Might incur by reason of the Security, where upon they immediatly went aborde without staying and made the best of their way with a fresh Gale.

The Sarah Gally from Sicilia with Oyles this day put into our Road to stop her Leakes, is bound to London John Palmer Comander

We are God be praised at the 6th, the Charles Capt. Hewstar belonging to Mr. Martine is off this Road coming in we are pleased to send us a Box of the best Wafers.

Madeira 15th October 1700

Mr. Robert Heysham

Sr

Wee confirme the aforegoing Coppy, and since that a small addition of the 14th to wch. refer you

His Majesties ship the Milford, and the Laggett for Guinea put into this Road and sailed the 13th. having Captn Baggs the Companys Agent on borde

Here is now in Porte the Princess Ann Captn Owen Philips from Terceira where shee tooke in about 150 Pipes of Fyall & St Georges Wines, and is now lademg some Wines that were boughtup for him, presume is bound for Barbados, they give out for Virginia, belongs to Mr. Sands &c. the project is carried on by Mr. Hutchins, but will not answere the designe, because in less then two Months the new Wines will be reddy to lade wch will in all apearance be good, it is computed that the quantity wil exceed one Third more then the last year —

a Ketch from Pensilvania brought us 3600 Bushels of wheate, we let her to freight for Terceira that may be gaining somthing for paymg Mens Wages &c until we can lade her Wines —

Several vessels arrived from Terceira with Corne and more expected — nothing sels for want of Money wch is better worth then Bills of Exchange 5 a 10 p. Cent, wil make a greate Confusion in the Business of this Place

Inclosed you have Captn John Balls Bill on Mr. Robt Wilson . . . £ 2:00:00
Captn William Moses Bill on ditto 30:00:00
£ 32:0:—

We are God be praised at the 16th ditto yesterday arrived the wheele of Fortune of Flushing Captn William De Bree comander to lade Wines and Brandy, but as it is too soone for the new, and the old being all shipped off, we could supply him with only a small Matter and soe dispatched him this Night he brought a considerable Cargo of Goods being bound Downe to the West Indies, but we could not take any thing ashore, he hath given us his Bills for what wee shipped being 3640800 recd upon his Owner Mr. Mels Stevenson Merchant in Flushing payable to you in London at thirty days Sight, we have had considerable dealings with him, he is a very punctual Man, you must send him a certificate how the Exch. is drawne in this Month from Lisbon according to the Tenour of the Bills, Inclosed you have our Letter for him, the Comander hath written p. this Conveyance and left with us another Letter to forward via Lisbon in a fortnights Time when we shall draw our Money from hence, soe that we hope you have remitted the Sums we desired because of the Exchange being as p. our last advice (from Lisbon the 16 August) fallen to 5/8½d. for mony remitted thither —

This day came in the Rising Eagle Captn Boucher for East India to take in some Refreshments —

We are at the 19th ditto here is now come into Porte a small Shoope from London called the Mary bound to Capedeverde; Suppose hath some other designe —

The Rising Eagle Captn Boucher Comander wil saile this day —

we remember nothing else advisable but that this place is plentifully Supplied with Corne, soe that the wheate lyes upon hand, wee wil doe what we can to put it off —

please to remember the p. of Holland when you send us the Goods wee desired, with a Box of Wafers, and a Paper Booke for Coppying Letters we remaine

Sr

your most humble Servts

Wm Bolton & Comp.

we shall be pleased if you have put out any of our Money to Improvement