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1<sup>st</sup> July 1675

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Have ordered that all persons formerly admitted into the freedom of this incorporation upon their respective petitions and not yet sworn, doe pay their severall fines spones and buckets into the Chamber with the usuall fees to the Officers of this Incorporation and take their respective Oathes before Mr. Mayor within fourteen days next ensuing otherwise to have noe benefit of such their former admission.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1676.

31 Upon a Motion made by Mr. Swordbearers (concerning such gifts as persons of quality doe sometimes bestow on the Chamberlain) whether the other officers of the Corporation might not to have proportionable shares thereof according to the settled fees they receive from such freemen as are admitted upon their petitions (that is to say when such persons of quality are presented with the freedom of this City) It is hereby adjudged and ordered That in regard the Chamberlain is bound to be at the charge and paines of preparing tickets for such persons of quality and to give his attendance in presenting them whensoever Mr. Mayor please to command him without having any fee at all established thereon and that some give him more, some less, on that occasion, and some nothing at all, Therefore the sd. gifts and gratuitys to be allowed wholly to the Chamberlain.

23<sup>rd</sup> February 1676.

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Whereas divers freemen of this City who were wont to or otherwise ought to keep their shops or otherwise retailed goods or other commodities within the walls of the same, have, of late years betwix themselves and their shops to the bosome over the water & otherwise without the walls and gates of the said City whereby the markets are forestalled, the trade of the said City decayed many dwelling houses within the same become waste 38 for want of inhabitants, Felons and other evil disposed

persons are the best and the said City beseecheth to defend itself against an enemy. For remedy thereof for the present and prevention of the like for the future Be it ordered and it is hereby ordered and ordained that all Shopkeepers who at present keep any shoppe or shoppes in any part of the suburb or liberties of this City, doe before the first day of May next ensuing the date of these presents, remove themselves and their said shoppes from without the walls of the said City into and within the walls of the said City upon paine of forfeiture of forty shillings for every month after the said first day of May to be quotas they or any of them respectively shall hold any such shoppe or shoppes or otherwise retails any goods or other commodities whatever in any place of the said suburbs or liberties other than within the walls and gates of the said City And it is further ordered and ordained that from and after the said first day of May no person under paine of the like forfeiture doe presume to keep any shoppe or shoppes in any of the places afores<sup>d</sup> other than within the suburbs and walls of the said City

Whereas it has been taken notice of that severall masters of apprentices have for their own private lucre and gaine antedated the indentures of their said servants in order to the procuring them the sooner freedom of the said City by which manner there are so many unskillful tradesmen and workmen in and about the same, for preventing the like for the future Be it ordered and it is hereby ordered and ordained that every freeman of this City that shall hereafter take any apprentice to serve him as an apprentice in any art mystery or manual occupation within this City doe within three months next after the date of the indenture of every such apprentice bring his said apprentice before the Chamberlain of the said City for the time being and there cause him to be enrolled according to the true date of his sd. indentures and time of service upon the forfeiture, of ten shillings for every month to be quotas, he shall respect to enroll his said apprentice: The said apprenticed alsoe not to be admitted into the freedom of this City until it shall appear unto the Common Council thereof or the Mayor

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partie of them wherof the Maior for the time being to be one that such apprentice has truly served his said master full seven years according to the custome of this City.

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Whereas diverse persons (that is to say persons not being of the freedom of this City) have of late years gotten into the same and being under no obligation therunto instead of paying Scott and Lott with their neighbours become rather a charge to the City and a discouragement to those freemen thereof using like arts mystery or manual occupations for preventing the same for the future Be it ordered and it is hereby ordered and ordained that all persons, not being freemen of this City who use or exercise within the same City the liberties & suburbs thereof any art mystery or manual occupation whatever to make his or their gaine or profit thereof doe before the five and twentieth day of March next ensuing the date of these presents bring in their petitions to the Chamberlain of this City thereby praying their respective freedoms of the same upon paine of forfeiture of forty shillings for every time wherein any such person not being admitted to his freedom shall after the said five and twentieth day of March use or exercise within the said City liberties & suburbs of the same any art mystery or manual occupation as aforesaid.

And that no person or persons may pretend ignorance of the last three orders and bylawes before entered It is further ordered that being fairly transcribed they be posted on the market place of the said City to the end that all persons concerned may take notice of the same at their perille.

29<sup>th</sup> April 1678.

46. Upon a motion made by Mr William Squire Mr Walter Bridges Clerk is by this Court admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation and his fine referred to himselfe.

14<sup>th</sup> January 1678

514 John Sparte, laylaw, upon his petition is admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation at the fine of twenty shillings with spoone bucket and fees, accustomed

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1678.

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Ordered yt all persons formerly admitted into the freedom of this City upon their respective petitions who have not hitherto paid the fines and fees imposed on them doe pay in their fines and fees respectively into the Chambers of this City before the second day of February next otherwise to have their shoppes shut up or be proceeded against as the Charter direct.

25<sup>th</sup> August 1679.

60 This Court being informed that Mr William Spire one of the members of this body intends shortly to goe to London He is hereby desired and authorized to move the Society at London to appoint such a certain number of freeholders as shall be willing to subscribe to a paper to be left in y<sup>e</sup> hands of the Chamberlaine of this City, to serve for the same and the libelies thereof.

3<sup>rd</sup> November 1679

63 William Hible of this City Burgess & Robert Sherron of y<sup>e</sup> same freeman are alsoe elected sherriffes for y<sup>e</sup> said cusome y<sup>e</sup>are remine Contradicente.

3<sup>rd</sup> February 1680

73 Henry Tombois and James Jordan Esq<sup>rs</sup> present sherriffes were sworne Comoncounsellors and admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation without fine paying spoone & bucket and fees.

7<sup>th</sup> June 1681.

78 Ordered that all forreyners within y<sup>e</sup> Liberties who shall not pet<sup>r</sup> for their freedom before y<sup>e</sup> next Comoncounsell shall be arrested and notice to be given them by posting it on the market place.

5<sup>th</sup> September 1681

80 Upon a motion of Mr. Maier George Merston mariner is admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this Incorporation without fine paying spoone bucket and ordinary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> March 1684.

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Upon a petition of the Freeman Taylours, setting forth the damage they receive by foreingers of their trade invading the priviledges of this Corporation ordered that if the s<sup>d</sup> foreingers doe not come in before the next Com<sup>on</sup> Council the Charbalam shall prosecute them according to Charter.

26<sup>th</sup> July 1686

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The pet. of Mr. John Beauvariers a French mercht preferred to this Court for his freedom of this City referred to the Committee above.

3<sup>rd</sup> October 1689

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Mr. Anna Pickard admitted to the freedom of this city.

5<sup>th</sup> December 1689.

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Sworn the  
22<sup>nd</sup> June  
1690

Upon the reading of the petition of Joseph Leslie Marcht in referena to his freedom of this City It is ordered that in regard he married one of the Daughters of the present Mayor. That he be admitted to the freedom of the same only paying for a spoone and buckett.

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Sworn the  
11<sup>th</sup> Dec  
1689

Upon the reading of the petition of Thomas Spraight Marcht for his freedom. It appearing that he had served full seven yeares as an apprentice to Gerrain Barby Marcht. Therefore his admission ordered upon his residency in the city and paying for his spoone and buckett.

Sworn the  
6<sup>th</sup> Dec  
1689

Upon the reading of the petition of Jacob Alexander Marcht for his freedom It appearing that he had served full seven yeares apprenticeship to Alex<sup>r</sup> Donkin Ald<sup>r</sup> he is likewise admitted a Freeman upon his residency in the city and paying for his spoone & buckett.

Upon the reading of the Petition of Lieut. James Still for his freedom his admission is ordered when he comes to reside in the city and payes five pounds five together with spoone & buckett.

27<sup>th</sup> November 1690

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Sworn the  
23<sup>rd</sup> Dec  
1690

Upon the reading of a petition of John Conuighan Marcht for his freedom his admission is ordered

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when he comes to reside in the City and payes Three pounds  
Tyme together with spoone & buckett

3<sup>rd</sup> February 1690.

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Upon a petition of Adam Gillis Masoner seeing for his  
desire and intention to reside in this City he is admitted to the  
freedome thereof paying Twenty Shil. Tyme with spoone & buckett  
Sworn the 2<sup>nd</sup> of Nov. 1691.

12<sup>th</sup> February 1690.

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Whereas since the Duke of Chonberge and other illustrious  
persons have kindly received and with great condescension expresst

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their liking of our present; upon receipt of their patents of  
freedome in this City; and others of less quality, to whom out of love  
wee also granted the like, doe despise and undervalue it; Ordered  
therefore that no Mayor hereafter shall make any patent of Freedome  
under our common seal to any person whatsoever but by  
approbation of the Common Council or major part thereof. And that  
upon proofe made of any persons vilifying or despising of any  
such patent received under our Common Seal such person or persons  
shall be struck out of the list of Freemen and Disfranchised. And  
at the same time It is also resolved & established That no Mayor  
in tyme coming shall make any beates but at his own particular  
charge except by allowance of the Common Council or major part  
hereof first had thereunto.

27<sup>th</sup> July 1691.

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Sworn the  
27<sup>th</sup> day of  
November  
1691

Upon the reading of the Petition of Robt Gamble  
Marcht for his Freedome, it appearing that he  
had served full seven years as an apprentice  
to Andrew Garven Marcht Therefore his admission  
ordered upon his residing in this City and paying  
spoone and buckett.

Sworn the  
14<sup>th</sup> day of  
November  
1691

Upon the reading of the Petition of Henry Thompson  
Stationer. It appearing that his predecessors have  
been residents and Freemen of the City his  
admission to the Freedome thereof was ordered  
during his residence therein paying spoone  
and buckett

8<sup>th</sup> September 1691

Page 57 Ordered that Letters of Thanks be sent against Frydars post being the 11<sup>th</sup> instant to Mr Recorder & Mr. Megridge. Likewise to Mr. Guy Secretary to the Lds of the Treas<sup>r</sup> for whom a Patent of his freedom of this City is also to be drawn and sent Mr. Megridge to present him with<sup>in</sup> a gold box of such a value as he shall judge reasonable

9<sup>th</sup> October 1691.

56 Upon a petition of W<sup>m</sup> Craig Carpenter for his Freedom of this City his admission his ordered when he takes a House therein and comes to reside with his family paying forty shillings fine and spoone & bucket.

17<sup>th</sup> December 1691.

61 Ordered that a Patent of Freedom be sent with Mr. Megridge and Ten Guineys out of the produce of the farms for the making of a Gold box on which the City armes is to be engraved and both to be presented by him to Col. Guy Secretary to the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Ld. of the Treasury in acknowledgment of his favour to this City.

15<sup>th</sup> January 1691.

61<sup>st</sup> Sworne the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Jan<sup>r</sup> 1691 } Upon a petition of Jo<sup>hn</sup> Sandell retaylor setting forth his sorrow & sufferings in the late seige he was admitted into the freedom of this City paying Ten Shil. fyne & spoone & bucket.

Sworne 28<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>r</sup> } Daniel M<sup>r</sup> Kerraghall Tobacco spinner was also upon his petition admitted Freeman paying spoone & Bucket

Sworne 28<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>r</sup> } Jo<sup>hn</sup> Kennedy, Taylor, was also admitted in the like manner  
Patrick Spence Taylor also admitted in the like manner  
James M<sup>r</sup> Brea Baker, also admitted in the like manner

Sworne the 29<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>r</sup> 1691 } And M<sup>r</sup> Gervais Spaine Jun<sup>r</sup> l<sup>th</sup> upon his pet<sup>n</sup> was admitted gratis as being a son of the present Mayor.

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3<sup>rd</sup> February 1691

Sworne the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1691

Upon a Petition of Mr Henry Morrison Merchant for being admitted into the freedom of this City. It appearing that he had served seven years as apprentice to Mr. J. Mordoch of this City merchant The same was ordered he paying spoone & buckell.

22<sup>nd</sup> February 1691

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Sworne the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1691

upon Mr. Go. Dixsons petition setting forth his inability to pay the six pounds thirteen shill & four pence fine imposed upon him at a former Court Conual for his Freedom the same is now reduced to Three pounds thirteen shill & four pence and ordered that he be admitted into the freedom of this City upon his payment thereof with spoone & buckell But to enjoy the benefit of the same no longer than he resides & bears burden.

11<sup>th</sup> May 1692

71

Sworne the 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 1692

Francis Jennings cordwinder his petition for his freedom being read It appearing that he had married a Freeman's daughter of this City and resided therein about the space of seven years his admission was ordered paying spoone & buckell.

Sworne the 5<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1692

William Boyd Chapman his petition being read for his freedom It appearing that he was educated in this city and was the sedge and contributed to the maintenance of his mother one of the Corporations persons his admission was ordered paying spoone & buckell.

Sworne the 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 1692

Edward Carter cordwinder his petition being read and it appearing that he had married a Freeman's daughter of this City about four years ago and endured the sedge his freedom was ordered paying spoone & buckell

Sworne the 27<sup>th</sup> Jan 1692

Edward Carloe Glover his petition for his freedom being read and it appearing that he had served seven years an apprentice to Rich<sup>d</sup> Pinson late of this City Glover his admission was ordered paying spoone & buckell.

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John Paterson gloves upon his petition is admitted to the freedom of this City paying twenty shillings fyne with spoone & bucket

17<sup>th</sup> May 1692.

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Summe the 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of May  
1692

Richard Brookshanks manner his petition for his Freedom being read and it appearing that he had served his Bro. John Brookshanks seven years an apprentice here and at sea his admission was ordered paying spoone & Buckett

22<sup>nd</sup> August 1692

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Upon a complaint of tradesmen & artificers who have been admitted to the freedom of this City That several Strangers doe invade the priviledge thereof. Ordered that the Complainants bring in a list of their names that trespass accordingly to the Chamberlaine who is to issue a summons for their petitioning & taking out of their respective freedoms And it is resolved that due care be taken as to their being qualified in the several trades they occupy or profess before they be admitted.

In consideration of the services M<sup>r</sup>. James Hamilton of Shabane Merch<sup>t</sup> hath acted and done for the defence of this City the Corporation would willingly have complied with his request and granted his freedom but for the several inconveniences attended the same Nevertheless it is ordered that he be acquitted and discharged all such sums as now or at any tyme past may be due for Towns Customs of what goods he shall declare really bonafide were exported or imported on his own proper risque & acct.

Resolved that M<sup>r</sup>. Mayor may order a Ticket of Freedom to be presented to Col. Toby Cawfield if he think it convenient.

2<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 1692.

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Ordered that M<sup>r</sup>. Henry Pierce be admitted to the freedom of this City in consideration of his good services in the Siege.

Also that Capt. White & Capt. Bickersstaff be admitted by Ticket.

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3<sup>rd</sup> December 1692.Swoone the  
9<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>.  
1692.

John Aban Inkeeper having petitioned this Court for his freedom he was admitted to be a freeman of this City upon his paying spoone & buckell.

Nicolas Calkitt chandler having petitioned this Court for his freedom was admitted accordingly paying twenty shillings fyve together with spoone & buckell.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1692

✓ 82

John Boyle Sadler admitted a freeman upon his petition paying ten shillings fyve with spoone & buckell.

Swoone the 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb. 1692.23<sup>rd</sup> January 1692

✓ 83

Swoone the 27<sup>th</sup>  
Jan 1692

James Morrison March admitted a freeman upon his petition paying spoone & buckell with the usual fee

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Swoone the  
26<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1692.

John Coan March admitted a freeman upon his petition at three pound ten shill fyve with spoone & buckell he performing what is set forth in his petition and signing the same.

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Swoone 27<sup>th</sup>  
Jan 1692

Upon a petition of William Bray Carpenter for mitigating the Forty shillings <sup>fyve</sup> imposed upon him at a former Council for his freedom the same was reduced to twenty shillings.

3<sup>rd</sup> February 1692

✓ 84

Swoone the  
23<sup>rd</sup> Feb 1692

Daniel Hay mariner admitted a freeman upon his petition paying spoone & buckell.

Patrick Ross Barber admitted a freeman upon his petition paying spoone and buckell.

10<sup>th</sup> March 1692

✓ 88

Swoone 10<sup>th</sup>  
March

Mr Robert Bonnar admitted upon his petition to the freedom of this City paying spoone & buckell.

10<sup>th</sup> October 1693.

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It appearing to this Common Council by the severall petitions presented from the severall tradesmen that to the ruine of many freemens families & contrary to the priviledges of this incorporation

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many foreigners are come <sup>to</sup> do trade & have the greatest part of the trade without seeking to be admitted to the freedom of ye Incorporation ordered that ye Chamberlain do take effectual care for ye remedie of this grievance & if he see ye such as have petitioned & are admitted but have not taken ye oathes be forthwith Sumoned to come to take them or depart the place.

20<sup>th</sup> November 1693

101

Ordered that tickets of freedom of this city be given to Capt James Douglas, Left Thomas Knox Left Christian Murray Left Richard Kirby Left Hugh Boyd Insigne George Porter Insigne Abs: Gibson

20<sup>th</sup> November 1693.

On reading the severall petitions of the severall tradesmen whose names ffollows they were all admitted paying spoone and Bucket only.

102

James Thompson Cordwinder to pay spoone & Bucket.  
 ✓ Jonathan Oshain weaver the like rule.  
 ✓ Thomas Paterson Cordwinder ye same  
 ✓ William Read Taylour ye same  
 ✓ John Smith blacksmith ye same  
 ✓ John Hillpatrick weaver ye same  
 ✓ Samuel King Taylour ye same  
 ✓ John Smith Taylour ye same  
 ✓ John Dick Taylour ye same  
 ✓ James Pielane Cooper ye same Sworn Janry 31 1693  
 ✓ John Bredin Blacksmith ye same  
 ✓ William Harts Taylour ye same.

16 April 1694

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On reading the humble petition of William Bredin he was admitted into ye ffredome of this city, as a Baker by this Comon Councill paying only spoone and bucket.

On reading the humble petition of Nathaniell butcher he is by this Comon Councill into the ffredome of his trade paying spoone and bucket.

On reading the humble petition of Francis Knowles carrier he is by this Comon Councill admitted into the ffredome of this city, paying

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twenty shills. fine with spoone &amp; Buckell.

23<sup>rd</sup> August 1694

114 On the humble petition of James Ellis carpenter he is admitted into the freedom of this City paying spoone & Buckell only

19<sup>th</sup> November 1694

116 On the Chamberlains <sup>reading</sup> ~~reading~~ the humble petition of Mr. John Thompson and another of Mr. Nicolas Overall both holding forth that having married the daughters of Aldermen of this City and on that consideration praying to be admitted into the freedom of this City it is by this Common Council granted them when they or any of them comes to inhabit and reside in this City with their families but not otherwise, being contrary to the privileges of this Incorporation.

5<sup>th</sup> August 1695.

124 This Common Council do order to Major Archibald Hamilton and the rest of the Officers in Garrison here have tickets of freedom given them the Corporation to be at no charges thereon.

19<sup>th</sup> October 1695

125 A letter directed to Mr Edward Brookes from Mr Nicholas Overall of Colerain March dated the 18<sup>th</sup> inst being read it contains his desiring the favour to be either admitted into the freedom of this City or be allowed his Town Custom particularly on one third part of a cargo now in the shernies. The question being put whether he be admitted a freeman or not it was carried that he should be admitted free when he comes to reside with his family in the City of Londonderry. The question being put whether ~~the~~ he be allowed the third of the Town Custom on y<sup>e</sup> said Cargo inwards it was carried that he should have it granted to him on the third part said cargo inwards only he deposing on oath that it properly belong to himself or on so much only as is properly his own.

Ordered by this Common Council that it be for a Rule to be observed by this Corporation that no person whatsoever be on any terms admitted into the freedom of this City unless he with his family, reside in the City and on no other terms be allowed the freedom of a Citizen of this City.

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2<sup>nd</sup> January 1695

Ordered on the petitions of John Richardson w<sup>ch</sup> Keeper John Glenn  
 & sailor Roger Dixon Smith & Turner Thomas Farley  
 Yellow Chandar that they be all admitted into the freedom of  
 this city paying spoone & bucket each.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1696

138

On reading the petition of Matthew Jones Smith for his freedom  
 he is admitted into the freedom of this city & to be sworn paying  
 spoon & bucket

On reading the petitions of Rodger Browne weaver and of  
 William Brown Oger for their freedom. On the debate resolved and  
 ordered that when they or either of them do come and reside in  
 this city with their families that they be admitted & sworn paying  
 spoone & bucket but no other wayes

Ordered that the Chamberlain do issue summons to Mr John  
 Coningham March<sup>t</sup> that he appear at y<sup>e</sup> Common Council to be  
 held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Feby next to answer the breach of his agreement on his  
 admission to his freedom.

Ordered that whatever goods of Mr. William Gallbraith of Bristol  
 comes here be liable to and pay town customs till he comes  
 and resides in this city.

19<sup>th</sup> July 1697

143

On the Chamberlains representing to this Common Council that Mr  
 Joshua Dickard does refuse to pay the forraigne dues of a cargo of  
 salt he bought in y<sup>e</sup> sherris and imported here he alledging the  
 rig was his from the Seemee Ordered that if the sd. Mr. Josh. Dickard  
 does make it appear on oath that if y<sup>e</sup> said salt had never arrived  
 here nor been delivered to him that then he had been obliged to  
 pay for the same then in such case he is to be acquitted of the  
 forraigne dues but if otherwise the Chamberlain is to have & receive it from him

On the petition of Mr Hugh Davy in his own & the behalfe of other  
 freemen concerned with him setting forth that they were considerable  
 losers by the Ship Hopewell and that Mr. Alder for their encouragement  
 paid for them the prime of insurance of y<sup>e</sup> goods now imported in y<sup>e</sup>  
 Harak. Ordered that the forraigne due be acquitted to the Petitioners for  
 y<sup>e</sup> Harak's Cargo.

Ordered likewise that if Mr. Jordan will on oath depose

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That he bought the cargo of salt brought in by the James from Liverpool and that it came at his risg that there no fforraygue dues be demanded but if otherways he must pay

Ordered by this Comon Councell for the discouragment of bodin Maxwell Doctor in Physick to settle and reside in this City That the Chamberlain do pay to him Twenty pounds out of y<sup>e</sup> Chamber at or before Cendlemass next And that the Chamberl do acquaint him that it is the mind of this Corporation that he continue his residence here and not to go himselfe above 20 miles off without first acquainting the Mayor for the time being and that he be admitted a ffreeman p<sup>r</sup> tickett

Ordered that ticketts of Freedom be given to Coll. Thomas H<sup>o</sup>ghu and to his officers now in Garrison here.

12<sup>th</sup> January 1697

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That it is the opinion of this Comitte that having examined the oathes of a ffreeman Burge and Alderman and compared them with the said papers of Ald<sup>r</sup> Monceiffe That the said Alderman hath either y<sup>o</sup>urantly or wilfully acted contrary to the tenor of the said oaths.

151

Ordered that ticketts of freedom be given to Mr Carlton y<sup>e</sup> Collector to Major Shinger to Mr Godfrey to Mr Deary and to the Capt<sup>s</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> army in Garrison.

11<sup>th</sup> June 1698

154

On a motion made for repealling the act or order of this Incorporation made in Comon Councell the 19<sup>th</sup> November 1694 and for admitting Mr Inverall and Mr Thompson into the ffreedom of this city and it being putt to the Pall whither the said Act & order shall continue in force or not it was carried in the affirmative

On reading the petition of James Anderson Merch<sup>t</sup> praying to be admitted to the ffredome of this City Resolv<sup>d</sup> Ordered that he be admitted on his payment of three pound<sup>s</sup> for a fine spoone & Bucked & then to be sworn

12<sup>th</sup> July 1698

158

Ordered that a tickett of ffreedom be given to Mr Hornby of London now here when Mr Mayor thinks it convenient.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1698

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Ordered that Mr. Mayor give the tickets of freedom to W. Col. Livesey and such officers of the Garrison as he thinks fit.

Ordered that the oath of a freeman be given to Thomas Locky Apothecary.

Ordered that John Blackburne merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted (at his Settlement) into W. freedom of this city. Ordered that Maurice Drier Merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted into the freedom of this city all on their humble petitions paying spoons bucketts &c.

Ordered that James Cawdon Merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted (on his residence) & payment of five pounds fine, spoon & bucketts.

23<sup>rd</sup> November 1698.

160 Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to Capt. Lovewell the Recorder of London his son.

3<sup>rd</sup> February 1698.

162 On petitions of William Adair schoolmaster & Robert Taylor Merch<sup>t</sup> for freedom both are admitted paying spoons bucketts &c.

20<sup>th</sup> April 1699

167 Ordered that for y<sup>e</sup> time to come every Alder<sup>n</sup> & Burgessee son or sons on his being sworn a freeman shall not be charged with Spoon & Bucketts.

28<sup>th</sup> April 1699.

171 On petition of Tho. Young praying to be admitted freeman of this city he is admitted paying spoons & bucketts &c. Ordered y<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Chamber do demand y<sup>e</sup> Mon Cust<sup>n</sup> from all badging men without although they have tickets of freedom until they be sworn freeman.

11<sup>th</sup> August 1699.

172 Mr. Mayor producing a letter from our Recorder dated 15<sup>th</sup> July 99 recommending to y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>n</sup> favour Mr. Robbins Counselor at Law as a Gent<sup>l</sup> very worthy of all y<sup>e</sup> fav<sup>r</sup> & respect of y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>n</sup> can place on him which being read & considered Resolved that a ticket of freedom be made to him under y<sup>e</sup> Common Seal.

12<sup>th</sup> September 1699.

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On motion made of a very worthy gent Luke <sup>Astry</sup> Esq Councillor at Law being now in town does very well merit of freedom of this city therefore ordered of a ticket be drawn & putt under of scale & presented.

28<sup>th</sup> September 1699.

175

On petition of Alex Macken m<sup>r</sup> setting forth his desire to become a freeman of this city Resolved if he be admitted when he comes to reside here paying spoon bucket & fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> February 1699.

178

On reading of pet<sup>n</sup> of W<sup>m</sup> Filhouse M<sup>r</sup> Jas<sup>s</sup> Donaldson Taylor, Evan Barton, weaver Jas<sup>s</sup> Dalton And<sup>r</sup> Hart Jas<sup>s</sup> Holt Jas<sup>s</sup> McLaphlin Jas<sup>s</sup> Montgomery & Tho. Moore weavers all admitted freemen of this city paying Spoon & Bucket.

Ord. that tickets of freedom be given to y<sup>e</sup> three Captains of y<sup>e</sup> arm<sup>d</sup>. Sloops now at the Key.

179

On reading of petition of y<sup>e</sup> taylors complaining of many strangers using of trade in this city ordered of y<sup>e</sup> Cham<sup>n</sup> do issue warrants ag<sup>t</sup> all such strangers to pursue y<sup>e</sup> for breach of y<sup>e</sup> priviledges.

On petition of James Cowdan m<sup>r</sup> for reduecent of his fine of £5 this reduced to £4 s<sup>d</sup>.

18<sup>th</sup> January 1699.

180

On reading of pet<sup>n</sup> of Jas<sup>s</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Lister m<sup>r</sup> praying to be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this city Orde<sup>d</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> pet<sup>n</sup> be admitted on his coming to reside in this city & paying y<sup>e</sup> fine of ten pounds s<sup>d</sup> with spoon bucket & fees.

On reading of y<sup>e</sup> pet<sup>n</sup> of Dennis Kelly, soap brewer praying to be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this city he is admitted paying spoon bucket & fees.

13<sup>th</sup> February 1699.

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M<sup>r</sup> Mayo acquainting this Com<sup>rs</sup> Councill of Major Stewart Bro. of Major Gen<sup>l</sup> Stewart is now in town ordered of a ticket of freedom be given to y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>r</sup> Major & to any Capt<sup>n</sup> of his Maj<sup>s</sup> frigates & Sloops & to any other officers.

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of the Garrison when Mr Mayor thinks it convenient  
Ordered likewise of a ticket be given to Mr Jenkins  
& to Mr Kington Chaplain.

8<sup>th</sup> April 1700

185 On pet<sup>n</sup> of Mr Jo<sup>r</sup>. Campbell Mr. Wall Gray, Robt  
McMullan Carpenter of John Peterson Taylor all admitted  
paying spoon & Bucket into of freedom of this city.

29<sup>th</sup> May 1700

187 On pet<sup>n</sup> of Wm Becking carpenter Gabriel McFhee Saddler  
& Arch<sup>d</sup>. Stewart cordwinder for freedom all admitted on  
spoon & Bucket.

On petition of Mr John Campbell for discharge of towns  
custom before his being sworn freeman the same is reduced  
& discharged.

On pet<sup>n</sup> of John the Distler m<sup>r</sup> for reduction of of fine of £10  
for his freedom it is reduced to £5.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1700

195 On petition of Robert Houston Cordwinder & John Griffiths  
Cordwinder for freedom both admitted paying spoon bucket & fee

4<sup>th</sup> January 1700

Mr Mayor having informed this Common Council of  
some divers hands he has been informed of His Excell<sup>ty</sup> of La Galway  
is on of road coming to this place.

196 And therefore desires the advice of this C. Council  
how to receive & entertain his Ld<sup>sh</sup>. Resolved & Ordered  
That Mr. Mayor do provide what conveniently he can  
for his Ld<sup>sh</sup>'s entertain<sup>t</sup> (if he comes) at the Council  
Chamber or where else he thinks fitt at of charge of this  
Corporation and that his Ld<sup>sh</sup>. have a ticket of his freedom  
& such others of his Retinue as Mr Mayor see fitt and  
if Mr Mayor may call to his advice & assistance any  
6 or more of the members on this occasion

8<sup>th</sup> March 1700

201

On reading of petition of Peter Gifford for freedom

Page 201 and abatement of some Townes Customs he is admitted but to pay vs. Townes Custom

28<sup>th</sup> April 1701

202 On reading the pet<sup>n</sup>. of Harry Green Gent. praying to be admitted freeman & of James Dawson, stationer praying the same Both admitted paying spoon Bucket & fees to be sworn in usual manner.

Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr Geo Jeffers.

7<sup>th</sup> July 1701

203 Ordered w<sup>ch</sup> a ticket of freedom be given to Emory Harry Thompson son of Henry Thompson late Burgess of this City tickets to vs. two Capt<sup>ns</sup>. of vs. men & was now here

On pet<sup>n</sup>. of Dab<sup>l</sup> Eddie carpenter for freedom he is admitted paying spoon & bucket & fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> October 1701.

206 On pet<sup>n</sup>. of W<sup>m</sup>. Allison mariner & W<sup>m</sup>. & Roger Brown for freedom ordered w<sup>ch</sup> when they come to settle with their families in vs. City they may be admitted.

3<sup>rd</sup> November 1701.

207 On pet<sup>n</sup>. of Rich<sup>d</sup> Lowry mt. for Jameson Cooper, Sam Murray Taylor & Andrew Brookshanks mariners for freedom all admitted paying spoon bucket, &c.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1701

210 On pet<sup>n</sup>. of Thomas Simpson mariner for freedom admitted paying spoon &c.

On pet<sup>n</sup>. of W<sup>m</sup>. Allison mariner for freedom admitted paying spoon &c.

Ordered w<sup>ch</sup> Mr. Maja admit W<sup>m</sup>. Squire & Mr Geo Brookshanks freemen of this City without fees

3<sup>rd</sup> January 1701

211 On pet<sup>n</sup>. of Geo Cummin Carpenter for freedom he is admitted paying spoon & bucket.

17<sup>th</sup> April 1702

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This b. Ormell do approve the tickets w<sup>ch</sup> were made on occasion of proclaiming the Queen & of the address to Her Majesty and of the tickets given to y<sup>e</sup> officers of the Earle of Donnegalls Represent the Lt. Duncannon & Councillor Ecklin.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1702

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On petition of Mr. William Edgus for freedom Ordered he be admitted & Sworn paying spoon & buckett and usuall fees.

8<sup>th</sup> July 1703

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Ordered that from henceforth every Burgeses son or sons in law shall have their freedom as any Aldermans sons or sons in law of this City to all intents and purposes

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whatsoever on petitioning for the same paying fees

On the full debate whether he that marries an Ald<sup>m</sup> or Burgeses daughter or is an Ald<sup>m</sup> or Burgeses son be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this City residing or not residing On y<sup>e</sup> question: ordered, remine contradicente, That all such be admitted paying spoon bucket & fees.

On reading the pet<sup>n</sup> of Mr. Mich<sup>l</sup>. Averell, Mr. Jo<sup>h</sup>n Thomson Mr. W<sup>m</sup>. Rainey Jas. Balfour & Matthew Leun praying to be admitted, all admitted by this Common Council paying fees as afores<sup>d</sup> & to be sworn when Mr. Mayor thinks fit.

On reading the pet<sup>n</sup> of Mr. John Moore Mr. Robert Houston Mr. Anthony Boningham W<sup>m</sup>. Miller carpenter John Cowin Taylor Samuel Harvey weaver Richard Crompton w<sup>ch</sup>makar John Frege Taylor George Packer James Ross Robert Young Rivell West merriner & William Mappan praying to be admitted to the freedom of this City they are admitted all, paying spoons, buckets & other fees, they residing in town, also James Lecky.

Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Blackhall schoolmaster to Mr. Master Ross Mr. W<sup>m</sup>. Jackson Mr. Chears, Coll<sup>r</sup> Edward Cary & Mr. Latham.

31<sup>st</sup> August 1703

234

On petition of Thomas Lee, wheelper, for freedom granted

Page 234 by this C. Council paying ord<sup>r</sup> fees and on v<sup>s</sup> side  
from James White, goaler, admitted on payment of fees  
Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. Tho. Reave  
overser of v<sup>s</sup> Serick's woods.

