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June y^e 10^h 1710

To go to <u>Cowz Castle</u> & view

The house joyning to the West Wing

& Estimate Charges of repairing it.

Date stamped 10/JU

On His Majesty's service

To

Mr john Hooper Storekeeper for the Office
Of Her Maj^{ties} Ordnance att
Portsmouth

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Mr Hooper

Having received a letter from John Shiphan mar gunner of Cowes Castle in the Isle of Wight, giving an acc^t of one of the floors of that Castle is faln down, and the rest standing very dangerous, and representing that there is a House joining to the west wing of the Castle, which may be repaired with a very inconsiderable charge; -We would have you go thither, and view the same, and take & send us an estimate of the charge of repairing what shall be thought necessary by you. We wait for your answer about the & are Hoys.

Your affectionate friends

Wm Bridges

C Musgrove

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Ja Craggs.