



Conspiracy to Defraud (Paperback)

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Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand ******. Wednesday June 8, 1814 was a blazing hot day. London's Guildhall was crowded and stifling, its courtroom packed to overflowing, as the public flocked to witness the most spectacular trial of the decade: The King Against Charles Random De Berenger And Others. It was the others they had come to see. Standing in the dock, accused of the biggest fraud ever perpetrated on the London Stock Exchange, was Lord Cochrane - one of the most daring and popular naval captains of the Napoleonic war, and Member of Parliament for Westminster. The multi-million pound fraud had been committed when a fake messenger from France, Colonel De Bourg, landed at Dover and sent dispatches to the Admiralty claiming that the war in France was over and that Napoleon had been killed. Stocks soared in value with millions of pounds worth changing hands in just hours. But the dispatches were fakes and Napoleon still very much alive. The officer impersonating Colonel Du Bourg was traced to the London home of Lord Cochrane, then preparing to join the British Fleet in American waters as Flag...



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