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SIR,

Finding amongst my Adversaria some observations, that I thought might not be unacceptable to you, nor impertinent to your design of making collections for the History of Nature; I have here sent you a few, of such as my other occasions would at present afford me leisure to recollecd. This ensuing Narrative, concerning the strange effect of Thunder upon a Magnetick Sea-card, I had from one Mr. Haward that was Master of several Ships, and a man of good credit.

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