The Siege of Charleston

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Map

- In your small group, study the maps of the Charleston Harbor.
- Take on the role of the British Navy or the Patriot troops on Fort Sullivan.
- If British, why do you want Charleston? What is your plan of attack? What advantages do you have? What obstacles might you face? Who are your commanders? How confident are you of your success?
- If Patriot, what is your plan of defense? Who fights with you? What advantages do you have? What obstacles might you face? Who are your commanders? How confident are you of your success?
The following letter from the Hon. Mr. Clinton, Knight of the Bath, Commander-in-Chief of the Fleet, to the Right Hon. Lord George Germain, our late Mr. Pelham's Philanthropist, as sent to Mr. Grimes, the Philanthropist of St. John's, in the City of London, is inserted for the information of the public.

The letter is as follows:

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I have received a letter from Mr. Grimes, the Philanthropist of St. John's, in the City of London, containing the following communication:

Mr. Grimes, the Philanthropist of St. John's, in the City of London, states that he has been informed by a reliable authority that the discovery of a new species of fish has been made in the River Thames. The fish is of a peculiar kind, and is known to the inhabitants of the place as the "Grimes's Fish." It is said to be a valuable addition to the fisheries of the district, and is expected to be of great benefit to the inhabitants of the town.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

[Signature]

R. CLINTON.