

ld. Howick
(to H. M.'s reply)

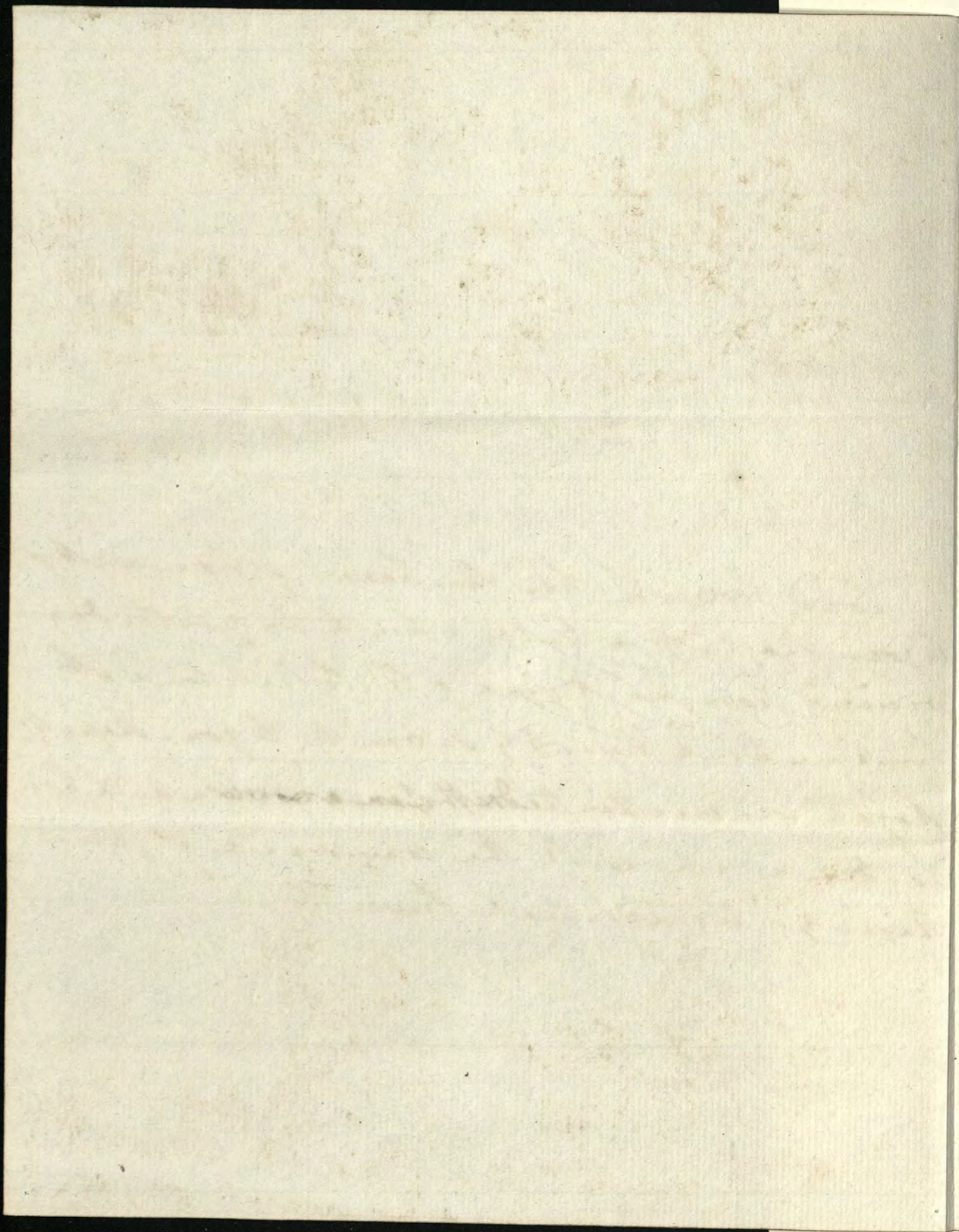
Dec. 16 & 17 1806

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Following L^d Howick's L^{tr} of 16th Dec. 1806

Lord Howick has the honor of presenting
to your Majesty a note which he yesterday
received from the Prime of Castile, & at
the same time humbly submits to your Majesty's
Royal consideration the Draft of an answer which he
has drawn up with the concurrence of your
Majesty's confidential servants.

over



Ld. Howick
(+ H. M.'s reply)

Dec. 16 & 17 1806

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bound on letter December 17th
1806

The King approves of the answer which Lord
Howick has submitted to be sent to Prince Constantine
& is sorry that the Prince should have given way in so
great a degree to the warmth of his temper.

signed
George R.

