

Madeira 8<sup>th</sup> June 1701

Our last was via Bristol, we have since received yours of 21<sup>st</sup> April  
trig<sup>g</sup>. w<sup>ch</sup> shall answer w<sup>ch</sup> first conveyance

Barbados with a small Bill of £12: 63: 00<sup>s</sup> on Capt<sup>m</sup> Bullard, Kirkham & Ward  
ou in London, recommended to your Brother Mr. William Heysham to get accepted  
to you, & Inclosed you haue Capt<sup>m</sup> William Evertons Billon (Mr. Anthony Merry)  
10: 04<sup>s</sup> at Thirty dayes sight -

My Capt<sup>m</sup> Davy Brekolt is laden and might saile this day, but that a Misfortune  
go to him, by a Negro who struck him on the Head, w<sup>ch</sup> he was knocked downe, his  
Broke & in a greate deale of Danger, this happened two dayes past, it cannot be  
tined when the ship wil goe until we some alteration in hym either for better or

we to David Nunes Sierra that we have received Seventy Pipes & shipped (the Lucy)  
acc<sup>nt</sup>, when this letter comes to hand please to acquaint him, because this goes by  
certaine conveyance -- we are e

B. G. most humb<sup>r</sup> Serv<sup>r</sup>  
W<sup>m</sup> Bolton Compt

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