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Portobacco 6th Sept

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By Mr Luckett your Key and the Commis
with receive the Goods purchased of Jesse Taylor — They
would have been sent much sooner — But I have been
daily expecting a New Waggon and Gears of Mr Leigh who
had positively promised on his Return from Annapolis
I have this morning, and there he ought to be compelled
to furnish it — However as I am told with certainty there
are the Goods in Cask — I sent over to Leigh
to view the Cask of Taylors Goods — The Casks which
were the principal Object — turned out Coarse Narrow
Frize and would by no means answer for Blankets, but
Linnens are Good as are many other articles, He
would not take the price to which I was limited,
but would have taken what they Cost him allowing
for his expence of Carriage &c. I made agreement
of Mr Lewis Dick Cash for 37 Barrls of Corn Good
payable in Corn in the Course of this Year at 20/. Curr.
I was to find the Corn & Coopers to deliver
there or very near the Vessel and he were to find the Iron
on Board, both were to be at my Choice, But I was not
compelled to find the Corn until the Enemy was pretty clear
of the Bay — about or Shortly after the Harvest with a good time
to Require and my Agreed with Mr Richard Hyson
to transport the Corn and Cooper the Iron, and was not
a little surprized & to be informed by Mr Dick that the Comrs
had seized the my Iron with the Cask notwithstanding
Mr Skinner informed them of my Contracts — I hope they
Your Key and the Commissioners will give orders for the
delivery of at least the 37 Barrls I say at least for