

Apr 8
1745

We William August, by the Grace of God,
Duke of Cumberland and of Brunswick-Luneburg,
make known & confess by these presents :
Whereas it has pleased the most Serene and
most mighty Prince George II. by the Grace
of God, King of Great-Britain, France &
Ireland, Defender of the Faith, Duke of Brunswick
Luneburg, Arch-Treasurer & Elector of the holy
Roman Empire, Our most gracious Father,
to augment the Fund, established already
before, out of paternal affection, as Our
Apanagium & future Maintenance, with a
Sum of eleven hundred thousand Picedollars,
and to do this to day by an Act of Cession, deliver'd
to us, and which is Word for Word as followeth :

We George II. by the Grace of God, King
of Great-Britain, France & Ireland,

5

Defender of the Faith, Duke of Bronsvic-
Luneburg, Arch-Treasurer & Elector of
the holy Roman Empire, Whereas
We have expressly reserved to Us in Our
Codicil, made at Hannover the 17th Day of
October 1740. to augment what We had
left and bequeathed therein, as well as in
Our preceding Testament, bearing Date:
Herrenhausen August the 25th 1732. on
Our second Son William August, Duke
of Cumberland, and of Bronsvic-Luneburg,
for an Apanagium, & for His future
suitable maintenance; and whereas
We have for that purpose set out and
intended a Sum of eleven hundred
thousand Rixdollars: That We declare,
attest, and confirm this Our said Will
and

and Intention to be: that with the
above mention'd eleven hundred thousand
Pice Dollars, which for that Purpose We
have remitted to Hannover, the Fund
intended & established for the Alpna-
gium & future suitable Subsistence
of Our said second Son William August,
shall be augmented, and the said Sum
be incorporated into it, and be in every
respect of the same Nature and Quality
as the 1108,091. Pice Dollars 31 Gros 1 Stuv:
named in Our above mention'd Codicil,
and as the immoveables to be purchased
therewith: And as with respect to the
just now mentioned 1108,091. Pice Dollars
31 Gros 1 Stuver, We have made on the
10th Day of June 1743. a particular Act

of Cession and Transfer, to that effect,
that We might the more be assured of the
fulfilling of Our most gracious Intention,
in conformity of which the Fund intended
for an Apanagium, and the future Main-
tenance for Our said Son, is, at the time
of Our Demise, to be ipso jure His, without
Difficulty and Hindrance; So We do now
the same, with respect to these 1100000
Pound Dollars, which We add to that Fund,
and We transfer and cede them to Our
said Son in the same manner and with
the same Intention, and We ordain,
that at Our Death the said 1100000.
Pound Dollars shall become the Property
of Our said Son, in the same manner,
as Our above mention'd Codicil of
the

the 13th October 1740. with respect to
 that therein mention'd Capital of 1708091.
 Six Dollars. 31 Gros. 1 Stuv. Dirits, and that
 they shall have, the nature of a Fidei
Commissum, in the like manner, as
 the Capitals, specified in Our Testament
 and as it has likewise been prescribed
 in the said Testament and Codicil, so as
 to be transmitted, if the Cases happen,
 to the next Heir. The Interest and
 Revenues however shall remain, as long,
 as God shall grant us Life, to Our free
 Disposition, and shall be accounted for
 to us.

Wherefore Our said Son has not only
 acknowledged by His Reversales, given
 under this date, and deliver'd to us, this

Our reserving to Us the Fruition of those
Interest & Revenues; But We further
expressly declare herewith, that is
not Our Intention, to prejudice in the
least by this Cession Our above mentioned
Codicil, and the two Testaments mentioned
therein, or to change, or to make any
Alteration in them.

In Witness of which, We have
signed with Our own Hand this Act
of Cession, and caused Our Royal &
Electoral Seal to be set to it. Transacted
at Our Palace at St James ^{March 28.}
_{April 8.}
1745. of Our Reign the eighteenth

(L.S.) George R.
That We therefore accept this most gracious
Cession in the manner it has been inserted
here

here, with the Deepest filial Duty & Gratitude;
and that during the life time of Our Fathers
Majesty, which God may prolong, We not only
will not form from thence any Pretension to
the Interest, & Profits, arising from the said
Capital of 1100000 Pound Dollars, nor pretend
to any Disposition thereof: But that We also
freely submit to whatever His Majesty has
in one or the other way already disposed,
with respect to the said Sum, or may for the
future think fit to dispose and to ordain, and
that therein We resign Ourselves intirely in
His Majesty's most gracious Will and Pleasure,
So all which therefore We engage us in the
most binding manner, having signed to
that Effect these present Reversales, and
caused Our Seal to be set to Them. Transacted

at St James the 28 march 1745.
8 april

(L.S.) William.

Steinberg.

St James 28
8 1745