On reading v<sup>s</sup> record of freemen admitted either by  
ticket or oath since Candlemas last all are approved as  
duly admitted by this C. Council

13<sup>th</sup> September 1703

236 Ordered that as Mr. Mayor sees occasion tickets of  
Freedom be given to the Lieut. Col. & other officers of Col.  
George's Regiment & one to Mr. Robert Gage

7<sup>th</sup> December 1703

240 Ordered that a ticket of freedom be sent to Mr.  
Wm Cairnes Merch<sup>t</sup> in Dublin.

3<sup>rd</sup> January 1703

243 On petition of Tho. Lee for freedom admitted  
paying spoon Buckets &c

10<sup>th</sup> July 1704

254 On petition of George Graham Currier of John  
Wye Sadler, for freedom both admitted paying  
fee spoon & Buckets.

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7<sup>th</sup> March 1704

Upon reading v<sup>s</sup> petition of Mr. Fredk Jordan Apothecary  
to be admitted freeman, He is admitted paying v<sup>s</sup>  
accustomed fees.

Mr. W. M. Knought weaver, admitted to freedom on  
his petition as a freest. Both to be sworn when Mr. Mayor please.

19<sup>th</sup> April 1705

26 The Common Council taking into consideration v<sup>s</sup>  
L<sup>d</sup>. Lieutenants coming to this City this night &c. Ordered  
v<sup>s</sup> his Grace be presented with his ticket of freedom &  
of name of v<sup>s</sup> Corp<sup>s</sup>. by Ald<sup>r</sup> Norman & v<sup>s</sup> Mr. Mayor order  
tickets of freedom to be given to v<sup>s</sup> Lord attending his Grace

page 26 + to such others as he shall think fit.

15<sup>th</sup> May 1705.

28 Upon petition of Mr Rowland West to be admitted a freeman of this city Ordered y<sup>e</sup> he be admitted paying spoon & buckett & fees and to be sworn when Mr Mayor please.

15<sup>th</sup> June 1705.

33 Upon petition of Alex. Vance Merch<sup>t</sup> to be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this Incorporation Ordered y<sup>e</sup> he be admitted paying spoon & Buckett &c. to be sworn when Mr Mayor please.

Upon pet<sup>n</sup> of Edward Barker & Tho. Robertson, cordwainers on behalfe of themselves & y<sup>e</sup> rest of y<sup>e</sup> freemen of y<sup>e</sup> trade in this city & Liberties complaining y<sup>e</sup> strangers & forreigners do exercise their trade in this city without being made free Ordered y<sup>e</sup> Chamberlain prosecute all persons who presume to worke at their trade without their freedom pursuant to y<sup>e</sup> charter & as y<sup>e</sup> law allows.

Upon pet<sup>n</sup> of Patrick Spence Jew Smith & Samuel Ashbury Tailors; Ordered as aforesaid.

4<sup>th</sup> September 1705.

35 Upon petition of Patrick Siddle cordwinder to be admitted free of y<sup>e</sup> city Ordered y<sup>e</sup> he be admitted paying spoon Buckett & other fees to be sworn when Mr Mayor please

Upon petition of John Moresa cordwinder to be admitted free: He is admitted likewise paying spoon Buckett &c to be sworn when Mr Mayor please

10<sup>th</sup> January 1705

41 + + It is the intent and meaning of this C. Councill That if any freeman or their servants in their own persons buy any goods in any neighbouring <sup>market</sup> ~~market~~ town on any fair or market day there held & received them there then such goods to pay no tonnes dues here; otherwise to pay as forreigners.

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24<sup>th</sup> January 1705.

Upon reading the petition of John Mearns tanner praying to be admitted into ye freedom of this Corporation he is admitted paying spoon bucket & fees accustomed to be sworn when M<sup>r</sup>. Mayor please

6<sup>th</sup> February 1705.

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Upon complaint made by James Stull farmer of the customs & clerkship of y<sup>e</sup> market that some freemen of this city refuse to pay y<sup>e</sup> townes dues pursuant to his docket given him by y<sup>e</sup> Chamberlain. This Court of C. Council did inspect y<sup>e</sup> docket given y<sup>e</sup> said clerk of y<sup>e</sup> market for y<sup>e</sup> ensuing year and having sent for him y<sup>e</sup> said Stull & explaining y<sup>e</sup> said docket to him y<sup>e</sup> said Stull agreed to y<sup>e</sup> striking out y<sup>e</sup> words following out of y<sup>e</sup> docket viz (on any fair or market day he shall hold).

5<sup>th</sup> March 1705.

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Ordered y<sup>t</sup> the Rev<sup>d</sup> W. Thomas Squire son of Ald<sup>r</sup> Wm Squire deceased be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this city by ticket.

Ordered y<sup>t</sup> no freeman be made hereafter by the Mayor without consent of Com. Council nor so money expended in treating freemen without consent of Com. Council as aforesaid.

26<sup>th</sup> April 1706.

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This Com. Council do order y<sup>t</sup> the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Steffington Esq son to y<sup>e</sup> Lt. Massereen be presented with a ticket of freedom as M<sup>r</sup>. Mayor shall direct.

Lieut Charles Sturien having married the daughter of Ald<sup>r</sup> Ash of this city is admitted into the freedom of this Corporation to have his ticket given him when M<sup>r</sup>. Mayor please

2<sup>nd</sup> July 1706

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The Chamberlain having informed this Common Council that one Richard Crompton perriewmaker, hath lately filed a Bill in y<sup>e</sup> Chancery y<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Eschequer

Page 53 in Dublin against him for prosecuting of said Burmpton for not taking out his freedom of this city pursuant to the order of this Common Council given of St. Chamber. Ordered of the St. Chamberline give his answer to the said bill & make what legal defence he can of the charge of Chamberline is at the expense of the Chamber.

Richard Peps now of the city of Londonderry Gent being a freeman of London having desired to be admitted into the freedom of this Corporation He is admitted into the freedom thereof without fee to be sworn when the Mayor pleases.

Upon petition of James M. Affie ironmaker & Hugh Jones ironmaker to be admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation; Ordered if they be admitted they severally paying spoon, Bucketh & other fees accustomed, to be sworn when the Mayor pleases.

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The Mayor having informed this Common Council that Sir Ralph Gore & Capt. Frederick Hamilton now in town are gentlemen who will kindly receive the freedom of this city. Ordered by the Common Council that tickets of freedom be given by the Mayor when he pleases.

26<sup>th</sup> July 1706

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54 The Mayor having acquainted this Common Council of the arrival of His Grace the Primate of Armagh in this City. It is the desire of this Common Council that the Mayor do order tickets of Freedom to be delivered to His Grace in the Council Chamber & if the Mayor give an entertainment to His Grace & such others as he thinks fit to invite at the charge of the Corporation.

Orders of tickets of freedom be given to Barnardus Cappel Esq, Heber<sup>th</sup> William Tisdale Clerk, Benjamin Huson Clerk, Mo Moland Esq, Doctor Lloyd, Richard Lynott Esq & Richard Darke Gent.

3<sup>rd</sup> October 1706.

55. This Court being informed of there are several merchants in this City who are freemen of deals in trade by partnership or otherwise with foreigners and.

Page 55 Conceale their goods so y<sup>e</sup> no townes custom is paid or recd for y<sup>e</sup> same Ordered y<sup>e</sup> M<sup>r</sup>. Mayor for y<sup>e</sup> time being send for such persons as information shall be given against t<sup>h</sup>ey on oath give an acct and answer such questions as shall be demanded of them concerning y<sup>e</sup> same and if any freeman be found to act contrary to his oath of freedom that he be disfranchised at next Conon Council after conviction

27<sup>th</sup> January 1706.

67 x x If any freemen of this city in their own persons or by their servants do buy any goods or merchandize in any place without y<sup>e</sup> liberties of this city & receive them there then the sd. goods to pay no toln otherwise to pay as forreigns

3<sup>rd</sup> February 1706

72 This Conon Council taking into their consideration that when the freedom of this city is presented to any gentlemen by tickets it would be much to y<sup>e</sup> credit of y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>s</sup>. that no fee or gratuity should be taken for the same by any officers belonging to them Do Resolve (nemine contradicente) that hence forward no reward gratuity or fee shall be taken by the Chamber or any other offices of this Corp<sup>s</sup>. on account of freedom tickets and that they shall be always presented by the Mayor.

Ordered y<sup>e</sup> a ticket of freedom be given to y<sup>e</sup> Rev M<sup>r</sup>. Samuel Elwood.

73 On petition of Marjory Holland setting forth how active he husband was in y<sup>e</sup> defence of this city during y<sup>e</sup> late siege in y<sup>e</sup> station of a Captain & praying her son in law John Bonnor Taylor who is very poor & unable to take out his freedom may be admitted freeman without fees. Ordered y<sup>e</sup> he be admitted without paying spoon or Bucked.

28<sup>th</sup> February 1706,

75. Upon petition of John Dorcas for freedom he is

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admitted paying spoon Bucket fees to be sworn when M. Mayor please.

Wm Hunter Taylor is likewise admitted freeman on his pet: paying spoon Bucket fees to be sworn when M. Mayor please.

24<sup>th</sup> April 1707.

77 Ordered that Gov. Wackers son & Sr. Robert Staples son be presented with the Ticket of freedom of this City, and that M. Mayor treat them on y<sup>e</sup> delivery of the same at the Corporation's charge.

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26<sup>th</sup> August 1707

79 It being reported to this Common Council that Nicholas Abaker, Esq. Council at Law would kindly accept of freedom of this city Ordered that he be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this city and that M. Mayor present him with a Ticket of freedom when he please.

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30<sup>th</sup> September 1707.

83 Ordered y<sup>t</sup> that all y<sup>e</sup> Scot. at Mace that are not freemen of this city & James White goale be admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this Incorporation without fine or fees.

16<sup>th</sup> October 1707.

85 M<sup>r</sup> Mayor having laid before this Common Council a paper intitled y<sup>e</sup> demands of the Mercht: from y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>o</sup>. wh. are as followeth

- 1<sup>st</sup> That all goods & merchandize bought or sold free at y<sup>e</sup> mast by freemen to pay noe Towns custom and what is now alledged to be due by said mercht: to y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>o</sup>. toll discharged;
- 2<sup>nd</sup> That all grain bought for exportation that has not been exposed to sale in y<sup>e</sup> publick market to pay noe toll.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> That pullocks bought by freemen before they come within y<sup>e</sup> liberties to pay no toll.
- 4<sup>th</sup> That all iron bought by a freeman before it comes within y<sup>e</sup> liberties to pay no toll.
- 5<sup>th</sup> That all butter hides tallow be bought in parcell by a freeman before they come within y<sup>e</sup> liberties though not received by the buyers

to pay no toll.

This Court having maturely considered the same returned answer to y<sup>e</sup> sd Merch<sup>t</sup> on y<sup>e</sup> demands afores<sup>d</sup> as follows.

89 The Corp<sup>s</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> city of Londonderry in order to an amicable agreement with y<sup>e</sup> Merch<sup>t</sup> of this city return in answer to y<sup>e</sup> articles given in by them to y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>s</sup> as followeth.

To y<sup>e</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Article resolved by y<sup>e</sup> Corporation that goods imported & bought at y<sup>e</sup> mast by any freeman shall not for y<sup>e</sup> future be lyable to pay Townes Custom And that all grain & meal sold & delivered at y<sup>e</sup> head by any freeman shall pay no Townes Custom for y<sup>e</sup> future, but all other goods & merchandizes so sold & delivered to continue lyable to y<sup>e</sup> Townes Custom as formerly. As to their demands of being discharged of what is due to y<sup>e</sup> Corp<sup>s</sup> The Corp<sup>s</sup> do allow that what Townes dues is now due by the Merch<sup>t</sup> for goods & merchandizes bought at y<sup>e</sup> mast shall be discharged But that all Townes dues on goods exported & sold at y<sup>e</sup> mast now due be forthwith paid to y<sup>e</sup> Corporation

Answers to y<sup>e</sup> 2<sup>o</sup> Article. That all grain & meal bought by any freeman & shipped by them within four days after y<sup>e</sup> next of the said grain or meal in order for exportation be free of y<sup>e</sup> toll for y<sup>e</sup> Clk of y<sup>e</sup> market from & after y<sup>e</sup> second day of Feby next otherwise to pay toll as formerly

y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>o</sup> to read here. Answer to y<sup>e</sup> 4<sup>o</sup> Article that from and after y<sup>e</sup> second day of Feby next every hundred wt of iron brought into this city or liberties pay 1<sup>sd</sup> (except y<sup>e</sup> merch<sup>t</sup> receiving it make oath if required that he bought it by his l<sup>te</sup> or otherwise before it came within y<sup>e</sup> city or liberties in wh. case to pay no toll. Answer to y<sup>e</sup> 3<sup>o</sup> article The Corp<sup>s</sup> think it reasonable that y<sup>e</sup> toll paid for Bullocks and other cattle be continued as formerly. To y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>o</sup> article That from & after y<sup>e</sup> second day of Feby next if any freeman of this city in their own persons or by their servants or L<sup>er</sup> do

90 buy any goods or merchandizes in parcell from any dealer without y<sup>e</sup> liberties before such goods

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Come within y<sup>e</sup> liberties then y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>t</sup>. goods to pay no toll otherwise to pay as forraigniers (except as before accepted in the 3<sup>d</sup> article)

The Chaur<sup>l</sup> is ordered ~~is ordered~~ to draw a copy of y<sup>e</sup> said answers and to signe y<sup>e</sup> same wh. answer is to be delivered to y<sup>e</sup> Merch<sup>ts</sup>. afores<sup>d</sup>. they at y<sup>e</sup> same time delivering to y<sup>e</sup> Chaur<sup>l</sup> under their hands an instrument in writing acknowledging their satisfaction & complaisance with y<sup>e</sup> said answers and that they will withdraw y<sup>e</sup> petition by them preferred to y<sup>e</sup> Honble House of Commons agst this booke

1<sup>st</sup> April 1708.

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Upon reading the petition of William Martin smith to be admitted freeman he is admitted paying the accustomed fees.

Upon reading the petition of William Scott Merch<sup>t</sup> to be admitted freeman, he is admitted paying the accustomed fees.

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On reading the petition of John Macrea cordwinder to be admitted freeman, he is admitted paying the accustomed fees

On reading the petition of John Mulheran, Taylour to be admitted freeman he is admitted paying the accustomed fees.

1<sup>st</sup> June 1708

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Thomas Elder baker on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues.

Daniel Norridge on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues.

William Ross, Carpenter on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues.

John Brown shoer on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed fees, dues.

Robert Brown, cordwinder, on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues.

John Robertson cordwinder on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues.

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Edward Sanders brasier on his petition is admitted Freeman paying the accustomed dues

George Sharkey taylor on his petition is admitted Freeman paying the accustomed dues.

James Sharkey weaver on his petition is admitted Freeman paying the accustomed dues.

2<sup>o</sup> August 1708

117 Ordered that Sr Mark Ransford Michael Ward Esq Aldr. Charles Forreast, Benjamin Parry Esq, and Daniel Cook be presented with their tickets of freedom.

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6<sup>th</sup> September 1708.

118 Ordered that the charges expended on a treat on Sir Mark Ransford and others at the last assizes when complimented with their freedom shall be paid by the Chamberlain wh charges was omitted to be mentioned in the Act of Comon Council on their admission

119 Ordered that Colon<sup>l</sup>. John Lupton be presented with his freedom and that there be an intertainment on that occasion at the Corpors. chape.

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John Richardson of the suburbs of Londonderry, clothier on his petition is admitted Freeman of this city paying customary fees.

John Wleens brasier is admitted freeman on his petition paying customary dues

David Alexander carpenter on his petition is admitted freeman paying the customary fees, dues

19<sup>th</sup> October 1708

121 Patrick Norris, Brasier, on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues and giving security to pay Scot and hott.

James Foster Barber on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed ~~fees~~ <sup>dues</sup> and giving security, as aforesaid.

122 Thomas Wilson murriner on his petition is admitted freeman paying the accustomed dues

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19<sup>th</sup>. November 1708

Mr. Alex. Squire son of Ald<sup>r</sup>. William Squire dect. on his petition is admitted freeman without paying for Spoon and Bucket.

Mr John Lennox son of Ald<sup>r</sup>. James Lennox on his petition is admitted freeman without paying for Spoon & Bucket.

127 Mr. Robert Boyd, Mercht. on his petition is admitted freeman paying customary dues.

28<sup>th</sup>. January 1708<sup>9</sup>

131 Thomas Moncrieffe son of Alderman Thomas Moncrieffe dect. is admitted freeman without paying any fees.

Ordered that Mr. George Gunn be complimented with his Ticket of Freedom.

7<sup>th</sup> March 1708<sup>9</sup>

136 Ord<sup>r</sup> that the Chamberl<sup>n</sup>. doe prepare a Ticket of freedom for the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup>. Tho. Broderick Esq. to be sent him when the Letter Thanks is sent him by the City. Done accordingly.

15<sup>th</sup> April 1709

137 Mr. James Wallock Mercht is admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees

Mr. Hugh Rodgers Ship Carpenter is admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees

Ordered that Mr. Francis Sadler Surveyor Genl. & the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Mr. John Fryer be complimented with tickets of Freedom from this Corporation & a bottle of wine to be given them at the Corporation charge.

28<sup>th</sup>. April 1709

139 Ordered that Mr. Alexander Somers Mr. Tho. Skipton, the Rev. Mr. Stephen Miller & Mr. John Grahams Attorney be complimented with tickets of freedom of this city & a bottle of wine to be given them by Mr. Wray at the Corporation charge.

30<sup>th</sup> August 1709

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Archibald Mackey on his petition is admitted  
freeman on his residence & paying customary fees

John Williams on his petition is admitted freeman  
paying customary fees

Ordered that the Chart<sup>r</sup> do acquaint George  
Ballougher & James Cochran & all others that follows  
any trade or selling that unless they take out  
their freedom the Corporation has ordered him to  
shut up their shops.

10<sup>th</sup> October 1709

143 James Cochran merch<sup>t</sup> George Ballougher  
cordwinder, James Leason signmaker, Edward  
Moren cooper are admitted freemen on their  
petitions paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> November 1709

145 Richard Ironson mariner is admitted freeman  
on his petition paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> January 1709

149 Ordered that the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Cooper the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr.  
W<sup>m</sup> Hamilton the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. George Leaslie Capt Thomas  
Stewart Mr. James Hamilton, Mr. Henry White, Mr. John  
Pitkington, Mr. Hugh Woodbridge and Mr. Edward  
Skipton be complimented with tickets of freedom.

Hugh Sloan & W<sup>m</sup> W<sup>m</sup> are admitted  
freemen on their pet<sup>n</sup> paying fees.

7<sup>th</sup> January 1709

151 Ord<sup>d</sup> by this Council that the following  
persons be complimented with tickets of freedom of this City

The Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. James Grafton	Capt <sup>n</sup> Matthew George
The Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. Thomas Leason	Mr. W <sup>m</sup> Frazer
Doct <sup>r</sup> Robert Gournay	Mr. Thomas Gage
The Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. Lawrence Clatterbuck	Mr. Rob <sup>t</sup> Wobesland
The Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. John Chalmers	Capt <sup>n</sup> W <sup>m</sup> Rowan
The Rev <sup>d</sup> Mr. John Less	Mr. Henry Cust

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The Rev Mr. John Spotswood  
 The Rev Mr. Videns best  
 The Rev Mr. James Goodlet  
 The Rev Mr. Andrew Henderson  
 The Rev Mr. Frederick Henderson  
 The Rev Mr. Nathaniel Cooper  
 The Rev Mr. Isaac Collier  
 The Rev Mr. William Reed  
 The Rev Mr. George Forbes  
 The Rev Mr. Samuel Ellwood  
 The Rev Mr. Simon Reed  
 The Rev Mr. Isaac Reed  
 The Rev Mr. Paul Reed  
 The Rev Mr. Robert Warder  
 The Rev Mr. David Alderdash  
 The Rev Mr. Jephery Ppaving  
 The Rev Mr. Benjamin Every  
 The Rev Mr. William Spence  
 The Rev Mr. John Humble  
 The Rev Mr. Robert Reed  
 The Rev Mr. Robert Davis  
 The Rev Mr. Clarkworthy Gosson  
 The Rev Mr. Thomas Finley  
 The Rev Mr. John Nisbit  
 The Rev Mr. James Crute  
 The Rev Mr. Walter Forrest  
 The Rev Mr. Hugh Wright  
 The Rev Mr. Nathaniel Mathews  
 The Rev Mr. Robt Morgan  
 The Rev Mr. William Stratton

Mr. Arthur Benson  
 Mr. Peter Benson  
 Mr. Walter Herrod  
 Capt. George Tangher  
 Mr. William Stanley  
 Mr. Charles Parroway  
 Mr. Charles Tangher  
 Mr. George Younge  
 Mr. Edward Carey  
 Mr. George Davenport  
 Mr. George Hart  
 Mr. Robert Younge  
 Mr. Ezekiel Benson  
 Mr. Anthony Dobbin  
 Mr. Francis Carey  
 Mr. Charles Leaslie  
 Mr. Stephen Skipton  
 Mr. Tristram Suetenham  
 Mr. George Suetenham  
 Mr. John Locken  
 Capt. James Nisbit  
 Court John Nisbit  
 Mr. Richard Babbington  
 Henry Brooke Esq  
 James Hamilton of Doremaroughly  
 Mr. Alexander Nisbit  
 Capt. John Hamilton of Cumber  
 Mr. Henry Brey  
 Mr. James Sinclair  
 Mr. Paul Church

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Mr Charles Church, Mr John Hodson Senr, Mr John  
 Hodson Junr, Mr Richard Hodson, Mr Henry Hodson  
 Mr Arthur Church, Mr Robert Winkley, Mr Tristram  
 Suetenham.

Ordered that Mr William Dent be admitted into  
 the freedom of this City without paying Spoon Buckell  
 or fees & to be sworn

21<sup>st</sup> January 1709

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The following persons are admitted into the freedom of this Corporation on their petitions paying fees  
Cornelius Leuit Meason, John Larson carrier, John  
Sicks butcher, Tho. Dier baker, Marmaduke Haggash  
butcher, John Younge Carpenter, John Woffarland,  
Meason, Quasar Campbell turner, Hugh Morris  
Carpenter & Richard Mulholland, Smith.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to Mr.  
George AllGeorge, the Rev Mr. John Strong, & Ensigne  
John Lecky & to Mr. Matthew Bateman if he be not  
already a freeman.

25<sup>th</sup> July 1710

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Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to Col. David  
Creighton, Mr. James Hamilton, Cornet, Gustavus  
Manneton, Mr. Humphrey Wray, the Rev Mr. William Welch  
the Rev Mr. Alex. Knox, the Rev Mr. William Campbell, the  
Rev Mr. John Robison, & the Rev Mr. William Wright  
Chaplain to Col. Creightons Regiment.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that Mr. Mayor doe give Col. Creighton and  
the rest of the Gent<sup>l</sup> now ord<sup>d</sup> to be ticketed a bottle of  
wine at the Corp<sup>s</sup> charge when their tickets are  
given them and that Capt<sup>l</sup> Thomas Stewart, the  
Rev Mr. William Leiper, the Rev Mr. George Leslie, & the Rev  
Mr. William Hamilton to whom tickets were formerly  
ordered be invited to s<sup>d</sup> Entertainment & their tickets  
given them.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that the action depending in the Mayors  
Courte against John Marshall cond<sup>m</sup>inder for  
fourty shill fine for following his trade not being  
of the freedom of this City be withdrawne on his pet<sup>n</sup>  
he paying to the Chev<sup>s</sup> three shill & fourpence  
as a fine & the costs of Courte.

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Ord<sup>d</sup> that the s<sup>d</sup> John Marshall be admitted  
on his pet<sup>n</sup> into the freedom of this City paying customary fees

Ord<sup>d</sup> that George Buisse Taylor, be admitted  
on his pet<sup>n</sup> into the freedom of this City paying  
Customary fees.

12<sup>th</sup> December 1710

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Mr. James Badie petitioning his Common Council to be admitted into the freedom of this City & to have some towns custom due by him remitted and a distress of his goods that was taken by Mr. Frederick Birmingham for sd<sup>o</sup> towns custom returned him

Ord<sup>r</sup>. therefore that sd<sup>o</sup> James Badie be admitted into the freedom of this City paying Customary fees

Ord<sup>r</sup>. likewise that said Badie doe pay all y<sup>e</sup> towns custom due by him before his admitt<sup>ion</sup> into the freedom of this City.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1710

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Ord<sup>r</sup>. that tickets of freedom of this Corp<sup>o</sup> be given to Capt Antony Bernard the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Thomas Wallace the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. James Southey, the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Francis Bross Mr. Fielding Wallace and Mr. Joseph Springe.

18<sup>th</sup> January 1710

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That for the future no person (except freemen) shall sell in the market at any time except at the time of a fair any goods or merchandises but what are the product of his Kingdom.

That every person acting contrary to the afores<sup>d</sup> Act shall forfeit five shill to be levied by y<sup>e</sup> Churchwardens a Morp<sup>t</sup> whereof shall be to himselfe & the other to the poor.

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Ord<sup>r</sup>. that Mr. Phillip Sullivan & Mr. Robert Harton junior be admitted into the freedom of this Corporation to be sworn when Mr. Mayor shall think fit without paying any fees spoon or buckett.

Ord<sup>r</sup>. that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. John Kennedy & the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Daniel Ford.

2<sup>nd</sup> April 1711

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Thomas Dunsire Mercer & Alexander Gardner blacksmith are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>ition</sup> paying fees.

14<sup>th</sup> May 1711  
 p. 173 Henry Williams, seller, and John Iron, cordwinder  
 are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup>: paying fees.  
 Ord<sup>r</sup>? that a ticket of freedom be given to  
 Henry Lecky, at 1

12<sup>th</sup> June 1711  
 174 Ord<sup>r</sup>? that George Bell, cordwinder, John Campbell  
 Smith Charles Bradley, glazier, & Samuel Teas, barbers  
 be admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup>: paying fees.

27<sup>th</sup> August 1711  
 176 Ord<sup>r</sup>? on James McKessons pet<sup>s</sup>: that his fine of  
 forty shill. for exercising his trade as a hatter &  
 not being free of the City for which he has given  
 bond to the Chamber<sup>s</sup>: be reduced to sixpence & that  
 the Chamber<sup>s</sup>: do give him up his bond on payment  
 of said sixpence and he is likewise admitted to  
 his freedom paying fees.

Ord<sup>r</sup>? that Gilbert Smith Blacksmith, John  
 Walker, James Tompson, John Carr, & William Lelmore,  
 cordwinders, Samuel Perkins, carpenter, William  
 Haggerty, taylor, and John Marshall, chapman be  
 admitted to their freedoms paying fees.

21<sup>st</sup> September 1711  
 ✓ + 177 Ord<sup>r</sup>? that tickets of freedom be given to the  
 R<sup>ts</sup>: Hon James Ed. Nicl<sup>e</sup>: Pauley, M<sup>r</sup>: Justice Npton  
 and M<sup>r</sup>: Serj<sup>t</sup>: Hassel.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1711  
 181 Ord<sup>r</sup>? that William Peterson, Servis Keady,  
 Andrew McKillois & John Deloy merchant<sup>s</sup>: be admitted  
 to their freedoms paying customary fees.

6<sup>th</sup> March 1711  
 192 Thomas Wright butcher on his pet<sup>s</sup>: is admitted  
 into the freedom of this City paying fees & his fine  
 of forty shill. for exercising his trade not being a

192 freeman for which the chart<sup>r</sup> is now prosecuting him in the Mayors Court is by this Common Council reduced to silence, he withdrawing the action out of the Mayors Court at his own charge.

Thomas Mellinger barber on his petition is admitted a freeman paying fees except sworn + Bouchet which is by this Common Council forgiven him.

High Dary cordwainer, William Buchanan barber, and Andrew Kinnes, carpenter are admitted freemen on their petitions paying fees.

5<sup>th</sup> May 1712

193 Complaint having been made to this Common Council that Thomas Wright butcher has since he was admitted a freeman carried himself very insolently to several members of this Corp<sup>s</sup>. Therefore this Common Council do order that as he is not yet sworn a freeman that the act of last Common Council for admitting him a freeman be repealed and that if he continues to exercise his trade that the chart<sup>r</sup> do prosecute him for the same according to the byelaws.

7<sup>th</sup> July 1712

195 Mr. Samuel Maxwell apothecary on his pet<sup>n</sup> is admitted a freeman paying fees.

15<sup>th</sup> August 1712

+ 196 Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev Father in God Edward Lord Bp<sup>p</sup> of Down & Connor the Rev Benjamin Pratt, Provost of Trinity Colledge Dublin the Rev. Doctor Claud Gilbert, the Rev Doct. John Edmund, John Smith Esq, James Dawson Esq, Capt. Hunt Butler

4<sup>th</sup> October 1712

+ 198 Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to the Honble Major Genl. Edward Pearce & Capt Edward Pearce his son to be presented by Mr. Mayors with a bottle of wine at the Corp<sup>s</sup> expenses

William Wilson mariner & John barbery mariner

p. 198 are admitted freemen on their pets: paying customary fees.

The Chanc<sup>r</sup>: having pursuant to a bylaw comenc<sup>d</sup> a suite for 40/- against Marmeluke Knouell for not having taken out his freedom in due time, sd Knouell having now petitioned for a remittance of sd fine of 40/- & to be admitted into the freedom of his City both are granted him, paying customary fees of a freeman.

22<sup>nd</sup> November 1712.

200 Lewis Mabelife, Marins William Merson and Lemuel Ferguson Merch<sup>t</sup>: are admitted freemen on their pets: paying fees.

19<sup>th</sup> December 1712

201 Ord<sup>r</sup>: that a ticket of freedom be given to Major Thomas Handcock.

29<sup>th</sup> January 1712

203 M<sup>r</sup>: John Purvis & M<sup>r</sup>: Robert Mortimer Merch<sup>t</sup> on their pets: are admitted freemen paying customary fees.

Danahiel Alexander Tenner on his pet<sup>r</sup>: is admitted a freeman when he comes & resides in this City.

204 Ord<sup>r</sup>: that the Chanc<sup>r</sup>: do get the price of Lignumvite that was sent to this Corp<sup>s</sup> as a present by M<sup>r</sup>: John Lew of Antegua made into two purch<sup>d</sup> bowles & to get ym<sup>e</sup> edged with silver. Ord<sup>r</sup>: that the Chanc<sup>r</sup>: do send a ticket of freedom to sd M<sup>r</sup>: Lew for his civil present.

17<sup>th</sup> March 1712-13

205 The Chanc<sup>r</sup>: having comenc<sup>d</sup> an action pursuant to the bylaw against James Pearson, Chapman for transgressing the bylaw of this City in selling of goods within this City by retail, and not being free of the same, the sd Pearson making

p. 208 now his submission by petition & praying said action to be withdrawn. Ord<sup>d</sup> that sd<sup>d</sup> action be withdrawn upon his paying the costs & five shill<sup>s</sup> as a fine which said five shill<sup>s</sup> see order the Clerk to pay to widow to Harlane a poor woman.

19<sup>th</sup> May 1713

210 Ord<sup>d</sup> that a ticket of freedom be given to M<sup>r</sup>. William Forward.

31<sup>st</sup> June 1713

211 Ord<sup>d</sup> that a ticket of freedom be given to the Res<sup>t</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Peter Ward.

15<sup>th</sup> June 1713

Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to the Res<sup>t</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. James Simple & Adam Brasby Esq.

5<sup>th</sup> August 1713

211<sup>A</sup> Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to M<sup>r</sup>. Justice Nutty, M<sup>r</sup>. James Harrisford, M<sup>r</sup>. George Larkins & M<sup>r</sup>. Arthur Carey.

29<sup>th</sup> August 1713.

212 The Clerk<sup>s</sup> having pursuant to a bylaw come<sup>d</sup> a suit against James Brown stationer for a fine of forty shill<sup>s</sup> steep for exercising his trade and not being of the freedom of the City and the sd<sup>d</sup> James Brown having by his pet<sup>n</sup> to this Court Council acknowledged his fault & humbly pray<sup>d</sup> sd<sup>d</sup> fine to be remitted him & to be admitted into the freedom of the City. Ord<sup>d</sup> therefore that sd<sup>d</sup> Brown be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees and that the fine of 40<sup>s</sup> be remitted him.

Thomas Baker, merch<sup>t</sup>. John Dacey, merch<sup>t</sup>. John Cliford, merch<sup>t</sup>. John Birmingham, merch<sup>t</sup>. & William Crenly Taylor are admitted into the freedom of the City on their pet<sup>n</sup> paying customary fees.

John Love, merch<sup>t</sup> is admitted into the freedom of

212 the City on his pet's paying customary fees to be sworn when he resides.

21<sup>st</sup> August 1713

214 Sirias Speare merch: John Sturdy apothecary & James Melvin Mariner are admitted into the freedom of the City on their pet's paying customary fees.

9<sup>th</sup> September 1713

Ord<sup>d</sup> by this Town Council that tickets of freedom be given to the R<sup>t</sup>. Noble George Duke of Dunbarton Capt W<sup>m</sup>. Parborough Capt James Fleming and Capt W<sup>m</sup>. Bennaker & that the Mayor do give them their tickets & a bottle of wine in y<sup>e</sup>. town hall.

215 Whereas there was an Act made at a Town Council held the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1703 that all & every Ald<sup>r</sup>. & Burgess son or sons or any person that marries an Ald<sup>r</sup>. or Burgess daughter shall be admitted into y<sup>e</sup>. freedom of this City thinking or not residing paying customary fees of a freeman.

Upon mature consideration of s<sup>d</sup>. Act this C. C. do repeal s<sup>d</sup>. Act unanimously and do order that for the future that no Ald<sup>r</sup>. or Burgess son or son or any person that marries an Ald<sup>r</sup>. or Burgess daughter or any other person be admitted into the freedom of this City otherwise than by tickets unless he resides within this City or Liberties.

