10
	July 25 th	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th Inst ^t		2	9	7
1778	Feb ^y 29 th	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th October 1777		3	15	4
		To ditto of ditto ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778		1	16	6
	June 23 rd	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th April 1778		2	4	11
	July 27 th	To ditto of ditto ending 5 th July 1778		4	9	-
		Balance due C ^t T. Lowmder	3	1	1	2
		paid by James Bampton Esq ^r	3	23	1	4

	D ^{to} The Post Office at Georgetown					
1776	Jan'y 5 th	To Balance as filed rendered ending this day	✓	2	15	2 1/2
	April 5 th	To d ^o as f ^d ditto	✓	2	18	2 3/4
	July 5 th	To d ^o as f ^d ditto	✓	1	10	2 1/4
	Oct ^r 26 th	To Balance as f ^d ending the 5 th October	✓	1	6	6 1/2
1777	Jan ^y 25 th	To Balance as f ^d acct. ending this Day		2	5	3 3/4
	May 2 ^d	To Ballance, as f ^d acct. ending 5 th April	—	1	13	4
	August 6 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th		2	1	5
	Oct ^r 28 th	To Balance of quarterly acct. ending 5 th October		2	-	8
1778	Jan ^y 22 nd	To Balance of quarterly acct. end 3 th Inst ^t		1	14	11
	April 5 th	To Balance of acct. ending April 5 th 1778		3	8	10
	July 13 th	To Balance of acct. ending July 5 th 1778		1	7	10
			£	14	12	3 3/4

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1776				
May 5	By Cash rec ^d from Chris ^r Saunders Post ^d ...	3	1	10
May 13	By Ditto rec ^d this day	5	1	10
July 24	By Ditto rec ^d this day	4	13	—
		✓ 12	16	8
Oct 21	By Cash rec ^d this day	✓ 3	11	8
Nov 4	By Ditto	✓ 1	3	9
1777				
Feb 7	By Cash rec ^d this day	✓ 2	13	8
May 2	By d ^r rec ^d from Christopher Saunders	✓ 1	13	10
July 24	By ditto rec ^d from ditto	✓ 2	9	7
1778				
Feb 24	By Cash rec ^d from Christ ^r Saunders	✓ 3	15	4
	By d ^r rec ^d from . . . d ^r . . . d ^r	✓ 1	16	6
June 23	By Cash rec ^d from . . . d ^r . . . d ^r	✓ 2	5	—
July 27	By Cash rec ^d Post	✓ 4	10	—
		23	1	4

Polowmack . . . contra . . . 6th

1776				
Nov 4	By Cash rec ^d this day off post	8	10	2
1777				
May 2	By Cash rec ^d from Thomas Richardson	✓ 1	13	4
July 24	By ditto rec ^d			
Nov 11	By Cash rec ^d Ebenezer Harvard	7	16	3
1779				
Feb 15	By Cash rec ^d James Bryson	5	2	8 1/4
		14	12	3 - 3/4

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In The Post Office at Alexandria

		Drs & Crs			
1776	Feb ^y 24 th	To Balance of account rendered up to this day	1	1	6
	April 5.	To Amount of Sarah Watsons Acc ^t feeding 24 th Feb ^y to 5 th April	5	3	8
	July 5.	To Balance of this Quarters Account	2	1	3
			8	5	10
1777	August 29	To Balance of Acc ^t ending 5 th October 1776	8	7	2 3/4
	"	To ditto of d ^o ending 5 th Jan ^y 1777	5	1	5
	"	To d ^o of d ^o ending 5 th April 1777	7	13	3
	"	To d ^o of d ^o ending 5 th July 1777	10	7	6
1778	Feb ^y 10	To Cash p ^d to Watson by Wm ^o Harvard	25	4	31
	June 12 th	To d ^o p ^d to d ^o by d ^o	1	12	0 1/4
		To an ^o in general Acc ^t	4	1	5
		£	63	16	5 1/2
			79	15	6 3/4

In The Post Office at Colechester

		Drs & Crs			
1776	Jan ^y 5.	To Balance as of ^d rendered on 7 th this day	1	1	6
	April 4.	To Ditto as of ^d	2	1	2
	July 4.	To Ditto as of ^d	1	3	7
1778	June 23.	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th October 1776	19	9	4
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th Jan ^y 1777	1	4	11
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th April 1777	18	2	1
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th July 1777	1	10	3
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th October 1777	19	9	4
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	1	16	3
	"	To Ditto as of ^d ending 5 th April 1778	13	9	17
			11	19	9
			14	19	8 1/4

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1776
 April 5. By Cash p. the Post Rider between Fredericks-
 burg & Annapolis as follo^d: }

Virg^y Money
 8. 10. . . 10. 12. 6

By Cash paid Sundries as follo^d:

63. 16. 5½ . . 79. 15. 6½

£ 63. 16. 5½ . . 79. 15. 6¾

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1777
 July 11. By Cash paid A. Hazard.

Virg^y Money
 7 2 7 8. 18 2¾

Ballance carried to Book B.
 fol:

4. 17. 2 . . 6. 1. 5½
 11. 19. 9 . . 14. 19. 8½

26 D^r The Post Office at Dumfries

		King's Currency	P. Currency
1776 Nov. 5 th	To Balance of one Years Acct ending this Day	£ 19. 6. 4	24. 2. 10
1778 April 20.	To Balance of other Acct. ending 5 th Feb ^{ry} 1777	5. 13. 10 1/2	7. 2. 3 1/2
"	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th May 1777.	3. 18. 5	4. 58. - 1/4
"	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th July 1777.	4. 5. 4	5. 6. 8
"	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th Oct. 1777.	6. 3. 5	7. 14. 3 1/4
"	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th Jan ^y 1778.	3. 18. 1	4. 17. 7 1/4
1779 April 20.	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th April 1778	4. 2. 5	5. 3. - 1/4
	To ditto . . of ditto . . . endg 5 th July 1778.	9. 6. 8	11. 13. 4
		56. 14. 5 1/4	70. 18. - 1/2

D^r The Post Office at Fredericksburg

		King's Money	
1776 July 5 th	To Balance of Account rendered by William Smith from 23 ^d April to this day inclusive	10. 6. 3 3/4	12. 17. 10 1/2
Oct. 5 th	To ^{Amount} Balance of quarterly Account ending this Day	24. 14. 10 1/4	30. 18. 6 1/4
1777	To an Overcharge on Corn m ^d	1. -	4. 3
Jan. 5 th	To ^{Amount} Balance of quarterly Acct. endg 1 st Day	22. 18. 6 1/2	28. 13. 1 1/2
Aug. 6 th	To Balance of Quarterly Account ending 1 st Day	9. 9. 2 1/4	11. 16. 6
1778 Feb. 5 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	19. 14. 3 3/4	24. - 4
July 20 th	To ditto of ditto ending October 5 th	10. 19. -	13. 13. 4
	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th 1778.	10. 4. 10	12. 12. 3

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1777	May 12 th	By Cash rec ^d from Rich ^d Graham	19	6	4	✓	24	2	10
	July 11 th	By ditto paid M ^r Hazard	9	1	10		11	7	3 1/2
	Nov 13 th	By Cash rec ^d from Richard Graham	12	7				15	8 1/4
1778	April 14 th	By Cash p ^d the Rider from Alex ^a to Dumfries & Fredericksburg	18	7	5		22	18	10 1/4
1779	April 26 th	By an undercharge on Commissions of Acc ^t ending July 5 th 1778		7	9			9	8 1/4
	"	By Cash paid Sundries as Acc ^t	8	18	10 3/4		11	3	7 1/4
			56	14	5 3/4		70	18	- 1/2

W. Smith Contra Cr

1776	July 5 th	By Cash p ^d the Post Rider between Fredericksburg & Williamsburg by W. S.	Dir ^g C ^{ur}	5			6	5	-
	Oct 5 th	By Cash p ^d Post Rider between this Office & New Castle	19	19	1		24	10	1 1/4
1777		By ditto p ^d for a Mail Pillion &c ^a		10	6			13	1 1/2
1778	Jan 15 th	By Cash p ^d y ^e Post Rider between this Office & New Castle &c ^a	8	16	3		11		3 3/4
	Feb 15 th	By Balance of Acc ^t ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778	1	7	4		1	14	2
	May 4 th	By Balance of Acc ^t ending 5 th April 1778	8	9	4		10	11	8

