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P. S. I shall here take the Liberty to transcribe a Letter Verbatim, which I receiv'd from Major William Hunt.

Royal Grand Battery of King George the Second, at Cape Breton, in North America. July 4th, 1745.

Capt. James Gibson,

I Do, in Behalf of myself and others the commission'd Officers, return you hearty Thanks for the Copy of your Journal during the Siege against the City of Louisbourg, at Cape Breton; And as you are going to France with the French Inhabitants, and so for England, we wish you Success, and that you may, for your Charge and Courage, have great Encouragement, as you did so voluntarily proceed in the above Expedition at your own Expence. I am,

SIR,

Your most humble Servant,

WILLIAM HUNT, Major.