Resolved likewise for the future that all persons whatsoever not residing within this City or Liberties shall pay town custom & toll as foreigners.

25<sup>th</sup> November 1713

217 Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to W<sup>m</sup>. Thomas Grove and W<sup>m</sup>. William Jackson.

24<sup>th</sup> January 1713

219 Ord<sup>d</sup>. that W<sup>m</sup>. Robert Graham Attorney be admitted a freeman to be sworn without paying Spoon or Buckets.

4<sup>th</sup> February 1713

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Mr. Robert Cator Merch. & John Godfrey Chapman are admitted freemen on their pet: paying fees.

4<sup>th</sup> March 1713

223

Ord<sup>r</sup> that William Knox, Chapman be admitted a freeman on his pet: paying customary fees.  
Ord<sup>r</sup> that a ticket of freedom be given to Lieut. Labrose Burrows.

20<sup>th</sup> April 1714

226

X

Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to General<sup>l</sup> Bross & Capt Archer and a bottle wine at the Corp<sup>s</sup> Expence if Mr. Mayor thinks fit.

15<sup>th</sup> June 1714

228

William Kilpatrick Shopkeeper on his pet: acknowledging his fault is admitted a freeman upon paying of forty shillings for his transgression and customary fees.

James Tuskey Merch<sup>l</sup> & Alexander Wolintock Merch<sup>l</sup> & James Paton Cutler are admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

229

Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be prepared for John Lord Bpp of Downy George Jefferys Esq & Ensigne William Stewart to be given them when Mr Mayor thinks fit with an Entertainment in the C<sup>o</sup> Chamber and that Mr Mayor do invite such persons as he shall think proper to sd Entertainment.

23<sup>rd</sup> June 1714

Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be given Capt Samuel Warren Capt Thomas Gardner & the Res<sup>t</sup> Mr Samuel Close at the same time the Bpp<sup>s</sup> is given him

9<sup>th</sup> July 1714

Ord<sup>r</sup> that tickets of freedom be given to Major Phillip Durburn & Philimon Browaloe.

p. 229 Richard Williams cordwinder is admitted a freeman on his pet: paying customary fees.

20<sup>th</sup> July 1714

226 Ord. that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev. Doctor John Hall, Col. William Berry, Sr. John Brownlow, Mr. Henry Newburgh, and Mr. Alexander Andrews.

John Adams pair breeches on his pet: is admitted a freeman paying customary fees.

4<sup>th</sup> August 1714

231 Mr. James Kennedy and Mr. Gabriel Ash, merchants are admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given to Capt. John Ash.

10<sup>th</sup> August 1714

232 Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given to Major David Dunbar.

27<sup>th</sup> August 1714

233 Patrick Morris, breeches, on his pet: is admitted a freeman paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> September 1714

235 John Hamilton, taker, on his pet: is admitted a freeman paying customary fees.

Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev. Mr. Thomas Daniel, the Rev. Mr. Thomas Brewster and the Rev. Mr. George Wolflinghlin & Doctor Rose.

11<sup>th</sup> October 1714

236 William Ellis Cooper, James Rising cordwinder and George Johnston gloves, are admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. John Crighton

9<sup>th</sup> December 1714

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Dr. John Stevenson, apothecary, is admitted a freeman on his pet: paying eight pound as a fine and customary fees, and Mr. John Hiley, Merchant is admitted a freeman on his pet: paying customary fees.

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Ord. that tickets of freedom be given to the Right Rev. Father in God Edward Ld. Bp<sup>o</sup> of Naples  
 Mr. Timothy Oun, Col John Allen, Mr. Richard Bolton  
 Mr. Gilbert Sallice.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1714

244

Samuel Fox Merchant is admitted a freeman on his pet: paying customary fees.

21<sup>st</sup> January 1714

245

Ord that Hugh Brown printer be admitted a freeman on his pet: when he comes & resides with his family paying customary fees.

Ord. that William Bance, tanner be admitted a freeman on his petition paying three pound as a fine & customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> March 1714

248

Henry Hart, Merchant, and James Bryson taylor are admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> March 1715

249

John Beacock, Smith, is admitted a freeman on his pet: paying customary fees and giving security that he nor his family shall not hereafter be any charge to the Parish.

Jeremiah Gardner & Benjamin Davis Tinsmiths are admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> May 1715

250

Joseph Brown, Wheelmaker, and Alexander

1. 250 Ord. that blacksmiths are admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> June 1715

251

Mr. Mayor acquainting this Com. Council that His Grace the Arch-Bishop of all Ireland is now in this City ~~but that a ticket of freedom be given his Grace~~ with an entertainment in the Council Chamber at such time as Mr. Mayor shall appoint.

And likewise that tickets of freedom be given Mr. Cross & Doctor Boy, who came here with his Grace and to visit James Lees who was born in this City and that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Tomkins, Ald. Alced. Tomkins, Ald. Matthew Squire, Mr. Sheriffe Taylor and the Chamber be a Committee to prepare such entertainment as they shall think proper for the said and to invite such persons to sd. entertainment as they shall think fit.

Robert Hampton Mercet is admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>n</sup> paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> August 1715

252

Ord. that the severall rates conceived by the Chamber pursuant to the bylaws against William Barnabyson, cooper, William Johnston cooper, Joseph Reed cooper, Alexander Harvey cooper, Bryan Wezall cooper, & William Knott cooper, for fourty shillds each as a fine for exercising their trades not being freemen be withdrawn they paying the costs of Court & sixpence pr piece as a fine.

And likewise that all the sd. persons be admitted freemen on their pet<sup>n</sup> paying customary fees.

Robert Bell Cordwainer, & John Johnston brewer are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>n</sup> paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1715

253

George brookshakes marrier & Ant<sup>o</sup> Stewart Mercet are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>n</sup> paying customary fees

2<sup>d</sup> January 1715

4. 25<sup>b</sup> William Lin apothecary having petitioned the Court Council for his freedom. Ordered that he be admitted a freeman paying ten pound as a fine and customary fees.

Ord likewise that in case st. Lin does not comply with the above Order that the Chanc<sup>l</sup> do forthwith sue him on the by laws for following his trade not being free of the City.

24<sup>th</sup> May 1716

263 Mr. Arthur Wolbrecken, Merch<sup>t</sup>, Mr. Samuel Cowder Merch<sup>t</sup>, and Mr. Robert Salders, Merch<sup>t</sup> are admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> May 1716

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Col. George Burston, Capt Stephen Sanderson, Capt George Gordon, Mr William Boyle, and Mr William Lennox and that Mr. Mayor may give them a bottle of wine at the Corp<sup>s</sup> expence when he gives them their tickets.

31<sup>st</sup> May 1716

204 Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Doctor Thomas Hesketh Chaplain to the Double Brigadier Berr<sup>s</sup> Regiment.

William Crayford, Taylor and Langhein Hoffden Taylor are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> November 1716

266 Walter Cragham, Merch<sup>t</sup>, Thomas Barton Merch<sup>t</sup>, John Stocks Merch<sup>t</sup>, James King Cooper, John Fenison Cooper, George Highy Smith, John Gardner Smith, James Citty, Shipcarpenter, John Johnston Carpenter were admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup> paying more Purcell<sup>s</sup> & customary fees; James Walpin, Merch<sup>t</sup> was likewise admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>s</sup> paying forty

7. 26s Shills as a fine upon Buckett & Customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> November 1716

268 Alexander Ranking apothecary, William Oak apothecary, William Graham apothecary, Robert Hurry Tanner, Bishop's, Williams merch, Richard Cooingham merch, William Shawe Carpent, and Archibald Colbreth carpenter are admitted freemen on their petrs. paying customary fees.

28<sup>th</sup> December 1716

270 Wm Hamilton meriner & James Alexander merch are admitted freemen on their petrs. paying customary fees.

1<sup>st</sup> February 1716

273 George Comberford, saddler, & Patrick Living merch are admitted freemen on their petrs. paying customary fees. Joseph Sandilan baker is likewise admitted a freeman on his petrs. paying forty shills as a fine & customary fees.

And that the by laws be forthwith put in execution against Robert Wokeen for opening shop and not being free of the City.

Resolved that for the future the Chamber in whose time any freemen are admitted shall have the benefit of the Chamber's fees although the persons admitted in his time are not sworn in his time.

21<sup>st</sup> February 1716

276 Robt Wokeen, merch having paid his fine of forty shills pursuant to the by laws for opening shop without being admitted a freeman and now desiring of this Common Council to be admitted a freeman on such terms as they shall thinke fit the said Robt Wokeen was admitted a freeman paying forty shills as a fine and customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> April 1717

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Ord<sup>d</sup> that William Henderson, merch<sup>t</sup> Nathos  
Reeson merch<sup>t</sup> & Thomas Hutchisson mariner be  
admitted freemen on their petis paying customary  
fees.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given the W<sup>th</sup> of  
Raphel & the Lord Cheiffe Justice Fortescue.

7<sup>th</sup> May 1717

280

Ord<sup>d</sup> that tickets of freedom be given Brig<sup>d</sup>?  
Barr Collee, Major Kemp, Capt Dixit, Capt Colburn  
& Capt Stone and that an entertainment be given  
them in the Council Chamber and that Ald<sup>r</sup>  
Nathos Lyurie & the Sherrifs provide such entertain-  
ment as they shall judge proper for the occasion.

9<sup>th</sup> May 1717

281

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev<sup>d</sup>  
Mr William Lyburn, Mr George Bolton and that they  
be invited to the entertainment provided for Brig<sup>d</sup> Barr to  
Ord that a ticket of freedom be sent to Mr  
William Holsworth to Dublin.

5<sup>th</sup> September 1717

282

Ord that the Sherrifs pay Ald<sup>r</sup> John Moore  
his debt of nine pound sixteen shill. and six pence  
stay for wine he had to entertain Brig<sup>d</sup> Barr to when  
made free by ticket.

William Nugent, merch<sup>t</sup> Adam Haggerty  
taxer, Moses Walker, Cordwinder James Burns  
Cordwinder, John Abbott Smith, Alex<sup>r</sup> Wallister  
Wigwaker, & John Lamplie Cooper are admitted  
freemen on their petis paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> November 1717

284

Mr Samuel Gordon mariner, Mr Samuel Darcy  
merch<sup>t</sup> & Mr Thomas Hutchisson merch<sup>t</sup> are  
admitted freemen on their petis paying customary  
fees.

21<sup>st</sup> December 1717

195

William Crane, Merch. Robert Buckland  
Taylor, Matthew Veale, glazier, Andrew Martin  
Wijnmaker, & Thomas Coughlin Wijnmaker  
are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup>: paying  
customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> January 1717

198

Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given the  
Rev. Mr. William Perriall

4<sup>th</sup> March 1717

193

Ord. that tickets of freedom be given Lieut Col.  
John Ramsay, Capt Edward Cullumbin, Capt John  
Murray & Capt Radcliffe Bradley.

21<sup>st</sup> June 1718

194

Ord. that Leslie Knox & William Wollintock  
Merch. and John Singspurries, be admitted  
freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup>: paying customary fees.

Price Blaise Taylor having transgressed the  
bylaws by following his trade and not being free  
of the City for which the Chamber had consented an  
action against him having petitioned this Court Council  
that he intended very suddenly to transport  
himself to New England & having likewise made  
a submission for his transgression. Ord. therefore  
that the action depending against him be withdrawn.

Ord. likewise y<sup>t</sup>. the action depending ag<sup>t</sup>  
Dorby Carbery & David Caldwell Taylor for breach  
of the Bylaws by following their trade & not  
being free of the City be withdrawn but that their  
being admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup>: be postpond  
untill next Court Council.

11<sup>th</sup> July 1718

195

Ord. that Tickets of freedom be given the Rev<sup>d</sup>  
Thomas Benson, the Rev. Mr. James Richardson, Mr. John Nicholson  
Capt Edmund Martin, Mr. Thomas Perrom, Mr. Wm. Rowan

1. 296 Ord that Mr. James Vance, Mariner be admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> November 1719

298 Alexander Cuming lately chosen Serj<sup>t</sup> by the Court of Ald<sup>r</sup> is now admitted a freeman without paying any fees and the said Serj<sup>t</sup> Cuming proposing Mr. James Lochran Merch<sup>t</sup> & Mr. John Stokes Inkeepers to be his security for the discharge of his office this Common Council agrees to the same & orders the Clerk<sup>s</sup> to take Bonds accordingly.

1<sup>st</sup> April 1719

308 Ord that tickets of freedom be given William Bell Esq. Ezekiel Stewart Esq. Mr. Alexander Knox and Mr. Edward Lee.

William Hunter, ship carpenter, is admitted freeman on his pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that for the future no Ald<sup>r</sup> or Burgesss sons in law be charged with the Spoon & Bucketh on their admission into the freedom of the City and that the Clerk<sup>s</sup> return Mr. John Hamilton the thirteen shill<sup>s</sup> & fourpence which he paid at his admittance and take credit in his acct. for the same having accounted for it in last acct.

26<sup>th</sup> May 1719

309 David Watt, Merch<sup>t</sup> & Richard Thomas, ropemaker are admitted freemen on their pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

Ord that tickets of freedom be given the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Bellingham Manleverer and Major Hugh Sample.

3<sup>rd</sup> July 1719

310 Mr. Henry Dixon was admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1719

311 Alexander Parke, Inkeeper, was admitted

p. 311 a freeman on his pet's paying customary fees

27<sup>th</sup> November 1719

312 And that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Joseph Robery, Mr. J<sup>r</sup> Nicholson, John Clinch, John Archer, and Valentine Hardin Currier, were admitted freemen on their pet's paying customary fees.

22<sup>nd</sup> April 1720

X 317 Mr. Mayor acquainting this Com. Council that the Rt Hon. Henry St. Baron Sastry Governor of this City is now in town.

And that tickets of freedom be given His Majesty & Mr. John Keating and to Col Booth, & Capt Barry if they have not been already ticketed and that an Entertainment be given them in the Hall on Monday next.

And likewise that tickets of freedom be given the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. James Ward & Mr. Henry Dent & that they be invited to said Entertainment.

16<sup>th</sup> September 1720

324 Mr. Robert Spotswood merch<sup>t</sup> was admitted a freeman on his pet's paying customary fees.

And that a ticket of freedom be given Capt. Walter Johnston.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1720

329 Mr. John King merch<sup>t</sup>, Mr. Richard Little and Mr. Stephen Husbands, Little, were admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> March 1720

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And that tickets of freedom be given Mr. William Galland, Mr. Thomas Collier, Mr. William Dent & Mr. James Ash.

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17th June 1721

Mr. Robert Merson was admitted a freeman on his pet. paying customary fees.

2nd October 1721

6 Longman Welpin Merch. John Merson considers Robert Dixon wigmaker, John Godfrey Glover, Edward Carl Glover, Henry Burville Carpenter & Samuel Long Merch. were admitted freemen on their pet. paying customary fees.

21st October 1721

7 Upon a motion of Mr. Mayor that James Laile of Rarrimore is in town, Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given his Lad. and a glass of wine in the Council Chamber.

Ord. that tickets of freedom be given the Rev. William Whitchester, the Rev. Doct. David Barry Lieut. Col. Townsend, Capt William Norris, Capt David Hayes, Capt Lewis Ormsby, Hans Hamilton Esq. Robt. Green Esq. and his George Moss and that they be invited to sit substantial and no other persons but the members of the Corporation.

2nd January 1721

12 Mr. Robert English & Mr. William Hogg carriers were admitted freemen on their pet. paying customary fees.

20th July 1722

25 Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. Theodorus Parsons.

8th August 1722

27 Mr. Mayor acquainting his lower Council that Brigadier Knapp is in town & that the Lt. Col. Rowles & several other gent. are to be in town this night.

Ord. that tickets of freedom be given Brigadier

17. 27 Messrs. Col. Blainy, Col. Bowles, Major Brown, Capt Johnston, Capt Saniford, Capt Astrell, Capt Grant, Capt Britch, the Rev. Mr. Mathewson & the Hon. Col. DeLobbe and a Bottle of wine in the Council Chamber.

16<sup>th</sup> September 1722

25 Ord. that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Joseph Fisher & his son Mr. Joseph Fisher and that a glass of wine be given them at Mr. Moore's. Mr. James Couder, Apothecary was admitted a freeman on his pet. paying customary fees.

12<sup>th</sup> November 1722

31 Mr. Alexander Bullock married the Robert Cross merch. were admitted freemen on their pet. paying customary fees.

Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. Elias Buzh.

27<sup>th</sup> November 1722

32 Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given Thos. Edwards by & a Bottle of wine when Mr. Mayor thinks proper.

5<sup>th</sup> February 1722

40 Ord. that tickets of freedom be given Henry Cary Esq. Mr. Edward Cary, Mr. John Davis and Mr. Henry White.

19<sup>th</sup> April 1723

44 The following persons were admitted freemen on their pet. paying customary fees. Mr. Montgomery Archibald, Birmingham & John Boone merch. Jacob Hand & John Ferdinand Coopers, Anquid Smith blacksmith, William Skemmer gunsmith & Robert Carr, tinner.

26<sup>th</sup> April 1723

46 Ord. that a ticket of freedom be given John Ball  
any -

4<sup>th</sup> May 1723

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Ord that tickets of freedom be given Mr. Bartholomew Warkington and Mr. John Leachy.  
Ord that Mr. Charles Linn & Mr. George Linn be admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> May 1723

52

Ord that Thomas Ferguson merch. & Adam Laphin cordwainer, be admitted freemen on their pet: paying customary fees.

26<sup>th</sup> July 1723

54

Robert Watson silversmith & William Johnston messon were admitted freemen paying fees except spoon & Buckett.

Peter Lynn, low messon Daniel Doughedy brass finisher John Hanna messon, George Linrick gunsmith, George Dixon farrier, Robert Martin Smith, low Mr. Ellroy & Saul. Wobrecken signmakers & James Woodell, tanner, Robt. Bacon baker & John Lawrence cutter were admitted freemen paying customary fees.

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Ord that tickets of freedom be given the Rev. Mr. Thomas Warren the Rev. Mr. Patrick Hamilton & Mr. Thomas Collier.

16<sup>th</sup> August 1723

57

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. Wm. Edgar.

Ord that Victor Barry tinner, Robert Wal ler cordwainer, & William Mather inkkeeper be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> December 1723

59

Ord that John Moor junr. Joseph Loring ham merch. Frederick Loring ham, Merrier, David Straton maltster, Robert Brooks plazier & Daniel W. Goughlin ropemaker be admitted freemen on their pet: paying

p. 59 customary  $\frac{1}{4}$  ces.2<sup>d</sup> January 1723

63 John Leross & William Roman carpenters were admitted freemen paying customary  $\frac{1}{4}$  ces. Isaac Lowry mariner was likewise admitted a freeman and Peter Macerom cordwainer was admitted a freeman without paying Moore & Bonckett.

1<sup>st</sup> 7 February 1723

64 James McDougall carrier, Henry White cordwainer, John Beriston wigmaker, Duncan Wolfe & John Bruston Taylor & John Hamble glover were admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary  $\frac{1}{4}$  ces.

7<sup>th</sup> March 1723 <sup>$\frac{3}{4}$</sup> 

68 Richard Seill and Archibald Bruce Chapman having been arrested by the Chamberlain pursuant to the Bylaws for forty shillings each for selling goods in this city not being free thereof and having petitioned this Court Council setting forth their ignorance of said Bylaws and their submission to the Corporation. Ord that the Chamberlain do take twenty shillings from each of them and no more.

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to both straight.

9<sup>th</sup> April 1724

70 Resolved that it is the opinion of this Court Council that Andrew Kinross carpenter who was a freeman of this city having removed his family out of this city into another county has forfeited his freedom.

Ord therefore that the Chamberlain do prosecute the said Andrew Kinross & such other Carpenters or tradesmen as shall use any trade

p. 70 act or occupation in this City not being free  
thereof pursuant to the new Rule and the Bylaws  
of this City.

15<sup>th</sup> May 1724

X  
The Mayor informing this Court on Council  
that the Rev. Dr. Berkeley Dean of Derry is come  
into this City. Ord that a ticket of freedom be  
given him and that there be an entertainment  
made for him on Monday next (or such other  
day as Mr. Mayor shall appoint) in the Council  
Chamber.

Ord likewise that tickets of freedom be given  
to the Rev. Mr. King and Mr. Prior who came to  
town with the Dean and that they be invited to  
said Entertainment.

71  
Ord that Robert Skipton, Robert Boyd and John  
Osborne be admitted freemen paying customary  
fees and that Osborn's fine (for using his trade  
before admitted) be remitted.

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Henry  
Cooming and George Loringham Esq + to Capt<sup>n</sup>  
John Lockier

Ord that the Chamberlain do fix the Court  
hall to a certificate in favour of George Prory.

25<sup>th</sup> June 1724

72  
Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Mr.  
Gabriel Ash Parry, Mr. Thomas Hart, and Mr.  
Michael Hemmison, & that William Firrell and  
Daniel Collins, Sergeants at Law be admitted  
& sworn freemen without paying fees.

24<sup>th</sup> September 1724

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Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to  
Mr. George Spraight and Mr. Shellers Ash.

17<sup>th</sup> November 1724

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Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr.

p. 77 Richard Smith, and that Samuel Boring and James Boyle be admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

4<sup>th</sup> December 1724

79 George Board and Nicholas Smart were admitted freemen on their petitions paying three pounds each as a fine and customary fees.

And that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Marine Porter and Mr. William Baker.

31<sup>st</sup> December 1724

80 James Boring was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1724

81 And that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. William Gilliard.

1<sup>st</sup> February 1724

83 And that a ticket of freedom be given to the Rev. Mr. James Smith

4<sup>th</sup> February 1724

85 And that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. William Hamilton son in law to Mr. James Ash.

8<sup>th</sup> March 1724

~~87~~ And that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. Justice Parnell the now coming Judge of assize  
And that Richard Livill be admitted freeman on his petition paying seven pounds fine and customary fees besides forty shillings to which he is already subject for opening shop before he was a freeman.

16<sup>th</sup> March 1724

88 And that tickets of freedom be given to Col. Robert Hayes and the severall officers and Surgeon

p. 88 of his shew now in Garrison in this City and at Killmore whose names are following and that Mr. Mayor do entertain them with a bottle of wine at the Corporation charge in the Council Chamber when he thinks proper

## Officers names

Col Robert Hayes	Leist Thomas Speedy
Major Michael Brandreth	Leist John Lovell
Capt John Kelly	Leist John Brandfield
Capt William Whickham	Leist Michl. Strickland
Capt Maurice Powell	Ensign Thomas Parker
Capt Henry Dolanick	Ensign Roger Sterne
Capt William Freeman	Ensign John Barkley
Capt Hugh Montgomery	Ensign Robert Freeman
Capt Humphrey Brown	Ensign Henry Hart
Capt Timothy White	Adjutant Rowland Lefevre
Leist William Churchill	Doct <sup>r</sup> William Dixon

And that Stephen Hobson Carpenter be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> July 1725

92

And that a ticket of freedom be given to Leist Col Stephen Cornwallis who is lately come to this City and that he be entertained in the Townhall at the expence of this Corporation at such time as Mr. Mayor shall appoint and that the severall officers now in this Garrison be invited to the said Entertainment

And that tickets of freedom be given to Ensigns Charles William Brown Esq + Michl. Ward Esq.

21<sup>st</sup> August 1725

93

Mr. Mayor acquainted this Town Council that two of the Company of Ironworkers viz Isaac Pike and George Morris Esqs. are coming to this City. And therefore that tickets of freedom be given to each of them and that they be entertained in the Townhall at the expence of this Corp<sup>o</sup>: at such time as Mr. Mayor shall appoint, + that Ald<sup>r</sup> Stealy Mr. Gifford

473 and Mr. William Ash be a Committee to provide such entertainment as they shall think proper for that occasion

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Capt. John Mulloy, Capt James Cole, Lieut. Thomas Ratter, Lieut. Thomas Ford, Ensign Lloyd, Court Beifors, Capt John Wootton and Mr George Gregory.

Ord that James Moore be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

25<sup>th</sup> October 1725

94 John Ker, Lincolnsheep was admitted freeman on his pet<sup>n</sup>: paying customary fees.

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Court Tho. Williams and Mr. Thomas Kinnard

24<sup>th</sup> November 1725

95 John Davis by merchant was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

96 Ord that Robert Kennedys fine for selling food in this city not being free be reduced to ten shillings and that on payment of that sum and the costs of Court the Chambl: do withdraw the action continued agt him on that account in the Mayors Court

24<sup>th</sup> January 1725

98 Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. William Hobanckard

22<sup>nd</sup> January 1725

99 Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. William Lecky, Mr. William Scott, Mr. John Blackall the Revd Mr. George Woughlin, Mr. Samuel Ross & the Revd Mr. William Crawford.

7<sup>th</sup> February 1725

102 James Betty mariner was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

The question being put whether all money

p. 102 raised for poor & Buckett and fines imposed on foreigners trading in this City not being free thereof for the ensuing year commencing the second instant should be applied to purchase plate or such other necessaries as the Common Council shall think fitt for the use of this Corporation it was carried in the affirmative sen. con.

And therefore that the money so to be raised for the year commencing the second instant be applied accordingly to the purchase of plate or such other necessaries as the Common Council shall think fitt for the use of this Corp<sup>s</sup>.

21<sup>st</sup> April 1726

103 + And that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. Attorney Generall Rogers, Woolford Judge of Assize and that Joseph Rogers be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees, and that he be not charged with Towns Customs for any goods by him heretofore reported or imported.

8<sup>th</sup> July 1726

104 + Pleazer Jenkins Carpenter, William Spin Chapman William Richardson Wig-maker, George Wallace Wig-maker were admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

And that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Justice Bernard Mr. Prime Sergeant Singleton or such of them as comes next Judge of Assize

12<sup>th</sup> August 1726

105 David Caldwell, Tanner, was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> September 1726

106 Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. John Houston.

24<sup>th</sup> October 1726

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Samuel Runtin merch was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

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Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev. Ben Cotterell, Major John Cotterell, and the rest of the Officers now in this Garrison & at Kilmore & to Mr James Murray.

5<sup>th</sup> November 1726

110

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Doctor George Bell.

24<sup>th</sup> January 1726

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Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr Bartley Woughton.

16<sup>th</sup> January 1726

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Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to Henry Cary, Edward Cary & John Ash Esqrs.

27<sup>th</sup> January 1726

114

A petition of Robert Bell John Clinton and severall other freemen on behelpe of themselves and the rest of the freemen of this City complaining of the difficulties they lye under by severall foreign tradesmen working in this City and praying reliefe therein being read. Ord that Mr Mayor, Mr Mayor elect, Mr Alderman Towner, Aldermen Alexander Tomkins, Alderman George Tomkins, Alderman Worman, Alderman Cosinham, Alderman Starby, Alderman Lquire, Alderman Tomeriffe the two Sherriffs, Mr Sifford, Mr Hart, Mr Richard Coughlan, Mr Davis or any seven of them be a Committee to meet in the Council Chamber on Thursday next at three of the clock to consider the said petition and to report their opinion therein to the next Council.

115

Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given to the Rev. Mr Michael Sampson.

9th February 1726

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Ordered that the freemen tradesmen of this City shall have liberty to meet in the Charity School of this City from time to time after school hours.

118

Ord. that Alexander Mackay Carpenter & James Bibby glazier be admitted freemen on their petitions without paying spoon & Bocket, and that William King John Nichol Taylors, Philip Williams & Samuel Curry Tanners be admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to the Revd W. John Johnson.

Ord that no persons who shall be hereafter bound apprentice to any freeman handicraft tradesman of this City shall be admitted into the freedom thereof unless such person serves an apprenticeship of seven years by indenture to be enrolled at the commencement of such indenture in a book to be for that purpose kept by the Chamberlain and that the Chamberlain do deliver a copy of this order to the wester or headman of the Society of tradesmen in this City to be read at their severall meetings.

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to the Rt Honble Joshua Lord Viscount Allen.

Ord that the money arising from Spoon and Bocket for this year be applyd to furnish pewter & other kitchen furniture for the use of this Corp<sup>s</sup>.

9th March 1726

119

Ord that John Gerransy Baker, Thomas Price, bodicater, George Trundle, carpenter, John Moore Smith, Robert Lithgow, distiller, Hugh Orr cordwainer, James Messerum, cordwainer, & Thomas Lee the wig maker be admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

3rd April 1727

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Ord that John King mariner be admitted freeman

p. 120 on his petition paying customary fees.

And that a ticket of freedom be given to  
Doct<sup>r</sup> James Chenkers.

5<sup>th</sup> May 1727

121 And that a ticket of freedom be given to the Rt.  
Rev<sup>d</sup> Henry Now Lord Bishop of Derry, the Rev<sup>d</sup>  
Mr. John Owen, Master of the College of  
Sturbridge and William Nesbit Esq.

20<sup>th</sup> June 1727

122 Mr. Mayors having informed this Common Council  
that his grace the Lord Primate of all Ireland is to  
be in this City on the 29<sup>th</sup> instant. And therefore that  
a ticket of freedom be given to his grace & to such  
other gentlemen as come along with him as the  
Committee shall think fit and that there be an entertainment  
prepared for him in the Townhall and that Aldermen  
Boningham, Aldermen Worcester, Mr. Sheriff  
Wickillshire, Mr. Henry Hart and the Chamberlain  
or any three of them be a Committee to prepare said  
entertainment and to invite such persons as  
they think proper.

And that tickets of freedom be given to Francis  
Ceshel Esq and to Caspar Thomas Freeman.

31<sup>st</sup> July 1727

123 And that John Fenison Cooper, John Delzell  
Carpenter and Thomas Linsecher Carpenter be  
admitted freemen on their petitions paying  
customary fees, having petitioned some time  
before the death of the late King.

Resolved that it is the opinion of this Common Council  
that Thomas Lupton Esq Recorder of this City, George  
Bonkins Esq one of the Aldermen there are proper  
persons to represent this City in the ensuing Parliament  
and that the Shambles do publish this Resolution  
and signify in the publication that the vote and  
interest of the freemen of this City are ordered for

p. 129 then the said Thomas Suptor and George Tomkins Esq<sup>r</sup>.

29<sup>th</sup> August 1727

129 A letter from the Society of the 15<sup>th</sup> instant being read signifying their concurrence with this Corp<sup>s</sup> in the choice of Thomas Suptor Esq<sup>r</sup> Recorder of this City and George Tomkins Esq<sup>r</sup> by one of our Aldermen to represent this City in the ensuing Parliament. And that a letter of thanks be drawn up to the said Society and that W<sup>r</sup> Recorder, Ald. George Tomkins, Ald. Alexander Tomkins, Ald. Steady, Ald. Brougham, Mr Henry Hart and the Chemb<sup>r</sup> or any three of them be a Committee to draw up said letter and forasmuch as the said Society do desire that this Corp<sup>s</sup> should signify their mind & resolution forthwith to the rest of the members & other their tenants & friends And that the said letter from the said Society be shew'd to the severall tenants of this City and other the freemen thereof before the said letter of thanks be drawn up and that the Chemb<sup>r</sup>, Mr Hart and Mr Richard Brougham do take the charge of the severall tenants and freemen.

A memorial of Hugh Edwards by praying an exact list of the freemen of this City being read And that the same do lye on the table to be 130 considered of by the members.

And that George Peoples one of the Sergeants at law be sworn a freeman without fees spoon or hatchet.

And that such of the tradesmen freemen as did not attend this day be summoned by the Sergeants to attend tomorrow at four of the clock in the afternoon.

2<sup>nd</sup> September 1727

The Committee appointed by last Court Council to draw up a letter of thanks to the Society do report to this Court Council that they met accordingly and drew up the said letter which being read, And that the same be fairly engrossed & signed by the members & sent away under the common seal. And that the said letter of

p. 130 thinks he communicated to as many of the freemen and inhabitants as please to see the same.

11<sup>th</sup> September 1727

131

Mr. Mayor acquainted this Common Council that two sons of the Rt. Rev<sup>d</sup> the Lord B<sup>pp</sup> of Derry viz the Rev<sup>d</sup> Robert Down and Mr. Philip Down and the Rev<sup>d</sup> George Black son in law to the said Lord B<sup>pp</sup> are come into this City, Ord. that tickets of freedom be given them and that there be a bottle of wine drunk with them this evening in the Council Chamber.

9<sup>th</sup> October 1727

132

The election of citizens to represent this City in the ensuing Parliament being appointed on Wednesday the eleventh of October instant and it being apprehended that debates may happen as to the right of severall persons who may on that occasion present themselves to be voters: to prevent which and to satisfy Mr. Mayor who have or have not a right to vote: Ord. that the Chanc<sup>er</sup> do draw out a list of all the freemen on record in the severall books of Common Council now extant for Mr. Mayors use with the time of their admission severally & that Mr. Mayor shall have recourse to the Common Council books or any of them that he shall think proper on this occasion.

Ord. that Mr. Stenly, Mr. Squire, Mr. Cringham Mr. Hart and the Chanc<sup>er</sup> or any three of them be a Committee to compare the said list with the books and do meet in the Council Chamber for that purpose at eleven of the clock to morrow morning.

26<sup>th</sup> October 1727

133

The Committee appointed by last Common Council do report to this Common Council that they met accordingly and that the Chanc<sup>er</sup> produced to them pursuant to the act of last Common Council a list of the severall living freemen on record in the severall books now extant and that after perusing and comparing some parte

p. 133 thereof with the books the Court see did acquiesce to be same.

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Ord that David Paterson Merchant and John Clippin apothecary be admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

Ord also that Gerris Quire be admitted freemen on his petition when he comes to reside within the franchises of this city.

20th November 1727

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Ord that Mr. Alexander Knox be sworn freeman on his memoriall paying customary fees.

Quene of the Cordwainers William Gray Sables are admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

2nd January 1727

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Ord that James Hillis Merices be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

19th January 1727

141

Robert Mathews Merchant was admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees

18th March 1727

145

William Boyle son in law to Mr. Thomas Thornton is admitted freeman on his petition taking the usual oaths.

