

# Gatehouse Postal History

1801 – 29<sup>th</sup> January

William Hannay, Kirkdale to  
Charles Steuart, Edinburgh

Postal charge was 6d.

1<sup>st</sup> para. suggests there was an enclosure

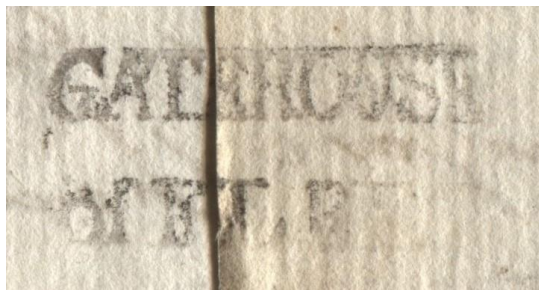
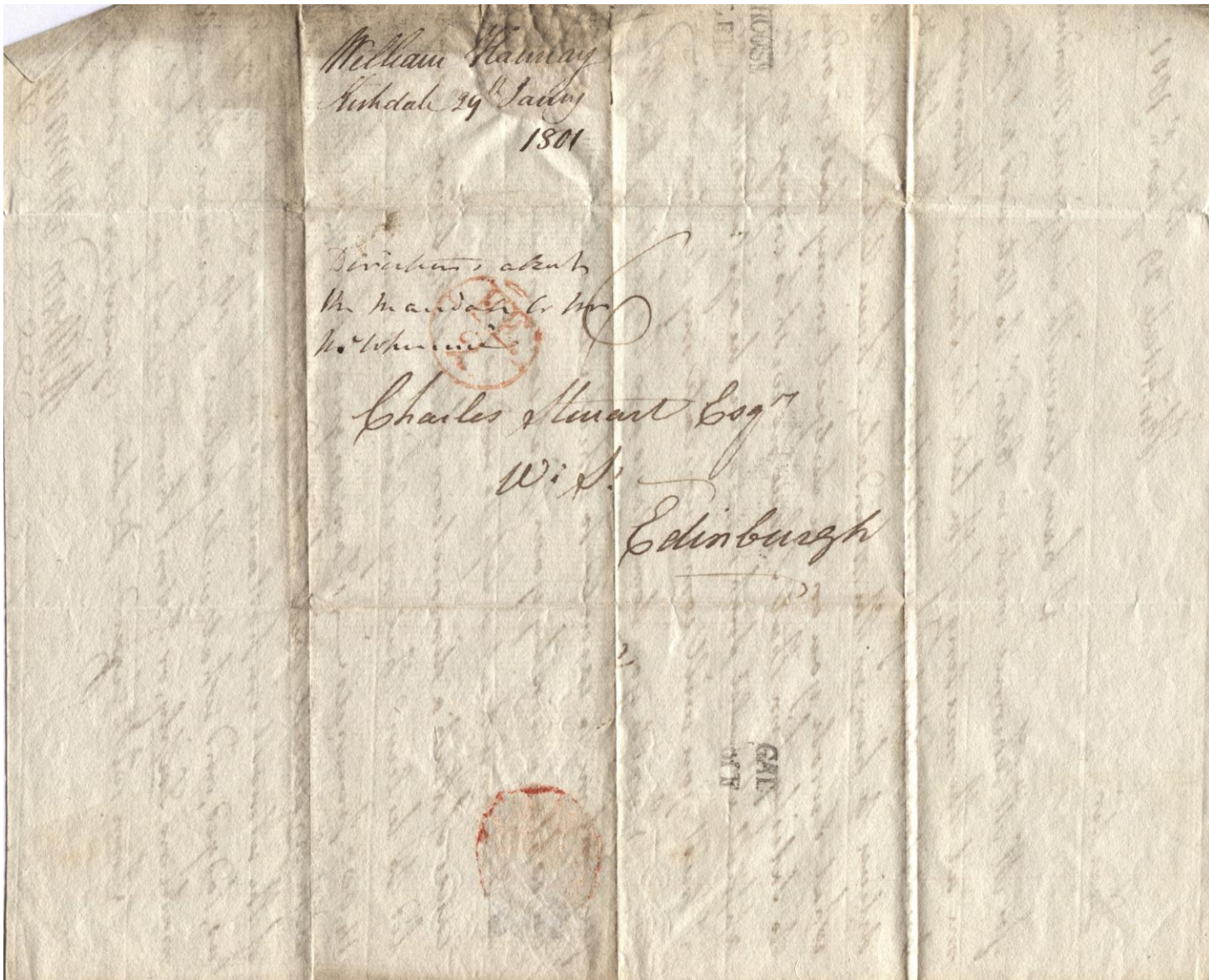
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Stamp

letter

Wirkdale 29<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>r</sup> 1801

Dear Sir

I have herewith subjoined, Mandate for Mr M Whinnier writer in Edin<sup>o</sup> to vote and act for me at the meeting of the late Sir Samuel Hannays creditors which you will separate from this letter & deliver to him; in the mandate, I have referred him to what I wrote you on the subject in my last, in order to satisfy him that I have no wish to engage in the appeal should such a measure be agitated, therefore I trust you will communicate my sentiments.

I wrote you some days ago respecting the affidavit you sent me to execute to which I expect an explanation by your first conveyance as I am much at a loss to understand the cause of such a diminution of the debt, being always led to believe that my claim was considerably above 14,000 pounds. I am in great hopes that the question with Dr dewall will be decided this session as it is of the utmost importance to me, pray is the Duply for us, lodged, and what will follow I presume they will make no Duply, or I dont know what you call it.

I am with regards Dr Sir Yours most truly  
William Hannay