

Sister to the Duke of Meclenburg Sterlitz and His and the Queens Coronation, the Splendour and Brilliant Magnificence is beyond my discription—

From the Armys in Germany not much action, having rested mostly on the Defensive. His Majesty on the West coast of France has Bellisle in hand and in Possession of Pondichery in the East Indies and the Isle of S' Domingo in the West Indies of such part as belongs to France these are considerable conquests, besides the Capture of some men of War. Inclosed are Magazines and Public News Papers of Intelligence, concludes me with the greatest Esteem and in reality

Your's,

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Oct<sup>r</sup> 19<sup>th</sup>

Pos<sup>t</sup> Your Letter to his Lord<sup>p</sup> of the 25<sup>th</sup> of May with y<sup>r</sup> inclosed Acc<sup>ts</sup> to him of 1759 and 1760 gives him Satisfaction But observes the War by Capture of Ships is of great Loss to him. By this opportunity you have a Theodlite and hope the Sector and large Spying glass is with you.

Observing from you the appropriation of Ordinary Lycences towards the support of a Colledge in Annapolis has been Attempted, his Lord<sup>p</sup> will not allow such a Strip of his Right or from his Sec<sup>y</sup> Office and thereof he depends you will follow his Inst<sup>ns</sup> I cannot help signifying to you from Let<sup>rs</sup> from the Province, productions of great Agitation and Concussion of the Brain, resulting from discontent, Pretence and hope of Success, and who name things not According to their Truth but call Right and Wrong according to their Passions and commonly is of Self Interest. The reasoning in these Let<sup>rs</sup> are informing of, "What a Ferment the People are in, upon the strange unaccountable unprecedent Advancement of John Ridout to a Seat in the Council, and as if there was to be no End to the Indignities Offered to his Lord<sup>ps</sup> Government and the People of this Province, the same R——t is actually put into the Office of Comiss<sup>y</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> a place of the Highest Honour and Trust in the gift of his Lord<sup>p</sup> the most interesting to the People and which requires a Considerable Knowledge of the Laws of England as well as a thorough sight into the Constitution of the Province; to how Low a state his Lord<sup>ps</sup> Government is reduced by such a Promotion Why this mark of favour to him against rank and fortune of others and a long course of important services to his Lord<sup>p</sup> Why so many Gentlemen in the Council and so many others out of it, who have fifty times his Capacity to support the Rights of the Proprietor and to serve the people in the Execution of Offices, thus insultingly trampled upon to make Way for this Obscure Child of Fortune? and to show how obnoxious he is, there