Enemies Fleet with a great deal of Plunder they has
made in the Southern States that he had sent his Ships
up to Savanah where Genl Lincoln were to cooperate
with them in the reduction of that place that other
Troops had been shipt off from Port Royal to con
of the Southern River to intercept the Enemy in
case ~~they were attempting~~ to retreat and endeavour
to proceed to Augustine. The Death of the Earl of
Chatham. I have from good Authority that the accounts
are Contained in letters from Private Gentn

The Arrival of this Fleet
will give such a turn to our Affairs that I hope
Cornwallis will not be able to Succeed
and I trust we end the Campaign like Gentlemen
for whom I have very little regard.

Your Excellency will pardon the Freedom
which I take in troubling you with
these Lines I flatter myself you will believe me
to be with Greatest Esteem

Your Excellency's
Most Obedient
& Obliged Hble Servt

Martin Dallas