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NEW
 DIRECTIONS FOR SAILING
 ALONG
 THE COAST OF
 NORTH AMERICA.

Part the first.

THE COAST FROM HALIFAX.
 TO THE
 DELAWARE RIVER AND PHILADELPHIA.

THE COAST OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Instructions for going into Halifax Harbour.

SAILING from the westward, in order to avoid the ledges and breakers around the *Light-house Island*, approach it not nearer than $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles, and continue your course easterly, until you bring the S. E. Red Head of Cornwallis Island and Chebueto Head in one: then steer N. 10 deg. east in that direction, observing to be careful of the *Bell*, a sunken rock, which lies E. N. E. 410 fathoms from Cape Sambro, and south 5 deg. west, 800 fathoms from Chebueto Head. The middle red cliff of Cornwallis Island on with Chebueto Head, will lead you clear on the east side of it, and out of danger. In passing Chebueto Head, give it a birth of 100 fathoms, you may thence, keeping George's Island a sail's breadth open with Sandwich Point, steer through the east of the channel up the harbour, and leave the Litchfield and Mars sunken rocks on your west side, and the shoals extending from Cornwallis Island on your east. When you come as high up as Sandwich Point, keep that shore on board until you are above Mauger's Beach, or Meagery's Beach; then stand over to the eastward to avoid Point Pleasant Flatts, taking care, in order to keep clear of the shoals N. N. W. 2 deg. north, between 3 and 4 cables length distant from the N. W. end of Cornwallis Island, that you do not shut in the house at the extremity of Mauger's Beach with the Island. On both sides of George's Island the water is deep to the anchoring ground.

Coming from the eastward, steer for Chebueto Head, until you open George's Island a ship's breadth with the N. W. end of Cornwallis Island, and run up for the harbour as above directed.

CATCH HARBOUR has a bar across its entrance with nine feet at low water, and it breaks when the wind blows upon the shore: It is frequented by small vessels only.

Directions