

any Supplies being wanted for the Navy. I shall
order them to be taken from the Postoffice.
Dear Admiral Biffith. I have the honor to be Sir
Yours &c

Barbuda 29 July 1814
Sir Mr. Cavan, Merchant of these Islands
Leaving chartered Vessels from the Leeward
Islands laden with Produce and Provisions
to take his chance of supplying the Squadron
upon the Coast of America should the same
be required. In the event of application
being made to you by him or his attorney for
Convey for these Vessels you will direct any of
His Majesty's Ships Comms. to join me to take
them under their protection, or should they find it
necessary to proceed without waiting for Convey
you will grant them Certificates of their being
bound to the Squadron, to prevent their being
molested or detained in their passage.
I am &c

Commander Evans
Yours &c
A. Lockhart

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Sir Having advertised in the Public Papers
of these Islands for Tenders to contract for the
supplying of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at this
Post with Fresh Beef and Vegetables; the said
Tenders to be received by the Senior Officer here on or
before the 1st of August ^{have} ~~been~~ ^{opened} ~~there~~ ⁱⁿ
his presence. In the event of any absence you
will receive the said Tenders, and opening them on the
appointed day, from such contracts for Fresh Beef &
Vegetables as you may conceive most advantageous to
Government and best suited to the Service of His Majesty's
Ships arriving at this Port.

Commander Evans
Yours &c