

# [Distillers Lute] William Paine

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## Compiler

William Paine

## Publication Format

Manuscript

## Type

Miscellaneous

## Ingredients

whiting

meal

salt

water

paper

## Places

London

Finsbury Square

**Source:** William Paine Papers

**Institution:** University Of New Brunswick | **Source Origin:** Loyalist Collection | **Reference:** MIC-Loyalist FC LFR.P3W5P3

## Description

Instructions from *Mechanics Magazine* for making a paste to facilitate applying strips of paper "around the Head" of a distilling apparatus, followed by a London address for Samuel Williams. Reel 3, p. 993. Image use courtesy of the American Antiquarian Society.

## Transcription

### Distillers Lute.

# Take two Parts of Whiting, one part of meal, and one fourth of Salt, and add the necessary Water to make a thick paste. When the apparatus is Shut put a certain quantity of the lute around the Head applied on some strips of Paper, and upon the Paper another portion of the lute; it will dry very soon, and keep very well. It will be easily understood that the Salt, has no other virtue than to facilitate taking off the lute when the operation is over, by pouring some Water on it \_\_\_\_\_

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Distillers Lute recipe from Early Modern Maritime Recipes: <https://emmr.lib.unb.ca/recipes/267>