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of L'Orient which bill was not paid. No 2 is the Ballamany Bond which still remains in force against the Master & Ship if in existance No 3 is a Letter from Mess Barclay Moylan & Co of L'Orient dated 4 Sep. 1786. to Messrs Graham & Dent – No 4 is a Letter from Wm Macarthy to Graham & Dent dated 4 Sep 1786 No 5 is a Letter from Graham & Dent at Fayal under date 6 June Last to Wm Macarthy of L'Orient No 6 is a Letter from the Same of the like date to Messrs Barclay Moylan & Co No 7 is a Letter in French from Plantamur Bellume dated L'Orient 19 Feby. all of which Letters will more fully explain this unpleasant business than we have done No 8. is Capt Grahams Letter of advice to Messrs Crockett & Harris of Baltimore which we wish you to lay before those Gentn Capt Pallon of the Ship Sampson the bearer of this Letter & Papers gives us the very Unpleasant Intelligence of Messrs Crockett & Harris having stopt paym. & that the Brig Minerva is Lost and the Capt Dead

Under such circumstances we fear that the Protested bill will be returned which we beg you will be kind enough to furnish us with Proper proxies &c and as quick as possible that we may be enabled the sooner for to recover from the drawer the Amt of said bill with Charges &c at any time when opportunity offers shall be happy to make you a return for the trouble this business must give you we are very respectfully

Your Ser

Thos & R Lawson

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