PASSING GOVERNORS' COMMISSIONS.¹

AT THE COURT AT ST. JAMES'S

the 7th day of October 1763

Present

The King's most Excellent Majesty-

&c &c---

Commissions. For the Govra of Quebec, East Florida, and the Grenadoes-App^d.

Upon reading this day at the Board a Report from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council for Plantation West Florida, Affairs dated the 6th of this Instant humbly offering to His Majesty for His Royal Approbation four Draughts of Commissions prepared by the Lords Commiss¹⁸ for Trade and Plantations for the Honourable James Murray Esq^r to be Governor of Ouebec. Iames Grant Esq^r to be Governor of East Florida, George Johnstone Esq¹ to be Governor of West Florida, and Robert Melvill Esq^r to be Governor of Grenada, Dominico, S^t Vincent and Tobago-His Majesty taking the same into Consideration is pleased with the Advice of His Privy Council to approve of the said Draughts of Commissions (which are hereunto annexed) and to order as it is hereby Ordered that the Right Honourable the Earl of Halifax one of His Majestys Principal Secretarys of State do cause Warrants to be prepared for His Majestvs Royal Signature in order to pass the said Commissions under the Great Seal of Great Britain .---

Nova Scotia for Montagu Gov Appd

Upon reading this day at the Board a Report from the Right Commission Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council for Planta-Wilmot to be tion Affairs, dated the 6th of this Instant humbly offering to His Majesty for His Royal Approbation a Draught of a Commission prepared by the Lords Commiss¹⁸ for Trade and Plantations for Montagu Wilmot Esqr to be Captain General and Governor in Chief of His Majestvs Province of Nova Scotia in America-His Majesty taking &c^a ut Antea.--

ADDITIONAL CLAUSES IN NEW COMMISSIONS.²

4th November 1763

Present

The Kings Most Excellent Majesty &c. &c-

Georgia Order approving^{an} Instrument for extending Boundary Line---

Whereas there was this day read at the Board a Report of His Majestys Attorney General dated the 29th of last Month tothe Southern gether with a Draught of an Instrument prepare'd by him revoking such part and so much of the Commission appointing

¹ Copied from Privy Council Register. ² Copied from Privy Council Register. Geo. III., p. 117.