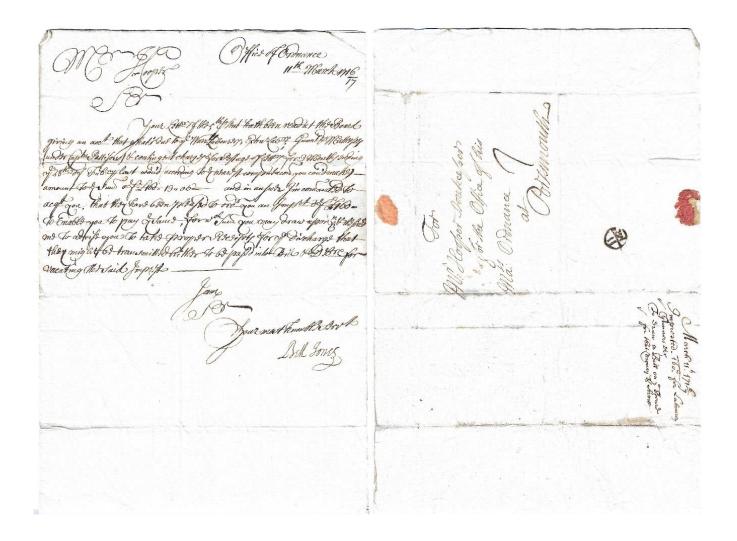
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March 11th 1716/7
Imprested 160^Q for Labourers
Gunners &c^r
To Draw a Bill on y^e Board
for that money & Service

Date stamped 11/AP

For
M'. Hooper Storekeeper
for the Office of his
Ma^{ts} Ordnance
at
Portsmouth

Office of Ordnance 11th March 1716/17

M^r J Hooper Sir

Your lett^{er} of the 5th inst hath been read at The Board giving an acc^t that what's due to y^o wass 4 Labourers, Extra Labrs; Gunnry & Months under Cap^{tn} Pattison & contingent charges for Postage of letters for 3 Months ending Y^e 28th of February last would according to y^e nearest compntacord you coud make amount to y^e sum of £100 – 13 - 06 and in answer I'm comanded to acq^t you, that they hve been pleased to ord^r you an imprst of £100 - to enable you to pay y^e said , for w^{ch} sum you may draw upon y^m & desired me to advise you to take proper Receipts for y^e discharge that they might be transmitted hither to be payed into Bill & Desire for vacating the said imprest

I am
Sir
Your most humble servant
Bell Jones