

Cap^t. Jonathan Tomitage

Madras 12 Feb. 1760

W^h wrote you y^e 22^d Novem^r & 5 Decem^r. downe to Sam. giving answer
to severall of yours advising us of your designing to Sam. and then
to take a freight for great Britain where we hope this may find
you safe arriv'd w^{ch} shall be glad to hear and farther that you
have adjusted all acco^s. with Col^l Clarke. and likewise saw he
remittes us of the men of war m^o. 8. what relates to our garrons
w^{ch} falls as then desired of you to do. w^{ch} doubt not but y^e have
done. and in due time shall be expecting to hear the same. it would
be joyfull news for us. it being more then high time. If so be
then we would have you deliver our $\frac{1}{4}$ of the freight and
also our $\frac{1}{4}$ of what the ship sells for to Mr W^m Bolton
If out of Towne then to Mr Rob^t. Heysham for we are of
your opinion that it will be much bett^r. to see her then to
fetch her out again it being so very chargeable and not
worth taxing our m^o. out of Count. to lay out on her there-
fore accordingly have wrote^d Mr Gen^l. If so be that
then we desire to apply y^e self to Cap^t Phillips Devonshire
who we have ordered to receive our $\frac{1}{4}$ of the whole as
aforesaid. For to fetch out from thence & come here only
owners acco^s. will need. it being a scarce & dear year
of w^his w^{ch} has made us conclude selling her to be much
the bett^r way. We would not have you to think it is any
dislike to you that we have ordered our p^t. to be sold
but really believing it to be much the bett^r way. for the
reasons before given. For we are not only concerned
to be concerned with you in another. but of this more
hereafter we shall be expecting the favour of you
to let us hear from you of all conveyances what has pass'd
it will be very much Esteem'd. Cap^t Coffin is now in
Port bound back for Boston. Pray be large wth us about
Col^l Clarke's Business and remitt us y^e severall acco^s