Capt.n Forrest who I Ordered to that Station in Place of Capt.n Marshall who I Could not so well Depend upon you also have Inclosed Capt.n Forrests Letter to me and Mr. Wolstenholms Answer to Governor Eden This is a Shocking Country every thing Scarce. Water we are Oblidged to haul near three Miles no Liquor but bad Whisky to Drink every Body fatigued and Tired of the Place if the Enemy Continue here must Certainly have Fresh Troops I had almost forgot to Inform you that the Nine Pound Cannon turns out Extraordinary Good perhaps None Better we all here are much Pleased with her.

I am Gentlemen

Your most Obed.t Serv.t

Jno. Pierce

Major Price