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My Dear Colonel

Painswick House
Gloucestershire
October 11th 1811

I have just received the Adjutant General's
order for my sons William and Michael
to join the first of the 52^d Regiment the
16th of 4th. If you do not consider
it too troublesome or presumptuous
of me to intrude so frequently on
the Royal Highness the Prince
Regent's precious indulgence and
on your kindness, I should feel
highly honoured and gratified if
the Royal Highness would permit
me to convey to him thro you
the homage of my most sincere and
respectful gratitude for the very
early and flattering way in which
this appointment has taken place,
and that in Regiments so very dis-
tinguished on every account for them to
begin the service in. I have the
honour to be My Dear Colonel

Your very obliged faithful
obedient servant
Kenmare

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