

**Walter Steuart to George Washington, July 20, 1758,
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FROM CAPTAIN WALTER STEUART.

RAES TOWN July 20th. 1758

SIR

As you did not Acquaint me, when I was to Date the Commission, you was Pleased to send me, I have referr'd filling it up, untill I had the Pleasure of Seeing you; But as you Seemd to be of Oppinion, when I spoke to you at Winchester, that I had a right to the Pay, from the Date of Col Mercers Commission, I drawd Pay from Mr. Boyd—from the first of May—If the thing is Disagreeable to you, I shall Return the money again to him —

Col. Bouquet has been Pleas'd to Appoint me Major of Brigade, for this Division of the Troops, untill the General Came up, & tells me there is one to be Appointed for the Virgns. As your letter gave me reason to believe you was willing to do me a kindness, I beg leave to request your interest again in this, which favr. shall be gratefully acknowledged by

Sr. Yr. most Obedt. humle. Servt. WALTER STEUART