

Col. Leigh  
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Sia Mile Bottom  
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Sir

I must entreat your Royal Highness  
to forgive me for again presuming to address  
you - In consequence of having had for seven  
years to struggle with the difficulties attending  
a very narrow income, I find myself involved  
in embarrassments of the most serious nature  
from which I have no hope of extricating myself,  
or being able to support my family, without  
your Royal Highness should be graciously

pleased to consider my very unfortunate situation.  
allow me, Sir, to add that I shall ever retain  
the most grateful recollection of your Royal  
Highness's kindness to me from a child -  
and though my faults have been great, and  
my sufferings not unnumbered, I hope the goodness  
of your Royal Highness's heart will induce  
you to take compassion upon my wife  
and three children.

I have the Honor to be  
Sir  
with the greatest respect  
your Royal Highness's  
Devoted and Obedient Servant  
George Leigh