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James Clinton (soldier)

He took young Henry with him, having failed to acquire a lieutenant's commission for the 12-year-old. Clinton's first military commission was to an independent company in New York in 1745. Howe rejected this advice, and Clinton sailed for Newport in early December, occupying it in the face of minimal opposition.

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Their relations were quickly strained, leading Howe to send Clinton on separate missions, starting with an expedition to the south with a fleet under Commodore. Still, he held the confidence of King and Cabinet throughout his service in America. Prior to his return to America in 1775, Clinton had seen action as a senior officer in Germany in the 1760s, serving as aide de camp to the Prince of Brunswick from 1760-62.

Henry Clinton (U.S. National Park Service)

Howe supported him in this effort, but Burgoyne convinced King George and to give him the command.

General Sir Henry Clinton Replaced General William Howe, But Made the Same Mistakes that Cost England the War

The Battle for New York. Congress replied by insisting for American independence to be recognised or all British forces to withdraw first from the states, terms that the commission was not authorised to accept. Clinton was a talented officer and rose rapidly through the ranks by purchasing further commissions.

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He was finally notified in April 1778 that his resignation was accepted.

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Therefore, that information is unavailable for most Encyclopedia. Howe successfully forced Washington out of the New York area in the 28 October, and then turned his attention to consolidate British hold on Manhattan.

John André

Although Moultrie spoke highly in his memoirs of the value of Lee's presence, it would appear that Lee did not have much confidence in the new fort. The following year he was appointed Governor of Gibraltar, but died in Gibraltar on Dec.

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