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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 12th Day of *September*, 1759,

P R E S E N T,
The KING's most Excellent Majesty
in Council.

HIS Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to appoint *Jeffery Amherst, Esq;* to be Captain General and Governor in Chief of His Majesty's Colony of *Virginia*.

Hague, Sept. 9. We have received certain Advices from *Prince Ferdinand's Army*, That his Serene Highness had at last obliged the French to abandon their strong Camp in the Neighbourhood of *Marbourg*, which they did on the Morning of the 4th, seeming to take the Route of *Giessen*; and on the 5th the Troops of the Allied Army took Possession of the Town, a French Garrison still remaining in the Castle, which has not yet surrendered. The Prince of *Bevern* however, who is posted on some Heights which Command the Castle, was preparing to raise some Batteries, in order to force them to a Surrender.

It appears that *General Imhoff* opened the Trenches before *Munster* on the 29th past; and his Batteries having been all ready on the 2d Instant, that he began to cannonade and bombard the Town on the 3d, by Day-break; but, the next Day, having received certain Intelligence that *M. d'Armentieres* was advancing with Ten Battalions, detached from before *Lipstadt*, and also with some Regiments of Militia drawn from the Garrisons of *Cologne, Dusseldorp, and Wesel*, *General Imhoff* did not think it advisable, with the small Force he had, to continue the Siege: It was accordingly raised on the 6th Instant, in the Morning; and *General Imhoff* retired, with his Corps, between *Nobisbruck* and *Tellight*.

Hague, Sept. 11. No direct News has been received from *Prince Ferdinand's Army* since the 5th Instant; but private Accounts say, that his Serene Highness was marched with his Army towards *Giessen*, and that it was not expected the French would make a Stand at that Place. By authentick Letters of the 4th Instant from *Berlin*, we are informed, the King of *Prussia* marched the 2d Instant to *Waldo* between *Luben* and *Mulhrose*, at which last Place the *Russians* had a considerable Detachment which was dislodged, and several Hundreds taken Prisoners. *Prince Henry* was at *Spremberg*; and *Marshal Daun's Army* at *Forst* and *Pforten*. It was thought there would be another Battle: The *Prussians* seem full of Hopes; and their two Armies are abundantly supplied with Provisions.

We likewise hear from *Brunswick* of the 7th Instant, That a Detachment of 216 *Hanoverian*

Chasseurs had drove Part of the Army of the Empire from *Rosla* near *Sondershausen*, as far as *Langensaltza*, and taken many Officers Prisoners.

Whitehall, September 15.

The King has been pleased to grant unto the most Honourable *John Manners, Esq;* commonly called *Marquess of Granby*, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's Forces, the Office and Place of Lieutenant-General of the Ordnance, in the Room of the Right Honourable *George Sackville, Esq;* commonly called *Lord George Sackville*.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Honourable *John Waldegrave, Esq;* to be Colonel of the Second, or the Queen's Regiment of Dragoon Guards, whereof the Right Honourable *George Sackville, Esq;* commonly called *Lord George Sackville* was late Colonel.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the following Lords and Gentlemen to be Major Generals.

- Daniel Webb,*
- The Hon. John Fitzwilliam,*
- James Paterfon,*
- Andrew Robinson,*
- Right Hon. Charles Manners, Esq;* commonly called *Lord Charles Manners,*
- Robert Anstruther,*
- William A'Court,*
- Charles Montagu,*
- Right Hon. George Forbes, Esq;* commonly called *Lord Forbes,*
- John Stanwix,*
- Charles Jefferyes,*
- William Strode,*
- Jeffery Amherst,*
- David Watson,*
- Joseph Hudson,*
- John Barrington,*
- Sir James Ross, Bart.*
- Archibald Douglas,*
- Robert Armiger,*
- John Griffin Griffin,*
- Studholme Hodgson,*
- George Augustus Elliott,*
- Borgard Michelsen,*
- Sir David Cunynghame, Bart.*
- John Grey,*
- Thomas Brudenell.*

September 15, 1759.

Last Night her late Royal Highness Princess *Elizabeth Caroline* was privately Interred in the Royal Vault in *King Henry the Seventh's Chapel* at *Westminster*, the Body having been privately conveyed to the Prince's Chamber the Night before. About Nine o'Clock the Procession began, passing thro' the *Old Palace Yard* to the