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By the King's Majesty's Command

His Proclamation —

Forasmuch as I have received his most Sacred
Majesty's Commands to me by the hon^{ble} James Vernon
Esq^r one of his Majesty's Principall Secretaries of
State Commanding me to prohibit all Comers
with, and not to suffer any Ammunition Supply
of Arms or other necessary provisions to be
transported thence to the West Indies, who lately
arrived at the Island of St. Thomas in severall
Ships which they had fitted out with intention
as they declared to Peter Thompson in some
part of America, their Designe being altogether
unknown to his Majesty. I Do therefore by this
my proclamation prohibit all persons
whatsoever within this Government from taking
any Comers with or giving any Relief or Aids
thence whatsoever as they will Answer & Contrary
at their perill, and I do hereby command direct
the Governour and respective Officers of his Majesty's
within this province that they do not allow or
suffer any Vessels to depart thence having on board
them any Store of powder Ball Ammunition
Army provisions of Victuals or other Necessaries
whatsoever which may anywise be supposed
to be intended for the Supply of the West Indies
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