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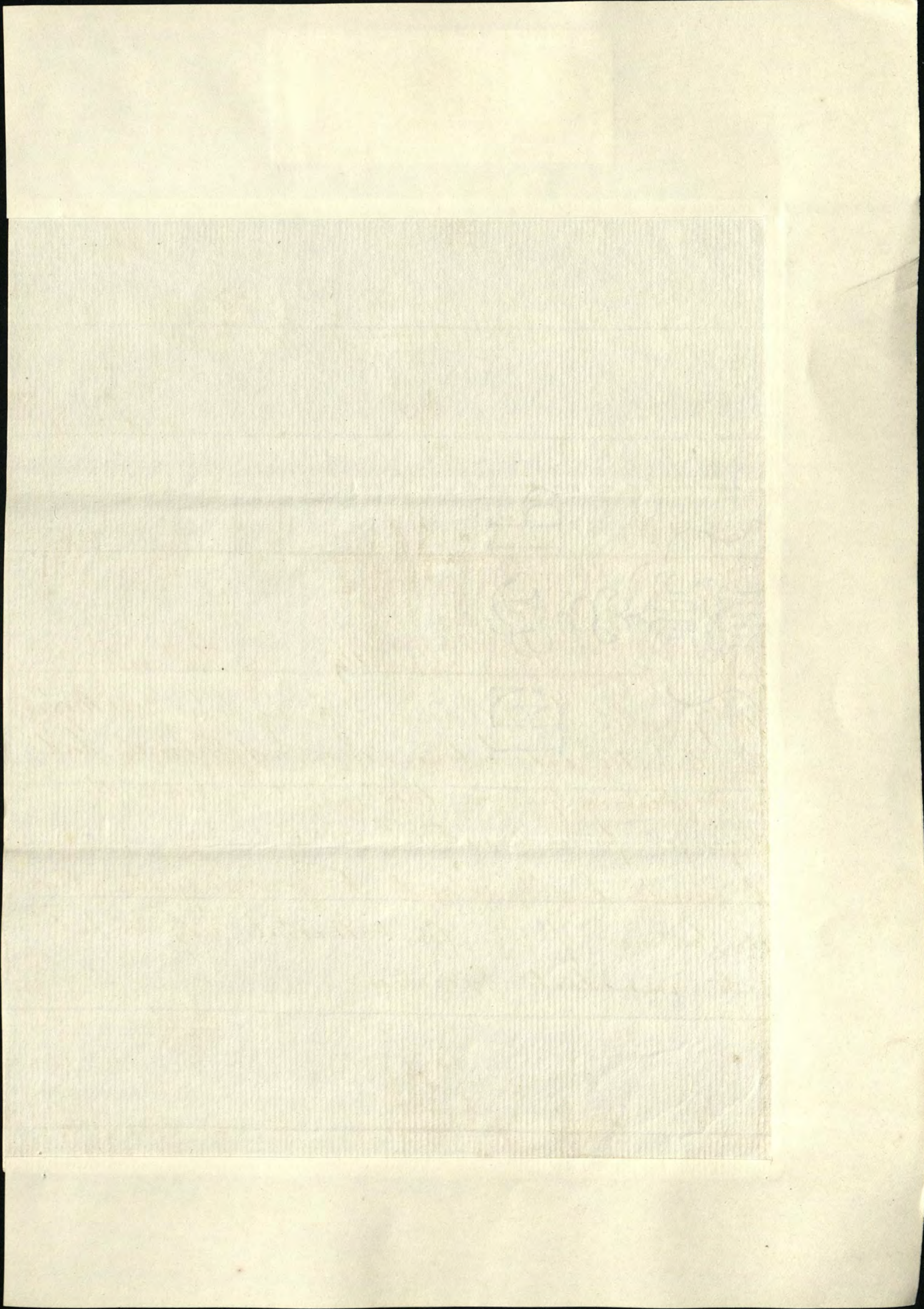
Mr Grenville
16th December 1806

