A PLAN
of the *HARBOUR* of
PENSACOLA
in ***WEST-FLORIDA***

Surveyed in the Year 1764 by

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The Bar *by*

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REMARKS

PENSACOLA *lies in* 30° 30' *North Latitude.*
The Figures denote the Depth in Fathoms *at Low Water.*
There is generally one Tide *of* Flood *and another of* Ebb *in the Space of* 24 *Hours but they are considerably affected by the Winds, and observe no certain regularity.*
The Tides *run with great Velocity through the Mouth of the* Harbour, *where the water rises about* 3 *foot, within the Harbour about* 2 *foot, and hardly one on the* Bar.
As the Shore of the Harbour in general is low and sandy, the Water seems to have gained upon it in several places, especially on the West side, which is exposed to the North-East Winds: there are large Roots of Trees in the ground upwards of 100 *foot within Water-Mark.*
The bottom of the harbour is covered with deep thick Mud, and so is a great part of the anchoring ground without the Bar along the Coast; the Bar itself is hard Sand.
The Harbour *and all the* Coast *abound with* Worms.
Swamps. *Pines and Cedars.* *Live-Oak, Hickory, &c. There are many large* Magnolia *Trees, Sweet Bay, Rhododendron, &c. &c.*

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