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J. James.  
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June 6<sup>th</sup> 1795.

Dear Mother,

The debate being this  
moment over. I take up my pen to give  
you an account of what passed.

The Duke of Bedford opposed the bill in  
a short speech by no means a bad one and  
very far from being violent. Lauderdale  
then followed with his usual long and di-  
lusive and most noisy speech on Grenville.

Thompson made one of his usual orations  
to which no body listened: Greenville then be-  
gan a most violent and uniusual speech  
and was called disorderly by Lauderdale and  
Whitmore who then took no immediate  
part in the Debate: yet I think he insinuated  
the scrappes of his belief to the Bill: the per-  
sonalities between Lauderdale and Greenville  
were very improper: Thompson and Shing-  
don talked like two madmen: the Duke of  
Fife & Mr and Mrs Pitt & the Queen  
most excellently well: Norfolk did not altogether

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opposite of the Bill tho' divided at first and  
did not divide: This was for the Principle  
and decided in favour of the Bill: And it is  
against some of the Clauses: the Opposi-  
tion had two new voices Abingdon and  
Berkersgate: in short the Bill went and  
will undergo several alterations: it was  
generally agreed the House was not  
full:

Please excuse me from Grenville's measures  
and violence it is the best measure of  
people who find themselves falling: and

I think the Duke of Wellington was in the  
same light and was consequently moderate.

Adieu till we meet

and ever believe me,

Dear Brother,

Yours sincerely,

J. W.

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