

That the ship Called the s^t George of Amsterdam & her freight brought into this Port by the said Prisoners be seised into the hands of the Lord Proprietary & that if within a yeare & a day no lawfull Right be made appeare that then she with all her freight apparrell tackle & furniture be adiudged lawfull prize & that in the Jnterim the goods be appraised. Liber H. H.

At a Councell held at s^t Marys Quarto Junij 1659

Present { The Gouvernor } Coll: John Price
 { The Secretary } &
 { M^r Job Chandler } M^r Robert Clarke

To the Honble &c

Philip Caluert Treasurer & Receauer Gennerall
sheweth.

That vpon 31th of May last past Richard Galey Nicholas Salmon Thomas Barrett James Montioy Mathew Benham George Lyne & Peeter Janson a Pinke called the s^t George of Graft had into this Port of S^t Marys as Prize brought: that at a Court held the first of June the said ship and goods for want of prooffe could not be adiudged Prize but was adiudged to be seised into the hands of the lord Proprietary there to Remaine for a yeare & a day, after w^{ch} time she was to be adiudged Prize if no lawfull Right of other persons could be thereto made appeare as by the said Order more at large appeareth p. 40

That since the said Order search being made in the said ship certaine Dutch Cocquetts haue on board the said ship bin found. That by the said Cocquetts & sea breife it doth appeare the ship belonged to Graft and the inhabitants of the Vnited Provinces: that shee was taken in Carlile Bay in the Barbadas that shee had traded in the said Jland, landing there fower horses and diuerse other goods & Receauing on board sixe hogsheads of sugar and seauenteen baggs of Cotton of the Growth of that Country, as appeared by the Oath of Richard Stockdale That she was Loaden at Amsterdam with French Brandy wine & french Canuas as appeareth by the oath of Richard Stockdale also & som silkes all w^{ch} were goods not of the Growth of Holland, And therefore Craueth Judgment of the board.

The opinion & Judgment of the Councell is

That the ship S^t George & goods be inuentorized & appraised & that his Lordships Treasurer haue power to sell and dispose of seauen tenths for which he is to be accomptable to the Lord Proprietary in case the said ship & goods be found