

Crew being nine in Number came on Board the Schooner, and the Deponent heard the Master of the Brig ask his, the Deponents' Captain whether he intended to carry the Brig out of the Capes, to which Captain Mulkere answered that he did not know that then the Mate of the Brig and several of her Crew declared that they would not be carried out of the Capes that then Captain Mulkere perceiving that the Brig was driving towards the Shore, ordered his Mate and four others of his Crew to go and take Charge of her which they immediately did, it being then about Noon, that about an Hour and Half afterwards there having been during that Time much wrangling between Captain Mulkere, and the Master, Mate, and Crew of the Brig, whom the said Captain had threatned to put in Irons the said Master, Mate and Crew of the Brig, rose on the Schooners Crew and took Command of her, then the Mate of the Brig, and four of five others being ordered to do so by their Captain, tyed Captain Mulkere standing to the Pump his Hands behind him, and then tyed the rest of the Schooners' Crew who were at that Time on Board her, that this being done, and the Mate of the Brig about to strike the Pendant, Captain Mulkere forbad him to do so, and when the Brig's Mate proceeded to hoist a Whiff as a Signal for the Brig to come to Captain Mulkere hallowed to his Mate forbidding him to obey the Signal whereupon the Brigs-Mate shook a Cutlass over him threatning, that if he offered to hallow again he would cut him down, and that then the said Mate gagged Captain Mulkere with a silk Handkerchief and the Brig bringing to, the Schooner run up very her and then came to an Anchor, that after this the Brig's Mate and Crew cut and unreeved the Schooner's Halliards, that then the Brig's Master having taken from Captain Mulkere (before he was bound) a Bunch of Keys delivered them to his Mate desiring him to go and took for his Papers, whereupon the Mate went into the Cabbin and returned soon afterwards with some Papers, and holding them up, asked the Master of the Brig if these were his Papers, to which, the Master answering in the Affirmative the Mate said, "then come along," whereupon the Master, Mate, and Brig's Crew went into the Schooner's Boat which had been driven from the Brig and been taken up by the Brig's People on Board the Schooner, carrying with them three Cutlasses, and a Musquet which belonged to the Schooner and then rowed to the Brig, and having got on Board her made Sail carrying with them the Mate and the four Hands which Captain Mulkere had before sent to take Charge of the said Brig. The Deponent further saith that being himself tyed to the Spring Stay

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