

family had been connected with the customs department of Nova Scotia for nearly a century.

Another privateer on the same day, was sent in by H. M. S. Maidstone. She was the ship Catherine, 14 guns and 96 men, captured off Cape Sable.

Here is a specimen of some of the advertisements of prizes, which appeared in the Halifax papers shortly after the declaration of war between the United States and Great Britain—

"To be sold at public auction, the brig Dart and her cargo, condemned by the court of vice-admiralty for breach of the laws of trade and Nova Scotia. God Save the King.

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