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D^d the Post Office Port Royal

1776		Virginia C ^t	
Jan ^y 6 th	To Balance of acct. rendered, ending this day	1. 7. 5 1/2	1. 14. 3 3/4
8 th	To an overcharge of 2 ^d for Paper	2. -	2. 6
April 5.	To Balance of acct. rendered / deducting the above debit of. 2 ^d	1. 14. 3	2. 9. 3 3/4
July 5.	To Balance of this Quarters acct.	1. 18. 2 1/2	1. 2. 9
Oct ^r 30.	To Ditto of Quarterly acct. ending 7 th Ins ^t	1. 5. 1	1. 11. 2 1/2
1777. May 14 th	To Ditto of 1 Quarters acct. ending 5 th Jan ^y	1. 17. 8	1. 2. 1
June 14 th	To Ditto of Ditto ending April 11 th	1. 1. 9	1. 7. 2 1/4
Aug st 27 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	2. 16. 10	3. 11. 1 1/2
1778. Feb ^r 14 th	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th Oct ^r 1777	2. 3. 4 1/2	2. 14. 2 3/4
March 23.	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th Jan ^y 1778.	1. 14. 7	2. 9. 5
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D^d the Post Office at Hobbs Hole

1776			
April 5.	To Balance of half years account end ^g this day	4. 5. 9 1/2	5. 7. 4
.....	To an overcharge in Commissions	18. 8 1/2	1. 3. 4
Oct ^r 30	To Balance of Quarterly acct. end ^g 5 th July	2. 10. 1 1/4	3. 10. 1 1/2

Contra Cred D 27

1777									
July 11 th	By cash paid Alex ^r Purdie as } off acct ^r in A ^r Hazards letter June 5 th	Virg ^a bank	4	2	8 1/2	5	3	4 1/2	
Aug 27 th	By ditto remitted ditto as acct ^r		2	6	10	2	18	7	
Oct ^r	By d ^o remitted d ^o as acct ^r		2	3	4 1/2	2	14	2 3/4	
Jan ^{ry}	By d ^o remitted d ^o as acct ^r		1	19	7	2	9	5	

Contra ... Cred

1777									
July 11 th	By cash paid Alex ^r Purdie, as } off acct ^r — in two payments } April 5 th & July 5 th 1776	Virg ^a bank	7	1	10 1/2	8	17	14	
	By ditto paid ditto as acct ^r } October 5 th 1776		3	6	8	14	3	4	

23 Dr The Post Office at Urbana

1776	April 5. To Balance of account rendered up to this Day	Virg. ^a Curr ^t	3.. 12. 6	4.. 10. 7 1/2
1777	Oct. 15 th To Ditto of quarterly acct ending 5 th July	1.. 15. 1 1/2	2.. 3. 11	
Nov. 6 th	To Ditto of ditto ending 5 th Oct.	1.. 14. 6	2.. 3. 1 1/2	
1777	Jan. 4 th To Ditto of ditto ending this Day	1.. 13. 1	2.. 7. 7 1/2	
May 20 th	To Ditto of ditto ending April 5 th	1.. 6. 4 1/2	1.. 12. 11 1/2	
August 28	To Balance of acct. ending July 5 th	1.. 17. 9	2.. 7. 2 1/4	
Oct. 5 th	To Balance of acct. ending Oct. 5 th	2.. 13. 8	3.. 7. 1	
1778	Jan. 5 th To Ditto of ditto ending Jan. 5 th	2.. 5. 2 1/2	2.. 16. 6	

Dr The Post Office at Ryatts Warehouse

1778	April 20. To Balance of acct. ending 29 th Mar. 1776	Virg. ^a Curr ^t	1.. 7	Penn. ^a Curr ^t	1.. 11 3/4
"	To ditto. of acct. ending 19 th Mar. 1777	2.. 15. 5 1/2			
"	To ditto. of acct. ending 6 th July 1777	2.. -- 11			
"	To ditto. of acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1778	4.. -- 6			
"	To ditto. of acct. ending 5 th April 1778	1.. 14. 10			
"	To an overcharge on Com ^{rs} in acct. ending 19 th Mar. 1777	2.. 9			
Sept. 8 th	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th July 1778	3.. 14. 4			
"	To an Error in acct. ending 5 th April 1778	4.. 8			
"	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th July 1778	00. 00. --			
"	To an overcharge on Com ^{rs} in acct. ending 5 th July 1778	0. 0 1/4			
"	To Balance of 2 th ly. acct. ending 24 th Nov. 1776 - omitted	1.. 15. 10 1/2			
"	To Balance of acct. ending 5 th Oct. 1777	6.. 15. 4 1/2			

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1777	July 11 th By Cash paid Alex. ^r Purdie } as & Decd. of 5 Ballances ending April. }	Virg. ^r Curr ^y 10 7 9	12 19 8 1/4
Aug. 28 th	By Cash paid A. Purdie the Balances of Decd. ending July 5 th 1777. }	1. 13 3	
Oct. ^r 1778	By d. ^r remitted A. Purdie.	2. 8. 3/4	
Jan. ^r 24	By d. ^r remitted . d. ^r	2. 5. 2 1/2	

Atollard Contra 6^r

1777	July 11 th By Cash paid Alex. ^r Purdie } as & M. ^r Hazard Letter June 7 th }	Virg. ^r Curr ^y 21 11 4	5 14 12
	By Cash paid A. Purdie.	2. 15. 5 1/2	
	By d. ^r paid . . d. ^r	2. . . 18	
	By d. ^r paid . . d. ^r	4. . . 6	
	By d. ^r paid . . d. ^r	1. 19. 10	
	By d. ^r paid . . d. ^r	1. 15. 10 1/2	
	By d. ^r paid . . d. ^r	6. 15. 4 1/2	
	By an Overcharge in acct. ending 5 th October 5 th 1777 }	1. 17. 10	
	By Cash paid J. Clarkson	3. 14. 4	

29 In the Post Office Virga at New Castle

		Virga money		
1776				
January 10 th	To Balance of Quarterly Acct. up to this day	4	14	6 1/4 ... 5 18 1
April 5 th	To Balance of Ditto ... up to 5 th April	3	18	9 1/2 ... 4 18 5
July 5 th	To Ditto of this Quarters Account	2	8	9 1/2 ... 3 1 -
Nov. 6 th	To Ditto of Quarterly Acct. ending Oct. 5.	4	14	6 1/4 ... 5 18 2 1/4
1777				
Jan. 5 th	To Ditto of ditto ending this Day	4	2	2 ... 5 2 3 1/2
May 20 th	To D ^o of Ditto ending 5 th April	4	0	8 ... 5 10
Aug th 29 th	To Balance of Acct. end 9 5 th July	3	11	9 ... 4 9 8 1/4
1778				
Feb ^{ry} 5 th	To Balance of Acct. end 9 5 th Oct. 1777	4	11	8 ... 5 14 7
March 23	To Balance of Acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1778	3	3	- ... 3 18 9
	To an overcharge on Comms.	4	-	- ... 5 -
July	To Ballance of quart ^r Acct. end 9 5 th June	8	2	9 ... 10 3 5 1/4

In the Post Office at Richmond

F. Tate Contra Credit 24

1776	Jan ^y 10	By Cash p ^d the Post Rider from New Castle Virginia	4. 14. 6	5. 18. 1
		as off Voucher		
	April 1	By Ditto paid Ditto	3. 18. 9	4. 18. 5
	July 5	By Ditto remitted to Alex ^r Purdie at W ^m burg	2. 8. 9	3. 1. —
	Nov ^r 6	By Ditto remitted 2 ^d as off Quarterly Assist	4. 14. 6 1/4	5. 18. 2 1/4
1777	June 11	By Ditto remitted 2 ^d in full to Lipinto	18. 2. 10	10. 3. 6 1/2
	July 11	By Cash p ^d Alex ^r Purdie at W ^m burg	3. 11. 9	4. 9. 8 1/4
1778	Feb ^r 15	By Cash paid Alex ^r Purdie	4. 14. 8	5. 18. 9
	March 23	By d ^o paid ditto	3. 3. —	3. 18. 9
	April	By d ^o paid ditto	8. 13. 4	
	July	By d ^o paid J ^r Clarkson Esq ^r	8. 2. 9	10. 3. 5 1/4

Contra Credit

1778
July By Cash remitted J Clarkson Esq^r 42. 11. 4

1780
Oct 5 By Cash remitted J Jones 822. 70. —

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The Post Office at Petersburg

