

Gent^l

Portsmouth June 11th 1782¹⁷

Being much Indisposed prevents my waiting on you at present for which I pray your excuse. — Would beg to inform this Hon^{ble} Court that I am deprived of a privilege granted by a Committee of a former House. Viz^t. Parturing that part of the Island on which Fort Washington is erected that is not inclosed with Fort Walls, in Liew of a Road through my Island to said Fort. I really thought that privilege was to last as long as the Court that I proper to keep open the Road, and when one ceased the other was to cease also. —

I never looked upon it as a full compensation for the Damages done me in consequence of the People's passing and repassing, but sett down quietly, because I was willing to suffer with other people in such times of Distress. They have now two Roads which together destroys near as much grass ground as the whole of the Island heretofore granted me. —

As to Capt. Satters saying the Creatures tore down the walls appears to me to be Idle for why should those I put there be more liable to do so, than those he now puts there himself. Every Commander before your Ap^{ts}. & pointment of Capt. Satter this Year. thought, and that

that upon the scale of Equity too. that I was hard
Death by, therefore gave me no trouble, but their Cha-
; racters were that of gentlemen. You must be sensible
that if you take my Land from me I must be paid
for it, and that the pay I require can be no profit to
the State, as you do not want a small pasture in
this Town. more especially when the expense that will
attend it will be to keep up a Bridge and as I said be-
; fore buy a Road—

I would not wish to dictate but in my opinion it
would be much better, considering the Bridge in its pre-
; sent Situation to have it entirely destroyed or taken
away. and make use of the State Barge to go backward
and forward. it must be so too & from New Castle.
She is now in good repair doing no more than the
Soldiers Vt. nothing that I know of. I hope a short
time will bring about a peace when a Corporals
Command will be sufficient, and do as much service
and honor to the State as—

Being well assured that your Dispositions are to
administer equal Justice to all, and to do no wrong,
induces me to be well assured that You will do by me,
as

as You would wish. I have Done were You in my
Circumstances - I have leased my Island to a
Worthy Citizen (Capt. Nichols) with all the Privileges
Appertaining thereunto, in which Your Island is considere
or I should not be so earnest to have it, but if that must
cease my lease must be to an end, I could wish that
Capt. Satter was in private Life & not be so often troubling
People who are pursuing their own business -

I rest the matter entirely with You & have the
Honor to be with much Esteem

Your most Obedt. Servant

George Janorin

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Ex. Governor
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