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December 20th 1707 150[£] imprested for paying extra Labourers, To send certificates from Mr. Edge of paying him 874[£] and it shall be transferred to his acc^t This moniy to be pa^d from y^e extra being wholly for M^r Edges account he is to draw the Bill to be notified by me That M^r Edge recives 300[£] from the Extra & give bills on y^e office

For her Matys service

To Mr. John Hooper Storekeeper

For the office of Ordnance

Portsmouth.

Office of Ordnance 20th December 1707 M^r: Hooper: Wee have this day impressed You 150^f: to enable you to pay the Laborours. Wee acquaint you that 🚽 damaged may draw? taken up of the Excise Officers be ... for M^r. Edge's use that M^r. Edge ma ... aw the Bills and you are to witnes them and then they will be charged on his account and if you send up a Certificate from M^r: Edge that he has recieved the sume of 874£ in full of those Bills drawn by you then the Imprests will immediately be tranz ferr'd from your's to M^r: Edge's account so that you will not be any further accountable. Wee are informed by the comers of the Excise that their collectors in Hampshire will be at portsmouth the 23^d: Instant and can they pay M^r: Edge 300[£] which he must receive and draw a bill as ab .. Wee are Your C Masgrave Ja Lowsher damaged <u>Ja Craggs</u>