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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 11th Day of *July*, 1759.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, doth hereby Declare and Order, That all such of His Faithful Subjects, who shall Inlist themselves as Soldiers in His Majesty's Land Service, from this 11th Day of July, shall not be sent out of Great Britain, and shall be entitled to their Discharge in Three Years, or at the End of the War if they choose it—And His Majesty doth hereby further Order, That all Soldiers, who may have Deserted before the First of June last, shall be pardoned for the same, on Condition they join the Corps they last served in by the 20th of August next—And in Case the Regiment they last served in should be out of the Kingdom, that they may then surrender themselves to any other, in which they may serve, and be entitled to His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

*W. Sharpe.*

AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 10th Day of *August*, 1759.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Order in Council of the 11th of July last, to declare and order, (amongst other Things) That all such of His faithful Subjects, who should from and after that Time inlist themselves as Soldiers in His Land Service, should not be sent out of Great Britain, and should be intitled to their Discharge in three Years, or at the End of the War, if they should chuse it;—His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby most graciously repeat and confirm the same, with relation to such as shall hereafter enlist on those Conditions; as also to such as have been inlisted in any Corps from the 11th of July last to this Day—But whereas Doubts have arisen with respect to the Extent and Meaning of His Majesty's said Order,—His Majesty in Council doth therefore hereby declare, That the Conditions therein contained are not meant or intended to extend to such who shall inlist themselves in Great Britain, to serve in Regiments Abroad, whether Ireland or elsewhere, or to such who may chuse to inlist in any of His Majesty's Corps in the usual Manner, without Limitation of Time or Place of Service.

*W. Sharpe.*

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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 10th Day of *August*, 1759.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Proclamation of the Fifteenth of May last, "For giving Encouragement to Seamen, and Able-bodied Landmen, to enter themselves on Board His Majesty's Ships of War; for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves; for pardoning such Seamen as have deserted, and shall return into the Service; and also for taking up all straggling Seamen", was, by Order in Council of the 26th of June last, prolonged and extended from the 3d of July, to the 18th of this Instant August—And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer;—His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, that the Time limited by the said Order in Council, be prolonged and extended from the aforesaid 18th Day of this Instant August, to the 29th Day of September next, and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 29th Day of September next:—Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

*W. Sharpe.*

*August 10, 1759.*

HIS Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to approve of James Hamilton, Esq; to be Deputy or Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Pensilvania, upon the Appointment of Thomas and Richard Penn, Esqrs; Proprietaries of that Province.

*Prince Ferdinand's Head Quarters at Minden, August 4.* The French having pushed forward a Detachment as far as Vechte, in order to block up the small Garrison we had there, Prince Ferdinand determined to relieve that Place: This was executed by M. de Schlieffen, his Serene Highness's Aid de Camp, with about 40 Hussars, followed by 200 of Brietenbach's Dragoons. After some Measures were taken about Provisions at Vechte, the Garrison of Bremen marched thither, under the Command of General Dreves, and from thence to Onabruck, where the Volontaires de Clermont were in Garrison. M. de Schlieffen forced one of the Gates of the Town, and made himself Master of it: The Volontaires lost some Men and two Pieces of Cannon. This happened on the 28th of July in the Morning.

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