

75, Fowey 25, Otter 15. Q: Did you know where they are going? A: No. Q: Did you come up or did you drift ashore? A. I came up voluntarily. Q. whose property was that in Vessel? A. It was sold at Vendue. Q. Were the people inoculated on board? A. Yes. Q. Whose property were the Molasses? A. I bought part. Q. Was Gov. Eden on board the B. Fowey. A. Yes. I have seen him walking the Decks. Q. Did you know the Fowey was upon the Eastern Shore? A. Yes, the Governor was not on board. Q. Did they consent you should come off? A. No. Q. Was it in the night that you left the fleet? A. In the night. The fleet was after wood and Water. Q. Have you plenty of Bread? A. Yes. Q. Were there any Troops armed at G. Island? A. No. No troops but part of 14th. Q. Do the Tenders ply out in the Bay? A. Yes they were cruising. Q. Did you know when Gov. Eden goes Home? A. Yes he goes in a store ship. Q. How much stock was got upon Eastern Shore? A. The private Families get no share of it, I saw cattle on Decks. Q. Do the Tenders go out in the Bay, a cruising? A. Yes, I have seen them out in the Bay. Q. How long were they inoculated and was it done to communicate it to the people on shore? A. By no means, every one in the fleet inoculated that had it not. Q. How many men in the Gondolas? A. Ten men on each side, an old flat. Cap^t Hammond and Lord Dunmore at variance. I dont think Gov. Eden has any thing to do with the fleet. The Lively frigate at the Capes. Molasses at a bit. Good W I rum at 2/2. Marines and sailors would desert but no others, not 14th. Q. What distance Fowey from the shore. A. Musket shot. Q. What number of vessels in the fleet. A. 72, many small boats. Q. Did you not say that the Fleet was going to sea? A. Yes, a signal given from Dunmore for masters of ships to come on board to receive orders, that they were going to St. Augustine. Q. Did you leave any vessels? A. Two Tenders in the straights, 2. 4 pounders, 2. 2 Do. Dunmore 3. 6 p^{rs} fired & slipt her cables, the Otter upon careen with her guns out. Q. How long was it after the cannonade before you left it. A. Immediately, upon the first discharge of cannon. Q. Where did you get Beef? A. From Antigua, a Brig with 500 Bblls. a storeship with 500 do. Q. What ex^c did to your Tenders on E. S. A. one man killed and 8 or 9 wounded. Q. money plenty. A. Yes. Commodore Hammond the best man in the navy. Cap^t Hammond will convoy them all out safe to sea. Q. Has not Lord D. sent people about to communicate the information. A. not to my knowledge. Cap^t Hammond not continue on the Eastern Shore, to go to N York. Q. How many guns the Lively. A. 30 or 36 guns, 11 shot in the Dunmore 18.