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BY HIS EXCELLENCY

LONDON, JULY 26.

Edmund Fanning,
LL. D. Lieutenant Governor, and
Commander in Chief, in and over
his Majesty's Island of Saint John,
and the Territories thereunto adja-
cent, Chancellor of the same, &c.
&c. &c.

DOCTOR PRIESTLEY'S ADDRESS to the
Inhabitants of the Town of Birming-
ham.

My late Townsmen and Neighbours,

AFTER living with you eleven years,
in which you had uniform experience of
my peaceful behaviour, in my attention
to the quiet studies of my profession, and
those of philosophy, I was far from ex-
pecting the injuries which I and my
friends have lately received from you.
But you have been misled by hearing
the Dissenters, and particularly the Uni-
tarian Dissenters, continually railed at,
as enemies to the present government,
in Church and State. You have been
led to consider any injury done to us as
a meritorious thing; and not having
been better informed, the means were
not attended to. When the object was
right, you thought the means could not
be wrong. By the discourses of your
teachers, and the exclamations of your
superiors in general, drinking confusion
and damnation to us (which is well
known to have been their frequent prac-
tice) your bigotry has been excited to
the highest pitch, and nothing having
been said to you to moderate your pas-
sions, but every thing to inflame them;
hence, without any consideration on
your part, or on theirs, who ought to
have known and taught you better; you
were prepared for every species of out-
rage; thinking that whatever you could
do to spite and injure us, was for the
support of Government and especially
the Church. In destroying us, you
have been led to think, you did God
and your country the most substantial
service.

Happily, the minds of Englishmen
have a horror of murder, and therefore
you did not, I hope, think of that; tho'
by your clamorously demanding of me

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of this Island stands
prorogued to Tuesday, the eighth Day of November next: I have
therefore thought fit, by and with the Advice of his Majesty's Council,
further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby
prorogued to Tuesday, the twenty fourth Day of January next, then
to meet at Charlotte Town for the Dispatch of Public Business; of
which all Persons concerned are required to take Notice, and govern
themselves accordingly.

GIVEN under my Hand and Seal at Arms, at the Council Chamber
in Charlotte Town, in the Island aforesaid, this twenty seventh
Day of October, in the Year of our Lord, one Thousand seven
Hundred and Ninety-one, and in the thirty-second Year of his
Majesty's Reign.

EDMUND FANNING.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY'S COMMAND,

THOMAS DESBRISAY, Secretary.

(God save the King.)