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to find on his return, that he had not shown  
his authority, & also that he had come on  
shore armed.

I have the honor to be  
Sir  
Yours most obed<sup>t</sup>. Serv<sup>t</sup>.

J P Burisford  
Commander &c &c

P.P.

It is not usual for boats or officers landing  
to carry a Flag of Truce from the vessel  
on board of which the flag is hoisted.

J P Burisford

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