

jeſty only asking, that, for his own Royal Decorum, the usurped Eſtabliſhments ſhould be relinquished by the *Engliſh*; to prove that good Faith we piqued ourſelves upon, and to convince *Spain*, we did not maintain thoſe forcible Poſſeſſions, as Pledges, which ſooner or later we imagined would compel the Court of *Madrid* to grant us our own Terms, and in the mean Time to increaſe (which the *British* Subjects did daily) the Encroachments upon the Coaſts of *Honduras*.

This, Sir, to the beſt of my Recollection, is what has been advanced or replied by General *Wall* at our different Interviews. Yet, for greater Accuracy, and a fuller Explanation of the Sentiments of his Excellency, I deſire Leave to refer you to the incloſed *Spaniſh* Paper marked (B), with the Tranſlation diſtinguiſhed by the Letter (C), which includes the Subſtance of what the Secretary of State firſt ſpoke from, then read to me, and afterwards gave into my Hands; conſenting to let me ſend it to *England*, not as a Memorial, but to be conſidered in the ſame Light with that Paper which I had agreed to give his Excellency, containing ſome Notes, to enable him to repreſent to his Royal Maſter, with Candour, what I had been ordered to lay a Streſs upon; and this was delivered to me with the ſame View; a Proof whereof was, that there was no Date to either of our Writings, no Signature, nor any Title prefixed.

At my firſt Conference, I told General *Wall* I had received the King's Commands to deſire his
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