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Margaret Jordan
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one or two sail at a great distance to Leeward.—Upon the captain's asking me what was the matter with my nose, and how gunpowder came into my ears, I told him what had happened, and requested him to bear up, and perhaps we might recover the Schooner Three Sisters; but he said he would not deviate from his voyage, as he was insured, and, if any thing should happen, the underwriters would not be answerable. I then asked him to put me on shore at Halifax, but he refused, for fear of having his men pressed.—I arrived at Hingham in the State of Massachusetts Bay, where I extended a Protest, and came on to Halifax, having first published an account of the Murder and Piracy in the Newspapers, and caused circular letters respecting it to be sent to the different Collectors in the United States.

Solicitor General. Were the persons on board, or any of them, intoxicated when you went down into the cabin for your quadrant? *Answer.* No, they were all sober.

Q. Where were Jordan's children at this time? A. They were all ast sitting down; I believe there was a feather bed before them.

Q. Where was the prisoner M. Jordan? A. On the quarter deck.

Q. When you went into the cabin, were all the crew and passengers on deck? A. Yes.

Q. When were you last at your trunk on that day? A. About ten minutes before the first pistol was fired.

Q. Did you lock your trunk then? A. Yes, and went upon deck.

Q. Were your pistols then in your trunk? A. Yes, I observed them there.

Q. Were they loaded? A. They were.

Q. Was the pistol which Jordan fired through the skylight, or that which he had in his hand, when he met you on the ladder, your own? A. I do not know, I was too much confused to observe.

Q. Did you observe any other person have a pistol besides Jordan? A. I did not.

Q. Where was Kelly all the time? A. At the helm.

Q. When you came on deck where was M. Jordan? A. On the quarter-deck.

Q. What particular part did she take? A. She struck me with a broken boat-hook handle.

Q. Of what thickness? A. I cannot say exactly.

Q. At what time, and how often, did she strike you, and where did she aim her blows? A. She struck me two or three times, when I and Jordan were struggling together, and aimed at my head and legs.

Q. Were the children on deck the whole time? A. They were.

Q. During the whole of the voyage before, had the vessel been making the best of her way for Halifax? A. She had.

Q. When you came on deck how was she standing? A. Off her course, before the wind.

Q. Did you observe, after you went on the hatch, how she steered? A. She went at the rate of about five knots, steering to the Southward; she once hauled up for me, but again put off before the wind.

President. Are you clear and positive that Margaret Jordan was on deck, from the time that you went for your quadrant, until you returned? A. I am