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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 15th Day of July, 1768,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to Order that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York, which stand prorogued to Friday the Twenty-Second of this Instant July, should be further prorogued to Friday the Twelfth Day of August next.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 29th Day of June, 1768,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT having been represented to His Majesty, that several Persons, who have obtained Orders of His Majesty in Council for Grants of Land in His Majesty's Island of *St. John* in North America, have neglected to take out such Orders, or, if taken out, to present them to His Majesty's Governor of *Nova Scotia*, by Means whereof His Majesty's Gracious Intentions, with Respect to the Settlement of that Island, may be defeated, and the Cultivation and Improvement thereof greatly obstructed and retarded; It is therefore this Day ordered by His Majesty in Council, that the Governor, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, of His Majesty's Colony of *Nova Scotia*, do forbear to pass any Grants, under the Seal of that Colony, of any Lots or Parcels of Land in His Majesty's said Island of *St. John*, unless His Majesty's Order in Council, directing the same, shall have been produced to him on or before the first Day of May, which shall be in the Year 1769: And that this His Majesty's Order in Council be published in the *London Gazette*, to the End that all Persons concerned may have due Notice thereof.

Steph. Cottrell.

Naples, June 21. On Sunday last their Sicilian Majesties, and the Great Duke and Dukes of Tuscany, were at the Concert and Ball given by Order of his Catholic Majesty. The Principal Officers of State, and the Foreign Ministers of the first and second Orders, had the Honour of supping at the same Table with their Majesties.

Hague, July 8. The King of Denmark arrived here in good Health on Wednesday Evening between Eight and Nine o'Clock, attended

by M de Bernstorff, Count Moltke Grand Marshal, Count Holke Marshal of the Court, Baron de Bulow Chamberlain, Equerry, and Aide de Camp General; Baron Düring Aide de Camp, M. Schumacker Councillor, M. Schimmelman Grand Treasurer, and Baron Dieden his Danish Majesty's Envoy at the Court of Great-Britain. The King (under the Name of Prince of Travendahl) received Yesterday at Noon the Compliments of the Colleges of Government, and those of the Foreign Ministers.

The Prince and Princess of Orange, and their whole Court, will be here on Monday, and there is to be a great Entertainment at his Highness's House in the Wood on Tuesday Evening.

War-Office, July 16.

- 2d Troop of Horse Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Philip Ainslie is appointed to be Major, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Paul Pechell; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Guidon and Captain Charles Smythe to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Philip Ainslie; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Sub-Lieutenant Robert Boothby to be Guidon and Captain, vice Charles Smythe; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Adjutant and Sub-Lieutenant Charles Burton to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Major James Harington; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Ensign John Wood, of the 20th Regiment of Foot, to be Adjutant and Sub-Lieutenant, vice Charles Burton; by Purchase.
- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Cornet Hatton Flood to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Whitwell, preferred; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, David Kinloch, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Hatton Flood; by Purchase.
- 6th Regiment of Dragoons*, Major John Whitmore to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Robert Rickart Hepburne; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Captain Lord Robert Kerr to be Major, vice John Whitmore; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Captain-Lieutenant Richard Edwards to be Captain of a Troop, vice Lord Robert Kerr; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Lieutenant William Hartnell to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Richard Edwards; by Purchase.
- Ditto*, Cornet Robert Hewetson to be Lieutenant, vice William Hartnell; by Purchase.
- 2d Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant-Colonel William Harcourt, of the 4th Regiment of Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable Hugh Somerville, who retires.
- 17th Regiment of Foot*, Captain William Ridge,