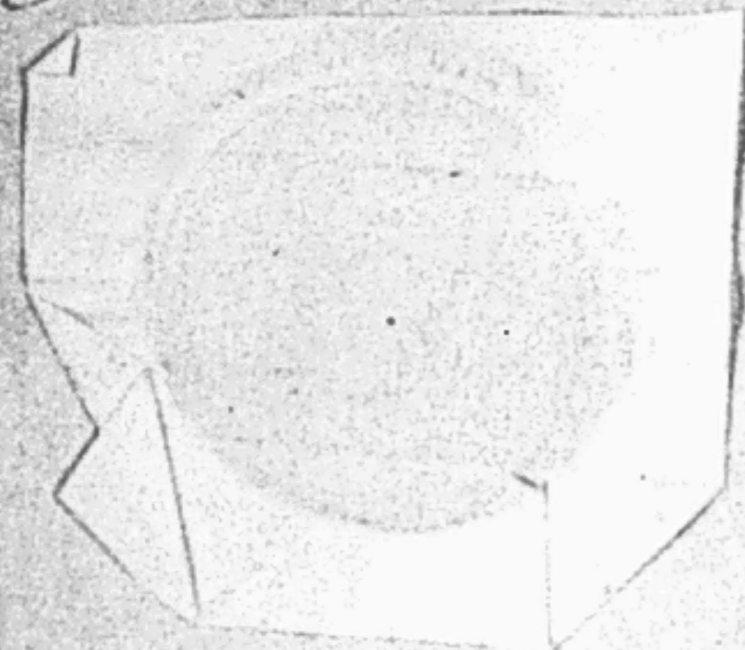


Hugh Kirkpatrick Cap<sup>t</sup>  
of Horse  
1724

John G. La Grange  
Oct 27: 1724

Jamaica



Henry Duke of Portland Captain General, and Commander  
in Chief in, and over his Majesties Island of Jamaica, and the Territories  
thereon depending in America Chancellor and Vice Admiral of the Same

To Hugh Kirkpatrick Esq: Greeting

By Vertue of Full power, and Authority to me deriv'd from his Most  
Excellent Majesty George, by the Grace of God of Great Brittain, France and Ireland  
King and of Jamaica Lord, Defender of the Faith &c. having reposed special Trust  
and Confidence, in your Experience, Courage, Conduct, Fidelity, and Skill in military Affaires  
have Constituted and appointed, and by these Presents, do constitute and appoint you the said  
Hugh Kirkpatrick to be Captain of a Troop of Horse rais'd and to be rais'd in  
the Parish of St. James's in the Regiment of Horse under my Command  
and to conduct, command, traine, discipline, and exercise the said Troop and to do and  
perform all other things belonging to the Duty, Place, and Office of a Captain - following  
and observing all such Orders and Instructions, as you shall from Time to Time receive from  
my self or other the Superior Officers, and all inferior Officers, and Troopers belonging to the said Troop  
are hereby requir'd to obey your Commands, as their Captain - according to the rules of Warr,  
and Trust hereby reposed in you: Given under my hand and Seal at Armes, at S. Jago de la Vega  
this third day of December In the Eleventh Year of his Majestys Reign, anno Domini.

1724

By his Graces Command  
W. Pitt

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