22nd March 1727

146

Arthur Wallace Cordwainer is admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

4th May 1728

149

Resolved that it is the opinion of this Court Council that the fine for which Daniel O'Brien Taylor lyes confined on execution for occupying his trade not being free be remitted provided he finds sufficient sureties to remove himselfe & family

p. 149 out of this City and Liberties and not again to return into the same without the licence and consent of this Corp<sup>y</sup>. And that the Clerk<sup>s</sup> do take such security by the Mayors approbation.

14<sup>th</sup> July 1728

Mr. Mayor acquainted this Court Council that the Rt. Honble the Lord Viscount Shannon Genl. General of His Majties forces in Ireland is expected soon here to review the forces in this Garrison. And that a ticket of freedom be given to his Lordship and that there be an entertainment made for him in the Townhall.

21<sup>st</sup> July 1728

150

And that tickets of freedom be given to Col. John Leguier Capt Francis Leguier Genl. 10<sup>th</sup> Company Cornet Richard Stephenson Ensign John Stapleton Richard Tichel Esq. Charles Bucknall Esq. the Rt. Hon. William Lord Ricarton Major Lewis Grant Capt James Knivthead Lieut. John Shaw, Lieut. Dominick Dalton Lieut. John Gordon Lieut. Rockport the yeol and Ensign William Foster and that they be invited to the entertainment made for the Lord Shannon.

26<sup>th</sup> August 1728.

151

And that tickets of freedom be given to the Lord Chief Justice Reynolds now coming Judge Justice George Vaughan Esq. Mr. Thomas Downes son to the Lord Bp of Derry Alderman Griffin Howard of Coleraine Henry Sandford Esq. Collector of Coleraine Mr. Henry Boyd, Mr. 10<sup>th</sup> Baron, the Rev. Mr. Benjamin Bacon, Arthur Church Esq. Mr. Joseph Hill the Rev. Mr. Matthew Leslie, the Rev. Mr. Thomas Warburton and the Rev. Mr. John Gage.

And that Alexander Kelly be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

And that Thomas McKee cordwainer be admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1728

153 Ordered that tickets of freedom be given to Hercules Rowley Esq & Mr. Charles Du Petit Boisie

25<sup>th</sup> November 1728

155 Ord that tickets of freedom be given to the said Workman Esq, Robert Spence Esq, Scull Brook Esq and William Fortescue Esq.

Ord that for the future no tickets of freedom shall be given to any person but persons of distinction who shall be actually in this City at the time of his or their admission

Ord that William Stull, Butcher, John Rogers Baker, Alexander Buchanan Cordwainer & John Johnston Wigmaker be admitted freemen on their petitions paying customary fees.

7<sup>th</sup> February 1728

162 Patrick Whance Mariner is admitted freeman on his pet<sup>s</sup> paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1728

163 Matthew Caldwell Intecper is admitted freeman on his petition paying customary fees.

5<sup>th</sup> June 1729

168 Ordered that Joseph Scott, Baker, be admitted into the freedom of this City on his petition paying customary fees.

14<sup>th</sup> July 1729

169 Ord that tickets of freedom be given the Res<sup>ts</sup> Messrs Francis Anston, the Res<sup>ts</sup> Mr. John Gordon Thomas Dorens Esq & Mr. Alexander Goughins

20<sup>th</sup> November 1729

173 Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Roger Harrison Esq collector of this City.

20<sup>th</sup> December 1729

175 And that Mr. William Macky son to Mr. Macky and Mr. Stephen Bennett be admitted freemen on their petitions, without paying spoon or Bucket and that James Roggs, William Swanson bakers and Thomas Adams chymicks be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

176 And that tickets of Freedom be given to the Rev. Mr. Richard Lloyd the Rev. Mr. George Mours <sup>of</sup> Mr. Isaac Reed Mr. Charles Paraway <sup>of</sup>, alsoe to Capt. John Pickerson, Capt. Thomas Linsor, Capt. John Posey, Lieut. Hook, Lieut. Withnell, Trips bachelery and Doctor Tuly.

24 January 1729

178 Ordered that John Park merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a freeman on his petition paying the usual fees.

And that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Thomas Moor, Mr. Thomas Orr, and Mr. Alexander Lecky.

7<sup>th</sup> January 1729

182 And that Mr. William Sollich be sworn a freeman of this City paying such fees as by a former Rule of this Corporation be ought.

4<sup>th</sup> February 1729

186 And that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Patrick Hamilton and Mr. Francis Knox

11<sup>th</sup> June 1730

195 And that a ticket of freedom lately given to John Lohan Esq. be & is hereby allowed of by this Court Council.

Ordered that Robert Simpson cooper, Daniel Whesse and James Hobain perriers John Massey & Francis Dixon silversmiths be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

And that tickets of Freedom be given to Mr. Charles

1. 195 Mr. Mayor and Mr. John Stewart

15<sup>th</sup> June 1730

Mr. Mayor appointing this town Council that his grace the Mt. Res Doctor Hugh Boulter Lord Primate of all England & one of the Lords Justices of this Kingdom would be in this City about the 1<sup>st</sup> of July next. And that a ticket of freedom be given his grace when in this City in a gold box not to exceed sixteen pound value with the City Arms engraved thereon.

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And that tickets of freedom be given Capt. Lewis Quinn Lieut. Joseph Holmes Lieut. John Caulfield Lieut. Henry Edmiston Ensigne Silvester Sheppard Ensigne Richard Newington.

15<sup>th</sup> July 1730

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And that tickets of freedom be given the Rev. Mr. Robert J. M. D. the Rev. Charles Tate, Mr. George who came with the Primate.

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And that tickets of freedom be given to the Rev. Mr. Edward Higginson, the Rev. Mr. John Brown, the Rev. Mr. Edward Fletcher, Mr. Edward Ford, the Rev. Mr. John McLaughlin, the Rev. Mr. John Sackfield, Mr. John Cunningham, Mr. Luke Oak, Mr. Andrew Colbourne, Lieut. Col. Dullany, Lieut. Francis Reynolds.

10<sup>th</sup> August 1730

Mr. Robert Graham, Mr. William Lecky, Mr. Matthew Leeson being accused for misbehavior at a Common Council held the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June last \* \* \* \* \* Ordered that said Mr. Robert Graham for his said misbehavior be disfranchised unless he shew cause to the contrary.

And that tickets be given William Tompkins, And Dawson, Mr. Harrison, Robert Dent Rego, Mr. John Overall.

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And that said Mr. Graham have time till Wednesday next the 12<sup>th</sup> inst to shew cause as aforesaid.

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It is the opinion of this Court Council that the said Mr. Lesson is guilty of misbehaviour to the Mayor as well as the above named Mr. Graham

Ordered therefore that he sd. Mr. Lesson be for his said misbehaviour disfranchised unless he show cause to the contrary

And that tickets of freedom be given ye Mr. Charles Edward Webster, Tho. Tylour Webster & Edward Webster Esq<sup>s</sup>.

Ordered that he said Mr. Lesson have time till next Wednesday morning to show cause as above.

And that Tho. Croft, Abraham Hope, Robert Gledhill & John Lewis printers be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

12<sup>th</sup> August 1730

Mr. William Becky being impeached last Court Council for misbehaviour it is unanimously resolved that the same be intirely dropt and not moved in for the future.

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\* \* \* It is ordered and adjudged that the Rule made last Court Council be and is hereby confirmed and that he the said Robert Graham be & he the said Robert Graham is & stands hereby absolutely disfranchized and removed from his office of Burgess Chamberl<sup>n</sup> and Court Councilor & all other the rights immunities & privileges belonging to this Corp<sup>y</sup>.

21<sup>st</sup> August 1730

There being a Burgesses place vacant by the disfranchisement of Mr. Robert Graham this Court Council met this day to elect a Burgess in the room and place of said Mr. Robert Graham but being pursuant to the statute published this the day for electing and the question being put William Richardson Esq<sup>r</sup> was elected by a majority of Eighteen to fifteen who being sent for accepted thereof & took the oaths of supremacy & repeated &

1. 200 signed the Declaration, was sworn a Freeman  
Burgess & Common Councilor

201 + + + It is ordered and adjudged that  
the rule made at a Common Council held the 10<sup>th</sup> inst  
be and is hereby confirmed by a majority of this  
Common Council and that he the said Nath<sup>l</sup> Leeson  
he & he the said Nath<sup>l</sup> Leeson is & stands hereby  
absolutely disfranchised from his office of  
Burgess & Common Councilor & all other the rights  
immunities & privileges belonging to this  
Corporation.

29<sup>th</sup> August 1730

There being a Burgesses place vacant by the  
disfranchisement of Mr. Nath<sup>l</sup> Leeson this Common  
Council met this day to elect a Burgess in the  
Room & place of said Mr. Nath<sup>l</sup> Leeson. Mr. Mayor  
having pursuant to the statute published this  
the day for electing and the question being put  
George Vaughan Esq<sup>r</sup> was elected by a majority  
of eight to seven, who being read for accepted  
of the same & having first taken the oaths of  
supremacy & repeated and signed the Declaration  
was sworn a Freeman Burgess & Common Councilor

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Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given Mr.  
Frederick Dent son to Mrs. Dent.

10<sup>th</sup> September 1730

206 + + It was ordered & adjudged that the said  
Frederick Gordon he & he the said Frederick  
Gordon he & he is hereby removed and stands  
disfranchised from his office or place of a  
Burgess Freeman & Common Councilor of this  
Corporation & City & also all other the rights  
privileges & immunities thereunto belonging

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Ordered that tickets of freedom be given  
Capt. Solomon Blesset, Lieut. Thomas Beriggs,  
Doctor Isaac Sickerwell, Mr. James Flounton, Mr.  
Richard Lowry Jun<sup>r</sup>

7<sup>th</sup> September 1730.

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The question being put whether Mr. Alexander Kure for his severall crimes & misdemeanours should be disfranchiz'd from being a Burgess and Common Councilor of this Corporation (or his submission taken) and also all other the rights immunities & privileges thereof (except the freedom thereof) which was carried eighteen to seven in the affirmative that he should be disfranchiz'd as aforesaid, whereupon it was ordered & adjudg'd by a majority of eighteen to seven that he the said Alexander Kure be & he the said Alexander Kure is & stands hereby absolutely disfranchiz'd and removed from his office or place of a Burgess & Common Councilor as aforesaid; but to be and remain a freeman of this City.

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Ordered that a ticket of freedom be given the Rev Mr William Colwood.

9<sup>th</sup> September 1730.

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Ordered that tickets of freedom be given the Honble John Porroby Esq. Capt James Stewart of Ballylough, Mr. Colworthy Leases, Mr James Read.

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Upon reading the severall petitions of 8<sup>th</sup> Mr Kim Malster Mr Alexander Linendrapes, Leslie Jenkins Mathematician, and Patrick Downing

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Blacksmith Ordered that they be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

Ordered that the 13<sup>th</sup> for John Massey's Spouse & Bucklet be remitted him in regard this Corp<sup>s</sup> sent for him to take care of our clock

17<sup>th</sup> September 1730

215

Ordered that Andrew Low Merchant be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

10<sup>th</sup> December 1730.

220

Ordered that James Foster Carpenter, Duncan

7. 220 Reid Taylor, Alexander Mitchell Manninger  
Andrew Downing blacksmith be admitted freemen  
on their severall petitions paying customary  
fees.

14<sup>th</sup> January 1730

221 And that Tickets of Freedom be given to  
Robert Younge of buldoff, Mr. George Barry of  
Donagh, Mr. Math. Cooper.

And that Abraham Hilhouse Cien drapers &  
Robert Lee gent be admitted freemen on their pet<sup>ns</sup>  
paying customary fees.

4<sup>th</sup> January 1730

222 And that Brooke Vance merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted  
into the freedom of this City on his petition paying  
customary fees.

And that a ticket of freedom be given to  
Samuel Sinclair of Beary.

15<sup>th</sup> January 1730

223 And that a ticket of freedom be given Hercules  
Keyland Esq.

There being a Burgesss place vacant by  
the death of Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Stewart this Common Council  
met to elect and choose a Burgess in the room  
and place of the said Mr. Stewart, Mr Mayor  
having pursuant to ye Statute in that case  
made & provided published this the day of  
election whereupon the question was put and  
Hercules Keyland Esq was by a majority  
elected a Burgess in the room & place of said Mr.  
Stewart being twenty for him and eight for Mr.  
William Jolliffe, Mr. Keyland being sent for  
accepted of the same & was sworn a Freeman  
Burgess and lower Councilor having first  
taken ye usual oaths repeated & signed the Oecl<sup>s</sup>

And that tickets of freedom be given Mr. Edward  
Wash, Mr. Brook Chambers, Mr. Joshua Swetenham &

1726 Mr. Tho. Coker.

24<sup>th</sup> February 1730

227 Ordered that Tickets of Freedom be given Doctor John Templeton, Mr. George his son to Mr. Geo. his deceased and Mr. William Boyd.

228 Ordered that Joseph Caldwell Inkeeper be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> April 1731

229 Ord that Ticket of Freedom be given Mr. Archd Hamilton

4<sup>th</sup> May 1731

233 Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given Henry Hamilton William Montague Esq. Mr. Alex Stewart Mr. James Grove and the Rev. Doct. Johnathon Rodgers

15<sup>th</sup> July 1731.

235 Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given William Stewart & Patrick Stewart Esquires

Ord that Mr. George Savory apothecary son to Mr. Geo. Savory be admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>n</sup> without spoon or bucket being the son of a Burgess

Ord that Patrick Woking mariner, William Kerr mariner, + James Husband's cutter, be admitted into the freedom of this City on their severall petitions paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> July 1731

236 Mr. Mayor acquainting this Common Council that the Honble Major Generall Nicholas Price is now in town. Ord that there be a Ticket of Freedom given said Major Genl Price + a glass of wine in the Hall + that Ald<sup>r</sup> W. Mearns, Ald<sup>r</sup> Geo. Tomkins Ald<sup>r</sup> Alex Tomkins + Mr. Sheriff Gardner be a Committee to provide same.

Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given Major Price

p. 236 Spicer, Capt Christopher Chapman, Capt Rob Sampson & Capt Tom Sibleston, Lieut Peter Lafogel, Lieut Geo Robinson, Lieut Tho West, Lieut John Langfield, Lieut Adam Baker, Ensign Amadale Strongmeyer, Esq Tom West, Doctor Jas Johnston, The Rev Mr. Wm Boyd

This Town Council do empower the above named Committee to give such persons (who come with the Generall) tickets of Freedom as they shall think proper.

16th August 1781

237 The Committee appointed by last Town Council to give tickets of freedom to the gento who accompanied the Honble Major Generall Price do report to this Town Council that they did accordingly give tickets of freedom to Mr Nichols Price nephew to the Generall and Mr James Johnston Lieut of Dragoon, which tickets bears date ye. 23<sup>d</sup> ultimo

238 Whereas it was enacted at a Town Council held the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1725 that for the future no tickets of freedom shall be given to any persons but persons of distinction who shall be actually in this City at the time of his or their admission and it being now proposed that the said Act should be repealed. it was agreed to accordingly. Resolved therefore that the said former Act be & is hereby repealed.

But that a ticket of freedom be given John Bowers by his Major Solicitor Generall now coming Judge of Assize & Charles Richardson by

Mr Mayor acquainting this Town Council that he Mr. Noble, William Cooley Esq will be soon in this City, ord<sup>d</sup> that a ticket of freedom be given sd. Mr. Cooley when in this City with a glass of wine in ye. Town hall.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that also Mr. Tomkins, Mr. Squire - Ald. Lougham, Ald. Hart, Mr. Makins, Mr. Lecky, Mr. Richardson, be a Committee to provide the same to which Committee this Town Council

1738 gives power of giving tickets of freedom to such persons as they shall think proper that accompany Mr. Smolly

26th August 1731

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The committee appointed by last Common Council to give tickets of freedom to the yeats that accompany the Rt. Honble William Smolly Esq. do report to this Common Council that they ordered tickets of freedom for Darby Clarke James Hamilton of the Hall, Rowly Hill, John Dixon Esq. Capt Thomas Sykes, Mr. George Sney, Mr. Joseph Lindsey, Mr. John Williams, Mr. Alexander Nicbott attorney which tickets bears date the 26th inst.

And that tickets of freedom be given Mr. Thomas Raton of Manchester Mr. William Young of Longbeck  
And that John McDouneil mercer, Henry Sifford distiller John Sharkey weaver, Robert Moulton wig-maker and James Morrison glover be admitted freemen paying custom. fees.

23rd September 1731

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And that tickets of freedom be given the Rev. Mr. Staples John Houston George Woodcock Esq. Mr. Child Barrett, the Rev. William Asher & Mybrants Apleby Esq.

5th October 1731

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And that tickets of freedom be given Edwardington Cary Esq. William Saxe of Anson Esq. Thomas Dowdson Clerk Esq. the Rev. Mr. Walter Clark, Mr. Henry Clark, Mr. Henry Clement Mr. Laurence O'Hara Rev. Mr. Paul Reed, Rev. Mr. John Harvey, Rev. Mr. David Harvey, Rev. Mr. Robert Crayhead.

19th October 1731

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And that John Marshall miller, Archd. Suter, merrier, Thomas Hillis Cooper, be on their pets. admitted freemen paying customary fees.

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And that James Lewis Perrywiquakes & William Williams Blacksmith be admitted freemen on their petitions without spoon or bucket in regard they were educated at our Charity School  
 And that Tickets of Freedom be given to Thomas Woods of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Col Dalzell's Regiment now in this City Mr. John Lorrain, Mr. James Blackell and Mr. Gustavus Couplingham.

Whereas at a Court Council held the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1731 William Sand, Tinner, was on his petition admitted a freeman of this City but by mistake is ent<sup>red</sup> in the Book by the name of Thomas Sand & we being well satisfied of the said mistake do agree that the name Thomas be regeed out and the name William interlined which is accordingly done. And that the Shambler do give William Sand above named a copy of this our Order.

2<sup>d</sup> November 1731

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And that Mr. Alex Lecky son to Mr. Thomas Lecky on his Memorial be sworn a freeman without paying for spoon & bucket.

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And that Edward Hield, merrier be on his petition admitted a freeman paying customary fees.  
 And that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Bell of Manchester now in this City

3<sup>d</sup> November 1731

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And that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. Charles Harvard.

3<sup>d</sup> January 1731

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And that John Ash by Mr. Edward Ash his son be sworn freeman paying customary fees being formerly ticket freeman & having now prepared a Memorial.

And that George Miller staymaker who was bred at our Charity School be on his petition.

p. 250 admitted into the freedom of this Corporation without  
Spore or bucket.

And that Robert Brooks jun. glazier, & James  
Lyon Taylor be admitted freemen on their petitions  
paying customary fees.

And that tickets of freedom be given Cornet  
William Lory, Mr. Parrot Junr, Mr. Archibald Stewart  
William Lory Esq. Mr. Henry Hamble, Mr. William  
Hamble, Mr. Mossem Hamble.

13<sup>th</sup> January 1731.

251 And that a ticket of freedom be given Mr. Dominick  
Keyland of Bosthorpe

11<sup>th</sup> February 1731

253 Ordered that tickets of freedom be given Edward  
Lary Jun of Redcliffe Esq. the Rev Mr. Andrew Blackell  
Mr. Robert Irwin Mr. John Mackilwaine Junr.

25<sup>th</sup> February 1731

256 And that John Hutchinson linen draper  
be admitted a freeman paying customary fees.

14<sup>th</sup> April 1732

257 And that tickets of freedom be given the Rt. Hon  
Tho. Marley Esq. Lord Cheiffe Baron & his son Anthony  
Marley Esq + Mr. John Downing attorney.

7<sup>th</sup> June 1732

260 And that tickets of freedom be given Luke Harcer  
Commander of the King George Revenue Sloop & Mr.  
George Moore son to Mr. John Moore.

18<sup>th</sup> July 1732

262 A Memorial from Patrick Robinson all present  
farmers of the Tola of the Market being now read  
complaining that Mr. Robert Hamble & others freemen  
of this City refuse to pay toll for rabbit skins  
sent to us in the Docket is expressed, this Comon

p. 262 Council are of opinion that rabbit skins & sell are liable & ought to pay tolls as is in the Booklet expressed

31<sup>st</sup> July 1732

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Mr. Mayor informing this Council that he doth think the Earl of Bath is expected soon in this City and that there will be some great of distinction with him and that a ticket of freedom be given the Earl when in this City

and that tickets of freedom be given Robert Magill Esq. the Rev. Michl. Cox, James Diggall Esq. Lieut. Abraham Hunt, Pasqure John Lucas, Doct. Richard Ross.

and that the Mayor of the Staple, Ald. George Tomkins, Ald. Alexander Tomkins, Ald. Thomas Ald. Squire, Ald. Moncreiffe, Ald. Henry Hunt or any three of them be a Committee to give tickets of freedom to such gent who comes with the Earl of Bath as they shall think proper to which Committee there is power given to provide an entertainment to be given the Earl when made free provided his Mayor be in town at the time.

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and that Patrick Molyneux & William Dunlop Merchants be on their severall petitions admitted into the freedom of this City paying each ten pounds as a fine (over above forty shillings each of whom have already paid for a breach of the Bylaws) and customary fees.

21<sup>st</sup> September 1732

and that tickets of freedom be given Ralph Kuse of London, Anthony Cope, Wm Hamilton of Dunquhary, Rowly Hill, Patrick Molyneux Esq. Lieut. Abraham Hamilton, Mr James Taylor yeoman Merch.

265

and that John Seed cordwainer on his petn be admitted into the freedom of this City without upon or ticket he having been educated at our Charity school

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A motion being made that Patrick Moutyres had lately removed out of this City and that he did not intend to settle in this City hereafter nor of ability to pay a fine of forty skill. & another of ten pounds ordered to be by him paid into the Chamber (the first of which he did pay) for a breach of the Bylaws in consideration of which it was this day ordered that the Chamber repay him the said forty skills & that the ten pounds remain as a fine to be paid by him for his freedom in case he shall settle hereafter in this City.

5<sup>th</sup> October 1732

267 And that a ticket of freedom be given to which Reason Marnherch.

And that Conelitt Pincup baker on his pet. be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

Resolved that the Rule made at last Common Council against Patrick Moutyres being a Freeman be and the same is hereby repealed.

And that Patrick Moutyres merch. on his pet. be admitted into the freedom of this City paying five pounds as a fine & customary fees.

And that the Chamber repay William Dunlap merch. seven pounds of the ten pounds paid by him on his being admitted into the freedom of this City.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1732

269 And that John Gibson Inkeeper be on his pet. admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> February 1732

270 And that a ticket of freedom be given to Souze James Esq.

24<sup>th</sup> February 1732

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Ord that William Lee Cordwainer be on his petition admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> March 1732

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Ord that Percock Bigger Coppersmith Joseph Sheely cordwainer be on their pet<sup>ns</sup> admitted into the freedom of this Corporation paying

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Ordered that Robert Low, Turner Henry Gamble Sr. Gamble, Morsom Gamble Merch<sup>ts</sup> be admitted into the freedom of this Corporation without paying for spoon & bucket, said Low having married the daughter of a Burgess and said Morsom Gamble being the son of Mr. Robert Gamble late one of the Capital Burgesses of this Corporation

in the 24<sup>th</sup> March  
ington Gamble  
of Mr. William

council of the  
in this City  
is Lordship  
given the Rev

heart be on his  
is City paying

customary fees.

23<sup>rd</sup> July 1733

Ord that the Clerk give Robert Thorman, William Richardson, George Taylor, Hugh Edwards imp<sup>s</sup> each of them a list of the freemen.

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Ord that the Chamberlain give the town Clerk a list of the freemen.

Ord that the Chamberlain attest said severall lists

Ord that tickets of freedom be given George Lacey Esq. Mr. John McKilmarie, the Rev Doct<sup>r</sup> Richard Conger, Rev. Mr. Ralph Mansfield and Mr. Alexander Skipton

Ord that Ambrose Thornton Taylor be on his pet<sup>ns</sup> admitted freeman without paying for spoon

10<sup>th</sup> February 1732

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Ord that William Lee cordwainer be on his petition admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> March 1732

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Ord that Percock Bigger coppersmith Joseph Ashely cordwainer be on their pet<sup>s</sup> admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation paying Customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> June 1733

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Ord that tickets of freedom be given the Rt Honble Edward Lord Bish. Mansfield skinnerington Randle Smith Esq. The Hon John Skinnerington Esq. Mr. William Knux.

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Mr. Mayor informing this Court Council of the Rev. the Lord Bishop of Down is now in this City Ord that a ticket of freedom be given his Lordship.

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given the Rev. the George W. Bee.

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Ord that James Taylor yarn merchant be on his memorial sworn into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

23<sup>rd</sup> July 1733

Ord that the Sherif<sup>s</sup> give Robert Thorman, William Richardson, George Taylor, Hugh Edwards Esq<sup>s</sup> each of them a list of the freemen.

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250 or Bucket being a member son.

Ord that Mr. Hugh Dasey merchant be on his pete admitted free without paying for spoon or Bucket being a member son.

Ord that the following persons be on their severall petitions admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation paying customary fee: Hugh Johnston, linen draper, Robert Bruce signmaker, William Breading Mechanic, Thomas Paton weaver, John Whitehill carpenter, John Peoples cordwainer, Thomas White cordwainer.

Ord that Thomas Bailly cordwainer be on his pete admitted into the freedom of this Incorporation without spoon or bucket in regard he was educated at the Charity School of this City.

31<sup>st</sup> July 1733

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Ord that tickets of freedom be given Mr. Justice Gore, Mr. Justice Lindsay, Lewis Meares, Archibald Richardson, Stafford Lansing, Hugh Corrier, Robert Sample, Rapp, Mr. Nichol, Hamilton, Mr. Jackson, Clark, Mr. Frederick Curtis, Mr. Walter Howard.

1<sup>st</sup> August 1733

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Ord that William Scot merchant be on his pete admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fee.

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Mr. Mayor informing this Common Council of the death of Mr. Double Spinsters Lord vicl. Boyne is now in this City

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given his lordship & a glass of wine in the Council Chamber

Ord that tickets of freedom be given Adair Coringham by the Rev. Mr. Robert Spence, the Rev. Mr. Richard Leslie, the Rev. Mr. Charles Humble, the Rev. Mr. Richardson, the Rev. Mr. John Richardson, the Rev. Mr. James Richardson, the Rev. Mr. Wm. Brown, the Rev. Mr. Edward Fletcher, the Rev. Mr. William Fletcher, the Rev. Mr. Thomas Warburton, the Rev. Mr. William Spence, Mr. Walter Dasey, Mr. William Gage, Mr.

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Robert Craye, Mr. Nathaniel, the Rev Mr Robert Berkeley, the Rev Mr. Andrew Benson, the Rev Mr. Thomas Brown, the Rev Mr. John Lecky, Mr. Francis Cuninghame, Mr. Reynard Betsy, Capt John Ramsay, Lieut George Gordon, Lieut George Davison, Mr. Farmer Glover, Mr. William Shorston.

12th August 1733

254

Mr. Mayor informing this Common Council of the Rt. Noble Lord George Sackville son to his Grace the Duke of Dorset is now in this City.

Ord that a Ticket of Freedom be given his Lordship.

Ord that tickets of Freedom be given the Rev Doctor John Wiscombe, William Graham Esq, the Rev. Mr Edward Molloy, the Rev Mr John Graham

10th December 1733

255

The office of Recorder being vacant by the death of Thomas Spton Esq late Recorder.

His Grace the Duke of Dorset Lord High of this Kingdom having by his Letters Patent under the Great Seal appointed Faithfull Fortescue Esq Council at Law, Recorder of this City in the Room and place of said Thomas Spton & said Patent being now read the same were by this Common Council accepted of & then the Honor Council came to the following resolutions and orders

Ord that Faithfull Fortescue Esq named in the above Letters Patent be sworn Recorder & Treasurer of this City by Mr. Mayor when he shall have an opportunity

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Ord that a ticket of freedom be given Latham Blacker Esq

Ord that the following persons be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees William Boyd merchant on his memorial being formerly an Honorary freeman, Andrew Inghamland merchant. Richard Bateson

4. 288 Merchants on his Memorial being formerly an Honorary Freeman, Robert Folliot cordwainer, Saml McKaine cordwainer, Neale Sherky cooper, Robert Gamble signmaker, Malcolm W<sup>d</sup> Fadies Taylor, John W<sup>d</sup> Garland Messrs. paying spoon & bucket.

John Anderson Merch! without spoon and bucket being y<sup>e</sup> son of Mr. James Anderson late one of the Burgesses of this Corporation

William Plew cooper, John Leupple carrier without spoon & Bucket in regard they were educated at our Charity school

William Johnston Cooper paying spoon and Bucket.

Resolved that for the future no person shall be sworn a freeman of this City until his or their fees are paid and that such persons as are now in arrears for their fees and dont forthwith pay the same be prosecuted.

7<sup>th</sup> Janry 1733

290 Ord that John Paterson & John Nutt messengers John Boyd cordwainer be on their petrs<sup>s</sup> admitted into y<sup>e</sup> freedom of this City paying customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> Janry 1733

295 Ord that tickets of freedom be given Edward Edwards, James Richardson Esqrs. Lieut Andrew Mabilwaine, Mr. John Hodgson.

Ord that Alexander Miller Carpenter be admitted into the freedom of this Corporation paying customary fees.

31<sup>st</sup> February 1733

296 Patrick Mobergall Lutekeeper was on his petition admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees.

5<sup>th</sup> 4 February 1733

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Ord that all the Merchants in town who have not signed the Directions for regulating the Port of this City be summoned to meet at the Committee next Friday in order to sign the same, or shew their reasons to the contrary, and that hereafter no Merchant be sworn a Freeman untill he signs the same.

4<sup>th</sup> April 1734

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Ord that Licetts of Freedom be given to Sir John Abercrombie Knt the Rev Mr. Samuel Lewis, Mr Walter Cope, Mr. Nichol. Russell, Mr. William Ash, Mr. Col. Thomas Ash and Mr. George Knoc.

2<sup>d</sup> May 1734

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Ord that George Shaw gloves, be admitted into the Freedom of this City paying Customary fees.  
Ord that Licetts of Freedom be given to Mr. John Lampson and Mr. James Hamilton of Tully.

16<sup>th</sup> May 1734

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Ord that a Licett of Freedom be given to Mr. Mathew Cesson.

There being two Burgeses places vacant the one by the death of Mr. George Soune and the other by the preferment of George Vaughan Esq to the place of Alderman, the Common Council mett this day in order to elect two burgeses in the places of the said George Soune & George Vaughan, the Mayor having first published this the day of election pursuant to the statute in that case made & provided and the question being put who should succeed as Burgeses in the room of the said George Soune & George Vaughan, Henry Hamilton Esq was unanimously elected to the said Office of Burgess in the room of the said George Soune & Mathew Cesson yet was also unanimously elected a Burgess in the room of the said George Vaughan.

p 305 and they being both sent for accepted by the same and were sworn Burgesses Lower Councilmen & Freeman having first taken the usual oaths repeated & signed the Declaration.

306 Ord that Wright Patterson & Thomas Adams shoemakers be admitted into the freedom of this City paying customary fees but the said Patterson being bred at the Charity school is not to pay spoon nor bucket.

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Frederick Stewart by Mr. Gustavus Stewart Esq. Richard Robinson, Mr. Andrew Knox of Minnora, Mr. Edward Hart, Mr. Charles Moore son of Mr. Moore and Mr. James Nugent.

12<sup>th</sup> August 1734

307 + Mr. Mayor informing this Lower Council that the Honble John Wainwright Esq. one of the Barons of the Court of Exchequer is coming Judge of Assize, Ord that Mr. Baron Wainwright be presented with a ticket of freedom at his coming here.

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Thomas Pucklington Esq. Clerk to said Mr. Baron Wainwright

Ord that John Henderson Cooper and John Elder shoemakers upon their petitions be admitted & sworn Freeman paying spoon & bucket & customary fees.

308 Mr. Alderman Morciffe produced to this Lower Council an affidavit made by Mr. Lecky, Mr. Ash & Matthew Cason setting forth that Robert Graham of this City Burgess supposed to be disfranchised by this Corporation was not as they apprehended legally disfranchised he the said Graham having upon the debate whether he ought to be disfranchised or not an equal number of votes as well for as against him and that they the Deputies were believed that he said Graham has been greatly wronged by the said supposed or pretended disfranchisement and that they

p. 288 in their conscience think he ought to be restored to his place or office of Capital Burgess in this City. Said affidavit being read and the question being thereupon put whether he said Mr. Graham was disfranchised or not it was carried by a majority of fourteen against six that he was not disfranchised by a majority, and it being afterwards moved that the opinion of this Court Council should be taken whether there was any vacancy of a Burgess's place upon the said pretended disfranchisement which being thereupon put to the question it was carried by a majority of fifteen to five that there was no vacancy.

A motion being afterwards made and the question thereupon put whether the pretended election of William Richardson Esq on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1730 to the office of Burgess in the room of the said Robert Graham was legal or not, it was carried by a majority of fourteen to six that the said pretended election was not legal.

The question being also put whether the said Mr. Graham was on the said 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1730 a legal Burgess and member of this Corporation and whether he the said Mr. Graham is not now and has been ever since such legal Burgess and member, it was carried by a majority of fourteen against six that the said Mr. Graham was then, is now, & has been ever since a legal Burgess & member of this Corporation.

The question being also put whether the rule made on the said 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1730 upon the pretended election of the said Mr. Richardson Esq to the office of Burgess in the room of the said Robert Graham should now be repealed or not and whether the said Mr. Richardson's name should be now erased out of the Court Council

p. 309 Book. Wherever it is entered as a member of this Corp<sup>y</sup> it was carried by a majority of fourteen against six that the said rule be repealed and that the said William Richardson's name be accordingly erased.

