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His Excellency the Cap^t Gen^l

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| The Hon ^{ble} | } | Coll ^o Henry: Smith |
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It being moved at the Board on behalf of Captain Thomas Lovett Master of the Brigantine Susannah Spanish Town which was this day before the Hon^{ble} the Hon^{ble} Esq^r Judge of his Majesty's Court of Admiralty with in this Province condemned upon breach of several Acts of Trade & Navigation that he might be admitted to purchase the Vessel together with her Cargo according to the Rights to be made upon water.

His Excellency is pleased to say that he is inclinable thereto provided Captain Lovett will produce the Vessel & Cargo together with the Negroes in her imported that when they are appraised he may purchase them at the appraised Value the Gentlemen of the Council say that it will be a great Favor to him

His Excellency is pleased to say that he hopes Capt^t Lovett will take better care for the future and that it will be for his Majesty's Service to rid the increase of his Revenue that the Vessel be in a capacity to make a Voyage for England

Then came Captain Thomas Lovett before the Board