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Wm. Pitt Rivers Esq
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My dear Mr. Adams - I should
 have answered your most kind
 letter sooner, but that the Duke
 has been very ill with an
 inflammation in his lungs
 which for some days alarmed
 me very much - Thank God
 he is so much recovered that
 but two days past I was in
 some hopes Mr Pitt Rivers will
 let him take a drive in
 the carriage to day - but
 Mr Pitt Rivers has been attending
 him some weeks & he has
 had so much pain and
 cough - I now must truly

agreed to find you have had
 the preference to love your
 Mother in Ireland I trust but
 know of it & can well
understand how this court
 must have affected you
 I only hope it has not
 done your health any
 harm - & that change
 of air has been very
 to you & that you have
 found some recovery
quite well - I hope
 soon

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read the report after the hour
but is much better since
he returned to Wexford &
I hope the Drawing room
will take place the 29
I have supposed will be
unsuccessful &
of course the
probability is
expected to be
my full - I am
to dine at Annetta's to
meet the 2 after the
Drawing room stop all
matters the same or
I shall not be there -
Annetta's house is quite

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