Ord<sup>d</sup> that the said rule made on the said 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1730 on the said pretended election of the said William Richardson to the office of Burgess as aforesaid be and he same is hereby absolutely repealed and that the name W<sup>m</sup> Richardson be forthwith struck out of the Common Council Books wherever it is entered as a member of this Corp<sup>y</sup>.

Ordered that the said Mr. Graham be now set for & that he take his seat as Burgess as formerly

27<sup>th</sup> August 1734

310 Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given to Thos Dennis Esq. W<sup>m</sup> Henry Hart of Dublin, George Wase of Minimore Esq. William Dabington of Arney Esq. and Mr William Dickson of Ballyshannon.

311 Ord that William Mathews, Mador, on his petition be admitted a freeman paying spoon & bucket & customary fees.

17<sup>th</sup> September 1734

312 Ordered that Tickets of Freedom be given to Capt James Fains, The Rev W<sup>m</sup> Dawson Leslie, Mr Charles Asher, The Rev. Mr William Longham, W<sup>m</sup> William Nesbit, Capt William Tennison, Lieut James Sney, Ensign Edward Lilly, Doct<sup>r</sup> William Benford, Mr Alexander Skipton, Mr Alexander Stewart of Ballyvaugh, Mr Grove Gifford, Mr James Dickson of Bourdeaux & Peter Benson Jun<sup>r</sup> of Bristowtown Esq.

Ord that Francis Knox Merchant be on his petition admitted & sworn a freeman paying spoon & bucket & customary fees.

25<sup>th</sup> October 1734

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Ordered that Tickets of Freedom be given to

p. 313 An Cornelius Holden, Ensign David Turner, + John Sinclair Esq.

2<sup>d</sup> November 1734

315 Ord. that Tickets of Freedom be given to John Leslie Esq. Provost of Strab Mr. Kristian Sweterham the best Mr. Bernard Bard, Mr. John Thompson of Exlightown, Capt William Forester Mr. Edward Spence.

15<sup>th</sup> December 1734

Ord. that Ticket of Freedom be given to Mr. John Melinrook of Dunmore, Mr. George Richardson Esq. Mr. Thomas Lecky, Mr. Nichl. Wollister, Mr. Wm. Peterson of Raister Mr. John Ellis.

2<sup>d</sup> January 1734.

316 Ord that Thomas Patton be remitted Spoon & Bucket he having served in the Charity school.

Ord that James Hauble Mason, Wm. Wobbelland Shoncker, and Humphrey Puring Distiller be on their petitions admitted & sworn freemen paying Spoon & bucket & customary fees.

317 Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to Mr. Wm. Patterson of Rathmelton.

19<sup>th</sup> January 1734

Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given to Mr. Nichl. Harvey, Mr. William Scrimpskire, Lieut Alex Stewart of Antstewart and the Rev Mr. John Lauceance.

5<sup>th</sup> February 1734

319 Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Kristian Hart, Mr. John Keinegh, Mr. Edward Hughes and Mr. Robert Thompson.

17<sup>th</sup> February 1734

322 Ord that Tickets of Freedom be given to Nicholas Archdale Esq and the Rev Edward Clifton

20th April 1755

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That part of our Charter being read by which this Corporation are limited to elect members into this Body out of the Citizens of this City or the Inhabitants within the Liberties thereof and the oaths of a Burgess & Freeman being also read and the Question thereupon putt whether it be the opinion of this Common Council that any persons who are not Citizens of the City or Inhabitants within the Liberties thereof are disqualified by the Charter to be elected members of this Corporation it was carryed by a Majority in the affirmative that they were not qualified to be members of this Body.

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Ordered that hereafter no person or persons whatsoever shall be elected or sworn members of this Corporation who are not Citizens of this City or Inhabitants & resident in the Liberties thereof.

And that a Ticket of Freedom be given to Mr Robert Walker of Dublin Merchant.

19th May 1755

And that William Stevenson baker be on his petition admitted & sworn a Freeman paying Spoon & Bucket & Customary fees.

26th May 1755

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And that John McDougall Taylor be admitted and sworn a Freeman paying Spoon & Bucket & Customary fees.

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And be it further enacted ordered and established by the authority aforesaid that henceforth for ever hereafter there shall not be made a greater number of Honorary or Ticket Freeman of the said City of London or the Corporation of the said City than twelve in any one year to commence from the time of the Confirmation or approbation of this present Act by the Honourable Society of the Governor & Assistants for

387 the new Mentation in Wales within the Realm of Ireland any custom or usage to the contrary notwithstanding

12th July 1735

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Mr. Mayor informed this Common Council that yesterday he received a Letter from the Honble the Society of London directed to the Mayor & Town Council of the City in which was inclosed the Bylaws made & enacted at last Common Council & transmitted to the Society for their Confirmation & approbation and that the Society had approved of & confirmed the same under their Common Seal and the said Bylaws & Confirmation thereof being now read It is ordered that the same be fairly transcribed by the Chamberlain in the Book wherein our Charter is copied & likewise that the Bylaws made & enacted at a Common Council held the 30th of August 1709 & confirmed by the Society the 27th of October 1709 be likewise transcribed in the said Book & openly read in Court at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City & Liberties of London & after the charge shall be given to the Grand Jury and that the said several Bylaws shall be afterwards lodged in the chest with the original Charter of this City.

Ordered that Adam his sailor, Wm Harrison Cooper & William Steen Taylor on their several petitions be admitted & sworn Freeman paying customary Fees.

11th August 1735

389

Ordered that Wm Michael Harney, John Dykes Mercer, Wm Fleming Taylor be on their petitions admitted & sworn Freeman paying Spoon & Bucket & Customary Fees and that Wm Thomas Lecky having married a members daughter & kept for the above maker being educated in the Charity School be admitted Freeman without paying Spoon or Bucket

22nd September 1735

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Ordered that Merice Billaghan Taylor having

p. 336 been admitted in the Blue School he admitted a  
 Freeman without Spoon & Bucket, & that James  
 Craig married on his petition he admitted a  
 Freeman paying Spoon & Bucket & customary  
 Fees.

27<sup>th</sup> September 1735

337 And that Mr. Gordon watchmaker, John Campbell  
 Hitcher, Mr. Malbrieth, Carpenter, Mr. Hoyle Merchant  
 & Christopher Efford Banker on their sev. petitions  
 he admitted & some freemen paying Spoon & Bucket  
 & customary Fees.

2<sup>d</sup> January 1735

341 And that Hugh Dinwale sailor, James Hurrell  
 Chandler, Francis Jennings winecooper, James Preston  
 Carpenter, Ephraim Harrison writing master & Samuel  
 Lemson rope maker he on their several petitions  
 admitted & some freemen paying Spoon & Bucket  
 & customary Fees.

15<sup>th</sup> June 1736

343 Whereas Mr. Robt Gordon being convinced by  
 the opinion of able Council learned in the law that  
 William Richardson by was duly elected a Capitall  
 Burgess of this Corporation in his the said Robt  
 Gordon's & when he the said Robert Gordon was  
 removed from his place of Burgess & Chamberlain  
 344 of this City by this Corporation and this Common  
 Council being entirely satisfied that the said  
 William Richardson was & is a Capitall Burgess  
 of this Corp<sup>s</sup> have therefore unanimously elected  
 the said Robt Gordon to serve as Capitall Burgess  
 & & had it is unanimously agreed to by  
 this Corp<sup>s</sup> that Mr. Fred<sup>k</sup> Gordon was lately  
 duly elected a Burgess & is to be a Burgess of  
 this Corporation

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Ordered that the Rt Rev. Thomas Lord Bishop  
 of Berry be presented with the Freedom of this City

p. 245 in a gold box not exceeding the value of twenty pounds with this Corporation was required thereon and that William Richardson by do write to Dublin for said box with all proper expedition and that the Chamberlain do pay him the charge thereof.

Red that tickets of freedom be given to the Rt Honble the Lord Parly Major Thomas Blackmore the Rev Mr. Joseph Buckinsh, the Rev Mr. Armande Phillips and the Rev Dean Lewis Harris.

15<sup>th</sup> September 1726

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Resolved that it is the opinion of this Committee that an Entertainment be prepared for the Lord Bishop of Derry & other gentlemen who are to receive their freedoms consisting of three anchovies or haddock & six dozen of the best claret that can be had and that his Lordship and the clergy of this city and the Corporation be invited when the Common Council shall think proper, to all which this Common Council do agree and order that the said invitation be given for five of clock this evening.

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Ordered that James Merson, Merch, John Strawbridge, Currier & Michael Ferral cabinetmakers be on their several petitions admitted & sworn Freeman paying for them a Buckets & Customary Fees.

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There being a Burgesss place vacant by the Surrender of Mr. Leonard Gardner late one of the Capital Burgesss of this Corporation, the Common Council this day proceeded to elect a Burgess in the room of the said Leonard Gardner and Henry Cary Esq. was elected by a majority there being fifteen for him and twelve for Mr. George Ash, and the said Henry Cary being sent for accepted of the same and was sworn a Burgess Freeman & Common Councillor having first taken the usual oaths & repeated & signed the Declaration by law required.

22<sup>d</sup> September 1736

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Ord<sup>d</sup> that James Lockett petitioner for the Baywood  
 year merch<sup>t</sup> Richard Lows Carpenter, for the Lifford  
 baker, James Dogherby mason, be on their sev<sup>l</sup>  
 petitions admitted & sworn freemen paying Spoon  
 & Bucket & customary fees

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. Thomas  
 Lacey, Mr. Bristow Lory, Mr. George Ash, Mr. Henry  
 Ash, Mr. Thomas Morciffe & John Clarke Esq

23<sup>d</sup> September 1736

355

Ord that tickets of freedom be given to Mr. John  
 Hamilton of this City Attorney & Doctor Edward Edwards

Ord that Mr. John Mackilmaine & Mr. George  
 Gordon be admitted & sworn freemen without  
 paying Spoon & Bucket & that James Deapster  
 burgier be on his petition admitted and sworn  
 a freeman paying Spoon & Bucket & customary  
 fees.

24<sup>d</sup> November 1736

356

Ord that a ticket of freedom be given to  
 Daniel Seales of Bristow Esq

3<sup>d</sup> November 1736

358

Ord that John Alexander weaver, on his petition  
 be admitted and sworn a freeman paying  
 Spoon & Bucket & customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> March 1736

360

There being a Burgesss place vacant by the  
 preferment of Mr. Alex Kux to the office of Ald<sup>n</sup>  
 in the room of Mr. Henry Hart dead the Com<sup>n</sup>  
 Council this day proceeded to choose and elect  
 a Burgess in the room & place of the said Alex  
 Kux and Mr. Elworthy because was unanimously  
 elected and being sent for accepted of the same  
 and was sworn a freeman Burgess & Common  
 Councillor having first taken the small oaths

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361 and repeated & signed the Deeds to  
and that tickets of freedom be given to the  
at Mr. Bennett Peter Dealy Esq. to Mr. Buckley & Henry  
Danning gent. and that James Peterson merchant  
be on his petition made free paying customary  
fee.

This day Mr. Sheriff Kure and Sheriff Doreus  
took the oaths of Common Councilors and Mr.  
Sheriff Doreus the oath of a Freeman as also he  
recell oaths and repeated and signed the Deed.

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8th April 1742

Ordered that George Boyd Cooper, James  
Remage merchant, John Ellis merchant James McElfee  
Wynneker, John Gillis apothecary, be sworn  
freemen paying customary fees.

19th May 1742

Ordered that James Doeg Cooper and John Spratt  
Wynneker be admitted freemen paying customary  
fees.

3rd August 1742

3  
The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that  
he called them together in order to have an entertainment  
made for Lord Malesworth and to compliment him  
with his ticket of freedom. And that the Rt. Honble Lord  
Malesworth and his company be invited to come and  
drink a glass of wine at the town hall and that the  
Chamberlains provide the same with Biscakes, Oles  
and Hackney

And that James Bweeney be admitted a freeman  
and exempt from Sporn or Buckett money

And that Messrs Coulter James Mitchell Edward  
Wolpore be admitted freemen and sworn paying  
Customary and foreignness fees.

23rd August 1742

4

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council

7. 14 that he called them together in presence of a notice posted up for this day to elect and chuse a Burgess in the room and place of his Edward Rowton deceased late one of the Capital Burgesses of this City when Mr. Henry Barrow was unanimously elected a Burgess in the room and place of said Rowton and took the usual oaths repeated and signed the Declaration. Ordered Mr. Henry Barrow be sworn a Freeman.

4<sup>th</sup> September 1742

5 Ordered that Bryan Boyle be sworn a freeman paying customery fees.

10<sup>th</sup> October 1742

6 And that Hamilton Benson be sworn a freeman paying customery fees

21<sup>st</sup> January 1742

9 It is the opinion of this Common Council that any freemen who conceal any melt or any other merchandise as to defraud the City of its dues or customs that it is a violation of their oath and therefore a sufficient cause of disfranchisement

And that the Burgesses go through the freemen and acquaint them of this resolution of the Corporation

And that Mr. Elias Marrey, Patrick King, Tho<sup>s</sup> Reid, Mr. Mark Bellow, Mr. Pearson, Mr. John Alexander be admitted sworn freemen paying customery fees.

It is the opinion of this Committee that leafe Tobacco for the future shall pay no towns customs provided it be consigned to a freeman and manufactured in the City.

25<sup>th</sup> February 1742

11 Ordered that Tho<sup>s</sup> Hollisins James Burns be admitted freemen paying customery fees.

10<sup>th</sup> May 1743

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Ordered that tickets of Freedom be given to Will Wilson of Parkes Bar a Henry Wallace of Bellington, Andrew Sage of Widdelgham Copse and Mr. Markes Fanning attorney. Also that Mr. Walter Birmingham merchant be admitted freeman and Robt. Wilson bookkeeper paying customary fees.

19<sup>th</sup> May 1743

13

Ordered that George Spence, Ganger, John Campbell joiner, James White and Alexander Bird carpenters be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

It is the opinion of this Common Council and ordered that Robt. Orr, Braizer shall be removed from his freedom which he obtained the 10<sup>th</sup> of this inst by reason of his imposing on this Corporation under a false name and title.

23<sup>rd</sup> June 1743

14

Ordered that Mr. John Harvey merchant and James Markes shoemaker be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

7<sup>th</sup> September 1743

17

Ordered that Andrew Brenner weaver, Bleaching Carpenter, Martin Fitzpatrick shopkeeper, John Brennan and John Quigley cordwainers be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> October 1743

Ordered that Lawrence Backhouse mariner, James Brackley cooper, be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

7<sup>th</sup> November 1743

19

Ordered that James Cross mariner, Robt. Orr Braizer be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

10th February 1743

1. 21

Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. David Ross, M<sup>r</sup>. Frederick Hamilton  
merrier, M<sup>r</sup>. Tho<sup>s</sup>. Moore shopkeeper, Hugh Haminge  
merrier, James Nashbone greigier, M<sup>r</sup>. Frederick Pearson,  
M<sup>r</sup>. Andrew Dunlop merch<sup>t</sup>, M<sup>r</sup>. Walter Marshall pur<sup>r</sup>  
Linendrapes, M<sup>r</sup>. Edger Serpent at meace, M<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Ash  
merrier be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

Ord for the future that the four honorary freemen  
be always made on the first Thursday after every  
first day of May and in case the Mayor can't attend  
that day that then the Mayor for the time being shall give  
eight days notice to fill up such freemen.

12th April 1744

23

Ord that Rob<sup>t</sup>. Pitts sergent, John Miller chandlers  
M<sup>r</sup>. Miller cooper, Heil Campbell shopkeeper be admitted  
freemen paying customary fees.

It is the sense of this Common Council that for the  
future no man shall be admitted a freemen of this City  
except those who have served five years apprenticeship  
and that every person not having served such a time  
shall pay into the Chamber five p<sup>ts</sup> before he be admitted

2nd May 1744

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X

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
that he called them together in order to make four Honorary  
freemen for the year 1744 when the Right Rev<sup>d</sup> the Lord  
Bishop of Derry the Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup>. John Hamilton of Bellinacall  
and M<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Hamilton agent to the Society and M<sup>r</sup>. Nicholas  
Cair of Newtown Lencasterly merch<sup>t</sup> were chosen as  
fith persons to have their tickets of freedom which  
be order the Clerk to make out and send to the above get<sup>s</sup>.

Ord that the Lord Bussshop may get his freedom  
with a glass of wine.

Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. James Hollist be sworn a freemen

2nd November 1744

27

Ord that the Clerk get up an Advertisement to acquaint  
the freemen of this City that such of them as buy butter

4. 17 to give to the Strangers shall be disfranchised from their freedom.

20<sup>th</sup> November 1744

25 And that Barnabas Dyffers be admitted a freeman paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> April 1745

22 And that William Anderson Baker be admitted into the freedom of this City he first paying five pounds ster pursuant to a Rule of Common Council both customary fees.

17<sup>th</sup> September 1745

26 And that Shoshobellier Carpenter be admitted a freeman paying customary fees

21<sup>st</sup> November 1746

40 And that Mr: Tho: Abraham Mr: Darns Rendall Mr: Benjamin Lawrence and Mr: Andrew Gregg be admitted freemen paying five pd: each into the Chamber both the other accustomed fees.

And that Mr: John Hart, Mr: Rob: Alexander Mr: George Elliot, Mr: Laurence Hobbsaine be admitted sworn freemen

And that Mr: W<sup>m</sup> Wright cordwainer be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

20<sup>th</sup> November 1746

41 It is the opinion of this Common Council that every person who is admitted a freeman by this Corporation shall attend the Mayor and Chamberlain on or before the eighth of December next to take the oaths of a freeman or on default thereof it is our opinions that their names shall be craiged out of the books and never be admitted hereafter.

Ordered that Mr: W<sup>m</sup> Dunlop, James Miller, John Leckey, Mr: Sam: Curry, Philip Hall be admitted freemen paying customary fees, and Mr: Boggs paying  $\frac{1}{2}$  5 into the Chamber.

4<sup>th</sup> December 17464<sup>th</sup>

The Mayor informed this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect & choose two burgresses one in the room and place of Wassen Gamble preferred to the office of Ald<sup>r</sup> and the other it being disputed whether Nathl. Delap had formerly been duly elected in the room & place of Chas. Richardson Rep preferred to the office of Ald<sup>r</sup> or whether sd. Richardson was duly elected a burress and whereas sd. Richardson came in the room & place of Chas. W. Harris Rep. who had preferred to the office of Ald<sup>r</sup> & now to prevent mistakes for the future the Mayor voted up publication pursuant to the Statute and this Com<sup>on</sup> Council do unanimously elect John Hamilton gent<sup>l</sup> to succeed sd. Wassen Gamble & do unanimously elect Nathl. Delap to succeed the vacancy of Burgress either by the preferment of sd. Chas. W. Harris or the sd. Chas. Richardson and they being sent for accepted of the same having first taken the usual oaths & repeated & signed the Declaration purt. to the Statute. Said John Hamilton being first born a freeman.

11<sup>th</sup> February 1746

45

Ord that the Mayor of the Staple Ald<sup>r</sup> Knux, Ald<sup>r</sup> Lecky, Ald<sup>r</sup> Gamble Mr. Crookshank, Mr. Courieham the two Sheriffs, Mr. Hamilton Mr. Darcus or any five of them be a Committee to inspect the Corp<sup>s</sup> books & draw out a list of the scoll<sup>d</sup> freemen for this Com. Co. to meet on Monday next and adjourn as necessary.

9<sup>th</sup> July 1747

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Ord that the Rt. Rev. Father in God William Lord Bishop of Derry be admitted an honorary freeman of this City and that he be asked to drink a glass of wine with this Corp<sup>s</sup> at such time as the Mayor shall appoint

6<sup>th</sup> November 1747

57

Ord that William W. Harris Merch<sup>t</sup> be on his pet<sup>n</sup> admitted free paying customary fees. Ord<sup>d</sup> also that

p. 57 William Whitehead Morn Merch James Stevenson  
Merch & Robert Cloop Merch. be severally admitted free  
paying each five pounds stay & customary fees & that they  
severally pay the above fines & fees & take the usual  
oaths within eight days from this date otherwise  
this order to be void.

And that for the future every person who shall  
petition for his freedom shall at the time of his petitioning  
tender to this Corporation all fines & fees to be required  
& payable otherwise no petition to be accepted of.

2<sup>d</sup> January 1747

58 And that James White Carpenter be admitted free  
without paying any fees as he paid his fees before  
Messrs. Doctor Edward Bonneton and Mr. John  
Mearns where formerly admitted but by a mistake  
in the Chemb's entries the former was called James and  
the latter also we now order that the Chemb's renew their  
tickets and alter their names in the fair booke.

12<sup>th</sup> January 1747

59 It being the order of this Court Counsel that if the  
four honorary freemen who we have only a right to  
make by our bylaw in one year and as we all agreed  
if they should not be made on the first Thursday in  
May that then there should be eight days previous  
notice given before s<sup>d</sup> freemen should be elected  
pursuant to s<sup>d</sup> resolution of this Common Council  
s<sup>d</sup> notice was published therefore this Common Council  
do unanimously agree that the Messrs Arthur Gray the  
Deer of this City and Duncan Campbell Esq of Ayr and  
Mr. Thomas Knox Merch of Lige have their tickets  
of freedom made out by the Chemb's and sent to them.

And that Duncan Campbell Esq have his freedom  
sent to him in a handsome silver box gilded with  
the City linc thereon for his great services done the  
ships belonging to this town when they meet with any  
misfortunes on his coast.

19<sup>th</sup> 4 February 1747

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Ord that John Rogge shoemaker, Mr Messerons shoemaker, John Dykes messer, James Ross Carpenter be admitted freemen and exempt from Spoon and Buckets money of being educated in the Blue School and that Mr Burton cooper, Francis Comerford saddler Mr Thornton messer, Adam Orr chandler and Samuel Cuning messer be admitted freemen paying usual fees except Thornton.

Ord that Alex Moor shopkeeper be sworn paying five pds with the usual fees.

29<sup>th</sup> February 1747

Ord that Mr W. Lustin John W. Howell messer be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

23<sup>rd</sup> May 1748

64

Ord that James Smith, James Cladding, John Riley messer, Samuel Montgomery merch, James Edgar clothier and Noble Godfrey tailor be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

23<sup>rd</sup> June 1748

65

Mr Mayor requisited this Comon Council that he called them together pursuant to a resolution of this body that if 4. four honest freemen which we are obliged to elect in in one year by our by law be not elected on the first Thursday in May that then eight days previous notice must be given before such freemen can be elected. Now sd notice being posted up Francis Andrews Charles Gardner Daniel W. Heil and Hugh Hill Esqrs were unanimously elected. Ord that the Clerk make out tickets of freedom for the above gent<sup>ls</sup> and send them to them.

Ord that Mr. Holland Lecky, Mr. John and Nicholas Wollwine be admitted sworn freemen and exempt from Spoon and Buckets money.

Ord that Mr. Johnston, Mr. Hookes and those senten<sup>ts</sup> carpenters and James Lambell cooper John

65<sup>o</sup> Whereas yeas merch! and Jo: Hope meriner be admitted freemen paying customary fees and Whithorn to pay five p<sup>ts</sup>.

26<sup>th</sup> August 1748

66<sup>o</sup> Ord that Robert Christy merch! be admitted a sworn freeman paying five p<sup>ts</sup> with the customary fees and that Mr John Hamilton meriner and Kain Craigly be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

17<sup>th</sup> September 1748

67<sup>o</sup> Ord that Mr Shaw carpenter and James Swin Cordwinder be admitted freemen paying customary fees

25<sup>th</sup> October 1748

Ord that John Martin bricklayer, David Caldwell blacksmith and James Siffin merch! be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

4<sup>th</sup> November 1748

68<sup>o</sup> Ord that David Paterson shoemaker and William Levin Bailies saddler be admitted freemen to<sup>d</sup> Davis be remitted his fees.

7<sup>th</sup> November 1748

69<sup>o</sup> Ord that Tho: Corningham stay maker, Edward Corningham Smith, James Corningham wigg maker and George Dixon watchmaker and John Cambell wiggmaker be admitted freemen paying customary fees

9<sup>th</sup> January 1748

71<sup>o</sup> Ord that Mr John Willson watchmaker be admitted a sworn freeman paying five p<sup>ts</sup> with the customary fees.

It is the resolution of this Common Council that no person shall for the future be admitted a freeman without first putting up a notice in writing on one of the pillars of the market giving eight days notice of their intention to petition for such freedom.

15<sup>th</sup> 4 February 1748

p. 73

Ord that Mr. Knapp be returned his foreigners fees and that Michael Biers tailor and Mr. James Miller mariner be admitted sworn freemen.

5<sup>th</sup> September 1749

74

Ord that Peter Benson by and Mr. James Knave Merchant be admitted sworn freemen paying customary

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Ordered that an Act being made on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January last obliging every one who petitioned for their freedom previous to such petition that they should advertise themselves on the Market House & as we find many inconveniencies arising from said Act we hereby repeal the same.

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Assemble  
the cordwinder  
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Biers, John  
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of foreigners

at Mr. Stocks  
who were  
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customary fees and Mr. James Knave shoemaker be admitted likewise paying foreigners fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1749

77

Ord that Nathaniel Hunter ship carpenter and Mrs. Perry weaver be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> January 1749

The Mayor acquainted this House Council that he called them together in order to elect four honorary freemen for this present year pursuant to a notice posted up for that purpose when Mr. Robt. Miller of Colborne, Mr. Michael Ross of Newtown Comarady Mr. John Green of Derry and James Brinley were chosen the freemen. Ord that the Chart<sup>r</sup> be kept out their tickets accordingly.

15<sup>th</sup> 4 February 1748

p. 73

Ord that Mr. Knapp be returned his foreigners fees and that Michael Diver tailor and Mr. James Miller mariner be admitted ~~more~~ freemen.

5<sup>th</sup> September 1749

74

Ord that Peter Benson by and Mr. James Knapp merchant be admitted ~~more~~ freemen paying customary fees.

Ord that Hugh Young tailor, James Samble glazier, James Kerr carpenter, James Waddle cordwinder John Stephenson dyer, Andrew Bond tanner, Robt. Hamilton merchant, Robt. Stevenson mariner, John Wilson mariner and Mr. Trininick merchant be all admitted freemen paying customary fees and that James Thomson tanner be admitted paying foreigners fees.

10<sup>th</sup> November 1749

76

Ord that Mr. John Hulever, merchant, Mr. Stocks mariner James Rogge mariner Mr. Wona more Carpenter be admitted ~~more~~ freemen paying customary fees and that James Allison shopkeeper be admitted likewise paying foreigners fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1749

77

Ord that Nathaniel Heater ship carpenter and Mrs. Perry weaver be admitted freemen paying customary fees.

11<sup>th</sup> January 1749

The Mayor acquainted this Court Council that he called them together in order to elect four honorary freemen for this present year pursuant to a notice posted up for that purpose when Mr. Robt. Miller of Colborne, Mr. Michael Ross of Newtown Limerick, Mr. John Greaves of Derry and James Brown by were chosen the freemen. Ord that the Chart<sup>r</sup> make out their tickets accordingly.

6th March 1749

4. 79

Ord that Mr. Charles Barronway Merch. Mr. Andrew Caldwell mariner, and Archd. Lelahan tiler be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

29th September 1750

80

Ord that John Kerr, mariner be admitted a freeman on his petition paying customary fees, & that George Kerr tanner of Ballymeagusty be also admitted a freeman on his pet<sup>n</sup>: paying customary fees.

14th March 1750

85

Ord that Charles Low Merch. James Thors mainer Robt. Wallace mariner be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and John Dooleerty be admitted a sworn freeman and be excused spoon & bucket being a New boy, & Tho. Harvey Merch. be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & bucket being Burgess son and Tom Hobair & Tom Burasid shopkeepers be admitted sworn freemen paying foreigners fees & customary fees.

6th May 1751

87

Ord that Mr. John Knox Merch. Mr. Robt. Donstom Merch. be admitted sworn freemen & excused spoon & bucket being members sons and that And<sup>o</sup>. Henderson apothecary Samuel Jenkins shoemaker, Edmund Sheales Merch. Tho. Pierce Merch. Mr. Sillay Merch. Archd. Wollonine mariner be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees, and that Mr. Mitchell tanner John D'yard tanner & James Woborkill shopkeeper be admitted sworn freemen paying each five pds and customary fees.

26th September 1751

89

Ord that John Richmond G. Younger upholsterer be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees also Samuel W. Farland gunsmith be admitted a sworn freeman paying five pounds & customary fees.

94 and also Robt Ley shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman paying five pounds & customary fees.

And for the future no foreigners be admitted a sworn freeman of this city under paying at least ten pounds to this Corporation besides customary fees.

13<sup>th</sup> February 1752

96 And that James Holroy wig maker be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

22<sup>nd</sup> February 1752

95 And that Edward Gilby ship carpenter James Gillis & John Gillis both joiners be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

12<sup>th</sup> April 1752

105 And that Michael Allcorn shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman paying ten pounds besides customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> May 1752

106 It is the opinion of this Common Council that this Corporation have an undoubted right by their Charter to take customs on all goods imported into this city which are not the real property of a freeman and resident in this city & liberties tho' the freeman they are consigned to draws his usual commission And we therefore that the Chamber levy s<sup>d</sup> towns customs on all such goods that are the property of foreigners & that no freeman hereafter presume to enter any goods or merchandises which is not his own property in his own name but in the name of the proper owner under the severest punishment that this Corporation can inflict

107 And that Will. Baxter cooper & Will. Walsingham cooper be both admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

18<sup>th</sup> July 1752

7. 109

Ord that Hugh Hill Esq be admitted a sworn  
freeman & Benjamin Cristies cooper be admitted a  
sworn freeman and excused spoon & bucket being  
a blew boy. This day Hugh Hill Esq was sworn  
a Common Councillor.

20<sup>th</sup> September 1752

110

Ord that John Gosney the Younger Skinner be  
admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and  
bucket being a blew boy.

Ord that Tho Ross Shopkeeper be admitted a  
sworn freeman paying ten pounds & customery fees

7<sup>th</sup> December 1752

113

X

Ord that the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Phillip Lord Aisle  
Sturford be presented with his ticket of freedom  
for this City by the Sheriff

114

Ord that W<sup>th</sup> Tho. Ansel Briggs be admitted a  
sworn freeman paying customery fees. Ord that W<sup>th</sup>  
Joseph Woll merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman  
paying customery fees. Ord that both be excused  
spoon & bucket being sons in law to members.

Ord that Will. Downing smith, Tho Dunbar  
merch<sup>t</sup>, John Simpson merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted sworn  
freemen paying customery fees, also Charles  
Wolpinis carpenter and Will. Nimmo Taylor be  
admitted sworn freemen & excused spoon & bucket  
being blew boys, and also Will<sup>m</sup> Sheres Shopkeeper  
be admitted a sworn freeman upon paying ten  
pounds & customery fees.

24<sup>th</sup> January 1753

116

Ord that Henry Cary Hamilton Esq, Will<sup>m</sup> Cary  
Esq, Geo Cary Esq, Capt Rob<sup>t</sup> Dobson, Lieut Will<sup>m</sup>  
Montgomery, Frederick Norman Esq, Captain  
Marcus Norman, Connolly Norman Esq, Thomas  
Newbury Esq, Tho Cogden Esq, W<sup>th</sup> Phillip Proper  
merch<sup>t</sup> be all admitted sworn freemen & sworn at

p. 116 the pleasure of the Mayor and assessed upon and  
bucket being members sons and sons in law.

And that Mr. Ben Hart merrier be admitted a  
sworn freeman and assessed upon & Bucket being  
a members son.

And that John Wroughton Esq. Meredith Workman  
Esq. Alexander Bulgern, John Davis Cooper, William  
Robertson merrier, James Peterson shoemaker be  
admitted sworn freemen paying customary  
fee.

And that Mr. Tho. Warkenton be admitted a  
sworn freeman paying customary fee.

And that William Reynolds merch! and Albert  
Byers shopkeeper be admitted sworn freemen  
upon each of their paying ten pounds & customary  
fee.

And that Hugh Wilson Esq! be admitted sworn  
freeman without fee.

11<sup>th</sup> Janry 1753

117

The Mayor appointed this Common Council &  
then together to elect four honorary freemen pursuant  
to notice for that purpose posted up when the following  
gent: were elected by a fair majority viz The  
Right Hon George Power Sheriff of County  
called Lt. Sheriff, The Hon Rich Purvis Esq. Esq.  
Peter Esq. Mr. Will. Ross of Newtownlamandy. And  
that the Gent: make out tickets of freedom of  
this City for sd gent.

118 And that Mr. George Skipton, Mr. Henry Stow  
Mr. John Ewin, Mr. Stephen Bennett the younger, Mr.  
Joseph Moor, Mr. Rowley Wyland, Mr. Rich. Wyland,  
The Rev. Mr. Robt. Wyland, Mr. Robt. Tolist, Mr. Cohen  
Wahon, Mr. Tho. Lecky, Mr. Nicolas Lecky, Mr. Albert  
Lecky all three merriers and sons to Mr. Willm  
Lecky, Robt. Hart Esq. Mr. Tho. Hart Lincolns  
Mr. Frederick Cunningham son to Mr. Rich. Cunningham  
be all admitted sworn freemen and assessed  
upon & bucket being members sons and sons in law.

7. 118 But that Mr. John Wilson Mirell and Mr. Richd. Reby Mirell be both admitted sworn freemen upon paying customary fees.

