as soon as its on board she will have Tob.o as fast as she can ~~take it~~ stow away, and will certainly leave the Province the Middle of next Month at farthest. If the Betsey was now arri=ved, I think we could Dispatch her too by that time.

You will insure a full Load in the Isabel=la, and from what I have told you abt. the Other Vessels Load, You may be able to Judge how Much to cover in her. ——

I dont now See there will be the least necessity for Drawing on You for Any Thing, If as Messrs. P. & S.n has Just told me they believe they shall not find it necessary to call on me for the £400. I was to Pay them with, I am in hopes to be able to raise a Sum of Money to Remit You & W. & Co. in Bills; however this is not by any means certain, as it Depends entirely on the punctuality of people Accustomed to Disapoint. The prospects of the Ensuing Crop are extreamly good. The greatest Quan=tity has been planted ever known, and tho the Wet Worm has Destroyed a Good Deal, yet there's not the least Doubt but a good Crop

Crop will be made: Notwithstanding this Ap=pearance it has no effect on the present price, which tho' not quite Settled, will not be un=der 27/. Cash and 30/. in goods and Discharge of Debts; This Considering the present Appearance of a great Crop and Exchg. so low as 50 pct. is an Amazing price, but it must be given or else not to be had. The Number of Merchants who buy only to Sell again in the Country & whose Interest it is to have it as high as Possible, is the cause of the price being kept up. Our Crop of Wheat is not so great as usual and the Fly beginning already to ap=pear on the Eastern Shore. If we have one or two good rains within this 10 or 15 days a great Crop of Indian Corn will be made; Phaps something may be done that way in the Spring. Suppose You went to look abt. early and advise me. I am D.r Sir Yr.s &c

Aug.t 14.th 1790.

Mess.rs Stevenson Randolph & Cheston
Bristol

I wrote You 24.th Ult.o and 5.th Inst. advising the Arrival of the Isabella &c. to which I refer: This Just serves to Repeat Instructions for Insu=rance on a full Load in the Isabella: If