Here the fleet was divided into three divifions, in order to make our passage up the river the easier.

20th, General Wolf with the transports, escorted by the frigates, left us, with orders to make all possible haste up the river; whilst we with the heavy ships followed as fast as we were able.

25th, Anchor'd with the fleet at the isle of Coudre, 20 leagues from Quebec. The admiral shifted his flag into the Stirling-Castle, and with the Alcide, Pembroke, Centurion, and Sutherland, sailed up the river, as the Devonshire, frigates, &c. had already done. We found Admiral Durell riding here, with his fleet. They arrived about the middle of May.

28th, Anchor'd with the fleet between the ifle of Orleans, and the fouth shore.