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By the KING,  
A P R O C L A M A T I O N.  
G E O R G E R.

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Tuesday the Seventeenth Day of November next; We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, That the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said Seventeenth Day of November next, to Thursday the Twenty-sixth Day of the said Month of November: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of Great Britain to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do hereby further declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, That the said Parliament shall, on the said Twenty-sixth Day of November next, be held for the Dispatch of divers weighty and important Affairs. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said Twenty-sixth Day of November next.

Given at Our Court at St. James's the Fourteenth Day of October, One thousand seven hundred and seventy-two, in the Twelfth Year of Our Reign.

G O D Save the KING.

*Petersburg, September 13.* Count Zachar Czernichev was this Day appointed Governor in Chief of White Russia.

*St. James's, October 17.*

The King has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable George Lord Viscount Townshend, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's Forces, the Office of Master-General of the Ordnance.

*War-Office, October 16, 1772.*

*Royal Regiment of Horse Guards,* Lieutenant Archibald Stewart is appointed to be Captain, vice St. George Bowles; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Cornet James Knightley to be Lieutenant, vice Archibald Stewart; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* John Jones, Gent. to be Cornet, vice James Knightley; by Purchase.

*1st Regiment of Foot Guards,* Lieutenant-Colonel John Deaken, of the 62d Regiment of Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Edward Craig; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Cox to be Captain of a Company, vice Richard Shuckburgh, deceased.

*Ditto,* Captain William Fielding to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Cox.

*Ditto,* The Honourable Ensign Richard Fitzpatrick to be Lieutenant, vice William Fielding.

*Ditto,* — Finch, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Richard Fitzpatrick.

*2d Regiment of Foot,* Theophilus Silverfide, Gent. to be Ensign, vice William Boyd; by Purchase.

*6th Regiment of Foot,* Captain William Maxwell to be Major, vice Wilbraham Tollemache; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Lieutenant John Bull to be Captain, vice William Maxwell; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Ensign John Christie to be Lieutenant, vice John Bull; by Purchase.

*16th Regiment of Foot,* John Skinner, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Edward William Bentham; by Purchase.

*17th Regiment of Foot,* Ensign William Scott to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Vanderduffen; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* John Lord Berriedale to be Ensign, vice William Scott; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Lieutenant John Darby to be Quarter-Master, vice Thomas Vanderduffen; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Ensign John Gordon to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Milward; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* John Syme, Gent. to be Ensign, vice John Gordon; by Purchase.

*20th Regiment of Foot,* Ensign John Stanley to be Lieutenant, vice George Meggs; by Purchase.

*22d Regiment of Foot,* Ensign Charles Handfield to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Henry Barrett; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Thomas Hewett, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Charles Handfield; by Purchase.

*25th Regiment of Foot,* John Williamson, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Gerald Fortescue, preferred; by Purchase.

*31st Regiment of Foot,* Captain Christopher Carleton to be Captain, vice Henry Sampson, deceased.

*Ditto,* Lieutenant Henry Pilot to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Christopher Carleton.

*Ditto,* Ensign Benijah Brawn to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Pilot.

*Ditto,* Andrew Ross, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Benijah Brawn.

*32d Regiment of Foot,* Ensign Edward Brookes to be Lieutenant, vice Angus Cameron, deceased.

*Ditto,* William Doughty, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Edward Brookes.

*35th Regiment of Foot,* Lieutenant Andrew Robinson, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Cribb, who exchanges.

*43d Regiment of Foot,* Captain John Hatfield to be Captain, vice Richard Maitland, deceased.

*Ditto,* Lieutenant Henry Knight to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John Hatfield.

*Ditto,* Ensign William Morris to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Knight.

*Ditto,* Thomas Dunbar, Gent. to be Ensign, vice William Morris.

*52d Regiment of Foot,* Robert John Harrison, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Robert Harper Higgins, preferred; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* Ensign Henry Barry to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Marshall; by Purchase.

*Ditto,* John Fuge, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Henry Barry; by Purchase.

*60th Regiment of Foot,* Lieutenant David Alexander Grant to be Adjutant, vice Patrick M'Alpin, preferred.

*64th Regiment of Foot,* John Kennedy Strong, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Claney; by Purchase.

Surgeon's Mate John Thompson to be Surgeon's Mate at St. Philip's Castle in the Island of Minorca, vice John Johnstone, preferred.

Captain Stephen Gualy, from Half-Pay, to be Captain of Carrisbrooke Castle in the Isle of Wight, vice Holmes, deceased.

Captain Henry Caldwell, of the 36th Regiment of Foot, to be Major in America only.

Lieutenant Lockhart Russell to be Major in the East-Indies only.