

By the Honourable JAMES DE LANCEY, Esq; His
Majesty's Lieutenant Governor, and Commander
in Chief, in and over the Province of New-York,
and the Territories depending thereon in America.

TO M^r. Abraham Thw

YOU are hereby impowered and authorized to
inlist Voluntiers, to be employed in Conjunction
with his Majesty's Regular Troops, to reduce
Montreal, and other Parts of *Canada*; to be formed into
Companies, each to consist of a Captain, two Lieutenants,
four Serjeants, three Corporals, one Drummer, and eighty-
nine private Men; the Men to be entituled to the
and other Encouragement mentioned in my Proclamation
of the *Twenty Second* of *March* Instant; and the Bounty
to be paid as soon as the Company is mustered and passed,
at which Time you shall be entituled to a *Lieutenants*
Commission in the same, with Pay from the Date hereof.
And you are to send Returns weekly, of the Names of
the Men you inlist, to the Commanding Officer of the
Forces of this Province, in the City of *New-York*.

GIVEN under my Hand at Fort George, in
New-York, the *Third* — Day of *April*
1760.

James De Lancey

*Form of the Oath to be administered by a Justice of the Peace to the
Person enlisted.*

I Swear to be true to our Sovereign Lord King *G E O R G E*, and to serve him honestly and faithfully in Defence of his Person, Crown and Dignity, against all his Enemies or Opposers whatsoever; and to observe and obey His Majesty's Orders, and the Orders of the Generals and other Officers set over me. *So help me G O D.*

Clause against Mutiny and Desertion, to be read to the Person enlisted.

IN Case any Person or Persons whatsoever, engaged in the Service aforesaid, either as Officers or Soldiers, shall, at any Time during the said Service, desert therefrom, or shall begin, excite, cause, or join in any Mutiny, or Sedition, in the Company to which he doth belong, or in any other Company engaged in the said Service, or shall hold Correspondence with any Rebel, or Enemy of His Majesty, or give them Advice or Intelligence, by Letters, Messages, Signs, or Tokens, or any Manner of Way whatsoever, or shall strike, or use any Violence against his Superior Officer, being in the Execution of his Office, or shall refuse to obey any lawful Command of his superior Officer, they shall respectively suffer Death, or such other Punishment, as shall be inflicted by a Court-Martial.

