

Robert Heysham

Madaira 4<sup>th</sup> May 1699

The foregoing are Coppys, the first of Capt<sup>m</sup> Tanner the other via Canaries  
and now this Conveyance offers via Lisbon we send you Capt<sup>m</sup> Waaxens<sup>third</sup> Bill on  
M<sup>r</sup>. John Travers for £800 - Capt<sup>m</sup> Bradshaws<sup>third</sup> Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Starke  
£37:13:04 - Capt<sup>m</sup> Littletons<sup>third</sup> Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. William Levett £54:13:04 -  
our Third Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Micajah Perry & Son £179:15:00 - our Second Bill on  
M<sup>r</sup>. John Travers £17 - our Second Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Francis Eyles £85 - our Second  
Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Solomon Mexatt £51 - and Capt<sup>m</sup> Joseph Colemans Second Bill on  
M<sup>r</sup>. Benjamine Braine £162:03:00 -  
you advise nothing of Capt<sup>m</sup> Dobre neither doth M<sup>r</sup>. Hutchins mention any  
thing of him, but by a Letter from London 17<sup>th</sup> March we have notice of his being  
arrived in the Downs, soe that we now proceed to lade the 100 Pipes on boarde Capt<sup>m</sup>  
Breholt according to your order, we have agreed the freight at 15 p<sup>p</sup> Pipe -  
we are God be praised at the 8<sup>th</sup> ditto and doe presume in three days more to have the  
complement of your 100 Pipes on boarde Capt<sup>m</sup> Breholt & here is arrived & dispatched  
this day for Antigua the Samuel and Elizabeth Capt<sup>m</sup> John Roach with 40 Pipes -  
the said Comander hath given us his Bills for £21 - on M<sup>r</sup>. Samuel Croctor the  
first Bill goes inclosed with Advice - here is another Englishship in sight we  
shall know who it is before the parting of this Conveyance -  
Ditto the 9<sup>th</sup> curr<sup>t</sup> just now is come to anchor the George Capt<sup>m</sup> Edward Kelly Comander  
from London, a vessel belongs to M<sup>r</sup>. Hall and others, noe Letter from you  
we have written for two Quater Cranes please to send us two more for other friends  
and a crop cut Saw with handles to it of a middling size -  
we are now God be praised at the 16<sup>th</sup> May last night sailed the George Capt<sup>m</sup> Edward  
Kelly Comander for Boston, Capt<sup>m</sup> Breholt his redy to saille & we have sent you  
inclosed an Invoice of the 100 Pipes aborde ship amounting to 2592 07 90 re<sup>is</sup>  
which we carry to your debet in acc<sup>t</sup> Curr<sup>t</sup> -  
we shall send you and M<sup>r</sup>. Hutchins all of Sales of the goods of Capt<sup>m</sup> Allen, it was  
wel we sold them at that Time, w<sup>ch</sup> now we would not undertake to doe for the  
prime cost in England, this Place is soe filled with all sorts of Goods -

Ditto 25 May 1699

we confirme the above Cappy of our Last of his Majesties ship Betty v<sup>a</sup> Cadix  
the 22<sup>th</sup> curr<sup>t</sup> sailed the Lucy Capt<sup>m</sup> Davy Breholt for Barbadoes, and in  
his Company the Mary Gally of London with 20 Pipes for the West Indies, here  
is only a Schoer in Port bound for Lisbon by whom this goes -  
we send you Capt<sup>m</sup> Joseph Colemans third Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Benjamine Braine £162:03:00 -  
Capt<sup>m</sup> John Roach's second Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Samuel Croctor £21:00:00, and now M<sup>r</sup>. Benj<sup>a</sup>  
Middletons first Bill on M<sup>r</sup>. Charles Middleton £15:00:00 -  
we are at the 27<sup>th</sup> yesterday arrived a smal Boake from Rode Island with 120  
Moj<sup>s</sup> of Indian Cornes, and a Pink from Dunkeek with Beefe Headings  
Salt fish Pitch and Tarr, had been at Fyall where are Twenty ships taking  
in Wines and Brandy, but shee could not negotiate, they called in at Bortura



but could neither sel nor buy - and we believe wil find as little incouragement  
with us - our coines being scarce and dear, nothing wil goe towards the purchasing  
them but ready Money or Bills for Lisbon - I am

Y<sup>r</sup> most hum<sup>ble</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup> -  
W<sup>m</sup> Dutton & Comp<sup>y</sup>

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