June 11th To Cash paid by F. Purdie Nov. 5th 1776. 21. 5. 2 1/4. 26. 11. 1 1/2

The Post Office at Petersburg / William Bradley Post

1776 Decemr. 30 th	To Balance of Acco ^t ending Dec ^r . 30 th 1776.	2.	14.	8 3/4.
1777 March 31 st	To . . d ^o . of d ^o ending March 31 st 1777.	2.	11.	3/4
" "	To an overcharge	"	10.	—
June 30 th	To Balance of Acco ^t ending June 30 th 1777.	5.	5.	—
Sept ^r . 29 th	To . . d ^o . of d ^o ending Sept ^r . 29 th	5.	16.	5
Dec ^r . 31 st	To . . d ^o . of d ^o ending Dec ^r . 31 st	11.	4.	5
1778 April 5 th	To . . d ^o . of d ^o ending April 5 th 1778	14.	11.	6 1/2
July 5 th	To . . d ^o . of d ^o ending July 5 th	21.	12.	1/2

The Post Office at Williamsburg

1776 July 5 th	To Cash remitted by the Postm ⁿ of New Castle Virginia (these two entries are anomalous, being charged in Acco ^t ending April 5 th 1777)	2.	8.	9 1/2 3. 1. —
Nov ^r . 6 th	To d ^o remitted of d ^o	1.	14.	6 1/4 5. 18. 2 1/4
1777 Jan ^r . 4 th	To an overcharge on Gen ^l . Libb ^s letter	1.	4.	— 1. 10. —
July 18 th	To Cash paid by M ^r . Harard as Post ^r . To d ^o remitted from Sundry Post ^r . Offices, as Acco ^t rendered April 5 th 1777. To Cash paid him by the Postmaster at N ^y York were house, if not credited in F. Purdie's Acco ^t of April 5 th 1777.	69.	10.	4 1/2 87. 5. 5 1/2
		93.	5.	5 1/4 116. 11. 10
		2.	15.	5 1/2 3. 9. 3 1/2
1778 Novem ^r . 25 th	To Cash paid by Ebenezer Harard	15.	2.	7 1/2 18. 18. 3 1/4
April 5 th	To d ^o received from Sundries as General Acco ^t ending April 5 th 1778	140.	1.	8 3/4 175. 2. 2

£ 329. 9. 0 1/2 411. 16. 2 3/4

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1776 Oct. 5 th	By Balance of one Year Acct. ending this Day. . . due J. Davies	By ²¹ 21..	Cur. 5. 2 1/4	26..	11..	5 3/4
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Master)	Contra					
1778 Jan. 4 th	By Cash unmitted Alex. ² Purdie	22..	8 1/2			
July	By do. unmitted J. Clarkson	41..	14..	6		

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for

1776		Dr. Money				
Jan. 1 st	By Balance due Alex and Purdie as of Acct. now done up to this day.	10. 6..	12..	17. 6		
April 1 st	By Balance of this Quarterly Account due A.P.	19. 2. 7.	23..	18. 3		
Oct. 1 st	By Balance of Quarterly Account ending 5 th July	13. 19..	17..	8. 9		
Oct. 5 th	By Balance as of Acct. ending this Day	22. 11..	28..	3. 9		
Jan. 5 th	By Balance as of Acct. ending this Day	46.. 19. 4.	58..	14.. 2		
May 21 st	By do. as of Acct. ending 5 th April	33.. 7. 4.	41..	14. 2		
	By an undischARGE in Common	1. 8 1/2	2..	1 1/2		
June 11 th	By Cash paid ther. to at Petersburg	21. 5. 2 1/2	26..	11. 5 3/4		
July 5 th	By Bal. due Purdie on Acct. ending this Day	25. 9. 11.	31..	17. 4 3/4		
Feb. 21 st	By Balance of 4 th ly. Acct. ending 5 th Oct. 1777	27. 3. 7.	33..	19.. 5 3/4		
"	By Balance of 4 th ly. Acct. ending 5 th Jan. 1778	29. 4. 6.	36..	16.. 10 1/2		
June 15 th	By Balance of 4 th ly. Acct. ending 5 th April 1778	55. 1. 1.	68..	16.. 4 1/4		
Sept. 8 th	By Balance of 4 th ly. Acct. ending 5 th July 1778	57. 17.	21..	5. 8 3/4		
	Balance of 4 th ly. Acct. ending 5 th July 1778	7. 12. 2 1/2	9..	10.. 2 1/2		
		\$ 320		16. 2 1/2		

31 Dr^d The Post Office at Norfolk

1776 May 2 ^d	To Balance, as of ^{of} Acc ^t . ending 5 th Jan ^y 1776	Virg ^y Curr ^t	3	7	10 ¹ / ₂	}	6	14	10
5 th Jan ^y 1776	To D ^o . as of ^{of} D ^o . ending 5 th April 1776	24	12	11					
							30	16	1 ³ / ₄

Dr^d The Post Office at Smithfield

1776 Nov ^r 6 th	To Balance of Account including a year's Transaction, ending Oct ^r 5 th ...	Virg ^y Curr ^t	1	4	6	1.10.7 ¹ / ₂			
1777 October	To Balance of a Year's Acc ^t . end ^g Oct ^r 5 th 1777	5	6	9 ³ / ₄	6	13	6		
1778 April	To. d ^o of two Q ^{ly} . Acc ^t . end ^g April 5 th 1778	3	19	4	4	19	2		
July	To. d ^o of 3 th Q ^{ly} . Acc ^t . end ^g July 5 th "	2	7	9	2	19	8		

Contra Cred^D

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~~1777~~
July 10th By cash paid Alex^r Purdie in full 30th 37th 10th 14th 3/4

Contra Cred

~~1777~~
July 11th By cash paid Alex^r Purdie no off } Virg^o Burg^o
Ch^r Hazard's letter } 1st 10th ~

~~1777~~
Oct^r By cash unmitted A. Purdie 5th 4th —
~~1778~~
April By d^o unmitted . d^o 3th 19th 4 . . 4th 19th 2
July By d^o unmitted J. Clarkson 2th 7th 9 . . 2th 19th 8

32 In the Post Office at Suffolk / John Diwa

1776			Very a part		
July 5 th	To Baining quarterly account ending this day	3. 6. 3	4. 2. 10		
Nov. 6 th	To Ditto of Quarterly acc. ending 5 th Oct.	2. 18. 5	3. 13. -		
1777					
Jan. 4 th	To Ditto of ditto ending this Day	2. 2. 6 1/2	2. 13. 7 1/2		
May 20 th	To Ditto of Ditto ending 5 th April	3. 2. 2 1/2	3. 17. 9		
Aug. 27 th	To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	2. 11. 5	3. 4. 3 1/2		
1778					
Feb. 4 th	To Balance of Acco. ending 5 th Oct. 1777	3. 13. 4	4. 11. 8		
Feb. 17 th	To. ditto. . . of ditto endg 5 th Jan. 1778	7. 10. 6	9. 8. 1 1/2		
May 26 th	To. ditto. . . of ditto endg 5 th April "	6. 2. 8	7. 13. 4		
Sept. 8 th	To. ditto. . . of ditto endg 5 th July "	9. - 10	11. 6. - 1/2		
		£40. 8. 2	50. 10. 2 1/2		

In the Post Office at Edenton

1777	July 28 th	To Balance of Quarterly acc. ending January 19 th 1776	2. 9. 1/2	
		To Cash paid Joseph Hewes Esq. No. 60 th Conf	32. 18. 5 1/2	30. 17. 4
1777	Dec. 20 th	By Ebenezer Hazard Esq. as Rec ^d		
1778	May 7 th	To Cash p. by Ebenezer Hazard	11. 14. 8	11
		To Cash p. by Ebenezer Hazard in full	3. 1. 1	2. 17. 3
			<u>£44. 14. 7</u>	
1778	April 5 th	To Balance of Acco. ending April 5 th 1778	3. 10	
July 5 th	To Balance of acc. ending July 5 th "	22. 2. 8		
"	To an overcharge of Commo. "	16. 8		

