

	Octo ^{br} 5 ^h 1714	
	M ^r Jones	
	Between y ^e 27 ^h Fbry & 5 March	
	P ^d to Sheriet Paul Tho Cole	
	20 15 10	
	attending at lent April laft at	
	Winton; upon palmers acc ^t	
	For Mr Hooper storekeeper	
	For the Office of Ordnance in	
Date stamped 5/OC	Portsmouth	

Sir

Tower 5 Octo^r 1714

I have this day received Y^r sallary for Sep^r £28:4s:4d there being a ¼ of a days pay stopt for the support of invalids &c. There was stopt from Y^r salary the preceding Qr 1/2 of a days pay, and there will in the succeeding Q^r be stopt ¼ of a days pay which will make up a whole days pay in the year, It being ordered that it shall be stopt quarterly for the future. As I remember I was informed concerning the deductions of the preceding Q^r & if so pray pardon for was not through desire, but for want of a right appreciation but on this accot you may depend. I am told there is one of our labourors wifes at Portsmo whose name is Butcher that has money to be returne here.

Our master continues to decay. I am $\label{eq:sigma} \mbox{Sir, Y^r most humble \mbox{serv}^t}$

Jon Jones

My Kind friend

Prosume my grate full acknowledgem^t for Y^r kind help of y^e 5th w^h would hays putt now list in und that not y' conclusion put dreadful thoughts of our shrey byn will decay God gr after his heawals will that may recovery and he depart Y^e old serv^t Y^e office. There taken Ye boldnesse gives Mr Baxter a Bill on you for xx payable til 3 Days to him orders is to be cloer a Debt then for I doubt not but you will support my credit by honing it wth due paymt I fancy my next will Desire you to pay the acct for renewing sign form wth number Donr Lett my newcsih be as it will & by Ye course of nature and my in fropibs Iscrannt be expected should long be in sog it God will be done to which choecpell submit I will remain

Sir Yo^r assured Friend & Obliged Srv^t

John Hooper storekeeper to the Office of his Ma^{ts} Ordnance at portsm^o Craves an Allow^{ce} for his travelling Charges & Expense in performing the several services hereafter mentioned pursuant to Diveri to him Discharged Viz 1713/14

Janry 13 On board the Bleinhim 19 On board the Blandford 21 On board the **Bolton** 29 On board Y^e Antelope March 2 3 5 6 To hinton & attend Mr. Charles Coward At lent after - - - - 4 days 16 on board the Reserve 23 On board Y^e Adventure March 8 On board the Tygar 9 On board Y^e Basilisk Bomb 25 On board Y^e Milford 26 On board Ye Biddyford 27 On board Ye Lai May 18 On board Y^e Sheerniss 27 On board the Glasgow Jun 3 On board <u>Isabella</u> Yacht 17 – 19 On board Y^e Monke 23 On board Ye Biddyford 24 On board Y^e Sharke 28 On board Y^e Hind 30 On board Y^e Seahorse Septemb 14 On board Y^e Captain 16 On board Y^e Reserve 17 On board Y^e Mary 19 On board Y^e Yarmouth

28 at 10 – 13 10

Sent to Mr Jones white 9h 8ber 1714

The above named John Hooper maketh oath That he this Deponent and personall performe the services above prehmlarly Expended behoven ye 1st day of January 1713/14 and Ye last day of Tber following.