

July 4<sup>th</sup> 1814

My dear Mr Adams  
 I have received your  
 letter with the enclosed  
 copy of which I returned  
 your son the Duke of  
 York was at Windsor  
 yesterday when  
 both General D'York &  
 myself were to him  
 on the subject of  
 George & he said  
 if the land applied  
 in such manner he  
 would have done  
 it on the pleasure

but that all these  
 arrangements for  
 the exchange of office  
 going on to the ground  
 was already made  
 & at this moment  
 no one meansy or  
 he would have  
 considered George  
 in the great pleasure  
 you will see by  
 how few columns  
 I copied his name  
 for I did not

get back from some  
 till between 8 & 9  
 . Clark Farley and  
 I am sure was at  
 some time yesterday  
 some after 12 & the  
 part of George I did  
 not to refer to  
 George's mother -  
 every thing else  
 things were permitted  
 any writing lately  
 the unfortunate  
 burning of Charlotte  
 is a cause of  
 much real sorrow

to me as I have the  
 young Mr. [unclear] but  
 supply & it is most  
 beautiful to be  
 obliged to any friend  
 [unclear] [unclear]  
 has been & beautiful  
 and at 10 years of  
 age to show in  
 such a state of  
 [unclear] [unclear] is  
 a [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] for the  
 [unclear] - [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] the  
 same & I [unclear] to [unclear]  
 takes much the  
 same time that [unclear]  
 [unclear] did [unclear]

in most respects. in  
 particular in regard  
 to their [unclear] [unclear]  
 of course this is quite  
 better than, but it  
 half kills me as you  
 may suppose it  
 [unclear] book [unclear]  
 beautiful [unclear]  
 & [unclear] in all  
 [unclear] in as  
 [unclear] also [unclear]  
 [unclear] as I am  
 always called upon  
 to set things right  
 & where all [unclear]  
 [unclear]  
 from a [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

~~every thing else it is~~  
difficult to be of any  
real use of credit  
all this is quite  
too general - rather  
better quiet - I  
I had the pleasure  
of seeing ~~the~~ ~~letter~~  
in a ~~journal~~ ~~about~~  
10 days ago and  
was ~~glad~~ ~~to~~ ~~hear~~  
of the ~~Dept~~ ~~of~~ ~~Finance~~  
Thank God business  
is ~~done~~ ~~well~~  
God bless you  
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