Charles Bondfield

In the Post Office at Bath Town

		N ^o Car ^a Curr ^d		
1776 April 3 th	To Balance of account rendered up to this day including 5 Months & 5 day -	15. 10 1/2	14. 10	
July 3 th	To Cash p ^d W ^m Brown's Draft for £29. 9 1/2 in favor Robert Stevens, a 1/16 the Dollar	70. 2. 8	65. 15	
July 5 th	To an Overcharge on Salary & Incident	7. 2	6. 8 1/2	
Oct ^r 5 th	To ditto on do do	8. 1	2. 10	
	To Cash p ^d W ^m Brown's Draft in favor of J. Hancock	7	75. 7. 6	
April 5 th	To an Overcharge on Comm ^s in Dec ^r ending 5 th April 1777 -	1. 11		
1777 Dec ^r 30 th	To Cash paid J ^r E. Hazard Exp ^t as Off ^r	159. 11. 7	149. 12. 8	
1778 April 14 th	To Cash paid J ^r E. Hazard Exp ^t as Off ^r	114. 1. 3 1/4	106. 18. 8	
October 8 th	To Cash paid J ^r R. N. Stephens Exp ^t as Off ^r	72. 10 6 1/4		

In the Post Office at Newbern

		N ^o Car ^a Curr ^d	Penn ^d Curr ^d
1777 Jan ^y 13 th	To 13 Lubice of Dec ^r and 1 st day	22. 11. 9 1/4	
April 5 th	To Ditto of ditto	25. 9. 7 1/4	
July 5 th	To Ditto of ditto	16. 5. 5	
October 9 th	To Ditto of ditto	17. 14. 3 1/4	
1778 Jan ^y 5 th	To Cash p ^d him by Ebenezer Hazard (Rich ^d Cogdell)	157. 13. 10 1/4	147. 16. 10
April 7 th	To do p ^d do by do	63	59. 1. 3
July 25 th	To do p ^d his Dft of Nov. 14. 1776 for Knight & Green	20	18. 15
		<u>£240. 13. 10 1/4</u>	<u>£225. 13. 1</u>
October 17 th	To Cash paid him J ^r R. N. Stephens Exp ^t as Off ^r	60. 18. 1	

W. Brown

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		N. Car. Cuns				
1776 th April 5 th	By Cash p. ^d the P th Orders between this Office Newbern & London. up to this day	64.	6.	7.	64.	19. 11
July 5 th	By Balance of quarterly Accounts ending this Day	40.	7.	9 ³ / ₄	37.	17. 7 ¹ / ₂
Oct. 5 th	By ditto . . . of ditto ending y ^r Day	40.	1.	4 ¹ / ₂	37.	11. 4
1777 th Jan. 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending this Day	40.	7.	5 ¹ / ₂	37.	16. 10 ¹ / ₂
April 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending this Day	40.	15.	3 ³ / ₄	38.	4. 6
July 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending this Day	39.	3.	9 ¹ / ₂	36.	14. 11 ³ / ₄
Oct. 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending this Day	39.	10.	1.	37.	— 8
1778 th May 20 th	By ditto of ditto end of 5 th Jan. 1778	40.	5.	1 ¹ / ₄	37.	14. 9
" 4 th	By ditto of ditto ending 5 th April 1778	73.	16.	2		
July 27 th	By ditto of ditto ending 5 th July 1778	72.	10.	6 ³ / ₄		

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		N. Car. Cuns			Penns. Cuns	
1776 th Jan. 5 th	By Balance of acct. ending this Day	22.	18.	9 ¹ / ₂	21.	10. 1
April 5 th	By ditto . . of ditto	21.	3.	7 ³ / ₄	19.	17. 3.
July 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	16.	5.	5	15.	5. 3.
Oct. 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	17.	14.	3 ³ / ₄	16.	12. 1
1777 th Jan. 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	26.	1.	4 ³ / ₄	24.	8. 10
April 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	22.	12.	5	21.	4. 1
July 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	21.	6.	10 ¹ / ₄	20.	— 2
Oct. 5 th	By ditto . . ditto	15.	2.	5	14.	3. 6
1778 th Jan. 22 nd	By Balance of athy acct. end of 5 th Jan. 1778	14.	8.	7 ¹ / ₄	13.	10. 7
April 20 th	By Balance of athy. acct. end of 5 th April 1778	63.			59.	1. 3

£ 240-13. 10¹/₂ £ 225-13. 1

Aug 17th By Balance of athy. acct. end of 5th July 1778 60. 18. 2¹/₂

34 Dr^d The Post Office at Brunswick N. Carolina

Dr^d The Post Office at Wilmington N. Carolina

1776 Oct ^r 6 th	To an Overcharge for Paper, Mass. Dr.	4. 16. 4	10. 3 1/2
2 ^d	To ditto, in the article of Conn ^o having charged Conn ^o on the amt. of debt paid.	1. 6. 11	5. 2 1/2
Dec ^r 13 th	To Cash p ^d . ^{J. Maclean's} Draft in favor of } J ^m Wilkinson.	18. 9. 5	
Jan ^y 2 ^d	To an Overcharge for sealing Mass.	3. 4	3. 0
30 th	To Cash p ^d . J. Maclean's Draft in favor of } Gudwin Dubois.	14. 8. 9	
Sept ^r 1 st	To Cash p ^d . noting your Draft for Non-acceptance as p ^d Rec ^d .	8. 6	
5 th	To ditto paid your Draft in favor of } Joseph Libbey.	32. 14. -	30. 13. 1 1/2
1778 Jan ^y 12 th	To Cash paid of E. Hazard Esq ^r as p ^d Rec ^d .	84. 13. 1	84. 1. -
April. 5 th	To Cash paid of E. Hazard Esq ^r as p ^d Rec ^d .	48. -	45. -
Aug ^o 17 th	To S ^d paid your dr ^t of Jan. 5. 1777 for Wm ^y .	20. 4	18. 18. 9
Oct ^r 22 nd	To d ^o paid him of R ^d Stephens Esq ^r as p ^d Rec ^d .	93. 4. -	

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1776 Oct. 6.	By Balance of Account including thru Quarters, ending July 5 th 1776.	19.	13.	11 ³ / ₄	18.	9.	5
1777 Jan. 9.	By Balance of Quarterly Acct ending 5 th October 1776.	15.	8.	—	14.	8.	9

John Dubois

1777 Sept. 5.	By Balance of Acct. ending 5 th April.	18.	4.	11 ³ / ₄	17.	2.	3 ¹ / ₂
"	By Balance of 5 th ending 5 th April	33.	17.	—	31.	14.	9 ¹ / ₂
"	By Balance of 5 th ending 5 th July 1777	35.	4.	11	33.	—	10
Nov. 17. 1778	By Balance of Acct. ending 5 th October 1777	34.	18.	7 ¹ / ₄	32.	14.	6
Jan. 22.	By Balance of Acct ending 5 th Jan. 1778	54.	14.	5 ³ / ₄	41.	18.	6 ¹ / ₂
April 20 th	By Balance of Acct. ending 5 th April 1778.	41.	4.	9 ¹ / ₄	38.	13.	3
	By 5 th of Acct. ending 5 th July - "	93.	8.	9 ¹ / ₂			

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D^r The Post Office at George Town

St. Lucia

1776	April 5 th	To an overcharge in born ..	2. 10. 8
1777	May 16 th	To Cash p. Robt. Gibson's Draft on Paul Trapier for ..	184. 12. -
1777	May 16 th	Paul Trapier for ..	112. 12. -
1777	March 14 th	To Cash p. R. Gibson's Draft in fav. of Paul Trapier for ..	631. 7. 4
1777	Sept 10 th	To Cash p. R. Gibson's Draft in fav. of Paul Trapier Esq. ..	145. 14. -
1778	Jan. 31 st	To Cash p. by Ebenezer Hazard, in full of Robt. Gibson's Dft on Rich ^d Bache Esq. dated 31 st January 1778 ..	482. 4. 1
1778	Jan. 31 st	To a Ball due from Wm. Stewart ..	95. 7. 1
			392. 15. 4
			90. 12. 6
			5. 9. 11
			1. 5. 4 1/2
			£1627. 11. 6 1/2
			£375. 11. 7
1778	July 5 th	To Balance of Acct. ending July 5 th 1778 ..	58. 17. 6

D^r The Post Office at Charles Town

St. Lucia

1777	Jan 14 th	To Cash p. your Draft in fav. of Peter Dumont for ..	St. L. Currency
			£150. - - -
			34. 12. 4

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1776									
April 5.	By Balance of Quarterly Account and	of Bar Money							
1777	this Day	184. 12				42	12		
Jan. 4 th	By Balance as Acc't. ending this Day	392	7	4		145	14		
August 10 th	By ditto as ditto ending July 5 th 2 ^d Quat	113	4	1		95	7	0	
Oct. 5 th	By ditto ditto ending this Day 5 th Quat	392	15	4		90	12	6	
Jan. 1778	being a general Account in								
	cluding two Salaries, viz Oct. 5. 1777 & Jan. 5. 1778								
1778	By Error of 1. 8 in Acc't. 5 th Oct. in the paid ditto				2	4			7
Mar. 19.	By Cash Mr Stewart p. Genl Hazard		5	9	11		5	4	1/2
	Wanting to balance				6				1
		 \$1627 11. 0 1/2 \$375 11. 7 1/2 							
Dec. 21.	By Cash paid W. N. Stephens Esq.	38		17	6				

(Peter Bonnetheau Pth) Contra -- Cred.