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Admiralty. 16 Dec^r 1806

Mr Grenville has the honour to lay before your Majesty
the Minutes and Sentence of a Court Martial held
on Mr Heplurn Graham Master's Mate on board the
St George for an Unnatural Crime.

Mr Grenville humbly submits to your Majesty that
the Sentence of the Court Martial may be put
into immediate Execution.



Thos. Grenville
(+ H. H.'s reply)

Dec. 16 & 17 1806

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Admiralty 16 Dec^r 1806

Mr Grenville has the honour to lay before your Majesty
the Sentence of a Court Martial held at the Island
of Barbadoes on Naird Suare a Black Seaman,
for Mutiny on board your Majesty's Ship the *Donnicca*,
and altho' the Minutes of the Court Martial have
not been transmitted or have not arrived, yet as it appears
that the Court Martial have recommended the said
Naird Suare to Mercy, and as they state it
to be their opinion that Naird Suare was ignorant
of the Magnitude of this offence, and acted

under the influence of fear of the other Mutineers
& particularly of the Boastwain who has been since
charged for the said offence, under these
circumstances Mr Grenville humbly submits to
Your Majesty. that Your Majesty's most gracious
Pardon may be extended to the said Naiah Luere.

Thos. Grenville
(+ H. H's reply)

Dec. 16 & 17 1806

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London 16th December 1806

The King, upon consideration of what is stated
in Mr Grenville's letter in regard to the case of David
Swain, consents to remit the sentence of Death pronounced
by the Court Martial. Under the circumstances, which
attended the crime of ^{which} Mr Stephen Graham has been found
guilty, His Majesty is under the painful necessity
of directing that the sentence of Death may be carried
into immediate execution.

Signed

G. G. G.

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Mr Grenville to Mr
Mordaunt

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Copy of business by Mr
Mordaunt

Lord Spencer
17th December 1806

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Lord Spencer has the Honour to lay before
your Majesty two Letters from the Lord
Lieutenant of Ireland with their Inclosures containing
particular Accounts of the Proceedings under the
Special Commission at Castlebar, and of
Disturbances in the County of Down.

J^r James's Place
17 Dec: 1806.

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Lords Present

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Arch. Cant.

Eps. Carlol.

Eps. Soudiner.

Eps. Exon.

Eps. Bristol.

Eps. Exon.

Dux York.

Dux. Clarence.

Dux. Kent.

Dux. Cumberland.

Dux. Cambridge.

Dux. Gloucester.

Dux. Erskine. Cand.

Vic. Sidmouth. Præs.

Dux. Holland. C.P.S.

Dux. Norfolk G. M.

Dux. Manchester

Portland.

Mar. Abercorn.

Stafford

Bath

Stadfort

Salisbury.

Com. Fitzwilliam

Winchilsea. Cant.

Portsmouth.

Lucan.

Bridgewater

Radnor

Carnarvon.

Jersey.

Talbot.

Gronovon.

Jersey.

Erne

Egremont.

Cunniskillen

Caender.

Pembroke & Montg.

Cholmondeley.

Westmorland

Derby.

M^{rs} Edgcumbe.

Com. Essex.

Thames.

Saulhope

Carlisle

Stair.

Mansfield.

Ferrers.

Cowper.

Buckinghamsh.

Guilford

Haidwicke.

Scarborough.

Koden

Macclesfield

Aberdeen.

Dux. Walsingham.

Toby.

Braybrooke.

Clifton.

Crewe.

Boyle

Cawdor.

