Several small vessels from the Westerne Colonies which returned home with —
wines the Weather begins to be good and this Day Capn Price is taking in wine
will be Speedily Dispatched three Dutch vessels from Amsterdam with Rye
Deales coming & are taking in about 400 Pipes for Curisao —
we received a Letter from my Lady Baudon p the Rumel Gally wherein she
saies what I Bought of her for £160 was worth a great Many hundreds
for which reason because I Would have her to be convinced of her mistake
as in time she will be I have wrote her that upon her immediate repaying ye
£160 the Bargaine shall be void and that you will give her up the
writings which you may please to doe as to returne me the Bill I passed
upon her because I have formerly received Civilitys from Sr John Baudon
I am very Desirous to be gratefull to his Lady widdow —
X please to pay Mr Francis Dalet for acct. of Mr Dikirton Eleven Pounds and
take up an old Bond of mine it is probable he may insist upon Interest —
but there is noe reason for it as I have formerly told him the William
Capn Richard Fyfield Comander in a new Vessel of 90 Tons & Guns and 4 —
Pederero's whither we and some friends are Owners is now Loaden with
Pipestaves from Boston we loaded her with Designe for Curisao until
the Dutchmen arrived and then finding that too Many would goe to
that Market thought it advisable that she should goe to Barbados
according to an agreement made to send her where fewest wines are gone
Mr John Grove being our friends Correspondent requested ye consigna=
tion to him which we could not Deny we loaded her accordingly to
him carried upwards of 130 Pipes our Orders are to Dispatch her back
to New England unless freight for London be at 14 d 15 p Cent in such
case to Load about £500 in Sugars for acct. of ourselves and Consignee
to your good self and the remainder to Lett out Upon freight and if
any Conveyance offers for London to give you advice —
we are Uncertaine what may happen and therfore cannot say
whether She may goe home for London or New England now least
she may be take the voyage for London —
we desire you to make Insurance for £1800 viz. 1200 the Ship and £600
in Goods soe that provided she doth not proceed we may pay only ½ p.
Cent for underwriting and this we presume may doe without Paying more
Doone we need not explaine our selves any further whatsoever shall
come to your hands from Mr Grove please to keepe a particular acct. in
the name of Wm Bolton & Co owners of the Ship William and if She should
happen to arrive without any further Direction from us please to fitt
her out with all Expedition but we shal write you More p the first
Conveyance — she sailed hence for Barbados the 22th curt
we are now at the 30th April confirme the aforegoing Capn Price will saile in four daies
hath most of his Loading aboard the Weather good and Seasonable now & then
in our Business — we find by some Discourse that one of this Place had with Mr
Miles he hath some intimation that you and we have Entered into a correspon=
dency we know not whether it may be any advice from England or from Mr
Masson who went Passenger with us and was knowing of some Letters ye
passed at Plimouth — we take noe notice of any thing but Lett Matters come
to their Knowledge when they cannot be advided
we write you that few goods remained upon the Place but what we have wch
are daily expecting and therfore you may send us if not already provided a
Proportion of Goods in Sort next advising as we advised in our letter the 16th Octr
past and please not to forgett to send us Some Hoopes for Trimming our Pipes —
Some Black Sayes Black Bayes Black Crapes and Nuns Serges much wanted
observe by a Letter from Messrs Hall of the 7th January that their vessels
at Dartmouth was left behind the Fleete and we are now sorry that we
did not send your wine by the Angel Pink but we followed your Order —
that Make use of the first Occasion that Offers to Send them —
our Bill of Lading Book is near written out and therfore please to send a —
New one and when you have an Opportunity of Writing us please to send us
a Price Curt which may be useful one time or other besides the Satisfaction
of Knowing how the prices alter —
We Doubt not but Capn Jer. Johnson paid our Bill and that Mr Abraham
Elton will doe the like which Money we propose to be remitted to Messrs Hall Shaw
and Gulston if you have not already done part of it it will be well enough
to Lett it alone until October unless you find that the Exchange will be
to our Prejudice for altho they are very good then We esteem our Money
to be better in your hands when they are you may please to write them p ye
first that you will remitt for our acct. We have always had Money that
Lay in their hands because we never valued our selves to the full —
we believe we shall not want your recommendation upon all Occations you
may be assured that we shall Comply to Satisfaction —
we heartily wish you had given us a Line p Lisa. of what ships were bound
this way have notice of a ship of yours called the Bridge Owned Capn —
Williams Comander but the sodain stop of their coming out was such that
we believe you Depended on their saying a Long time before we are now
at the prish. May and have Made this Letter more like a Diurnal then
a Letter from whence you may know our Proceedings we wish ye Prosper=
ity and are — Please to Lett there be one Pottle for the ship and another
for the Goods — We Desire you likewise to gett 1200 pounds insured for Bar=
=bados from this Place we say on the ship —

Veale —