20<sup>th</sup> January 1753

119 But that Messrs Paul Benson & James Benson Mirells. in look be both admitted sworn freemen and received spoon and bucket in acknowledgment of the particular services they have done the Mirells. of this City and sworn at the Mayors pleasure

9<sup>th</sup> February 1753

120 But that Robt. Henderson & Robt. Miller both married be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and Doctor Samuel Moor and Esq. John Woodcock be both admitted sworn freemen and received spoon & bucket being members sons in law  
But that Robt. Lavin piecemaker be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

19<sup>th</sup> March 1753

122 But that Stephen Wray shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds and customary fees.

But that James Goypter wigmaker be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

23<sup>rd</sup> April 1753

123 But that John Donnell shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds & customary fees.

20<sup>th</sup> August 1753

124 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to elect four honorary freemen pursuant to notice for that purpose posted up. But that Thos. Knowles of Durganson, Mr. John Smith of Magillizer, The Rev. Mr. George Knox of Lifford and the Rev. Mr. Burke Cuppage

7. 124 of Colvaine be admitted Honorary Freeman. And that the Clerk make out and send them tickets of their freedom accordingly.

And that Mr. Robt. Gault & Mr. Geo. Gault be both admitted sworn freemen and excused spoon & bucket being sons to a member.

And that Tho. Morrison mariner and William Robinson mariner be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

115 And that Mr. Rodger Ford Merchant be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds & customary fees.

And that John King be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds and customary fees.

1st January 1754

119 And that Samuel King Taylor be admitted sworn freeman paying customary fees.

16th May 1754

129 And that William Stewart Esq of the City of London be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

And that Mr. John Ferguson Surgeon & Apothecary be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds and customary fees.

And that John Richard Baker be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

And that Francis Levy Esq be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket.

23rd September 1754

133 And that Mr. Hugh Lecky att. 7 be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & bucket being Quaker to an Alder of this City.

And that Benjamin Stephenson Coppermith & Hans Gregory Taylor be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and that Willm. Reed Smith be

p. 33 admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & bucket being a New boy.

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10<sup>th</sup> October 1754

The Mayor acquainted his Common Council that he called them together to elect the four honorary freemen pursuant to notice for that purpose posted up when the four following gent<sup>s</sup> were elected by a fair majority viz The Rev Mr Benjamin Spen, the Rev Mr Ludw Ferguson, the Rev Mr John Daniel and Mr Ludw Spotswood. Ord that the Clerk make out Tickets of freedom of this City to each of them.

Ordered that John Dickson William Dickson and James Dickson be admitted sworn freemen and excused spoon & bucket be sons to an Ald<sup>r</sup>.

2 Ord that Mr George Tompson & Mr George Hamilton be admitted sworn freemen but are excused spoon & bucket being grandsons to a member.

Ord that for the future that no persons shall be admitted to the freedom of this City on acct. of their being grandsons to a member.

Ord that Mr George Babington winecooper, Mr George Lang mariner be admitted sworn freemen on paying customery fees and that Mr Tho<sup>s</sup> Cunningham shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying ten pounds & customery fees.

Ord that Mr George Block merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customery fees.

14<sup>th</sup> February 1755

5 Ord that John Carens William Carens Henry Carens, Robert Carens, Nichl Carens James Carens Andrew Carens George Carens all sons to Henry Carens, Andrew Hamilton George Hamilton sons to Will<sup>m</sup> Hamilton John Hamilton Tho<sup>s</sup> Hamilton son to John Hamilton be admitted sworn freemen and excused spoon & bucket being members sons

Ord that Mr George Gerson merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customery fees.

7.9 Ord that James Lees mariner, James Spright mariner, Joseph Howard mariner, Will Hamilton mariner, James Harvey merch<sup>t</sup> Samuel Day mariner William Holroyde Taylor Tho. Balpore mariner be all admitted from freemen or pay up customary fees.

Ord that Samuel Moore merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman or paying ten pounds and customary fees.

17<sup>th</sup> February 1755

9 Ord that James Ho Strogalis mariner be admitted a sworn freeman or paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> June 1755

12 Ord that Mr Tho James merch<sup>t</sup> and Mr Samuel Hatfield merch<sup>t</sup> be both admitted sworn freemen or each of them paying ten pounds & customary fees

Ord that phalatiners of Clooney, Carpenters, Will<sup>m</sup> Branhill mariner, John Elkins mariner be all admitted sworn freemen or paying customary fees, also Tho<sup>s</sup> Williams serg<sup>t</sup> be admitted be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoons & Buckets.

22<sup>nd</sup> September 1755

13 Ord that John Thompson mariner, Mr Paul Finnick and John Picken staymaker be all admitted sworn freemen or paying customary fees

30<sup>th</sup> September 1755

14 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect a Burgess in the room and place of Mr. West Alexander one of the Capital Burgesses promoted to the office of Alderman pursuant to notice posted up.

Ord that John Swetser only be admitted and sworn a freeman and excused from spoons & Buckets.

The sd John Swetserem by being proposed as fitt person to succeed said Mr West Alexander promoted

- 14 to the office of Ald: was unanimously elected into  
 said office of Burgess and took his place accordingly  
 15 having first taken the usual oaths repeated and  
 signed the Declaration and having taken the oaths  
 of a freeman & common Councillor.  
 Ord that Mr. Robt. Stewart merch! be admitted  
 a sworn freeman on paying customary fees

2nd January 1755 (1756)

- 18 This day being appointed for the election of the  
 four honorary freemen pursuant to the notice of  
 eight days for that purpose posted up the following  
 gent: were proposed as worthy & deserving such  
 a Corp: from this Corporation for the signal  
 services they have done this City in protecting their  
 trading vessels on their coast viz The Lt Hon Sir  
 Arthur Gore Bart. Lately Gore Esq. Capt. Vaughan  
 by the Mer Wm. Lyles. Ord that the Chamb: make  
 out Tickets of Freedom for each of sd gent: and  
 send them to them.

Ord that James Murren Shopkeeper & Hans Major  
 Shopkeeper be both admitted sworn freemen on  
 paying each ten pounds & customary fees, and  
 David Dunbar carpenter be admitted a sworn  
 freeman on paying customary fees.

10th February 1756

- 21 Ord that for the future no merch: or shop-  
 keeper who have not served a regular apprenticeship  
 to a freeman shall be admitted a sworn freeman  
 unless he pays fifty pounds and customary fees.

14th March 1756

- 22 Ord that John Stearns merch! Tho: Beesly  
 merch! Henry Scott merch! Alexander Scott merch!  
 Stephen Brodrie merch! & Henry Rankin carpenter  
 be all admitted sworn freemen upon paying  
 customary fees

- 19<sup>th</sup> September 1756  
 19<sup>th</sup> Ord that Robt Lewis <sup>1756</sup> Holleran printers and stationers be admitted freemen of this City paying customary fees.
- 26<sup>th</sup> October 1756  
 20<sup>th</sup> Ord that Patrick Bready be admitted a freeman of this City and be excused spoon & Bucket having been educated in ye. New school.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1756  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. Edmund Soder March! George Mansfield, March! Robt Alexander, March! of John Mackey cordwainer, Arch<sup>d</sup> Kilbeath Carpenter, Robt. Reed mariner, Neal Wolvire baker, be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1757  
 25<sup>th</sup> The Mayor having posted up notice for the election of four honorary freemen the following gent<sup>l</sup> viz The Rev. M<sup>r</sup>. Thos. Barnes, M<sup>r</sup>. And<sup>r</sup> Alexander, M<sup>r</sup>. David Fairly Councilor, And<sup>r</sup> Spier, were by a majority of the Council elected. Ordered that the Clerk<sup>s</sup> make out Tickets of Freedom to each of them.
- 4<sup>th</sup> February 1757  
 28<sup>th</sup> Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. Jas<sup>s</sup> Ramsay March! be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.
- 4<sup>th</sup> August 1757  
 29<sup>th</sup> The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together to elect the four honorary freemen pursuant to notice for that purpose posted up when the following gent<sup>l</sup> were elected by a fair majority viz, Peter Benson Esq of Birdtown, James Mackay Esq of Glenfina, Henry Bernard Esq son to the Lt Gov<sup>r</sup> of Berry and the Rev. M<sup>r</sup>. Robt. Torrens of Hillier. Ord<sup>d</sup> that the Clerk<sup>s</sup> make out Tickets of Freedom to each of sd. gent<sup>l</sup>.

44

Ord that Mr. John Belliff apothecary, Mr. 10<sup>th</sup> George Merice, Mr. forster nichols Linventraper Mr. ferns thastor merice be all admitted sworn freemen on paying customary fees.

24 November 1757

44

Ord that Mr. Hugh Mathews bookseller Tho: Arch? Campbell of Sunderland - - merch. be admitted sworn freemen on paying customary fees.

2<sup>d</sup> January 1758

44

Ord that Richard Hens By of the County of Clare of Paradisehill and Mr. George Gamble son to old<sup>r</sup> Gamble Mr. George Swettenham, Mr. Tho: Swettenham son to Mr. John Swettenham, and Mr. James Alexander son to old<sup>r</sup> Alexander be all admitted sworn freemen and excused Sporn & Bucket

Ord that Mr. James Wilson merch! Mr. Samuel Wilson merch! Tho: Buchan merice, Rob<sup>t</sup> Tho: Farland merim, Mr. Gilbrath Hamilton, merch! Mr. Rob<sup>t</sup> Stewart merch! James Hunter cooper, John Stevenson

45

Carp. James Whisky Tanner & carrier be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and Tho: Dykes cordwinder, Neil McDouald taylor, Peter Fern ropemaker, George Miller stay maker, be all admitted sworn freemen and excused Sporn & Bucket being blew boys

Ord that Mr. Tho: Parkison merch! be admitted a sworn freeman of this City on paying fifty pounds and customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> February 1758

49

Ord that Mr. Tho: Bateson merch! Samuel Gumble wigmaker, Peter Messeroun cordwinder, James Peacock blacksmith, John Moore baker, John McDouough carrier, James McBelean cooper be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and John Docherty schoolmaster be admitted sworn freeman and excused Sporn & Bucket being a blew boy.

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Ord that the Churf. take Mr. Tho<sup>s</sup> Parkinson bond and prop<sup>t</sup>. for the £50 p<sup>rs</sup>. he is to pay for his freedom payable in a year from his admission without interest for the first year.

24<sup>th</sup> August 1758

57

Ord that Mr. David Fairly merch<sup>t</sup>. be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

Ord that Samuel Lemton serg<sup>t</sup>. be admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon and Bucket

Ord that Mr. Stewart Montgomery merch<sup>t</sup>. Mr. John Sturman linendraper, Mr. George Docherty merch<sup>t</sup>. Mr. James Fulls mariner & Rob<sup>t</sup>. Miller Tanner be all admitted sworn freemen on paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> November 1758

59

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect four honorary freemen according to notice eight days for that purpose posted up when the Wash<sup>g</sup> Regiment Bunter by the order, George Cary Esq of Montargus, the Rev. Mr. William Law, and Rob<sup>t</sup>. Lublinock Esq of Strake were elected honorary freemen. Ordered that the Churf<sup>ns</sup> make out tickets of Freedom to each of st<sup>d</sup> gent<sup>ns</sup>.

58

Ord that Mr. George Hart be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and Bucket being son to an Ald<sup>rn</sup>.

Ord that Will<sup>m</sup>. Patterson weaver, Edward Baxter ship carpenter, John Docherty mariner, Tho<sup>s</sup>. W. Long wig maker, John Patton beaver, Rich<sup>d</sup>. Clark Cabinet maker, Roger W. Honagle tanner, Alexander Withers carpenter, Tho<sup>s</sup>. W. Young cordwinder, George Young baker, John Woburne joiner, James Misaroon cordwinder, Tho<sup>s</sup>. White Taylor, be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and John Woburne Smith be admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & Bucket being a black boy

2<sup>d</sup> January 1759

p. 60

Ord that the Chamber do give a further credit to Mr. Tho. Parkison for the one half of his bond for another year.

Ord that for the future no person presume to spin any rope yards on any of the walls of the City without incurring the displeasure this Corp<sup>s</sup> & forfeiting their freedom of this City.

7<sup>th</sup> February 1759b<sup>11</sup>

Ord that Walter Norton, Mercht<sup>r</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Cooper, Tho<sup>s</sup> Richmond upholsterer, John Stewart mercht<sup>r</sup>, William Nicol wheelwright be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

16<sup>th</sup> June 1759b<sup>6</sup>

Ord that Mr. Tho. Parkison mercht<sup>r</sup> be remitted the remaining twenty five pounds of his bond due to this Corp<sup>s</sup>.

10<sup>th</sup> December 17597<sup>3</sup>

X

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to elect four Honorary freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up for that purpose when the Right Honble John Boscawen Esq<sup>r</sup> Speaker of the Able the House of Commons, Mr. Tho. Atkinson of Langararden County Donagell, George Young Esq<sup>r</sup> of Culluff, and George Learning Esq<sup>r</sup> of Cossage were by a great majority elected Honorary freemen of this City. Ordered that tickets of freemen be made out by the Chamber to each of them.

2<sup>d</sup> January 1760

77

Ord that Mr. Rob<sup>t</sup> Samble, Mr. Joh<sup>n</sup> Samble be admitted sworn freemen and excused spoon and bucket being sons to Henry Samble a member and that Mr. Samuel Belfour be admitted a sworn freemen on paying fifty pounds and customary fees. Ord at the request and in employment to

p. 77 Ald. Henry Hamilton the above fine of fifty pounds be remitted.

19<sup>th</sup> March 1760

87 And that Mr. Thomas Scott, Mr. Anthony Scott & Mr. James Scott sons to the Honble Mr. Justice Scott be admitted sworn freemen of this City and excused Spoon & Bucket being sons of the Recorder of this City.

88 And that Mr. George Kux of Preben son to Ald. And W. Kux, Mr. William W. Manns son to Ald. Charles W. Manns, Mr. Henry Vaughan Brook, Mr. George Brook both sons to Basil Brooke Esq. a Burgess and Mr. William Lecky & Alexander Dogg Lecky both sons to the late Alexander Lecky a Burgess and Mr. Maxwell Kennedy, George Brookshank Kennedy, William Kennedy & John Pitt Kennedy being all sons to Mr. Will. Kennedy a Burgess and Mr. John Coningham, Robt. Coningham, Arch. Coningham being sons Mr. Arch. Coningham a Burgess and James Ramage, Henry Ramage, Adam Ramage and John Ramage sons to James Ramage Esq. one of the Sheriffs, and Mr. Joseph Hancock James, and William James both sons of Tho. James Esq. one of the Sheriffs, and Squire Lecky son to Ald. Tho. Lecky and Mr. John Holland son in law to Mr. George Ash a member deceased and Robert Lecson and Mr. Matthew Lecson being sons to a member deceased be all admitted sworn freemen and excused from Spoon & Bucket being sons to members.

And that Conolly Dickson, Robt. Dickson Henry Dickson being sons to Ald. Henry Dickson deceased and Mr. William Ross, Mr. Robt. Ross, Mr. David Ross and Mr. Michael Ross being sons to Mr. David Ross a Burgess be all admitted sworn freemen and excused Spoon & Bucket.

And Capt. Col. Hezekiah Fleming be admitted a sworn freeman of this City without any fees in testimony of the high sense this Corp. has of his

88 vigilance and activity in putting this City in a posture of defence upon Mons<sup>r</sup> Thurst's landing in this Kingdom

29<sup>th</sup> March 1760

90 Whereas Mr Rob<sup>t</sup>. Lesson was admitted a sworn freeman last Common Council by the name of Will<sup>m</sup>. Ordered that the name Will<sup>m</sup> be erased & the name Rob<sup>t</sup>. be interlined.

23<sup>rd</sup> June 1760

92 Ordered that Mr Henry Cook Linendrapes of St. Billings be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and Buckett being married to an Alder<sup>s</sup> daughter.

93 Ord that Mr James Magill Merchant and Mr Rich<sup>d</sup> Porter Shopkeeper be both admitted sworn freemen on the payment of £50 each with customary fees.

Upon mature consideration tis ordered that the Chev<sup>s</sup> do remit £25 to each of the above admitted freemen.

Ord that Messrs Bill Marrier, George Johnston Marrier, Isaac Lowry printer, Joseph Caldwell, Mr Rob<sup>t</sup> Johnston Mr Rob<sup>t</sup> Paterson, Mr Rich<sup>d</sup> Williams percheron, Solomon Kirk, Mr Charles Hadden Taylor, John Howard Cooper, Daniel Dancy Chandler, Larry Sloan Marrier, John Cook Cooper be all admitted sworn freemen on paying fees and that Michael Wulfeigh Cordwainer be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & Buckett being bred at the New School.

15<sup>th</sup> September 1760

97 The petition of Mich<sup>l</sup> Thorp praying to be admitted a freeman of this City, being read and also an affidavit of Serg<sup>t</sup> Wilson setting forth that said Mich<sup>l</sup> Thorp had been concerned in the escap<sup>e</sup> of Will<sup>m</sup> Thorp a pris<sup>r</sup> on a Mayors warrant being also read and

p. 97 evidence on both sides being heard it appears to this Common Council that said Michl Thorp has prevaricated in his testimony in oath, & is therefore resolved by this Common Council not by any means to admit said Michl Thorp to the freedom of this City either now or hereafter. And that the Sheriffs do put the law in execution against him if he attempts to trade in this City.

19th September 1760

98 This ordered that Richd Woburne shopkeeper & James Berry distiller be both admitted sworn freemen on paying fifty pounds each and Customary fees. This ordered that the Sheriffs remit twenty five pds of the above fines to each of them

This Common Council in Compassion to the small family of Michl Thorp do allow him untill the first day of May next to dispose of what goods & merchandize he has on hand.

5th May 1761

107 And that Mr James London the younger merchl Mr John Murren merchl, Mr Will Stevenson merchl and Mr Dixon Birmingham merchl be all admitted sworn freemen pay<sup>g</sup> customary fees.

27th June 1761

110 And that Mr Richd Quater mariner be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

And that Walter Gamble son to Wm Gamble John Levee, George Levee, Cloty Levee & Will Levee sons to Mr Cloty Levee be all admitted sworn freemen and excused of oath and Suedeth being sons to members

2nd March 1762

120 And that Will<sup>m</sup> Brown surgeon be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees upon his petition and

120 Certificate of renitade

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Ord that Mr. Tho. Short merchant, Mr. Peter Alexander shopkeeper, Mr. John Sharp, <sup>shopkeeper</sup> both shopkeepers be all admitted sworn freemen on paying £25 each + customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> June 1762

122

Ord that the Rev Doctor Henry Dean of Killaloe & Fellow of the Royall Society be admitted a sworn freeman of this City without any fees and that the ticket of his freedom be delivered him in a gold box value from £25 to £30.

Ord that Mr. Hugh Moore be admitted a sworn freeman an excused spoon and Bucket being a members son.

Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. David McBride son in law to M<sup>r</sup>. James Bony be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & Bucket being son in law to a member.

Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. Joseph Mearns son in law to M<sup>r</sup>. Arch<sup>d</sup>. Cuninghame be admitted sworn freeman and excused spoon & Bucket & being a members son in law.

15<sup>th</sup> October 1762

125

Pursuant to notice of eight days this Common Council proceeded to the election of four Honorary freemen when James Gladstones by M<sup>r</sup>. Rodger Bonner the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Hugh Stewart and the Rev<sup>d</sup>. John Black were elected Honorary freemen. Ordered that tickets of freedom be made out by the Chamber to each of the above gent<sup>s</sup>.

126

Ord that M<sup>r</sup>. James Koch of Bungarren and M<sup>r</sup>. Bill. Harrison be admitted sworn freemen and <sup>that no fees be taken but charged to the Corp<sup>s</sup> and</sup> Anthony Smith be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & bucket being son in law to a member, and Henry Swetenham M<sup>r</sup>. Swetenham & Jos<sup>s</sup>. Swetenham be admitted sworn freemen and excused Spoon & Bucket being sons of a member.

22nd October 1769

p. 127

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together pursuant to eight days notice past up to elect a Burgess in the room & place of Rob<sup>t</sup> Fairly by lately promoted to the office of an Ald. when George Knowles was proposed as a fit person to succeed said Rob<sup>t</sup> Fairly and was unanimously elected into said office of Burgess who having taken the usual oaths required by Act of Parliament repeated and signed the Declaration & taken the oath of a Burgess and of a Common Councillor took his place accordingly and also the oath of a Freeman.

128

Ord that W<sup>m</sup>. Daniel Boyd be admitted a born freeman and excused upon & Buckets being married to the daughter of a Burgess.

Ord that David Montgomery be admitted a born freeman and excused upon & Buckets being son to and Michael Reynolds be admitted a born freeman and excused upon & Buckets being son to the Sheriff.

Ord that Ald<sup>r</sup> Hoag, Ald<sup>r</sup> Alexander, Ald<sup>r</sup> Lerby Ald<sup>r</sup> Fairly the Chamberl<sup>n</sup> Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Rob<sup>t</sup> Alexander Mr. John Knox or any three of them be a Committee to inspect into severall petitions of Freedom now lying in the Chamberl<sup>n</sup> hands and make their report next Common Council.

Ord that for the future no person be admitted a freeman of this City under the age of fifteen years.

2nd November 1762

131

Ord that Rob<sup>t</sup> Long merch<sup>t</sup>, Arthur Vance packer, William Major merch<sup>t</sup>, William Thompson Ship carp<sup>t</sup>, John Robinson cooper, James Lamplle

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mess<sup>r</sup>, John Downing anchor smith, Will<sup>m</sup> Cox dyer, Rob<sup>t</sup> Bell sailmaker, Alex Blair, W<sup>m</sup> Smith, Isaac Hiller cooper, John Heas cordwinder, John McKinchy tanner, Will<sup>m</sup> Gordon weaver, James Wodden cordwinder, Hugh Delap signmaker

172 James Mackay carp<sup>r</sup>, John Loring, Rob<sup>t</sup> Anabass  
carp<sup>r</sup> & Tho<sup>s</sup> Rochester weaver be all admitted  
sworn freemen on paying customary fees.

Ord that James Henney taylor be admitted  
a sworn freeman and excused Spoon & Bucket  
being a blunder.

Ord that the list of Common Council of the 15<sup>th</sup>  
of Sept. 1763 in regard of which, Thos shopkeepers  
be repealed and that said Thos shopkeepers  
be admitted a sworn freemen on paying twenty  
five pounds & customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> January 1763

175 Ord that William Moor shopkeeper be admitted  
a sworn freeman on paying customary fees in  
comp<sup>t</sup> to him as he is married to a descendant  
of Capt Brownings who broke the boom & relieved James<sup>r</sup>

Ord that Mr. Hamilton habshire at 4 be admitted  
a sworn freeman and excused Spoon & Bucket  
being married to the daughter of an Ald<sup>n</sup>

Ord that Mr. Patrick Hamilton of the City of  
Dublin hereb<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman and  
that the fees be charged to the Corp<sup>s</sup>

Ord that Alexander Hatcher be admitted a sworn  
freeman on paying customary fees and that  
Rutherford be admitted a sworn freeman on paying  
customary fees.

136 Ord that Mr. William James Distiller be admitted  
a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds  
& customary fees.

25<sup>th</sup> February 1763

138 Ord that Charles Moking<sup>r</sup> mariner, James  
Mackay mariner, Will Nicholson chandler, Robert  
Relston taylor, & Tho<sup>s</sup> Lee cordwainer and John  
Doeherty cooper be all admitted sworn freemen  
on paying customary fees.

12<sup>th</sup> April 1763

p. 140

Ord that Mr. William Richardson son to the late Mr. Charles Richardson be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket being son to a member, and that Mr. Hercules Hylands be admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & bucket being a son to a member and that Mr. William Wilson of Belfast Merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket being son in law to Hercules Hylands by a member  
 Ord that John Hobartson mariner and James Moor mariner be both admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

14<sup>th</sup> May 1763

142

Ord that Doct. Will. Scott be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket  
 Ord that John Hobartson mariner, James Forbes Mer<sup>t</sup> and Mr. James Stewart shopkeep<sup>r</sup> be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees

8<sup>th</sup> May 1763

143

Ord that Robt. Kinsellen carp<sup>r</sup>, Thomas Miles carp<sup>r</sup>, James Hamilton carp<sup>r</sup>, & George Crompton silmcker be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> August 1763

149

The Mayor also acquainted this Common Council also that he called them together to elect the four Honorary freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up when John Hobartson Esq of Strabane Councils Hill, Duncan Esq of Douglas, Col. Arthur M<sup>r</sup>. Gladstone Esq of Fardrea County Tyrone & Mr. Daniel Paterson of Buncrana were all elected by a full majority, Hon<sup>l</sup> freemen. Ord that the Clerk make out Tickets of Freedom to each of the above gent<sup>l</sup>.

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Ord that Mr. David Allingham of Bellefountain

p. 150 he admitted a sworn freeman & received from  
 ✓ Buckett being son in law to a member.  
 And that W. Child being son here! & Th.  
 Willm Paterson here! be both admitted sworn  
 freemen on paying between them twenty five pounds  
 & customary fees.

3<sup>rd</sup> October 1763

151 And that Tho. Sudford Esq be admitted a  
 sworn freeman at the request of Jas<sup>s</sup> Swettenham  
 one of our members and that the Chamber pay the  
 fees.

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1763

153 And that the Hon<sup>ble</sup> John Burford Esq & the Hon<sup>ble</sup>  
 ✓ William Burford Esq both brothers to the Rt. Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Earl  
 of Tyrone be admitted sworn freemen. And that  
 the Chamber pay the dues.

And that M<sup>r</sup> Tho. Major shopkeeper be admitted  
 a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds  
 and customary fees.

3<sup>rd</sup> January 1764

155 And that M<sup>r</sup> John Boyle here! be admitted  
 a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

156 And that M<sup>r</sup> William Moss shopkeeper be admitted  
 a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds  
 and customary fees.

15<sup>th</sup> February 1764

157 And that M<sup>r</sup> Abraham McFarland here! &  
 ✓ and M<sup>r</sup> John King here! be both admitted sworn  
 freemen on paying customary fees.

3<sup>rd</sup> May 1764

160 This day being appointed by Act of Common Council  
 for the election of the four Honorary freemen the Mayor  
 acquainted this Common Council that he called them  
 together for that purpose when James Hardwick Esq

1700 at 4. George William being of age. Look these  
 by and John Cross by were by a fair majority  
 elected honorary freemen. And that the Chamber make  
 out Tickets of Freedom to each of them.

And that be the Rev. Mr. Arthur Sampson, the Rev. Mr.  
 Richd. Scobie, the Rev. Mr. Tho. Jones, the Rev. Mr. Cloty  
 Corning, the Rev. Mr. Cloty Sadon, the Rev. Mr. John  
 Hood, Alexander Cardale at 7, Mr. Andrew Ferguson  
 Mr. Christian Maffons, Mr. M<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Maffons be all  
 admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

And that Charles Lewis mariner be admitted  
 a sworn freeman pay<sup>g</sup> customary fees.

And that the fees of the first four foreigners  
 that are admitted freemen be applied to Buying  
 the River of Berry.

And that Mr. Samuel Ross shopkeeper & Mr. John  
 Moffitt shopkeeper be both admitted sworn freemen  
 on paying twenty five pounds & custom<sup>r</sup> fees.

19th November 1704

167 And that Josias Dupree being of age be admitted  
 a sworn freeman and exceed upon a buckett  
 being married to the daughter of a member.

And that James Moberly nailer, Patrick Moberly  
 cordwinder Newby, Samuel Bresser carp<sup>r</sup>, John  
 Liken stay maker, Robt. Moberly glazier be all  
 admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

And that James Gamble shopkeeper be admitted  
 a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds  
 & custom<sup>r</sup> fees.

2nd December 1704

169 And that be Rt. Honble Arthur Freese one of the  
 Council of his Majestys Revenue of Ireland be  
 admitted a sworn freeman and the same be  
 presented to him by Hugh Hill Esq in a Gold  
 Box not exceeding twenty five pd.

2nd January 1765

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Ordered that Michl. Phanton be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees

19th March 1765

177

Ordered that Patrick Bellow be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees

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(See page 2 Book 5, being a duplicate entry of p. 177)

2nd May 1765

179

The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together to elect the four honorary freemen agreeable to Act of Common Council appointing this day: which election being proceeded on, the four following yeomen were elected viz the first Nicholas Stuart, Mr John Boyd of Peterborough, Mr Tho. Yarning of Duniprie and Mr John Murray of Melin. And that the Clerk make out Wickets of Freedom to each of the above yeomen

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Ordered that W. William Glen be admitted a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pds & customary fees.

(These entries are found in Book 8 page 243)

15th May 1765

193

Upon complaint of the Mayor against James Cook Cooper a freeman of this City for refusing to be demeanable to the laws by assaulting Samuel Beniston one of the Clerks and reserving himself from him by presenting a pistoll at him & threatening to blow out his brains. His ordered that said James Cook be summoned by the Sheriffs to appear before next Common Council to answer said Complaint & show cause if any why articles of Impeachment should not be exhibited against him in order to his disfranchisement of his freedom.

(Same entry is found in Book 8. page 6)

26<sup>th</sup> June 1765

p. 184

James Cook Cooper appearing before the Common Council in obedience to the summons served on him by order of Common Council did confess his crime and submitted himself to the Corp<sup>s</sup> confessing he deserved disfranchisement, or any punishment they thought proper to lay on him for his audacious bad behaviour, this Common Council being satisfied of the sincerity of his repentance and in compassion to his poor family do accept of his submission and do forgive him this offence  
(A similar entry is found in Book 8, page 7)

22<sup>nd</sup> July 1765

185

Ordered that the freedom of this City be presented to Ford Donnell in a Gold Box and that the Mayor provide same, Ordered that John Pearson be admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & bucket being married to an Aldermans daughter.  
(Similar entries are found in Book 8, page 8)

Book 8

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19<sup>th</sup> April 1765.

Ord that the Mayor write to Ald<sup>r</sup> Henry Hamilton to bespeak and bring over with him a gilded gold box to be presented to the Governor, with the freedom of this City in case he honours us with a visit  
(This entry is also found in Book 7, page 178).

2<sup>nd</sup> May 1765

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24<sup>th</sup> November 1765

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Ordered that James Fulton merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman paying Twenty five pounds & customary fees.

26<sup>th</sup> December 1765

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Ordered that the freedom of this City be given in a gold box not exceeding £40 value to His Excellency Francis Earl of Hertford Lord Lieutenant Genl. Governor of Ireland.

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His also ordered that the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Francis Conroy commonly called Lord Searchcap and Richard Jackson Esq<sup>r</sup> secretaries to the Lord Lieut be admitted sworn freemen of this City and that it be presented to each of them in a silver box gilded.

Ord that Mr. Rob<sup>t</sup> Alexander, Mr. Hugh Hill and Mr. John Knox be appointed a Committee to draw up an address to be presented to his Excellency the Lord Lieut with his Freedom.

29<sup>th</sup> January 1766.

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Ordered that Rob<sup>t</sup> Gilbert shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds and customary fees.

14<sup>th</sup> January 1766

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Ordered that John Cochran shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

8<sup>th</sup> April 1766

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Ordered that George Marshall merris Samuel Brasier, Carpenter, Peter Womough at<sup>t</sup>, and Patrick Docherby, Taylor be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees and also Archibald Mobern block-maker be admitted a sworn freeman and excused

4. 31 Sporn and bucket being a New boy.

24<sup>th</sup> May 1766

33 This day being appointed by the bylaw and  
 Act of Common Council for the election of the four  
 Honorary Freeman the Mayor appointed this Common  
 Council that he called them together for that purpose  
 32<sup>a</sup> John Brasor, Henry Curry Esq of the County of  
 Down, William Tubbs Esq of Newcastle of the County  
 of Down, Robt Campbell Esq of the City and Mr James  
 Stevenson of Wickes were elected by a fair  
 majority Honorary Freeman. Ordered that the  
 Chamberlain make out Tickets of Freedom for each  
 of the aforesd gent<sup>s</sup>.

Ordered that Mr Benjamin Beaufort be admitted  
 a sworn Freeman and receive Sporn and bucket

25<sup>th</sup> June 1766

36 The Mayor appointed this Common Council that  
 he called them together to inform them that the Rt Honble  
 Thomas Lordly Governour of this County and one of the  
 Representatives of it will be in town to day & proposed  
 to this Common Council that the freedom of this City  
 with a glass of wine should be given to him this  
 evening in the Council Chamber which this Common  
 Council do approve of. This ordered therefore  
 37 that the Right Honble Thomas Lordly be admitted  
 a sworn Freeman of this City.

This ordered also that the Right Honble Simon  
 Earl of Harcourt, the Right Honble William Earl  
 of Shelburn, the Right Honble Lord Earl of Dunmore  
 of North Britain, His Grace Richd Lord Primate  
 of all Ireland, Col. William Baelyn Major of the  
 1<sup>st</sup> Regt of Foot Guards be all admitted  
 sworn Freeman of this City, and the fees of swearing  
 charged to the Corp<sup>s</sup>.

Ordered that the above named M<sup>rs</sup> and gent<sup>s</sup>  
 be entertained with a glass of wine in the Town  
 hall at the Corp<sup>s</sup> expence.

17<sup>th</sup> July 1766

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Ordered that Mr. Worsen Boyd Mercht. be admitted a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds & customary fees.

10<sup>th</sup> September 1766

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Ordered that Mr. John Debits Mercht. be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

21<sup>st</sup> November 1766

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Ordered that Mr. John Loxingham Mercht. who served his time to the late Mr. James Stevenson Mercht. be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> November 1766

47

Upon a complaint of the Mayor to this Common Council that he had detected a fraud in one John Wolpinley a cooper and a freeman of this City by antedating the indentures of one Thomas Steels an apprentice bound to him four years before he entered on his apprenticeship so that by such a fraud he might be admitted to the freedom of this City without serving a regular time. Ordered that the Mayor should summons said Wolpinley to appear before next Common Council to shew cause if any why he should not be impeached and disfranchised of his freedom for committing such a fraud.

