Pounds.

Brought forwards 1,600,000 Western Coast from Guernsey and other Places, I will allow the Quantity, confumed here, to be 2000 Tun per Ann. and because the best Growths are now, bought up for this Market, I will allow the prime Cost to be 401. per Tun at an Average. The Value then of the present Importation, is 80,000 l. which being deducted from the former, leaves a Difference of 200,000 l. Ster. lost annually to France. 200,000

VIII. THE Quantity of Brandy imported formerly, amounted to 4000 Tun per Ann. at 40 l. per Tun, prime Cost, which comes to 160,000 l. and now the Quantity of Foreign Spirits of all Kinds enter'd at the Custom-House, at a Medium of four Years last past, amounts only to 2625 Tun, owing to the great Improvement of English Spirits and the prevailing Taste for Rum. But as this Quantity compre-

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