Bonnetheau

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D ^d The Post Office at Savannah					
		St. Louis	Georgia	Penns.	Calif.
Nov. 1 st	To Cash paid by Mr. Stephens Exp ^{ts} £52...	3 ⁷² ..	10..	—	48.. 15..
	Balance carried to Book B. fol.	11..	16..	8	17.. 15..
		44..	6..	8	66.. 10..

D^d The Post Office ^{on Delaware} at New Castle

1776 May 30 th	To Amount of Postages rec ^d on this Office as off Memo ^{ry} = random rec ^d this day from Mr. Clay	1. 2. 6
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Nov. 25

By Balance of Acc't. ending July 5th 1778

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Stacy

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1776
May 30.

By Cash rec. This day 1880

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37 Dr The Post Office ^{Eastern Shore} at George Town

¹⁷⁷⁶
 Janry 5. To Balance as ~~off~~ rendered ending this day ✓ 1 10 3

Dr The Post Office ^{Eastern Shore} at Chester Town

¹⁷⁷⁶
 Janry 5. To Balance of acct. rendered, ending this day . . . 6 1 8
 April 5. To Ditto . . as off Quarterly acct. ending this day . . . 8 9 8
 July 5. To Ditto . . as off ditto . . . ending this day . . . 5 16 10
 ✓ 20 8 2

¹⁷⁷⁷
 Oct. 5. To Balance of acct. rendered, ending this Day . . . 7 14 10
 1777 May 24 To Ditto of Ditto ending 5th January . . . 5 16 2
 1778 To Ditto of Ditto ending 5th April . . . 9 0 2
 Feb. 24 1778 To Ditto of two qthly. accts ending 23^d Dec^r. 1777. . . 4 19 —
 April 28th To ditto of qthly. Accto. ending 25th April 1778 . . . 2 2 4
 29 12 6

Contra	Cred ^D	37
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Contra 6th

1776			
Jan'y 18	By Cash rec ^d from John Bolton Postmt.	6	1 8
April 25	By Ditto rec ^d from Ditto	8	9 8
Aug ^r 8	By Ditto rec ^d this day	5	16 10
		✓ 20	8 2
1776			
Dec ^r	By Cash rec ^d from John Bolton Postmt.	✓ 7	14 10
1777 May 29 th	By Ditto rec ^d this Day Post.	✓ 11	8 4
June 3 rd	By Ditto rec ^d this Day of Ditto	✓	8
1778			
Feb ^r 21 st	By Cash rec ^d Post.	✓	4 14 —
April 28	By Cash rec ^d this Day Post.	✓	2 2 6
		24	12 8

38 Dr The Post Office at Queens Town

1776	Janry 5.	To Balance as f ^l l ^d . rendered ending this day.	2	13	-
	April 5.	To Ditto . . . as f ^l l ^d ditto . . . ending this day	3	16	8 ³ / ₄
	July 5.	To Ditto . . . as f ^l l ^d ditto . . . ending this day	4	2	-
			10	11	8 ³ / ₄
Oct. 31.		To Balance of Quarterly Acc ^t . ending 1 st Instant	6	5	7
1777	Mar. 4 th	To ditto of . ditto ending this Day	5	-	8
May 8 th		To 2 ^d of 2 ^d . Ending 5 th April	4	17	7
	Curry	To Balance of Acc ^t . ending the 15 th May.	4	19	1
			17	12	15
1778	May 5 th	To Balance of q ^{tr} ly. Acc ^t . endg 27 th April 1778	5	16	6

Dr The Post Office at Talbot

1776	July 18	To Bal. of Acc ^t . ending the 5 th Instant	20	11	7
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William M. Callum

1778	Feb. 5 th	To Balance of Acc ^t . ending 12 th Aug 1777	9	2	5
May 5 th		To Balance of Acc ^t . endg 12 th Nov 1777	1	19	2
"		To ditto of . . . ditto . . . endg 12 th Feb. 4 1778	1	1	4
"		To ditto of . . . ditto . . . endg 12 th May "	1	3	8
			13	6	7

Contra Cred^d 38

1776			
Janry 25	By Cash rec ^d from James Browne Off ^r .	2	13
June 22	By Cash rec ^d by the hands of James Kent	3	15 8
July 18	By Cash rec ^d in full.	4	3 3/4
		✓ 10	11 8 1/4
Oct. 31	By Cash rec ^d this day.	6	6 3
1777			
Jan. 9 22	By Cash rec ^d this Day	5	8
May 8 th	By Cash rec ^d this Day	4	15 10
June 19 th	By Ditto rec ^d this Day from W ^m Richmond in full.	1	10 2
		£ 17	12 11
1778			
May 5 th	By Cash received of Port from R Wilson.	4	16 6

Contra C^d

1776			
Apr 22 th	By Cash rec ^d from John Nesmyth Off ^r .	10	6 7
July 18	By Ditto rec ^d this Day	10	5
1777	By " " " "	✓ 20	11 7

Contra C^d

1778			
Feb. 25 th	By Cash rec ^d from William M. Callum F. C.	9	2 5
May 5 th	By Cash rec ^d from W. M. Callum of Port.	4	4 2

£ 13 6 7

39 Dr The Post Office at Lancaster

1776				
April 3 rd	To Balance as f ^o l ^d . rendered up to this day.	9	15	9 1/4
Aug. 10.	To Ditto. as f ^o l ^d ending this day.	6	16	10 1/4
		✓	10	12 8
Dec 22 nd	To Balance as f ^o l ^d . rendered end of y ^r . Day	3	5	—
July 5 th	To Balance of Acct. end of this Day.	5	9	10
October 5 th	To ditto. f ^o l ^d end of this Day.	7	4	—
			15	18 10

Dr The Post Office at Montreal

1776					
Oct. 19.	To Charge of Officers rent Paper &c. which are	Lawful Money			
	In which the Commissions are supposed	20	9	11 1/2	25 12 6 1/4
	to pay amounting in the 3d rd to . . .				
	To Cash paid George McFarson Postm.	141	6	6 1/4	176 13 1
	as f ^o l ^d is the				
		161	16	5 1/4	202 5 7 1/4

Contra Cred 39

1776	May 1.	By Cash rec. this Day	9.	2.	7 ³ / ₄
22.	By Ditto			13	1 ¹ / ₂
Sept. 12.	By Ditto rec. this day		6.	16.	10 ³ / ₄
			✓ 16. 12. 8		
1777	March 25	By Cash rec. this Day	✓ 3.	5.	—
1778	Aug. 25	By Cash rec. this Day	✓ 5.	9.	10
"	"	By L ^d . rec. this Day	✓ 7.	4.	—
			15.	18.	10

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1776	Oct. 19.	By Balance of l ^d . ending the 20 th of February	L 69. 18. 9 ¹ / ₂		
.....	By Amount of sundry Letters delivered to General Montgomery & as filled		4.	—	11
.....	By Balance of l ^d . ending the 1 st of April		38.	8.	10 ¹ / ₄
	By Do. of d ^o . ending the 18 th June		49.	7.	11
			L 161. 16. 5 ³ / ₄		
			202.	5.	7 ¹ / ₄

1876
 Dr The Post Office at Purgysborough S. Carolina.

		S. Car.	but	
1876 Sept. 21..	To Balance of account ending 5th July last	5. 14. 7.		1. 6. 5 1/4
1878 Febry - 18th	To Cash of Fred. W. Kohn by Ben Hazard	22. 13. 8	---	51. 16. 3
	Balance -----	---	---	9