King

Saulderdale.

Ainburnham.

Heathfield

Northwich

Minto

Willoughby de Bro.

Rodney.

Auckland.

Bedesdale.

Sommers

Koden.

Tife

Dymeron.

Spencer of Wound.

Kilra

Selvey.

Forbes.

P. John of Bles.

Hawkesbury

Upper Grouy

Caryfort.

Eldon.

Rawdon.

Say & Sale.

Sheffield

Carrington

P. Steles.

Keith.

Ponsonby.

Rivers

Ellenborough.

Somerville.

Roay.

Grantley.



The Lord Chancellor reported The
Speech delivered by The Lords Commis-
sioners by Virtue of His Majesty's
Commission.

The same was read by The Clerk.

Then It was Moved That an Humble
Address be presented To His Majesty
to return His Majesty The Thanks
of This House for The Speech made
to This House by His Majesty's
Command.

For The Address.

1. Earl of Jersey.
2. Lord Sommers.
3. Lord Hawkesbury.
4. Lord Grenville.
5. Lord Hawkesbury to explain.

Ordered & agreed to Remine
Dissentiente.



Most Gracious Sovereign,

We the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in Parliament Assembled, beg leave to return Your Majesty our most humble Thanks for the Speech which has been made to us by Your Majesty's Command.

Permit us to assure Your Majesty that in the difficult and arduous Circumstances under which we are now assembled, Your Majesty may depend on our dutiful support in all such Measures as may be most expedient to promote Your Majesty's paternal Wishes for the Welfare of your People.

We acknowledge Your Majesty's goodness in having ordered the Papers which have been exchanged in the course of the late Negotiation with France to be laid before us, and we assure Your Majesty that much as we should desire the secure and permanent Restoration of general tranquility, we are fully satisfied that this great Object can no otherwise be accomplished, except on terms consistent with the Interests and Honour of your People, and with that inviolable good Faith towards your Allies

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By which the conduct of this Country
has always been distinguished.

We sincerely regret the disappointment
of Your Majesty's just and benevolent
wishes, and the calamitous events which
have attended the progress of the new War
lighted up in Europe by the ambition
and injustice of the Enemy - And we
applaud the wisdom and magnanimity
of those sentiments which induced His
Majesty to take, though ineffectually,
such measures as were best calculated
for uniting the councils and interests of
this Country with those of Prussia against
the common enemy, altho' so little
disposition had been shown by the Court
of Berlin to concert with Your Majesty
the means of resistance, or to satisfy
those just grounds of complaint on the
part of Your Majesty which had placed
the two Countries in a state of mutual
hostility.

We learn with great satisfaction that
in the midst of these disastrous events
and under the most trying Circumstances
the good faith of Your Majesty's Allies
has remained unshaken, that the conduct
of the King of Sweden has been distinguished
by the most honourable firmness, and that
between Your Majesty and the Emperor of

Russia the happiest union subsists.

We trust that those reciprocal proofs of good faith and confidence by which this union has been cemented, will tend to strengthen and confirm an Alliance which affords the best remaining hope of safety for the Continent of Europe.

Altho' we lament the long series of misfortune which has afflicted the Continent of Europe, and which could not fail to affect in some degree many important Interests of this Country, We trust that under every difficulty Your Majesty will still have the satisfaction of witnessing an increasing energy and firmness on the part of your people And while we see the unconquerable Valour & Discipline of your Majesty's Fleets & Armies displayed with undiminished lustre, the great sources of our prosperity & strength remaining unimpaired, & the ~~more~~ union of sentiment & action which prevails amongst a brave & loyal people determined to maintain inviolate the independence of the Empire & the Integrity of the national Character We cannot but join with your Maty. in the hope that under the protection of Divine Providence the British Nation will continue to derive no less advantage than Honour from that uniform & determined resistance which has exhibited so striking an example to the surrounding Nations

19 Dec 1806

Lord Dartmouth
December 19th 1806

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Lord Dartmouth relies upon
Your Majesty's uniform good-
ness & consideration to
excuse his taking this method
of notifying to Your Majesty
that Lord Bageot has made
a proposal of marriage to
his eldest daughter, which
has been accepted -

Sandwich
Dec^r 19. 1806.

