

Article V. Having great Confidence in the Manners and Politeness of their Excellencies the British Generals, hope they will use their best Endeavours in preserving Peace and Quietness in the City and Suburbs, chastising all People, who shall dare to oppose their superior Orders.

Article V. Granted.

Article VI. That the Inhabitants of this City may enjoy the same Liberty of Commerce as they have had heretofore, and that they may have proper Passports granted them for that End.

Answered by the Fourth Article.

Article VII. That the same Liberty may be granted to the Natives of the Country, for bringing in all Manner of Provisions, according to their usual Method, without the least Opposition or Extortion, paying for them in the same Manner as hath been heretofore practised.

Article VI. Granted; but any Person coming in with any Fire-Arms, or Offensive Weapons, will be put to Death.

Article VIII. That the Ecclesiastical Government may be tolerated, and have free Liberty to instruct the Faithful, especially the native Inhabitants.

Answered. They must not attempt to convert any of Our Royal Master's Protestant Subjects to the Popish Faith.

Article IX. That the Use and Exercise of the Oeconomical Government of the City may remain in its same Freedom and Liberty.

Article IX. Granted.

Article X. That the Authority as well Political as Civil may still remain in the Hands of the Royal Audience to the End that, by their Means, a Stop may be put to all Disorders, and the Insolent and Guilty be chastised.

Answer. To be subject to the superior Controul of Our Government.

Article XI. That the said Ministers and Royal Officers, their Persons and Goods, be in full Security, be maintained in their Honours with a Stipend sufficient for their Support, his Catholick Majesty being answerable for the same; upon these Conditions the above-mentioned Ministers will be under the Protection of His Britannick Majesty, in the same Manner as the Rest of the Inhabitants.

Answer. His Catholick Majesty must pay for their Support.

Article XII. That the Inhabitants may have free Liberty to reside within, or out of the City, as shall be most convenient for them.

Answer. Still to be subject to the Revocation of Our Government if they find it necessary.

Done at Head Quarters in the City of Manila, this Sixth Day of October, 1767.

(Signed)

S. Cornish.
W. Draper.

Manl Anto Arzpo de Manila,
Gov y Capn Genl de las Philipinas.
Francisco Henriquez de Villacourta,
Manuel Galban y Ventura,
Franco Leandro de Viana.

CONDITIONS on which the City of Manila shall be preserved from Plunder, and the Inhabitants maintained in their Religion, Goods, Liberties, and Properties under the Government and Protection of His Britannick Majesty.

Article I. The Spanish Officers of every Rank shall be esteemed as Prisoners of War, upon their Parole of Honour, but shall have the Liberty of wearing their Swords. The rest of the Troops, of every Degree and Quality, must be disarmed, and disposed of as we shall think proper. They shall be treated with Humanity.

Article II. All the Military-Stores and Magazines,

of every Kind, must be surrendered, faithfully, to our Commissaries, and nothing secreted, or damaged.

Article III. His Excellency the Governor must send immediate Orders to the Fort of Cavite, and the other Forts under his Command, and dependant upon Manila, to surrender to His Britannick Majesty.

Article IV. The Propositions, contained in the Paper delivered on the Part of his Excellency the Governor and his Council, will be listened to and confirmed to them, upon their Payment of Four Millions of Dollars; the Half to be paid immediately; the other Half to be paid in a Time to be agreed upon; and Hostages and Security given for that Purpose.

Done in the City of Manila, the 6th Day of October, 1762.

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All the Islands (subordinate to Luconia and Manila its Capital, and which are at present under the Dominion of His Catholick Majesty) must be ceded to His Britannick Majesty, who must be acknowledged Sovereign till the Fate of these Islands is decided by a Peace between the two Kings. Their Religion, Goods, Liberties, Properties, and Commerce, shall be preserved to the Inhabitants of those Islands, who are Subjects of Spain, in as ample a Manner as they are confirmed to the Inhabitants of Manila, and the Island of Luconia. All the Governors and Military shall be allowed the Honours of War, but give their Parole, as the Officers have done at Manila and Cavite, not to serve or take up Arms against His Britannick Majesty.

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Dated at Manila, October 30, 1762.

N. B. The Journal, and Inventories of Artillery, Ammunition, and Warlike Stores, referred to in Brigadier General Draper's Letter, will be printed in the Gazette on Tuesday Night.

Admiralty Office, April 16.

Yesterday Morning Captain Kempensfeldt arrived with Letters from Vice Admiral Cornish, Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships in the East Indies, giving a full and particular Account of the Proceedings of the Squadron under his Command in the Expedition against Manila, and of the taking of an Acapulco Ship, which will be published in the Gazette on Tuesday next, there not being Time to allow of their being inserted in this Gazette.

Whitehall, April 16.

The King has been pleased to appoint Right the Honourable George Grenville, the Right Honourable Frederick North, commonly called Lord North, Sir John Turner, Bart. Thomas Orby Hunter, and James Harris, Esqrs. to be Commissioners for executing the Office of Treasurer of His Majesty's Exchequer.

The King has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable George Grenville the Office of Chancellor of His Majesty's Exchequer; and also to grant unto the said George Grenville the Office of Under Treasurer of His Majesty's Exchequer.

The King has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable Henry Fox, and his Heirs Male, the Dignity