£ 53. 3. 5 1/4

Dr The Post Office at Little River S. Carolina

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1776 Oct. 21.	By Frederick Rehm Postm. ^o Account for carrying the Post Rider from Pough -Cough to Savannah Stones...	1 st Car. Car.	78	18	
1777 May 2 ^o	By Balance of 2 Quarterly Acc. ^o Ending 5 th Jan'y due Fred. Rehm		125 9	28	19
1778 May 20.	By Balance of Acc. and 9 th June 1777		26. 19. 3	6.	4. 5 1/4
			£ = 53 . 3 . 5 1/4		

Contra

6.5

1776 Oct. 21.	By Balance of Account ending 13 th May, as Account	1 st Car. Car.	49. 16. 3	11. 9. 11	
9 ^o	By Ditto of d. ending 14 th Sept.		86. 10. 2	19. 19. 3	

W D^r — The Post Office at Beaufort in N^c Carolina

1776	October 28 th	To Balance of Quarterly account ending 3 rd Dec ^r last	5 th July from post Establish ^t mt.	1. 6. 1/2
1777	May 7 th	To Cash; paid Richard Wayne's Draft in favor of Thomas Budd, as per acct.	298. 8	68 17 1/2
1778	March 2 ^d	To Cash p ^d Rich ^d Wayne by Eben. Hazard	116. 1. 4	26. 16. 3
			420. 3. 8	

1778 D^r — The Post Office at Hampton Virginia

Nov ^r 6 th	To Balance of acct ^t ending 10 th Feb ^r 1777	4. 14. 7	2. 2. 6
9 th	To ditto... of do ^t ending 10 th May	3. 6. 8	4. 3. 4
		5. 0. 8	6. 5. 10
1778 th April 27 th	To Balance of acct. endg 10 th Aug ^t 1776.	3. 8. 2	4. 5. 1/4
"	To ditto . . . of do ^t endg 10 th Nov ^r " . . .	2. 17. 1	3. 11. 4 1/2
	To ditto . . . of do ^t endg 10 th Feb ^r 1777.	1. 18. 3	
	To ditto . . . of do ^t endg 10 th May 1777.	1. 18. 8	
	To ditto . . . of do ^t endg 10 th Aug ^t " . . .	1. 15. 4	
	To ditto . . . of do ^t endg 9 th Nov ^r " . . .	3. 17. 1	
	To an inade overcharge on Com ^{ms} . of 2 ^d endg 9 th Nov ^r 1777. }	2. 2.	
Sept 8 th	To an overcharge on acct ^t endg Aug ^t 10 th 1777.	4. 4.	
July 5 th	To Balance of acct ^t ending April 5 th 1778.	4. 2. 3 1/2	
	To do ^t . . . of do ^t ending July 5 th " . . .	2. 14. 3	

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1776 Oct. 25 th	By Balance of Acct. ending the 5 th October	£ 207 2.. 3	49.. 6.. 3
1777 May 2 ^d	By Balance of Acct. ending 5 th May 7 th Due Richard Wayne Postmaster	91 5 10	21 1 4
17 th	By an Error in Entering, the Acct. of 5 th Oct. last	5 14 3	— 1 6 4 1/2
	By Bal. of Acct. ending Apr. 5. 1777	116 1. 4	— 26.. 16.. 3
		420 3. 8	

Contra

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1777 June 5 th	By Cash paid Alexander Purdie in full	5.. 8	— 6.. 5 10
	July 5 th 1776 J. Accott		
1778 April	By Cash admitted A. Purdie	20.. 19 7	
July	By do. admitted J. Clarkson	2.. 14 3	

42 D^r The Post Office at Portsmouth N Hampshire

		Lawful Money	Penn. ^a	Currency
1776				
Dec ^r 14 th	To Cash p ^d your Daught in fav ^r of } H ^m Whipple Esq ^r }	£ 15 ⁰⁰	—	18 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰
1777				
Aug st 5 th	To Balance of Acct ending } 5 th Jan ^y 74 being included in his } acct ending 5 th April 1777. }	4 ⁰⁰ 14 ⁰⁰	—	5 ⁰⁰ 17 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰
"	To Balance of Acct ending 5 th April } being included in his acct. in } ending 5 th July 1777. }	8 ⁰⁰ 14 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰	—	10 ⁰⁰ 18 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰
"	To Cash p ^d J. Libbey's Daught ^r } fav ^r of J. Longmire Esq ^r }	8 ⁰⁰	—	3 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁰⁰
Decem ^r 15 th	To Cash p ^d J. Libbey by J. Bryson Esq ^r	10 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰	—	13 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰
1778				
Jan ^y 5 th	To Sundries as Acct. end 9 5 th Jan ^y 1778	29 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰	—	37 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰
April 5 th	To d ^o as Acct. ending April 5 th 1778	325 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰	—	406 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰
July 5 th	To d ^o as Acct. ending July 5 th 1778	60 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰	—	75 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰
	Balance due	—	3 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰
		£ 454 ⁰⁰ 13 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰	—	568 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰

D^r The Post Office at York Town Virg^a.

		Currency		
1776				
Oct ^r 5 th	To Balance as Acct. ending this Day	1 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰	—	1 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰
1777				
Jan ^y 5 th	To Balance as Acct. ending 4 th Day	1 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰	—	1 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ —
Aug st 27 th	To ditto as Acct. ending April 5 th 1778	1 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰	—	1 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰
1778				
Feb ^r 5 th	To ditto as Acct. ending July 5 th 1778	1 ⁰⁰ 14 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰	—	2 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ —
March 23 rd	To Balance of Acct. ending Oct ^r 5 th 1777	5 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰	—	6 ⁰⁰ 13 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰
May 5 th	To Balance of Acct. ending Jan ^y 5 th 1778	3 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰	—	4 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰
Sept ^r 8 th	To Balance of Acct. ending April 5 th 1778	6 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰	—	8 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰
	To Balance of Acct. ending July 5 th 1778	6 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰	—	8 ⁰⁰ 1 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰

(Jeremiah Libbey Port M^o) Lawfull Money C. 7

1777	May 12 th	By Ballance of Quart ^r Recd. ending 5 th May 1777	14	11	2	24	12	6
	Aug 12 th	By ditto of ditto arising 5 th April . . .	8	14	8	10	18	4
		By ditto of ditto ending 5 th July . . .	"	3	8 1/2	"	3	9
	Dec 3 rd	By Ballance of ditto ending 5 th October	10	11	11	13	5	—
1778	Jan 5 th	By Sundries as Recd. end 5 th Jan 1778	24	15	10	37	4	9 1/2
	April 5 th	By Sundries as Recd. end 5 th April "	325	11	3	406	19	3/4
	July 5 th	By Sundries as Recd. end 5 th July "	60	2	8 1/2	75	3	4

£ 154. 13. 5 . . . 568. 6. 9 1/4

(Richard Brown Port M^oster) C. 7

1777	June 1 st	By cash paid Alex ^r Purdue . . .	5	12	8 1/2	6	8	4 1/2
	Aug 12 th	By ditto remitted ditto . . .	1	14	7	2	3	—
	Oct 2 nd	By d ^o remitted d ^o . . .	5	6	8	6	13	4
1778	Jan 4 th	By d ^o remitted d ^o . . .	3	8	11	4	6	1 3/4
	April	By d ^o remitted d ^o . . .	6	9	3	8	1	6 3/4
	July	By d ^o remitted J. Clarkson . . .	6	9	3	8	1	6

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1777

July 28th

The Post Office at Fish Kill, State of N. York

To Cash. p. Samuel, London's	211..	19..	9	✓	198..	14..	9½
Draft in favour of Robert Litchers							
Aug. 15 th To Cash paid ditto in favour of ditto	265	3..	3	✓	248..	12..	~
To an overcharge in Comm. wife	-	3..	4		-	-	3.. 1
					<u>£</u>	<u>447..</u>	<u>9.. 10½</u>
1777 th To Balance brot. down		3..	4				3.. 1
1778 th To Cash paid by J. Bryson Esq. ^r	279.	13..	5		262..	3..	9
1778 th To Cash paid by Ebenezer Hazard Esq. ^r	957.	10	11		897.	14..	-
					<u>£</u>	<u>1237.</u>	<u>7.. 8..</u>
						<u>1160..</u>	<u>-.. 10</u>