Ordered that Mr. Daniel Patterson Mercht. be admitted a sworn freeman and leased Spoon & Bucket being married to the daughter of a member.

2<sup>nd</sup> January 1767

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Whereas it appears to this Common Council that John Wolpinley cooper a freeman of the City of London was duly served with a notice and copy of the articles exhibited against him to shew cause why he should not be disfranchised

p. 50 pursuant to an order of Common Council bearing date the 27<sup>th</sup> of November 1766, and whereas the said John Wolinley in obedience to said notice appeared this day in his proper person and confessed this crime charged against him by the said Articles of Supercharge. His therefore ordered and adjudged that said John Wolinley be for such his misbehavior and willfully acting contrary to the oath of a Freeman removed from the Freedom of this City and the said John Wolinley is hereby accordingly disfranchised from the Freedom of this City.

Ordered that M<sup>r</sup>. Arthur Seles clerk to the Mayor house be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

9<sup>th</sup> March 1767

53 Ordered that David Wood Methuen be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

7<sup>th</sup> May 1767

55 The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect the four honorary freemen his being the day appointed by the bylaw for that purpose when the Mayor Arthur Simpson, <sup>was unanimously elected an honorary freeman</sup> and John Firrell bag collector of Sturbone, John Wolinley bag of Sturmore and M<sup>r</sup>. Arthur Newbury landowner of London were duly elected honorary freemen by a majority of votes. Ordered that the Chamberlain make out Tickets of Freedom to each of said part.

Ordered that M<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Venables merchant William Wolinley of Quamore, an Ensign on half pay & Lieut James Wilson be admitted sworn freemen & the fees be charged to the Corps as they served His Majesty last war, and that M<sup>r</sup>. John Sherry jun<sup>r</sup> chandler be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> August 1767  
 66 Ordered that Thomas Colborn be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> September 1767  
 67 Ordered that Mr. Thomas Chambers merchant! Mr. John Boring merchant! Mr. Alexander Willson grocer be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

25<sup>th</sup> November 1767  
 68 Ordered that the Honble. William Howe Colonel of the Foursyth's Regiment of Foot be admitted a sworn freeman and the fees charged to the Corp<sup>s</sup> in testimony of their approbation of his abilities and merit when employed abroad in the service of his King and Country. Ordered that his freedom be presented to him on Sunday night with a Glass wine.

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Ordered that David Porter shopkeeper be admitted a sworn freeman on paying twenty five pounds & customary fees.

19<sup>th</sup> January 1768  
 70 Ordered that the Rest! Mr. William Bankes Dean of Raphs, the Honble. John Vaughan Lieut Col of the Foursyth's Regiment of Foot, Mr. John Ellis of Greenwich be admitted sworn freemen and their fees charged to the Corp<sup>s</sup> and Mr. James Sublistock of Westwall be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

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12<sup>th</sup> February 1768  
 71 Ordered that no swearing fees be charged to any freeman unless ordered by common council

4<sup>th</sup> August 1768  
 The Mayor acquainted this common council that he called them together to elect four honorary

p. 72 freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up.

73 Ordered that before this Common Council do proceed on the business they were called together upon viz the election of the four honorary freemen they be at liberty to proceed to the election of the Lord Bishop of Derry a sworn freeman.

Ordered that the Right Rev and Right Honble Richard Lord Bishop of Derry be admitted a sworn freeman and that he same be presented to him in a gold box value £ 25 and that he be entertained in the town hall with a glass of wine the day the same is presented to him.

Ordered that Mr. Killmer Suterham of Dublin Messrs Mr. Henry Cery supervisor of Gaolhouse John Richardson Esq of Somerset and John Cummin Esq of the First Reg<sup>t</sup> of Horse be all admitted honorary freemen. Ordered that the Chamberlain make out tickets of freedom to each of said gent<sup>s</sup>.

Ordered that Alexander Brookshank Esq Council at Law be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon and Bucket being married to an above daughter.

19<sup>th</sup> September 1768

75 Ordered that Mr. John Dagg, Mr. John Knox, Mr. Fred<sup>d</sup> Hamilton, Mr. George Coory, Mr. William Caldwell or any three of them be appointed a Committee to assist the Chamberl<sup>ns</sup> & also to inspect into the right of several petitioners for the freedom of this City and report their opinion.

27<sup>th</sup> October 1768

77 Ordered that Archibald Grange, Thomas Grange and Henry Grange the younger sons to Mr. Henry Grange and George Scholes son to Mr. Adam Scholes be admitted sworn freemen and excused Spoon and Bucket being sons of members.

13<sup>th</sup> April 1769

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Ordered that John Liddle Merchant and Mr. Theobald Mearns be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

24<sup>th</sup> June 1769

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He Mayo acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to elect four honorary freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up, when Henry Bray of Brook Hill in the Liberties of Londonderry Esq. William Cunningham of Spring Hill in the County of Londonderry Esq. The Rev. Mr. Robt. Law late Fellow of Trinity College and Spencer Bray of Collespney in the County of Londonderry Esq. were elected honorary freemen by a fair majority. Ordered that the Clerks make out tickets of freedom to each of the said gent<sup>s</sup>.

Ordered that Mr. James Esop late Merchant Esq. be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees, also that William O'Connell, apothecary, Robt. Garroway late Quarter Master of Dragoons now of the City of Londonderry be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

Ordered that Mr. James Grove of Dublin be admitted a sworn freeman and received sworn and Buckets being married to a daughter of the late Basil Brooke Esq. who was a member.

24<sup>th</sup> November 1769

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Ordered that Mr. Jeremiah Balfour of Pump Street, Mr. James Murray at Mr. Bill<sup>l</sup> Stevenson Station<sup>r</sup>, John Mulhure mer<sup>t</sup>, Rich<sup>d</sup> Hunter mer<sup>t</sup>, Thomas Bayley mer<sup>t</sup>, Patrick Crawford mer<sup>t</sup>, Stephen W. Linn mer<sup>t</sup>, Patrick Miller mer<sup>t</sup>, David Brown mer<sup>t</sup>, John Wladem mer<sup>t</sup>, William Dyson mer<sup>t</sup>, James W. Ley mer<sup>t</sup>, James Quinn mer<sup>t</sup>, Neal W. Linn mer<sup>t</sup>, Andrew Kinross merch<sup>t</sup>, William King merch<sup>t</sup>, William Ryland mer<sup>t</sup>, William

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 Brown merch<sup>t</sup> Alexander Hony merch<sup>t</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup> Cochran  
 Merch<sup>t</sup> Daniel Hill Whitesmith, John Thompson  
 Surgeon, John Harwood mer<sup>t</sup>, John Hutton Lintie  
 now in the best helms and James Cople mer<sup>t</sup> be  
 all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

6th January 1770

92 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
 that he called them together in order to compliment  
 some gent<sup>s</sup> of distinction with the Freedom of this  
 City.

+ It is order'd that the Right Wor<sup>th</sup> Shephard  
 Jure of the City of Dublin be admitted a sworn freeman  
 and that his Ticket of Freedom be given with a glass  
 of wine this evening in the Townhall. Order'd also  
 93 that Rob<sup>t</sup> Fitzgerald of the City of Dublin Esq and John  
 Staples of Lissen of the County of Tyrone Esq be  
 admitted sworn freemen without fees and also  
 W<sup>m</sup> Arthur Doohery of the City of Lerry at 4, W<sup>m</sup>  
 David Grey merch<sup>t</sup> Charles Sample mer<sup>t</sup> be  
 admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees

Order'd that the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Thomas Forrester  
 Fellow of Trinity College Dublin be admitted a  
 sworn freeman without fees.

Order'd that Thomas de Milton merices, Will<sup>m</sup>  
 Childs merices and Edmund Howard, merices  
 be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

19th April 1770

95 Order'd that Samuel Birmingham merices  
 be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary  
 fees.

18th July 1770

+ 96 And that the Right Wor<sup>th</sup> Ralph Howard of Shelton  
 in the County of Wicklow, and also William Nash  
 of London be both admitted sworn freemen without  
 fees, also W<sup>m</sup> Richard Caldwell merch<sup>t</sup> Edward  
 Davis mer<sup>t</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup> Holland merch<sup>t</sup> be all

97 admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

26<sup>th</sup> July 1770

98 The Mayor further acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to elect four Honorary freemen pursuant to six days notice posted up, when the Rev<sup>d</sup> Robert Gorman of Laggan in the County of Meath, Alex<sup>r</sup>ander Spring Esq of Kilkeenny, Lieut Richard Charlton of the 66<sup>th</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> and the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> William Chicketh of Downary are elected Honorary freemen. Ordered that the Chamberlain make out Writs of Freedom to each of said persons.

Ordered that the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Rodger Blackell and the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> John Abraham Curator of Liberty be both admitted sworn freemen without fees.

Ordered that the Rev<sup>d</sup> Francis Marshall of Dunmurry be admitted a sworn freeman without fees and Comdy W<sup>m</sup> Laurence Mervin be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

13<sup>th</sup> September 1770

99 Ordered that Charles Stewart Esq of Hornhead John Inley Esq of Cashed both in the County of Down be admitted sworn freemen without fees as a respectfull acknowledgment of the great service they were of in preserving a vessell belonging to this port that was put on shore on their coast.

Ordered that W<sup>m</sup> James Gray and merch<sup>t</sup> and W<sup>m</sup> William Ralsons surgeons be both admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

27<sup>th</sup> September 1770

100 Ordered that W<sup>m</sup> Arch<sup>d</sup> Boyd merch<sup>t</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Thomas Gregg merch<sup>t</sup> and John Hamble plezier be admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

31<sup>st</sup> October 1770

102 Ordered that W<sup>m</sup> Thomas Hamilton et al be

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admitted a sworn freeman and accused upon  
& Buckett being married to the daughter of Will<sup>m</sup>  
Hamilton deceased late a Burgess of this Corp<sup>n</sup>  
Ordered that Mr George Kirk surveyor of  
Excise, Mr James Paterson clerk of the Crown  
and Mr James Hamilton att<sup>n</sup> be all admitted  
sworn freemen paying customary fees.

24 January 1771

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Ord that Mr Bencil McFonnell merch<sup>t</sup> Mr  
Charles Gray merch<sup>t</sup> Mr Alexander Thompson  
merch<sup>t</sup> Mr John Ramsay merch<sup>t</sup> Mr Edmund  
Buckin merch<sup>t</sup> and Charles Barry cooper smith  
be all admitted sworn freemen paying  
customary fees.

7th February 1771

107

Ord that Daniel Spangle merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted  
a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

2nd May 1771

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
that he called them together in order to elect four  
honorary freemen pursuant to the by law then  
Mr George Chelston of Dunaff in the Barony of  
Lanishon, Mr David Daniel of Londonderry, Mr  
William Temple of Newtownlimavady, cloth  
merch<sup>t</sup> and Mr Kennedy Henderson of Castle Downs  
cloth merch<sup>t</sup> were all elected Honorary freemen  
by a fair Majority. Ordered that the Chamb<sup>n</sup>  
make out the bills of freedom to each of said  
gent<sup>l</sup>

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Ord that Mr George Fournes merch<sup>t</sup> of  
Sligo having served his time to the late Mr  
James Knox merch<sup>t</sup> Mr James Robt now of  
Fidery Robert Martin bricklayer, William  
Stewart carpenter, Henry McAlwaine mer<sup>t</sup> be all  
admitted sworn freemen paying customary  
fees, except Mr James Robt to whom they are remitted

29<sup>th</sup> September 1771

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Order that Mr. Robert Vance merch, Mr. Arthur Vance merch, John Missaroon mar? John Smith bricks maker, John Buckner at? Norman Chesers mer? Susan Campbell mason, John Mathis mason and Will<sup>m</sup> Ross son to the late Mr. Michl. Ross be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

Ordered that Mr. James Stappord son in law to Mr. Cloty Lewis be admitted a sworn freeman & excused Spoon & Bucket.

11<sup>th</sup> October 1771

110

Order that Mr. John Black ropemaker be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees

And that Mr. Dominick Wobland at? be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon & Bucket.

2<sup>nd</sup> December 1771

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Ord. that Mr. George Wood merch. and his brother Wobnell be both admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

13<sup>th</sup> February 1772

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Ord. that the Right Honble James Lord Barn Cifford Lord High Chancellor of Ireland be admitted to the Freedom of this City and be presented with a Ticket thereof in a gold box

20<sup>th</sup> April 1772

119

The Mayor reported that pursuant to the order of Common Council he had writed to the Lord High Chancellor of Ireland and presented him with the Freedom of this City in a gold box and on his receiving it his Lordship has been pleased to return the following answer:

The Lord Chancellor presents his best respects to the Corporation of Livery and

118 thinks himself highly honoured by this mark of distinction which they have been pleased to confer on him. He is very happy in finding that his conduct meets with their approbation and shall at all times be ready to promote the interest and welfare of the City of Londonderry.

Ordered that Richard Phinstrop of Guildford be admitted a sworn freeman, in testimony of the sense this Corporation has of the signal services he had done his country in opposing and suppressing the most dangerous innovation of the Hearts of Steel, and that the Ticket of Freedom be presented him in a silver box and that a letter be wrote to him acquainting him therewith by the Clerk.

7th May 1772

119 He lays acquainted this Common Council that he called them together pursuant to the Bylaw to elect the four Honorary Freemen when Hugh Cyle Esq of Coleraine, Hans Stewart Esq of Londonderry, Mr. Alexander Daniel, Barrack Master of Younghall, and Mr. Leslie Alexander of Newtownabannagh were all elected Honorary Freemen by a fair majority - And that the Clerk made out tickets of Freedom to each of said gent.

28th June 1772

120 And that Mr. William Wilson merchant, John Wolintock shopkeeper and Stephen Ledlie Merchant be all admitted sworn Freemen paying Customary Fees.

5th August 1772

121 And that the Right Honble Sir George Colclough Knight of the Bath and First Secretary to His Excellency the Lord Lieut. be admitted a sworn freeman without fees, and that the Corp. entertain

121 him tomorrow evening in the townhall with a glass of wine so that the ticket of freedom be presented to him in a silver box

24<sup>th</sup> August 1772

122 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called ten together to inform them Lord Onaluce is come to visit this City

And that the Right Noble Randal Worsall commonly called Lord Onaluce be admitted a sworn freeman without fees and be entertained this evening with a glass of wine in the townhall.

Ordered that John Patterson Esq. Collector of Philadelphia be admitted a sworn freeman without fees and be entertained this day with a glass of wine in the Townhall

And that Thomas Perkins Esq. of Bellechy be admitted a sworn freeman without Fees in testimony of our approbation of his spirited conduct in suppressing the hearts of steel

24<sup>th</sup> January 1773

125 And that Mr. Thomas Boyle gent. Merchant, Mr. Richard Hubbard Esq. Mr. John Davis weaver and John Stranbridge mer. be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees

And that James Wilson Esq. member of Parliament for the Burrough of Jagmen and John Street of Bellydivity in the County of Anttrim Esq. be admitted sworn freemen without fees in testimony of our approbation of their conduct in saving the wreck of the Elizabeth belonging to Londonberry lately stranded on their Coast.

Ordered that James Leslie Esq. collector of Coleraine be admitted a sworn freeman without fees in testimony of our approbation of his conduct in suppressing the hearts of steel. Ordered that the Chamberl<sup>n</sup>. acquaint the afores<sup>d</sup>. gent<sup>l</sup>. of this Order

p. 125 and transmit to them their tickets of freedom

20<sup>th</sup> January 1773

127 Ordered that James Caley mer<sup>s</sup> be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

10<sup>th</sup> March 1773

128 Ordered that William Smith of Newtown-Lamsey be admitted a sworn freeman and excused from Burth being married to All<sup>rs</sup> Lockys daughter.

1<sup>st</sup> July 1773

129 + + The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he also called them together to elect the four honorary freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up, when Hugh Boyd Esq of Belleisle in the County of Antrim, James Murray Esq of Belworth in the County of Londonderry, Thomas Skipton Esq of Beechill in the County of Londonderry and the Rev<sup>d</sup> Richard Spence of Donaghmore in the County Down were all elected honorary freemen by a fair majority. Ordered that the Chamberlain make out tickets of freedom to each of said gent<sup>s</sup>.

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Ordered that the Rt. Honble. per Lord Dudley Lord Chief Justice of the Kings Bench, the Rt. Honble Henry Earl of Tyrone, the Rt. Honble Philippsdale Secretary of State, the Rt. Honble Hercules Patterson, Lord Chief Justice of His Majestys Court of Common Pleas and the Rt. Honble Edmund Selvon Barry speaker of the house of Commons be all admitted sworn freemen without fees.

19<sup>th</sup> August 1773

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Ord<sup>d</sup> that Daniel McLaughlin ropemaker Alexander Linn mer<sup>s</sup> George Sweeney mer<sup>s</sup> William Campbell mer<sup>s</sup> and Noble Caldwell mer<sup>s</sup> be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees. Ordered that Mr<sup>s</sup> Rodgers Murray

p. 130 et. 1 be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees

Whereas James Caldwell was formerly admitted a sworn freeman under the misnomer of Jaeph Caldwell, it is ordered that said James Caldwell be admitted a sworn freeman

24<sup>th</sup> November 1773

136 Ordered that James Dock the younger Cooper, George John Welforell merchant, Mr. Samuel W. Farlow merchant and Mr. John Chambers merchant be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees

3<sup>rd</sup> January 1774

138 Ordered that John Dock Cooper, Henry Canfield Carpenter, Richard John Tomerkes, be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

And that John Willington Cordwainer be admitted a sworn freeman and excused from and Bickett being a blew boy.

21<sup>st</sup> April 1774

142 Ordered that M<sup>r</sup>. William Lecky, M<sup>r</sup>. Kennedy, M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander, M<sup>r</sup>. Watson, the Clerk, M<sup>r</sup>. Storr, M<sup>r</sup>. Nicolls, M<sup>r</sup>. Paul Mountgomery, M<sup>r</sup>. Stephen Bennet & M<sup>r</sup>. James Thompson or any five of them be appointed a Committee to inspect into the several petitions for freedom and make their report next Common Council. Ordered that this Order be published in the Berry Journal

5<sup>th</sup> May 1774

143 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that according to the Bylaw he called them together to elect the four Honorary Freemen when Samuel Bull Esq. of Lohas Mount, in the Liberties of Fardulney, Richard Lloyd Esq. of Colreine, George Cery Esq. of Westbury and M<sup>r</sup>. Robt. Alexander of Dublin merchant were all admitted Honorary Freemen. And

1143 That Tickets of Freedom be made out to each of them by the Clerk:

Ord that Mr. John Ferguson be added to the Committee appointed last Common Council relative to the petitioners for freedom.

2d January 1775

1147 Ord that Mr. Stewart Blicher be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon and Bucket being married to the daughter of Mr. Hill.

1148 Ord that Thomas Williams merchant, George Campbell mer<sup>t</sup>, Rich<sup>d</sup> Laird surgeon, James Smith merchant, James Lewis mer<sup>t</sup>, Cr. Doherty mer<sup>t</sup>, John Wetherland mason, George Cuschem mer<sup>t</sup>, Hugh Wetheroot carp<sup>r</sup>, James Smith sugar Boyler, Robert Chaslers cooper, Thomas Welsh baker, Patrick Wetherly mer<sup>t</sup>, Edward Crawford cooper, Genl. King mer<sup>t</sup>, Alexander Steward mer<sup>t</sup>, Gardner Gordon surgeon, Colin Campbell mer<sup>t</sup>, John Mullen mer<sup>t</sup>, Alexander Crawford mer<sup>t</sup>, Robt Mackay mer<sup>t</sup>, Phelanet chandler, and James Fisher fur mer<sup>t</sup>. be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

12th January 1775

Ord that the Charity Boys of the meeting House when admitted to the Freedom of this City be excused Spoon and Bucket.

4th May 1775

151 The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together to elect the four Honorary Freemen pursuant to the bylaw when William Buxton by member of Parliament for Newtown in Maryland, Mr. Rob<sup>t</sup> Wetherland of Bushill, Rob<sup>t</sup> Boyd Esq Council at Law, and John Bateman Esq of Burslem were all elected Honorary Freemen by a fair majority. Ordered that the Clerk make out Tickets of Freedom to each of said gent<sup>l</sup>. Ordered that John Augustus

- 151 Henry by son to the Bishop of Derry. Thomas  
 Bernard by son to the Dean of Derry and the Rev  
 152 Mr. David Young be all admitted sworn freemen  
 without fees.

1<sup>st</sup> June 1775

- 153 Ordered that Will<sup>m</sup> Pinkerton mer. be  
 admitted a sworn freeman paying customary  
 fees.

28<sup>th</sup> July 1775

- The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
 that he called them together in order to present  
 Sir Charles Davers with the Freedom of this City  
 154 This ordered that Sir Charles Davers member  
 of Parliament for the Burrough of Edmundsbury be  
 admitted a sworn freeman and no fees charged  
 and that the Right Honble George Earl of Granard  
 be admitted a sworn freeman and no fees  
 charged and that William Melintock of the City  
 of Londonderry Merchant & James Dunlop Corp<sup>r</sup>  
 be admitted sworn freemen paying customary  
 fees.

12<sup>th</sup> February 1776

- 160 Ord that the Right Honble John Lord Beron  
 be admitted a sworn freeman and that  
 Ald<sup>r</sup> Hill the Sheriff and Chamberl<sup>n</sup> do wait on him  
 to know what time he will accept of it with  
 a glass of wine.

24<sup>th</sup> December 1776

- 172 Ord that John Hart Esq of Kilderry son  
 in law to Ald<sup>r</sup> Fairly Mr. Ansel Lecky son of John  
 Lecky Esq. Rob<sup>t</sup> Peters of the City of London  
 Esq. and George Peters Esq both sons to Richard  
 Peters Esq late a Capital Burgess and John  
 Luan of the City of Dublin Esq be all admitted  
 sworn freemen and excused Spoon & Bucket.

24<sup>th</sup> January 1777

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Ordered that Mr. David Mayfield Cunningham be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket.

25<sup>th</sup> June 1777

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It is ordered that the freedom of this City be given to Messrs Messrs. John Stale Governor of Londonderry and Culmore and he entertained next Friday evening in the Townhall and that he be sworn in at the Mayor's pleasure.

And that Mr. John Coates of Liverpool Mercers be admitted a sworn freeman of this City and excused spoon and bucket being married to the daughter of a Member.

31<sup>st</sup> November 1777

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And that John Phanton Esq of his place in the County of Down be admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon and bucket being married to the daughter of the late Mr. Lybble.

22<sup>nd</sup> January 1778

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And that John Dalgous Esq Doct. of Physick son in law to the late Doct. Moore a Burgess, Alex<sup>r</sup> Moore son to the late Mr. John Knox, Mr. Thomas Ivory son to the late Mr. George Ivory and Mr. Adam Schoales par<sup>son</sup> son to Mr. Schoales be all admitted sworn freemen being sons and a son in law to members.

And that any persons who claim a Right of freedom of this City may lodge their indentures and their petitions with the Clerks and also their fees on or before the 31<sup>st</sup> inst and that the Clerks publish this order in the Lderry newspapers.

31<sup>st</sup> January 1778

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The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together pursuant to eight

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days public notice posted up to elect four  
Honorary Freeman, Accordingly Council  
did convene at the Chamber, John W. Walker  
by Council at law. Thomas Bateson the younger  
of Branyfield Esq, and the Rev. Francis Gouldsbury  
were all elected Honorary Freeman. Ordered  
that the Chamber make out tickets of freedom  
to each of said gent.

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Ordered that Robt. Gales Cooper, Geo. Thomas  
Gore merchant John Smeaton grocer, John Harvey  
grocer, Mr. Marcus Wobensland merchant son to  
the late Fredk Wobensland, Richd Paul mar, Mr  
Robt. Paterson merchant son to the late Mr. Willm  
Paterson of Rethmelter, William Hazlet merchant son  
to John Hazlet, Robt. Walkinny Taylor, James Campbell  
Cooper, Alexander Campbell Cooper, Alexander  
Boyle of Newtowel nursery, Mr. Samuel Debutts  
James Heylesher Baker, John W. Luttrell mar, William  
Harvey Killenham, William Armstrong merchant George  
Knox Baker, Nathan Berry merchant, Robert George  
mer, Michl Campbell mer, Joseph Curry mer,  
Saml. Read mar, son to Robt., George Kirkpatrick  
mer, John Campbell mer, Charles Poring merchant,  
Mr. Willm Laird of Campsey who is accused of robbing  
a Bucket, Adam Murray Stewart merchant, be all  
admitted sworn freemen paying customery  
fee.

Ordered that such traders or shopkeepers  
who are now resident or may hereafter reside  
in this city and have not served their apprentice-  
ship to a freeman resident, shall upon their  
admission to the freedom of this city pay ten  
guineas and customery fees.

Ordered that Charles Lewis Esq be admitted  
a sworn freeman paying customery fees.

Ord that the Chamber summon those who trade  
in this city to apply by petition for their freedom  
and lodge said sum of ten guineas & customery  
fees with the Chamber and that the Chamber publish

p. 188 this order is the Liberty newspapers.

24<sup>th</sup> March 1778

190 Ord that Mr. Robt Blackell merch! Mr Robt. Snow iron master, Mr. James Burnside shopkeeper Mr Paul Sharp grocer, Mr James Ramsey shopkeeper be all admitted sworn freemen on paying such ten pence and customary fees.

Ord that James walking carp, James Campbell carp, Will<sup>m</sup> Canford ropemaker, Robt Gosnell merch James Whit merch! be all admitted sworn freemen paying customary fees.

28<sup>th</sup> August 1778

200 Ord that Mr William Crawford of Londonary merch! who served his apprenticeship to Mr Alexander be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

9<sup>th</sup> November 1778

205 In pursuance of eight days notice being posted up. Ordered that William Paterson Esq of the City of Londonary be admitted an Honorary freeman

Ord that Doct. phylaury of Raphoe be admitted an Honorary freeman

Ord that Mr William Ross of Newtownlameragh be admitted an Honorary freeman

Ord that Mr George Hart son to the Rev Mr Edward Hart of Lisfourt be admitted an Honorary freeman

Ord that the Clerk<sup>s</sup> make out tickets of freedom to each of the aforesd gent<sup>s</sup>

207 Ord that Mr James Ross of Cumber be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

Ord that Mr Oliver Leech merch! be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

Ord that Edward Robinson shoemaker be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

14<sup>th</sup> December 1778

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Ord that Edmund Wheel of Lissinduff in the County of Louth be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon & Bucket being married to the daughter of a member.

12<sup>th</sup> March 1779

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Ord that the Noble, Requester, Keppell, Admiral of the Fleet be admitted a sworn freeman of this City as a testimony of the very high respect and gratitude they entertain of his long and faithful services to his Country and that the Chart<sup>r</sup> make out the Ticket of Freedom and deliver the same to Rob<sup>t</sup> Gable by a freeman of this City to be by him transmitted to said Admiral Keppell

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Ord that the N<sup>o</sup> Noble Robert Earl Nugent be admitted a sworn freeman of this City as a testimony of the just sense and gratitude which this Common Council entertains of his steady and repeated endeavours to promote the Trade & Interest of Ireland

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Ord that William Lord Newhaven be admitted a sworn freeman of this City as a testimony he (same as last case)

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Ord that Edmund Burke Esq be admitted a sworn freeman of this City as a testimony he (same as last case)

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Ord that Walter Patterson Esq Governor of St. Johns in the Bay of St. Laurens be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon and Bucket.

Ord that John Ward Esq of the City of Limerick be admitted a sworn freeman and excused Spoon and Bucket.

20<sup>th</sup> May 1779

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The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together pursuant to light

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Days notice posted up to elect four Honorary  
Freemen. According Francis Savage of Mountstanger  
in the County of Down Esq. Thomas Young Junr.  
of Long Bush in the County of Down Esq. all by  
Mr. Alexander Boydde attorney of Letterkenny in  
the County of Donegal, and Willm Irvine of  
Castle Irvine in the County of Fermanagh are  
all elected Honorary Freemen by a large  
majority - Ordered that the Chamber make  
out Tickets of freedom to each of s<sup>d</sup> gent<sup>s</sup>

4<sup>th</sup> June 1779

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The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
that he called them together in order to admit  
Major General Edward Maxwell a sworn freeman  
of this City. Accordingly said Major General  
Edw<sup>d</sup> Maxwell is unanimously elected a sworn  
freeman of this City. Also Lieut Col Henry  
Shaw of the Eleventh Regt of Foot, and Capt William  
Laffroy of the Thirtieth Regiment of Light Dragoons  
are admitted sworn freemen of this City.

Ord that said gentlemen be entertained  
in the Guild hall with a glass of wine when  
the Mayor chooses.

12<sup>th</sup> July 1779

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Ord that the Rev<sup>d</sup> William Hamilton Junr.  
Fellow of Trinity College Dublin be admitted a  
sworn freeman of this City as a ward of  
the Mayor his Corporation bears him and  
be excused spoon & bucket.

Ord that John Clark High Constable of this  
City be admitted a sworn freeman and be  
excused spoon & bucket in consideration  
of the good services rendered to this City in  
the execution of his office.

26<sup>th</sup> October 1779

229

Ordered that Doct<sup>r</sup> William Hamilton of Strabane

229 son to Oliver Hamilton late a Burgess of this Corporation deceased be admitted a sworn freeman and received Spoon & Buckle.

Ord that the Rev Harrison become chaplain to the 2<sup>d</sup> Company of Volunteers of this City William Courthorn brother to John Couringham Merchant and John Alexander of Lev in the Liberties of Goodwinery Linendrapers be all admitted sworn freemen of this City on paying customary fees.

2<sup>d</sup> November 1779

231 Ord that his Lord Bouvernes Post Major of the 36 Regiment of Foot be admitted a sworn freeman of this City.

Ord that the Right Noble Ralph Earl of Ross be admitted a sworn freeman of this City and a ticket made out accordingly.

3<sup>d</sup> January 1780

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✓ Ord that the thanks of this Corporation be given to the Right Noble Walter Brough for his upright conduct in Parliament and the Freedom of this City be granted to him as a mark of their esteem.

1<sup>st</sup> February 1780

235 Ordered that Denis Oaly Esq member of Parliament for the County of Galway and Barry Melverton Esq member for the County and Town of Carrickfergus be admitted sworn freemen without fees and that Tickets shall be made out and transmitted to them by the Sheriff.

7<sup>th</sup> March 1780

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p. 2  
Ordered that John Skinnon, organist of this City (see page 224 this book) the Rev<sup>d</sup> Robt Graham & Tho Purdon Scott (page 224 this book) are all each of them admitted sworn freemen.

10<sup>th</sup> March 1750

- 3 Ordered that Geo. Spicesters Esq (see page 224 - 225) this book & shall be sworn to be each of them admitted sworn freemen

13<sup>th</sup> April 1750

- 5 Ordered that Henry De laay Marshall he and is hereby (see page 225) admitted a freeman

14<sup>th</sup> June 1750

- 6 Ordered that Henry Goules Esq (see page 225) he admitted a sworn freeman.

15<sup>th</sup> August 1750

- 7 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together in order that the Freedom of this City should be presented to the Right Hon the Earl of Chesham and James Stensbury son to William Stensbury of Millmore in the County of Tyrone.

Ordered that the aforesaid Mr. James Earl of Chesham and James Stensbury he and are hereby admitted sworn freemen of this City without fees - see page 229.

11<sup>th</sup> September 1750

- 8 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together pursuant to eight days notice past up to elect four Honorary Freemen he accordingly William Barre Esq of Mespilgrange or Norton, the Rev<sup>d</sup> Edward Paterson of Belfast, William Boyd Esq of Waterbury and John Wallcut Esq of Orange, are all unanimously admitted Honorary Freemen. Also Sir Edward Newcastle Knight and Ferd<sup>d</sup> Rogge Marshall who served his apprenticeship to the said Edward Marshall he and are hereby admitted sworn freemen of this City and that Sir Edward's freedom be transmitted to him by Eld<sup>r</sup> Wm Lecky

2nd January 1781

12 Ordered that John Stewart & Robert Stewart sons of Robt Stewart of this City Merch be and are hereby admitted sworn freemen of this City paying customary fees. (see page 231.)

3rd May 1781

15 Ordered that the Rev Doct<sup>r</sup> James King Dean of Raphel the Revd Thos & Leslie Archdeacons of Merches and also the Revd of the Smithhill Convent at Law and Robt Stewart of this City linen draper be and are hereby all admitted sworn freemen of this City (page 231)

+ Ord that the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Eden Esq be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City and that the Recorder shall present same

Ord that Will<sup>m</sup> Walker Surgeon be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees. see page 231 this book

16th May 1781

+ Ord that his Excellency Frederick Earl of Carlisle Lord Lieut General and General Governor of Ireland be admitted a freeman - see page 232 - of this City and that the ticket thereof with the following address be presented to him by our Recorder who is now in Dublin and that the Chamberlain shall transmit the same to our said Recorder together with an answer to his letter (here follows the address)

17 Ord that George Brown of the Waterside Merch be admitted a sworn freeman of this City on paying customary fees. see page 232.

21st May 1781.

18 Ord that Fredk. Spragg Esq late of North Carolina & son to the late John Spragg late of this City Merch be admitted a sworn freeman of this City and excused upon a bucket (see page 232).

18 Ordered that Henry Hetherington merchant who served his apprenticeship to Thomas Short merchant and Andrew Miller merchant be admitted sworn freemen of this City on paying customary fees (see page 232)

14<sup>th</sup> January 1782

25 Ord<sup>d</sup> that Andrew Alexander of this City Attorney bene Kirkpatrick of this City merc<sup>t</sup> John Alexander son to Peter Alexander merchant, David Dunbar Jun Carpenter, Stephen Wilson merc<sup>t</sup> son to John Wilson late of this City merc<sup>t</sup>, James Strachan otherwise Gasper Strachan sugar refiner Thomas Preston merchant and James Rogge join<sup>t</sup> be and are all hereby admitted sworn freemen of this City on paying customary fees. (see page 232 & 233 this book).

