

The Duke of York
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My Brother.

Paris 17th Sept 1759

I suppose by this time you have heard that the Toulon Squadron are got through the Straights, and that Pocawen is in chase of them. But if they have got a whole night sail of him, it can hardly be expected that he will be able to reach them.

One of the Ships of the Squadron spoke yesterday with a Jane from Rochelle to Norway, who says she left Rochelle on the 29th and saw 4 french frigates convoy'd in 4 merchant men and anchored with them. No great reliance can be given to such intelligence. For which reason Mr Dward. has order'd a Ship to look in. I beg my most humble Duty to my Mother & remain
Your most affectionate
& obedient Brother
Edward.

