

Col. H. Torrens to Lieut. Gen. Turner

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My dear Turner.

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Having laid your
note of yesterday before the Com.
this day I am directed to acquaint
you that in consequence of
the former desire expressed by
the Prince Regent that Major
Turner of the 54. Regt. should
be allowed to sell his
commissariat the necessary
measures were taken for the
Major Turner

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permission, it is now impossible
to recall the transaction.

The permission of selling
out of the Army was a mark of
lenient indulgence to his
claim; & of this you will be
convinced when I explain to
you that he never resumed the
duties of his present Commission
to which he was appointed
but only two years without
pay: He has therefore
been a great burden to the
54: & the Comptrolr could
not

be recommended to the Prince
Regent that he should continue
so after the permission already
given, upon the improbable
chance of an opportunity
offering to place him upon
half pay: At all events
the arrangements for the sale
are too far gone to be
recalled.

Y^r sincere
Friend
H. Torrens

15 Oct 1841

Colonel Torrens

Major Chunes's
permission to sell too late
to be recalled. —