

April 1st 1761.

George the third, by the Grace of God,
of Great Britain, France and Ireland King, Defender
of the Faith &c To our Trusty and Wellbelov'd Henry
Ellis Esq. Greeting. Whereas our late Royal
Grandfather of blessed Memory, did by his Letters Patent
under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing Date
at Westminster the of in the Year of
His Reign, constitute and appoint Charles Lawrence
Esq. Captain General and Governor in Chief in and
over our Province of Nova Scotia or Acadia in
America, with all the Rights, Members and
Appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging, for
and during His late Majesty's Will and Pleasure, as
by the said recited Letters Patent, relation being
thereunto had, may more fully and at large
appear; Now know you, that We have revoked
and determined, and by these Presents do revoke
and determine, the said recited Letters Patent,
and every Clause, Article and Thing therein
contained; And further know you that We
reposing especial Trust and Confidence in the
Said

Recd of a Commission
for Henry Ellis Esq. to be
Governor of Nova Scotia

1. April 1761.