

London 15 November 1804

I have to request you will be pleased to move the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty to grant the usual Certificate for enabling me to receive the wages of Mr. Thomas Mitchell Copplestone as the enclosed Certificate from Lieut. Tatham.

and am
Sir
Your very Hble Servant
Samuel Heseltine
Agent

(Endorsed on reverse '17 Nov. Must send the Order under which he acted.')

The enclosed Certificate:

These are to certify that the Rt. Hon. the Lords Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain and Ireland that Mr. Tho^s Mitchell Coppelstone served as Acting Master and Pilot on Board H.M. Gun Brig the Monkey under my Command from the 26th day of August 1803 to the 21st day of August 1804 During which time he Complied with the General Printed Instructions.

Given under my Hand this 21 Day of
August on board H.M. Brig Monkey
Harwich Harbour
W^m Tatham Lt. Commander

Addressed to: W^m Marsden, Esq.
Admiralty

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ADM37/4978

Musters

Volcano. Copplestone, Thomas. April 1815. Jo. Woolcocke, Master - on page with 7.7.1815-23.8.1815 is "arrested for debt" where Master's signature should be. Complement 78 men. No. 181 Copplestone T.M. J.W. Watling Capt. Paid off 25 Aug 1815. 1.5.1814-26.8.1815.

ADM 37/5278 Endymion. 224 Prisoners taken out. Muster ends February 1815.