

St. Augustine vicinity. **FISH ISLAND SITE**, S of St. Augustine near Matanzas River, 18th-19th C. Site of plantation with scattered structural remains. Island acquired 1763 by Jesse Fish of NY; became famous exporting plantation known as El Vergel, with outstanding grove including over 500 orange trees and fig, peach, pomegranate, and lime trees; worked from First Spanish through the early Territorial periods; declined 19th C. *Private*.