1777

July 11th

The Post Office at Fredericksburg

To Balance of Acco. ^r indinding	Virg. ^r Curr.	5..	✓	3	...	6..	5.. 10
April 5 th 1776.							
July 3 th To Balance of Quatt ^r Acco. ^r ending this day	5..	6..	3¾		6..	12..	10½
Oct. 5 th To ditto of ditto ending this day	0..	0..	~		~	~	10.. ~
1777 Jan'y 5 th To ditto of ditto ending this day	7..	0..	2¾		8..	15..	3
7 th 5 th To ditto of ditto ending April 5 th	9..	9..	2¾		11..	16..	6
1778 - To ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	19..	4..	3¾		24..	~	4
Nov. 4 th To d. ^r of d. ^r ending October 5 th	10..	19..	-		13..	13..	9
July 20 th To d. ^r of d. ^r ending July 5 th 1778.	10..	1..	10		12..	12..	3¾
					<u>62..</u>	<u>8..</u>	<u>9¾</u>
						<u>78..</u>	<u>1.. -</u>

Contra

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1777	June 8 th	By Balance of Qu ^r ly Acc ^t ending April 5 th 1777	198	14	9 1/2
		Due Samuel Lendon P ^r A. J ^r M. 19. 9	198	14	9 1/2
	Aug 15 th	By ditto of ditto ending July 5 th	265	3	3
		Balance due Contra	3	4	3
			£ 447	9	10 1/2
	Oct 5 th	By Balance of Qu ^r ly end of this Day	279	16	9
			262	6	10
	Jan 15 th	By Balance of d ^r end of this Day	140	19	6
			132	3	3 1/2
	April 5 th	By ditto of d ^r end of this Day	476	4	1
			446	8	10
	July 5 th	By ditto of d ^r end of this Day	260	7	4
			244	1	10 1/2
		By one Year's extra Allowance	80	—	—
			75	—	—
			£ 1237	7	8
			1160	—	10

James Taylor P^r A. Contra C^r

1777	July 11 th	By Cash paid M ^r Hazard	5	—	8
			6	5	10
	1776	Will ^m Smith			
	Oct 5 th	By Balance of last Quarters Acc ^t	5	6	3 1/2
			6	12	10 1/2
	Jan 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending Oct 5 th	—	8	—
			—	10	—
	Aug 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending Jan 5 th	7	—	2 1/2
			8	15	3
	Apr 5 th	By ditto of ditto ending April 5 th	9	9	2 1/2
			11	10	6
	Feb 5 th	By d ^r of d ^r ending April 5 th 1778	1	7	4
			1	14	2
	May 15 th	By d ^r of d ^r ending April 5 th 1778	8	9	4
			10	11	8
		Balance carried to Book B.	30	8	5 1/4
			38	9	6 1/4
		Folio Ad.	62	8	9 1/4
			78	1	—

* The above Balances were carried on from one Account to the other w^{ch} occasioned the double Entries

D.^r The Post Office at Little Rest / William

		Lancashire	Money	Penn ^d	Quar ^d
Dec ^r 7 th 1778	To Cash p ^d . W. Potter by J. Bryson Esq.	£268.	7.	5 1/2	335.
Jan ^y 24 th 1778	To Balance of Acct. end of this Year	15.	3 1/2		19.
April 5 th	To ditto. of d ^o . . . ditto.	1.	88.	9.	2.
July 5 th	To ditto. of d ^o . . . d ^o .	1.	14.	2 3/4.	2.
		£272.	15.	8 3/4.	340.

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1776		Laird Henry Penn. & Co.
Dec. 22.	By Balance of 3 rd ly Accts. ending	335. 9. 3 3/4
5 th October		15. 3 1/2
Jan. 5.	By Cash paid the Federalist	15. 3 1/2
April 5.	By ditto paid. . d. as fld.	15. 3 1/2
July 5.	By d. paid. . d. as fld.	15. 3 1/2
		340. 17. 7 1/2

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Thomas Hildrup (Master) . . . Contra . . . C. n.

		Laurel Money	Penn. Currency	
July 21 st 1774	By Cash rec'd from Tho. Hildrup	15.. 12.. 11 1/2	14.. 11.. 2 1/4	
Dec. 27 th	By Cash paid James Bryson Esq.	24.. 7.. 3	30.. 9.. —	
Jan. 5 th 1775	By Cash paid J. Hastings as Rec.	16.. 12.. —	20.. 15.. —	
April 5 th	By Cash paid J. Hastings as Rec.	21.. 3.. 9	26.. 9.. 8 1/4	
July 21 st	By Cash paid J. Hastings as Rec.	32.. 4.. 9 1/2	40.. 5.. 15 3/4	
	<u>£</u> 110.. — 9		137.. 10.. 10 1/4	

1778	Oct. 5 th	To Balance of 9 th Mo. Acct. end 25 th Oct.	£	5	8	9 ¹ / ₄
1778	Jan. 14 th	To Balance of 9 th Mo. Acct. end 25 th Jan. 1778			7	6
	August 27 th	To Cash p. by Green Harvard			86	2
			£	98	17	10 ¹ / ₄

Friedrich King Master / Contra		C ^{rs}	
1778 th			
Jan. 1 st	By Cash paid James Bryson Esq ^r	L	12 15 7 3/4
June 23 rd	By Balance due F. King's acct end 5 th April	29	14 11 1/2
Aug 27 th	By Balance due - D. on - - - D. end 5 th July	50	7 3
		L	98 57 10 1/4

D. The Post Office at Alexandria

		King. ^a	Cum. ^y	Penns. ^a	Cum. ^y
1778 July 22.	To Cash p. your Draft in fav. ^r of R. Mease - dated 13 th May 1778	£ 75..	10..	9..	94.. 8.. 5 $\frac{1}{4}$
"	To Cash p. your Draft in fav. ^r of R. Mease - dated 16 th July 1778	- 30..	12..	10..	38.. 6.. - $\frac{1}{2}$
1779- Feb 24.	Balance due as Contrary paid by J. Bryson Esqrs.	..	17..	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	1.. 1.. 4
		£ 407..	-	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	133.. 15.. 9 $\frac{1}{4}$
1778 Oct 24.	To Cash p. your Draft in fav. ^r of R. Mease - J. Bryson Esqrs.	50m	3..	2..	27 $\frac{1}{2}$ 12.. 17 $\frac{1}{2}$

Robert McEneaney		Contract		Ct		Ct	
		Surg. Gen.		Penons.		Cure. &	
1878	Feb. 5 th	Bry Balance of two atly acct. & acct. ending 5 th Jan. 24 1878		\$ 10.	7.	10 1/2	12. 14. 10
1878	April 5 th	Bry Balance of atly. acct. end 3 rd April 1878		65.	2.	10 1/2	81. 8. 7 1/4
		Bry for Undercharge on Commr.		13.	6.		16. 10 1/2
1878	July 20 th	Bry Balance of acct. end 3 rd July 1878		30.	12.	10	38. 6. - 1/2
		Bry an Undercharge on Commr.		3.	2 1/4		4. 5 1/2
		\$ 107.		-	7 3/4	133.	15. 9 3/4
1878	Oct. 14 th	Bry Balance but does not		47.	3 1/4	1.	4. 4
		Bry Balance of acct. end 3rd Oct. 5 1878		30.	3	2.	37. 13. 11 1/2

D^r The Post Office at Jacksonburgh

1776

	<i>£</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>q</i>	<i>Prms</i>	<i>q</i>
To Balance of acct. end g	1	8	—	—	5	6 1/2

John Todd Master	Contract	Q ^r
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1778.

1778⁴
Feb^y 27. By Cash of P. Venerer Hazard

To Car^a

Cust. 4

Pennard

1000

4-1

£. in

6.5 1/2

D^y The Post Office at Easton / Robert Trail

1778			
Jan ²⁴ 7 th	To Balance of acct. ending 4 th Jan ²⁴ 1778.	£ . .	1. 10. 1
April 5 th	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th April 1778 . . .	18. 10. 5	
July 5 th	To Balance of ditto ending 5 th July . . 1778 . . .	15. 14. -	
	Balance due R Trail . . .	1. 12. 10	
		37. 7. 4	

D^y The Post Office at Reading (Henry)

1778			
April 5 th	To Balance of account ending April 5 th 1778 . . .	7. 19. 9	
July 18 th	To . . d ^o . . of . . d ^o ending July 5 th " . . .	9. 17. 3	
		17. 17. -	

Fort Master). Contra

C. J.

1778				
Jan. 4.	By Cash rec. of Port.	£.	1.	10. 1
April 5.	By Cash received of Port.	✓	18.	10. 5
"	By an Commission of ^{petty} 78. 16. - forwarded to other Officers.		1.	12. 10
July 5.	By Cash receiv'd	✓	15.	14. —
			37.	7. 4

Hadler Fort Master). Contra.