14<sup>th</sup> May 1782

28 The Mayor presented his Common Council that he called them together pursuant to eight days notice posted up to elect four Honorary Freemen accordingly Alexander the son of Helmes by Edward Leslie of Perth in the County of Kerry Esq<sup>r</sup> the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Mayor Alexander of this City and George Sinclair of Hollyhill in the County of Tyrone be are all unanimously elected Honorary Freemen of this City. Ord<sup>d</sup> that the Chamberlain make out Tickets for them.

29 Ord<sup>d</sup> that James Atchison son to John Atchison merchant, Will<sup>m</sup> Kerr who served his apprenticeship to John Atchison Alexander Brown tanner, Robert Robertson shoemaker, Alexander Major son to James Major merchant, John Porter who served his apprenticeship to Rob<sup>t</sup> Stewart merchant, David Edmiston who served his apprenticeship to James Fulton merchant and Neil Donald cabinet maker be and are all hereby admitted sworn freemen on paying customary fees - (see page 232. 233)

29 Ord that the Rev James Marshall son of W<sup>m</sup> Walter Marshall merch! he and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman & excused from bucket. See page 233.

Ordered that John Wootton merch! and James Baker merch! he and are hereby admitted sworn freemen on each paying five pence and customary fees. See page 233.

Ordered that Peter Mudge of the City of Dublin by he and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees. page 234.

31<sup>st</sup> May 1752

30 Ord that Walle Longman of the Town of Belfast merch! he and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City and excused from bucket. See page 234.

9<sup>th</sup> October 1752

31 Ord that George Fitzgerald Hill, J. B. Hill Bely Hill and J. Ferguson, W<sup>m</sup> Nicolls, Ch. Nicolls W<sup>m</sup> Boyd, J<sup>n</sup> Thompson, Jas. Galbraith W<sup>m</sup> Wood J<sup>n</sup> Woodburnell and W<sup>m</sup> Bradford, John Meege & Jas. Schalles he all admitted freemen of this City. See pages 234/235/236 this book.

24<sup>th</sup> October 1752

32 Ord that Andrew Knox son to W<sup>m</sup> Knox of Prester by W<sup>m</sup> Caldwell son to W<sup>m</sup> Caldwell merch! Ord that J<sup>n</sup> Curry son to J<sup>n</sup> Curry merch! Roger Harrison son to late W<sup>m</sup> Harrison deceased (See page 236, 237) are admitted freemen.

31<sup>st</sup> January 1753

36 Ord that John Moody merch! he admitted a freeman & W<sup>m</sup> Beatty merch! (See page 237).

17<sup>th</sup> March 1753

38 Ord that the Rev. W<sup>m</sup> Mearns and Henry

38 Alexander be admitted freeman of this City (See page 237)

7<sup>th</sup> April 1783

43 Ord<sup>r</sup> that John Curry & Geo Curry sons of Mr Samuel Curry be each of them admitted sworn freemen and that Will<sup>m</sup> Hamilton nephew to old<sup>r</sup> Act. Will<sup>m</sup> Hamilton surgeon & apothecary Will<sup>m</sup> Blackburn baker, Thomas Anderson staymaker and Hamilton Maginnis apothecary be all admitted sworn freemen (See page 238)

15<sup>th</sup> May 1783

The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect four honorary freemen pursuant to eight days notice posted up. Accordingly Mr. Wm Paterson of Mason Lane, George Wood of Trinity Colledge son to the Rev<sup>d</sup> John Wood, Andrew Ford of Shrewsbury Castle Regent the Rev<sup>d</sup> Geo. Young of Lower Mottle be and are hereby admitted honorary freemen.

44 Ord<sup>r</sup> that the Chamberl<sup>n</sup> make out tickets & that the Mayor shall put the seals thereto.

Ord<sup>r</sup> that Nathl. Hunter son of Rich<sup>d</sup>. Hunter & Geo Brown son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Brown be each of them admitted sworn freemen (See page 238. 239)

27<sup>th</sup> October 1783

47 Ord<sup>r</sup> that the Rev<sup>d</sup> John Stone clerk Dean of Derry be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees.

26<sup>th</sup> December 1783

50 A Ord<sup>r</sup> that George Rob<sup>t</sup>. Fitzgerald of Merrion Square Dublin Esq be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City, without fees & that he shall be entertained in the Townhall with a glass of wine.

51 Ord that <sup>John</sup> Brown son to Geo Brown be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman and Wm Paterson of this City Doctor be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman on both paying Customary fees.

52 2<sup>d</sup> January 1784  
Ord that Henry Nicholl son of Geo Nicholl be and is hereby elected a sworn freeman of this City on paying customary fees.

53 5<sup>th</sup> June 1784  
Ord that Ellis Nobleman Esq be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees

54 21<sup>st</sup> October 1784  
Ord that Alexander Montgomery of Lanark Esq be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City.

Ord that <sup>John</sup> Nath Nicholl Rob<sup>t</sup> Hamilton Nicholl & John Clarke Jun<sup>r</sup> Nicholl be each of them admitted sworn freemen of this City paying Customary fees

55 20<sup>th</sup> December 1784  
Ord that Samuel Marcus Willm<sup>r</sup> & his Neph<sup>w</sup> Will<sup>m</sup> Bart, Thomas Knox son of Geo Knox of Perth Esq, Geo Knox son of John Knox Esq deceased, Phi Schales, son to Mr Adam Schales and Samuel Gaw Montgomery son to Samuel Montgomery, the present Chamberlain are all and each of them hereby admitted sworn freemen and sworn upon and Buckel.

Ord that James Mc<sup>r</sup> Master of the ship Beacon of Glasgow be admitted a sworn freeman, and presented with the same in a silver box value ten guineas as a testimony of the gratitude & respect which this body entertains for his humanity and benevolence exerted in the

61 relief and preservation of the crew + passengers of the Brig Rescue belonging to this port when foundering in the Atlantic Ocean and that the bill for shall be presented by John Willm's clerk

24<sup>th</sup> January 1785

62 That John's Francis Jeweller be admitted a sworn freeman a paying customary fees.

16<sup>th</sup> March 1785

63 The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together to know if it was agreeable to them to present the double Thomas Fitzmaurice of Ballywate in the County of Sligo with the freedom of this City. Accordingly the said double Thomas Fitzmaurice is hereby unanimously elected a sworn freeman of this City and that it shall be presented to him with a glass of wine

25<sup>th</sup> April 1785

64 That John James Lieut Col. of the 71<sup>st</sup> Royal Regiment of Foot and Miss Richard Major of said Regiment be and are hereby admitted sworn freemen and that they and their Corps of Officers shall be entertained at dinner in the Townhall on Tuesday the 2<sup>o</sup> May next and the Mayor and Mayoress of the Staple shall provide the same.

5<sup>th</sup> May 1785

The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect four honorary freemen. Accordingly Charles King or Wentworth by William Richardson Esq Major of Fortenth Regiments, the Rev James Cottingham D.D. Vicar General of the Diocese of Kilmore Larance Others of Bregetown in the County of Down County are all and each of them admitted honorary freemen of this City

Also Alexander Williams at 11, George

66 Ordered that James Stirling Sen. Esq. Conolly  
 and Laurence Jun. M<sup>r</sup>. Coley Johnston M<sup>r</sup>.  
 Andrew Stevenson M<sup>r</sup>. James, Samuel Hestrick  
 67 M<sup>r</sup>. Harris, and William Mundy M<sup>r</sup>. Harris are all  
 and each of them admitted sworn freemen of  
 this City on paying customary fees, Also the  
 M<sup>r</sup>. James Gordon Curate of this City & M<sup>r</sup>.  
 Robert Black Dissenting Minister he and are  
 hereby each of them admitted sworn freemen  
 without fees.

7<sup>th</sup> June 1785

68 Ordered that Andrew Moore M<sup>r</sup>. John Boyd  
 M<sup>r</sup>. and Hugh Crawford M<sup>r</sup>. for their s<sup>r</sup>.  
 Crawford he and each of them are hereby admitted  
 sworn freemen on paying customary fees.

6<sup>th</sup> October 1785

72 Ordered that Richard Heston M<sup>r</sup>. to Alexander  
 Alexander Kirk attorney, & M<sup>r</sup>. Stevenson M<sup>r</sup>.  
 he and each of them are hereby elected sworn  
 freemen on paying customary fees.

25<sup>th</sup> October 1785

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
 that he called them together that as Sir Hercules  
 Langrish B<sup>t</sup> one of the Commissioners of His Majesty's  
 Revenue is in town to know whether or no they chose  
 to present him with the freedom of this City.

Ordered unanimously that the said Sir  
 Hercules Langrish B<sup>t</sup> he and is hereby admitted  
 a sworn freeman of this City without fees and  
 that this Corporation shall entertain him and  
 his suit at dinner in the Town Hall.

7<sup>th</sup> December 1785

75 Ord<sup>r</sup>. that Samuel Stays of Ormrod Castle Bay  
 he and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman and  
 that M<sup>r</sup>. Peters shall transmit the same.

4<sup>th</sup> May 1786

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The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together in order to elect four new freemen + + Ordered that Will<sup>m</sup> Richardson of Drum in the County of Tyrone, Henry Paterson of Millbrook in the County of Kerry, J<sup>o</sup>hn James Esquire of Inch and John Warren Esq of the City of Dublin Councils of Law be all and each of them admitted honorary freemen of this City.

11<sup>th</sup> May 1786

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Ord that Alex<sup>r</sup> Worthington Esq Port Surveyor of the City of Dublin be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman.

21<sup>st</sup> July 1786

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Ord that his Excellency Charles Manners Duke of Rutland Lord Lieutenant of Ireland be presented on his arrival in this City with his freedom in a gold box

Ord that the Recorder shall be requested to purchase a proper gold box for the above purpose. + + Ord that Arch<sup>d</sup> Mass Esq late of St. Petersburg be presented with his freedom of this City in a silver box and that he be entertained with a glass of wine.

2<sup>d</sup> October 1786

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Ord that Henry Major Esq be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman or paying Customary fees.

9<sup>th</sup> November 1786

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Ord that the Rt Hon<sup>ble</sup> John Foster Speaker of the House of Commons be and is hereby elected a sworn freeman of this City for his great attention to the Trade and manufactures of this Kingdom and that the same shall be presented to him in a gold box value fifteen pines by our Recorder

2d January 1787

793

Ordered that Robt. Whitacre merchant be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

Ord. that the Rev. Mr. Foster Rector of Urney be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees.

14th May 1787

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Notice being posted up to elect four Honorary freemen. Ord. that the Rev. James Strong of Fairview County of Tyrone, John Miller of Moy more of the River Slieve Donardbury par. of Church Hill in the Parish of Upper Mosside & Curate of such and George Hart Esq. a Capt. in the Royal Navy be and each of them are hereby elected Honorary freemen of this City.

Ord. that John Hackett merchant be and is hereby elected a sworn freeman of this City on paying customary fees.

21st May 1787

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Ord. that the Rt. Honble Henry King be and is hereby elected a sworn freeman of this City without fees. Said King is member of Parliament for the Borough of Boyle in the County of Roscommon.

3d September 1787

100

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to inform them of the arrival of two respectable gentlemen in this City from Scotland and requested that they may be presented with their freedom.

Ord. that William Campbell of Sheffield in the Island of Galloway and Francis Humberston Mobergey Esq. a Member of the British Parliament be and is each of them hereby elected sworn freemen of this City without fees and that they shall be entertained with a glass of wine.

19th October 1787

107 Ord that John Bond merchant, Joseph Douglas book-  
seller, Robt. Patten, William Mackay, merchant, he and  
each of them are hereby elected sworn freemen  
of this city on paying customary fees.

2nd March 1788

106 Ord that the Rt. Honble John Bred of Shrewsbury  
and John Philipps Curran Esq. of the City of Dublin  
Councils at Law be and each of them are admitted  
sworn freemen of this city

1st May 1788

107 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council  
that he called them together in order to elect  
four honorary freemen, accordingly Dominick  
Brett, Counsellor at Law, John Boyd Esq. son of John  
Boyd of Ballymacool Esq., William Alexander son  
merchant in Dublin son of the late William Alexander  
of Padua merchant, & John Stewart of Ballymure Esq.  
Counsellor at Law be and each of them are hereby  
admitted honorary freemen of this city.

108 Ord that Nathl. Montgomery knight member  
of Parliament for the County of Tyrone and Maurice  
Nichols of Strokestown Esq. be and each of them  
are hereby admitted sworn freemen of this city  
without fees.

Ord that Thomas Smith attorney, Robt. Gray  
merchant, Samuel Cross inholder, Doctor Bells  
son of Henry Scott merchant, William Maginnis  
brother to Hamilton Maginnis, James Adams  
grocer, Heap Crampton son to the Heap Crampton  
Esq. Wadde Bateson attorney James Cassidy m<sup>r</sup>.  
Andrew Greeny merchant, Joseph Whitaker merchant,  
Daniel Waley carpenter, James Hunter Cooper, William  
Hunter Cooper, Michael Hart carpenter, George  
Thorp son to widow Thorp are all & each of them  
are admitted sworn freemen of this city on  
paying customary fees.

29<sup>th</sup> August 1788

114 Ordered that George Marshall son of Walter Marshall be & is hereby admitted a freeman of this City on paying customary fees.

19<sup>th</sup> December 1788

115 The Mayor appointed this Common Council that he called them together in order to admit Capt. L. Brabazon & Major S. Lighter to their freedom as a testimony of the extreme regard & respect they bear them and a mark of their gratitude for the original exertions they manifested in contributing so splendidly to the Commemoration of the Centenary of the glorious 1688.

And that the said Lambert Brabazon by Captain of his Majesty's ship Porcupine and Pelbourn Coquette & Major of his Majesty's 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Foot be and each of them are hereby elected freemen of this City

And that the Rt. Honble William Pitt first Lord of the Treasury and Chancellor of the Exchequer in Great Britain be and is hereby admitted a freeman of this City and that the following members shall be a Committee to draw up an address which shall be transmitted to him by the Mayor with his freedom viz Alder: Ferguson, Wm. Darcus, W. D. Paterson & Mr. Alexander.

1<sup>st</sup> January 1789

117 And that Thomas Major jun: Mercet, Paul Nicholas Mercet, Joseph Dorr Coppersmith, Clockworky Ho Keige Mercet, Leonard Horner Mercet, Alex: Cuddy Clerk in the Customhouse be & are all and each and every one of them admitted freemen of this City on paying customary fees.

And that Jonathan Blackwell, the Rev Mr John Horsely and Samuel Curry jun: being sons in law & son to members of this Corporation be and are all and each & every one of them admitted freemen

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of this City & excused upon a Buckle.  
Ord that John Seale Lieut in the Navy, his son  
John son to Alexander Seale, his Anstley Stewart  
Esq. James Stewart by his son, Will<sup>m</sup> Lecky  
son to Holland Lecky Esq. Will<sup>m</sup> Alexander  
late Lord Mayor of Dublin and David Birmingham  
of Springhill Esq. be and are all and each &  
every one of them admitted freemen of this City  
without fees.

24<sup>th</sup> April 1789

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Ord that Thomas Paterson son to James Paterson  
Esq. son Alexander son to Alder. Rob<sup>t</sup>. Alexander  
& James Montgomery son to David Montgomery  
Chant<sup>r</sup>: be all and each of them admitted sworn  
freemen of this City and excused upon a Buckle.

21<sup>st</sup> September 1789

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Notice being posted up in order to elect four  
honoury freemen. Accordingly Marcus Berresford  
Esq. son to the Rt. Honble John Berresford, Will<sup>m</sup>  
Alexander an Alderman of the City of Dublin, Thomas  
Hay, Newburgh Esq. Lord writers of this City and  
James Ferguson Esq. of Belfast are all and each  
and every one of them are admitted honoury freemen  
of this City.

Ord that the freedom of this City be presented  
to his Excellency John Lord Fitzgibbon Lord Chancellor  
of Ireland together with an humble address to  
congratulate him on his appointment to the High  
office which he fills with so much ability and so  
much to the satisfaction to the publick and that  
the said address & freedom shall be forwarded  
to our Recorder to present to him.

Also that the freedom of this City be presented  
to the Rt. Honble John Lord Chief Justice of  
his Majesty's Court of Kings Bench as a mark of the  
esteem this Council bear him

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Ord that Marcus Whitelyre March. Henry

137 Hollintock merch. Andrew Miller pub. mer?  
 James Hamilton mer, James Kirkpatrick mer?  
 Thomas Crawford mer John Ross sn & Seal Ross  
 merch. James Ross grocer, John Lillgow mer?  
 William Hollintock merch. William Hollintock  
 sn & Jas Hollintock reg deceased, John Wilson  
 merch. Joseph Moore merch. James Murray merch.  
 Andrew Brown merch. David Walker merch. Jaeph  
 Hayers chandler, James Young mer. Samuel Stewart  
 mer. Wm Crampton sailmaker, Francis Brown in  
 the Custom house and John Longley mer. are all  
 and each and every one of them admitted sworn  
 freemen of this City on paying customary fees.

Ord that the Rev. Alex. Stewart one of the Clerks  
 of this City & the Rev George Simpson one of the Clerks  
 Alex. Simpson deceased be and each of them are  
 admitted sworn freemen without fees.

Ord that George Crookshank son to Justice  
 Crookshank, John Boyd son to Wm Boyd &  
 John Coningham son to Dickson Coningham are all  
 and each of them admitted sworn freemen and  
 received Spoon & bucket.

24th November 1789

137 Ord that Willm Paterson Esq son to And<sup>r</sup> Paterson  
 Esq of Mason Lodge be and is hereby admitted  
 a sworn freeman of this City on paying  
 customary fees.

24th May 1790

140 This being the day appointed to elect four  
 Honorary Freemen. Ordered that the Rev. the Mas  
 Melan of Broaduff, the Right Honble the Earl of  
 Tyrone sn to the Marquise of Waterford, Rogier  
 Baron of Camullen Esq and John Swift, Surveyor  
 of this port be all and each of them admitted  
 Honorary freemen of this City.

24<sup>th</sup> May 1790

141

Whereas Thomas McQuiggen signmaker has formerly admitted a freeman under the misnomer of Tho McQuig. Ord that the said Thomas McQuiggen otherwise McQuiggen be admitted a sworn freeman.

Thomas Black ropemaker being formerly admitted as John Black, instead of Thomas by mistake Ord that the said Tho. Black be admitted a sworn freeman.

Alexander McCreery mercer formerly admitted asked McCreery entered by mistake. Ordered that the said Alexander McCreery be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

Ordered that John Hamilton son of Fredk Hamilton of Clarendon Reg be admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & bucket.

3<sup>rd</sup> June 1790

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Ordered that John Hamilton grandson to John Hamilton late a Burgess of this City be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman and excused spoon & bucket.

16<sup>th</sup> July 1790

153

Ordered that Hugh Nesbit attorney be admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees.

Ord that the petition of James Wilson be referred to Alder. Fairly, W. Cuningham, W. Houston W. Paterson & W. Thompson.

20<sup>th</sup> September 1790

155

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together in order to grant the freedom of this City to the noble John Berresford commonly called Lord John Berresford son to the Marquis of Waterford. Ord that the said John Berresford be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman, also John Claudius Berresford son to the R<sup>t</sup> Honble John Berresford be admitted a freeman.

25<sup>th</sup> November 1790

167

Ordered that the Thanks of this Common Council be given to Lieut Col. Stephen Bromfield of the 40<sup>th</sup> Regiment and the officers and soldiers under his command for their readiness in support of the Civil power and that the Sheriff do wait on him with this resolution.

Ord that the said Step. Bromfield be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees.

17<sup>th</sup> December 1790

167

A letter from Lieut Col. Bromfield of the 40<sup>th</sup> Regiment to the Corp<sup>y</sup> returning them Thanks for the honour they did him in presenting him with his freedom being read, Ordered it to be lodged with the Records.

Ord that Lieut Stephen Fausky of the 40<sup>th</sup> Regt and Charles Bankhead Esq M.D. be and are hereby each of them admitted sworn freemen without fees

15<sup>th</sup> January 1791

167

Ord that James Moody at<sup>y</sup> he and is hereby elected a sworn freeman on paying Customary fees.

16<sup>th</sup> May 1791

169

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together after notice being posted up in order to elect four honorary freemen Accordingly Tho<sup>s</sup> Chichester son to the Rev<sup>d</sup> Doct<sup>r</sup> William Chichester Surgeon General of Fairview in the Army of His Majesty, William Dips Blanche of the City of Dublin Esq and Tho<sup>s</sup> Rowley Esq Counselor at Law of the City of Dublin be all & each & every one of them admitted at<sup>y</sup> freemen

170

Ord that William Johnston Esq son to Sir Richard Johnston Bt. James Cottingham Esq Counsellor at Law, William Heath Esq Captain in the Royal

170 May be all and each and every one of them admitted sworn freemen without fees.

7th June 1791

172 Ordered that Thomas Lecky, William Davd Lecky, Squire Lecky sons of the late Ald<sup>r</sup> Squire Lecky deceased and George Boyd son to Thomas Boyd be each & every of them admitted sworn freemen and excused from Racket.

11th July 1791

177 Ord<sup>d</sup> that the Mess<sup>r</sup> Rich<sup>d</sup> Bebington one of the Curates of this City be & is hereby admitted a freeman of this City without fees.

4th October 1791

181 Ord<sup>d</sup> that James Alexander son to the late Ald<sup>r</sup> Alexander and Sheffington Lutwidge Esq<sup>r</sup> Capt<sup>n</sup> in the Royal Navy & married to a daughter of the late Rich<sup>d</sup> Bateson Esq<sup>r</sup> a Burgess of this City be each of them admitted sworn freemen, also Rob<sup>t</sup> Loughman Esq<sup>r</sup> of this City, & Will<sup>m</sup> Hamilton at<sup>r</sup> 11 Stafford Street Dublin be each of them admitted sworn freemen without fees, also Marcus Langford Wolensland be admitted a sworn freeman

2th November 1791

183 Ord<sup>d</sup> that George Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman without fees

24th March 1792

192 Ord<sup>d</sup> that the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Sir John Blackmore Bart and Knight of the Bath be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City

20th September 1792

199 Ordered that the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Marquis of Abercorn be admitted a freeman of this City

199 and that the Mayor be directed to signify the same & end to invite him to dine with this Body.

5<sup>th</sup> October 1792

200 Ordered that James Low of Portland Place in the City of London be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City without fee.

Ordered that the follow persons be admitted sworn freemen of this City on paying customary fees.

Ordered that Robert Motherell Merchant be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Thomas Beatty Merchant be admitted a freeman

Ordered that William Caldwell Merch. be admitted a freeman

Ordered that John Cochran Merchant be admitted a freeman

Ordered that James Murray Merch. partner to said John Cochran be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Peter McDougall Jun<sup>r</sup> att<sup>r</sup> be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Samuel Moore Merch. be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Alexander McKean Shoemaker be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Mr. McKinnell Apothecary be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Robert Mackay, Mariner be admitted a freeman

Ordered that Samuel Glen Bookseller be admitted a freeman

Ordered that John Buchanan who served an apprenticeship to Geo Douglas Bookseller be admitted a freeman.

Ordered that James McCree Grocer be admitted a freeman

201 Ordered that Mathew Shaw Baker be admitted

201 a freeman

And that Edward Nelson Tobaccoist  
be admitted a freeman

And that Mark Davis Shoemaker be  
admitted a freeman

And that William Graham Cooper be  
admitted a freeman

And that William Bond tanner be  
admitted a freeman

And that David Free ropemaker be  
admitted a freeman

And that George W. Donald of Rosemary  
Lane cabinet maker be admitted a freeman

And that Alexander Fulton son to James  
Fulton be admitted a freeman

Also that John Fulton son to said G.  
Fulton be admitted a freeman

And that Robert Alex. Stewart son to John  
Stewart be admitted a freeman

And that John Campbell Clerk to Wood &  
Dyport be admitted a freeman

And that Charles Egan mason be admitted  
a freeman

And that William Sharp of Ballylane be  
admitted a freeman

And that James Edgar shoemaker be  
admitted a freeman

And that Alexander Templeton Inspector  
of linen be admitted a freeman

And that John Doherty son to Con Doherty  
be admitted a freeman

And that John Mackay son to James  
Mackay carpenter be admitted a freeman

And that James Preston Merchant be  
admitted a freeman

202 And that William Kirkpatrick mar.<sup>r</sup>  
be admitted a freeman

And that William Smith surgeon be admitted  
a freeman

202

Ord that John Denison merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a freeman

Ord that John Bell Bond merchant be admitted a freeman

Ord that Francis McKane Carpenter be admitted a freeman

Ord that Will<sup>m</sup> Todd merchant be admitted a freeman

Ord that Thomas Abraham merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a freeman

Ord that William Law of this City Linen draper be admitted to his freedom

Ord that James Stirling stone cutter be admitted a freeman

Ord that Benj<sup>m</sup> Hunter merchant be admitted a freeman

Ord that David Crawford of Killaughtee in the County of Down be admitted a freeman

Ord that Thomas Wilson watchmaker be admitted a freeman

Ord that Andrew Ferguson son to And<sup>ro</sup> Ferguson a Burgess of this City be admitted a freeman

Ord that John Ferguson son to said And<sup>ro</sup> be admitted a freeman

Ord that Will<sup>m</sup> Haslett Baker be admitted to his freedom

Ord that James Wilson merch<sup>t</sup> son to Hugh Wilson be admitted to his freedom

Ord that the Gentle Robert Stewart Esq of Mountstewart in the County of Down be admitted a freeman without fees

203

Ord that the three persons as follows be excused spoon & Bucket having been New Boys

Ord that Patrick Boylagore be admitted a freeman

Ord that Robert Boyge wheelwright be admitted a freeman

Ord that William Rob Weaver be admitted

203 a freeman  
 Ord that Andrew Helbrick be admitted  
 a freeman on paying customary fees

24<sup>th</sup> November 1792

205 Ord that Thomas Kyle merchant be  
 admitted a freeman on paying customary fees.

Ord that John Brown merchant at the  
 Water-side be admitted a freeman paying the  
 same fees

Ord that Humphrey Selington merchant be  
 admitted a freeman paying the same fees

Ord that Samuel Garrison merchant be  
 admitted a freeman on paying said fees

Ord that Thomas Murray of King be admitted  
 a freeman on paying said fees.

Ord that Alexander Buchanan attorney  
 be admitted a freeman on paying said fees.

14<sup>th</sup> December 1792

212 A proposall having been made on behalf of  
 the freemen of this city in order to have the dispute  
 relative to Quayage & Portage tryed in an amicable  
 manner. Ordered that the same shall be tryed in  
 such an amicable manner as our lawyers shall  
 advise agreeable to the manner proposed by  
 the citizens.

3<sup>rd</sup> June 1793

218 Ordered that Doctor William Haws of the City  
 219 of London and Stephen Holland of Coolifinning  
 City be and is hereby each of them elected town  
 freemen without fees

12<sup>th</sup> September 1793

224 Ordered that William Ross att<sup>r</sup> be admitted a  
 freeman on paying customary fees.

7<sup>th</sup> March 1780 to 4<sup>th</sup> May 1780

224 to 244

The names of the freemen ordered to be admitted between the above date are again noted upon these pages which bear impressed stamps of reference opposite each name up to 8<sup>th</sup> August 1780 and from that date of One shilling opposite each name.

224

Mr Robert Graham referred to on page 2 is here described as 'one of the Curates of this City'

Thomas Purdon Scott also referred to on page 2 is here described as 'Thomas Purdon Scott Esq of this City Councilor at Law'

And the Order is that all be 'admitted sworn freemen paying the customary fees'

As to George Gladstones & Richd Babington referred to on page 3, the following note is found on page 224. - "Ord. that George Gladstones, 12<sup>th</sup> son to James Gladstones of Daisy Hill in the County of Surrey be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City & excused sworn & Bachel and that Richd Babington brother to George Babington of this City since Deceased be also admitted a sworn freeman on paying customary fees"

225

"Ordered that Henry Delap here last be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees (see page 5)"

"Ordered that Henry Gullett Esq member of Parliament for the Borough of Charlmonnt be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City for his steady and patriotic conduct in Parliament and the same be presented to him by our Recorder (see page 6)"

227

A repetition of the Order of 8<sup>th</sup> Aug 1780 on page 7.

- 219 Another repetition of the Order of 8<sup>th</sup> August  
1780 on page 7  
A repetition of the Order of 1<sup>st</sup> September  
1780 on page 8
- 237 A repetition of the Order of 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1781  
on page 12, & the Order of 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1781 on page  
15.  
Rev. Child Leslie is here described as  
"Archdeacon of Egham"  
and it is stated here that Will<sup>m</sup> Abel was  
Surgeon, "served his apprenticeship to Alder<sup>m</sup>  
"Kempson"
- 232 A repetition of the Order of 16<sup>th</sup> May 1781 on  
pages 6 and 7, and the Order of 21<sup>st</sup> May 1781 on  
page 18  
A partial repetition of the Order of 14<sup>th</sup> May  
1782 on page 25, and the rest of the Order is  
repeated on page 233
- 233 A repetition of part of the Order of 14<sup>th</sup> May  
1782 on page 29  
like
- 234 Like  
A repetition of the Order of 14<sup>th</sup> May 1782 on  
page 28  
A repetition of the Order of 31<sup>st</sup> May 1782  
on page 30  
An extended Order of 9<sup>th</sup> October 1782 as  
follows:
- 235 "Ordered that Geo Fitzgerold Hill son to Geo  
276 Hugh Hill Bart be and is hereby admitted a  
236 sworn freeman of this City & excused Spoon &  
Bucket  
"And that John Beresford Hill son to aforesd<sup>t</sup>  
Hugh Hill be and is hereby admitted a sworn  
freeman of this City & excused Spoon & Bucket  
235 "And that Rowley George Hill son to aforesd<sup>t</sup>

225 Hugh Hill be + is hereby admitted a freeman & excused spoon & bucket

" And that And<sup>r</sup> Ferguson son to And<sup>r</sup> John Ferguson be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of his City + excused spoon & bucket

" And that Will<sup>m</sup> Nicolls son to "math" Nicolls be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman + excused spoon & bucket

" And that Charles Nicolls son to the afores<sup>d</sup> John Nicolls be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City + excused spoon & bucket

" And that Will<sup>m</sup> Boyd h<sup>d</sup>. of Ballycastle be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City + excused spoon & bucket being married to a Burgesses daughter

" And that John Thompson iron minger be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees

" And that James Galbraith att<sup>r</sup> be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees

" And that George McEad glazier formerly a blew boy be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees

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" And that George McEonnell merchant be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees.

" And that And<sup>r</sup> Crawford iron minger be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees

" And that John McEze merchant be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City paying customary fees

" And that James Schoales son to And<sup>r</sup> John Schoales be + is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City + excused spoon & bucket

" For the above see page 31 "

236. 237

An extended Order of 24<sup>th</sup> October 1782 on page 32 as follows

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Ord. that And<sup>r</sup> Knox son of Geo Knox of Richey be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman & excused spoon & bucket.

Ord. that W<sup>m</sup> Caldwell son to W<sup>m</sup> Caldwell Merch<sup>t</sup> be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City & excused spoon & bucket

Ord. that Joseph Curry son of Saml Curry Merch<sup>t</sup> be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees

237

Ord. that Roger Harrison son to the late W<sup>m</sup> Harrison deceased be & is hereby admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees"

Extended Order of 31<sup>st</sup> January 1783 on page 36 and 17<sup>th</sup> March 1783 on page 38 as follows

" 31 Jan'y 1783 Ord. that John Moody Merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a freeman of this City on paying five quines & customary fees

Ord. that W<sup>m</sup> Reatty Merch<sup>t</sup> be admitted a freeman of this City on paying customary fees

" 17 March 1783. Ord. that the Rev<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Alexander son to Alderman Rob<sup>t</sup> Alexander be and is hereby admitted a sworn freeman of this City & excused spoon & bucket &

Ord. that Henry Alexander son to the said Alderman be & is hereby admitted a freeman of this City & excused spoon & bucket"

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Extended Order of 7<sup>th</sup> April 1783 on page 43 ordering the admission of the persons therein named as sworn freemen, excusing John Curry and Geo Curry spoon & bucket, and ordering that the remaining five pay customary fees.

238

a repetition of part of the order of 10<sup>th</sup> May 1783 on page 43 for admission of honorary freemen

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like

An extended order of the same date on page 44 as follows:

"And that Nathl. Hunter Linendrapet son of Richd Hunter be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees.

"Also that Geo Brown surgeon son of Tho Brown be admitted a sworn freeman paying customary fees."

A repetition of the order of 21<sup>st</sup> October 1783 on page 47, and of the order of 26<sup>th</sup> December 1783 on page 51

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A note of the order of 24<sup>th</sup> January 1784 on page 52, the order of 5<sup>th</sup> June 1784 on page 57 and the order of 21<sup>st</sup> October 1784 on page 58.

A repetition of part of the order of 25<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1784 on page 61.

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like

A note of the order of 16<sup>th</sup> March 1785 on page 63 and of part of the order of 25<sup>th</sup> April 1785 on page 66

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A repetition of the order for admission of honorary freemen dated 5<sup>th</sup> May 1785 on page

241

66. Next James Cottingham D.D. is here described as 'was General of Dro-more'

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A partial repetition of the order of same date on pages 66 and 67 but Samuel Matricks name is omitted here.

A repetition of the order of 7<sup>th</sup> June 1785 on page 68 and the order of 6<sup>th</sup> October 1785 on page 72

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A partial repetition of the order of 25<sup>th</sup> Octob.

244 1785 on page 72, the order of 7<sup>th</sup> December 1785  
on page 75, and the order of 4<sup>th</sup> May 1786 on  
pages 78 and 79