

1756, 7 Julho, Boston. Carta de Henry Lloyd a Aaron Lopez.

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Boston, July 7th, 1756.

Sir,

I received your favours of 5th current per Mr. Joseph De Lucena, advising of Weaver's arrival with your 5 bbls head matter. I have now by me 60 barrills more for you and hope to be frequently picking up small parcells, which shall forward as opportunity presents, that you may have the advantage of returning your oil while the market holds up. The present price is £160 per tonn and can have so for yours per Arey if in seasonably.

I have not yet been under a necessity of selling your molasses to disadvantage; but if a large quantity of head matter offers and can't do otherwise must dispose of as much as such emergency will call for. You may depend on my utmost endeavours in collecting as much as you have given orders for.

Mr. Rotch's son is here and tells me they shall be able to send you a parcell of head matter per the first vessell bound from Nantucket to Newport, and will complete the order as soon as they can. Folger is not here, believe it too late to procure much from [him.] I am Your most h'ble Servant,

H. Lloyd