C. J.

1780				
April	By Cash receiv'd this Day.	✓	7.	14. 9
July 18.	By do. receiv'd this Day.	✓	9.	17. 3
			17.	17. —

D^r The Post Office at Salem (Marcoll Williams)

1778 August 10.	To Balance of Q ^{ty} . Accot endg July 5 th 1778	Lawful Money	Penn ^a .	Bills	Curre ^{cy}
		£. . 14.	15.	9½	18. 9. 8¾

Port Master /

Contra.

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1778 July 11 th	By Cash paid J. Libbey as Rect.	Lawful Money	Penons.	Curre.
		£. 14.	15.	9
				18.
				9.
				8

D^y The Post Office at Philadelphia / Peter

1777 th Jan ⁴⁵	To Cash rec ^d from the Comptroller	£185..18..10 ¹ / ₂		
April 5 th	To ditto. rec ^d from . . . ditto . . .	120..4..4 ³ / ₄		
July 5 th	To ditto. rec ^d from . . . ditto . . .	243..1..10 ¹ / ₄		
		549..5..1 ¹ / ₂		

1777 th Oct ²⁵	To Cash reciv'd from the Comptroller	£241..7..7 ¹ / ₂		
1778 th Jan ²⁵	To ditto rec ^d from . . . ditto . . .	325..1..3		
April 5 th	To ditto rec ^d from . . . ditto . . .	147..4..1		
July 5 th	To ditto rec ^d from . . . ditto . . .	784..9..6		
		1576..17..5 ¹ / ₂		

Baynton Post Master) Contra.

C^{ts}

1777			
Jan ^{5th}	Bry Balance of quarterly Acct. end of this Day	£ 585..	18.. 10 1/2
April 5 th	Bry ditto. of ditto. ending this Day	✓ 120..	4.. 4 3/4
July 5 th	Bry ditto. of ditto. ending this Day	✓ 243..	1.. 10 1/4
		549..	5.. 1 1/2

1777			
Oct. 5 th	Bry Balance of Quarterly Acct. end of this Day	✓ 241..	7.. 7 1/2
1778			
Jan ^{5th}	Bry ditto. of ditto. ending this Day	✓ 325..	1.. 3
April 5 th	Bry ditto. of ditto. ending this Day	147..	4.. 1
July 5 th	Bry ditto. of ditto. ending this Day	784..	9.. 6
		1576..	17.. 5 1/2

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 1777
 The Post Office at Head Quarters (Hugh
 April 5th To Balance of Acc^t. ending this day. 24. 2. 2
 Oct. 5th To d^o of d^o. ending this day - 51. 3. 10
 1778
 April 5th To d^o of d^o. ending this day - 79. 13. 1
 £154. 18. 11

Balance due Hugh Smyth. 20. 2. 10. 4
 To Cash advanced him Aug. 16th 1777. 22. 10. -
 To d^o. advanced him Jan. 17th 1778. 43. 15
 Balance due Hugh Smyth £135. 16. 4
 £202. 1. 4

D^r Baxter Howe. Post
 1779
 July 5th To Balance of Acc^t. ending July 5th 1779. . 32. 15. -
 October 5th To . . d^o . . of d^o. ending Oct. 5th 21. . . 1/2
 1780
 Jan. 5th To . . d^o . . of d^o. ending Jan. 5th 1780. . 105. 15. 7 1/2

Smith J. M.)	Contra	Cr
July 1st By Balance of quart. acc. ending this day		67. 14. 1
July 1st By D. of D. ending this day		132. 10. 0
July 1st By D. of D. ending this day		156. 11. 8
		<u>£ 357. 9. 3</u>

Balance brought down	202. 1. 4
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<u>£ 202. 1. 4</u>

Balance brought down	135. 16. 4
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Master)	Contra	Cr

54)	Dr. The Post Office at Tusquehanna / John		
1777 1/2	August 19. To Balance of Acc't ending August 19 th 1777. . . . 2. 6. 8		

Rogers Post Master	Contract	C. J.	
5777 August 19.	By Cash received.	5-2.	68

		Middle District		
		Penns. Curr ⁹⁴	Sum ⁹⁴	
18778	Jan 4 th	To Cash reciv'd of sundries as of Acct. end of this Day		
		967.	4.	10 1/2
		Balance due James Bryson		
		117.	8.	2 1/4
		£ 1084.. 13.. - 3/4		
18778	April 5 th	To Cash reciv'd of sundries as of Acct. end of this Day		
		42..	15..	8 1/4
		Balance due James Bryson		
		277.	2..	6
		314..	18..	2 1/4
18778	July 5 th	To your Debit on the Compt. in favor of E. Hancock .		
		300..	—	—
		Balance due James Bryson		
		498..	12..	6
		798..	12..	6
18778	Aug 22 nd	To Cash paid James Bryson this Day as of Acct. .		
		498..	12..	6

		Sum of the Southern		
		To Car. Curr ⁹⁴	Penns. Curr ⁹⁴	
18778	July 5 th	To Balance carried to Book B. fol. 5. .		
		218..	8..	—
			204..	15..

in A/c with Peter Baynton Comptroller		C ²⁷		
1779	June 5.	By Cash paid Sundries as Acc ^t . ending this Day	904..	13.. $\frac{3}{4}$
		By Allowance as Surveyor	180..	—
			£ 1084.. 13.. $\frac{3}{4}$	
By Balance brought down			117..	8.. $\frac{2}{4}$
1779	April 5	By Allowance as Surveyor as Acc ^t . end of this Day	202..	10.. —
			319..	18.. $\frac{2}{4}$
By Balance brought down			277..	2.. 6
1779	July 5.	By Cash lent the Comptroller for the Use of B. Office	386..	15.. —
		By Allowance as Surveyor as Acc ^t . end of this Day	204..	15.. —
			798..	12.. 6
By Balance brought down			498..	12.. 6

District in A/c. with Peter Baynton Comptroller		C ²⁷		
1778	July 5.	By Allowance as Surveyor as Account ending this Day	218..	8.. —
			204..	15.. —

D ^r James Bryson Esq ^r (Surveyor) in Acc ^t			
2 1778			
July 5 th	To Cash rec ^d from Sundries as Acc ^t .	£ 1310 ⁰⁰	6 ³ / ₄
	To Cash in full	598 ⁰⁰	12 ⁰⁰ 6
		£ 1908 ⁰⁰	13 ⁰⁰ - ³ / ₄

Concurs with Peter Baynton Comptroller. . C^{rs}.

1778

July 5th By Cash paid Sundries as Account. £ 132^l. 8^s. - $\frac{3}{4}$

By Allowance as Surveyor for 26^l Days. 58^s. 5^d -

£ 1908^l. 13^s. - $\frac{3}{4}$

George Town from Jan 31

Letters received. 1778, Letters sent

Jan 17.	May Letters	58	Jan 7	Charles Town	1.8
18	Charles Town	4	15	Boston	56.86
28	Newbern	10	2	Providence	13.8
Feb 12.	Libert	10.	22	Charles Town	8
	Newbern	18	28	Boston	151
19	Newbern	26.	28	Newbern	151
	Way	4.		Wilmington	8
	Newbern	5		Char Town	3
	Char Town	5	23	Charles Town	4
	Char Town	2	mid 11	Williamsburg	7
				Baltimore	12
				Newbern	10
		71.8			
		2			
		73.8			
		10			
		63.8			

Account of Postage due from 5 January 1778

Jan ^y	Mr James Gordon	5 8	
18 ^x	Mr Garner	2	---
	Mr. Cuthbert	2	---
28 ^a	Mr. Cogdell	5	---
	God. Delouche	10	---
	Mr. Francis	3	---
	Mr. Forsyth	3	---
	Mr. Traquair	3	---
Feb 8	Mr Andrew Balfour	10	---
	Mr. Allison Jun ^r	8	---
19	Heriot & Tucker	14	---
	Mr. Cogdell	12	---
March 4	Godfrid Delouche	5	---
	Mr. Allsop Jun ^r	5	---
	John Morrison	2	---

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