[Faint, illegible handwriting on a piece of paper pasted onto a larger sheet.]

Lord Howick
19th December 1866

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Towning St. Jan. 3rd 19. 1866

Lord Howick has the honor of informing
your Majesty that a debate took place
tonight in the House of Commons on the
motion for an humble address to your
Majesty, which was moved by Mr. Lamb
& seconded by Mr. Smith, Member for
Birmingham. An amendment was moved

by Mr. Canning. The votes
For the amendment — against it
D. Castleburgh Lord Howick
after which the original motion for
the address was carried without a division,
& the House adjourned at a quarter after
eleven —

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Lord Spencer
19th December 1806

Earl Spencer has the Honour to lay
before your Majesty a Letter from the
Lord Lieutenant and another from Mr
Ellist with their respective Enclosures,
from the Contents of which Earl Spencer
hopes that he may congratulate your
Majesty on the Prospect of the Disturbances
in Ireland being received a material Check
though he entirely agrees with the
Lord Lieutenant and Mr Ellist in the
Opinion that we must not count too
much on the present more favourable
Appearances.

J^r Jarvis, Place 19 Dec: 1806.

Lord Spencer,
20th December 1806

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I wish to have the Honour to lay before
your Majesty a Letter from the Lord
Lieutenant of Ireland, including a further
Report of the Proceedings of the Special
Commission at Carrickmacross, and some
other Papers which afford a more satisfactory
Account of the State of that Part of the
Country, and of the Effects produced by the
Operations of the Special Commission.

J^o James's Place.
20 Dec: 1806.

Ld. Howick

Dec. 25 1806

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Downing St. Dec. 25. 1806

Lord Howick has the honor to inform
your Majesty that by the same Mail which
brought the accompanying dispatches, he received
a letter from ^{Lord} Douglas dated 8th inst. from Peters-
burgh, announcing his Lordship's safe arrival
there on the preceding evening, & his intention
to prosecute his journey to Petersburg
without delay. The same Mail brought also

a letter from Lord Hutchinson dated 11th Nov
1759, where his Lordship had arrived after
a most tedious voyage, in which he attributes
the preservation of the lives of the King's officers &
crew to the unwearied exertions & determined
perseverance of Capt. B. Dunbar. He adds that your
Majesty's Ship Sophia has suffered so much
as to excite an apprehension that she will never
again be serviceable. During a most severe struggle

Ld. Howick

Dec. 25 1806

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of 24 hours, they were obliged to throw all her guns
& stores over-board, & to cut away the masts. On
her arrival at Umanah she made near eight
feet water in an hour. Lord Anson sailed
for San Francisco in the Swallow Hook of war.

Lord Brouncker
December 25th 1660

Ld. Howick

Dec. 30 1806

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London 1st Dec. 30. 1806

Lord Howick has the honor of informing
your Majesty that Baron Jacobbi has this
morning communicated the dispatches which
he has received from the King of Prussia dated
the 10. of Nov. from Graudentz. The contents un-
equivocally the readiness of the King of Prussia
to comply with your Majesty's just demands

respecting Hanover. It is singular that the
order is signed only by the King, without
being counter-signed by any Minister.

Count Schromberg has applied to
Lord Grenville for the honor of being allowed
to present to your Majesty Count Potocki, &
the Major Baron de Merins, with respect to
which Lord Grenville humbly requests your
Majesty's commands.

To ^{copy} Lord Spencer,
30th December 1766

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Windsor Castle December 30th 1766

The King having appointed the Arch Bishop of
Canterbury to bring to him the Address from the Convocation
to the Queen's Palace. Tomorrow at Two o'clock, His Majesty
desires that Lord Spencer, will have the answer prepared for him,
and that he will therefore send to the Arch Bishop for a copy
of the Address in case he should not already have received
it.

Signed

George R.