

up some controversies, as also according to said Mr. Wood & wife (to said Estio —
 to bring the said ship and goods into his said Mr. Wood's care, as also the
 said Mr. Wood has promised to find a sloop to meet the said ship in order to
 to receive from on board such goods as were prohibited, then accordingly —
 this D. p. went west and having to the best of his judgment s. H. D. all differences
 between the said Estio and the said Merchant and Captain the freight due and
 principal Merchant One Mr. Lynch, that then they with this D. p.
 according to the advice of the said Mr. Wood s. H. D. sayles for the first aforesaid
 and the said sloop not meeting us, as expected, this D. p. turned back of the
 said Estio to find his goods with this D. p. went to see whether the man
 of war rode with St. George, as also what lay'd by Expected sloop —
 which being accordingly done the said Capt. Estio then at St. George put a crew
 a party of servants, that after this D. p. being ready as aforesaid to
 Mr. Wood's care he immediately found no likelihood of the sloop, w.
 so instead this D. p. that he was unwilling to consume himself
 there, but that he the said Mr. Wood went in person with this D. p.
 to meet the said ship and with her returned to the first called St. Georges when
 being arrived that at the request of the Merchant and Master this
 D. p. went but this man to help land such goods as said Merchant ordered
 that this D. p. saw one of St. Merchant Christopher Mason, Employing
 himself in taking an account of the barrels for landed, and that another
 went with this boat to see and take account of them in the cellar, and this
 D. p. in the behalf of the said Merchant Enquired of said Mr. Wood where
 the said goods should be stowed, that the said Mr. Wood ordered a party
 of waggons to be landed in the Barn with straw to be laid on them, and
 the dry goods to be putt into a plain cellar, that this D. p. saw several
 palls of cask, barrel, boxes, and barrels with some boulds of canvas or
 shubrick, loose hats etc and that the same night the said Mr. Wood came to
 this D. p. and told him that Mr. Clark the Carpenter whose house was sold to
 inform Major S. Wall, at which this D. p. being much grieved went immediately to Mr.
 G. C. to make the first information in favo. of the said Merchant and Capt.
 Estio, and that the said G. C. not being qualified to receive such information
 this D. p. did not go on board and informed the said Estio and Merchant, how they
 were betrayed, that then at the request of the said Estio and Merchant this D. p.
 the said D. p. then made of said ship did prepare to make the first information —
 which accordingly had been had not Mr. Wood prepared this D. p. that his
 own going would be more to the ship and Merchant advantage, so when this D. p. at
 last consulted that the way was, that the Hon. Maj. S. Wall, and after him
 the Hon. Col. Danville, were coming, which accordingly happened, and the said Mr. Wood
 going with the said Maj. S. Wall to see the said waggons, that then this D. p.
 supposing his failure in the trust imposed in him did then at the request of the said
 Merchant and then his master giving the goods to our Mr. James York, which
 in order went to this D. p. with our Mr. Gould, the Merchant and son of said D. p. to an

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