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Letters from K. George IV.
to the Pope

Dec. 19 1816 - Apr. 29 1820



Copy of Commencement and Conclusion
of a letter in the State Paper Office,
addressed to the Pope by Queen Mary
in 1555.

" Sanctissimo Patri ac Domino nostro,
" d. Paulo P. P. III, Divinâ Providentiâ
" Pontifici Maximo :- Maria, Dei Gratia,
" Regina Anglia, Francia, Neapolis,
" Hierusalem, Hibernia & eternam Salutem
" et humillimam nostram obedientiam.

" Deus V. S. diutissime conservet..
" Ex Regiâ Nostrâ Hamptonia -----
" MDLV

" Va. S^{is}

" Humillima Filia

" Maria "

(Countersigned)

R. Aschamus

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appears to be in Aschamus
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The Prince Regent

to

Pope Pius VIIDecember 19. 1816

Answer to letter announcing
arrival of works of art
restored by the allies.

Most Eminent Sir,

I have received your
Holiness' Letter of the 6th of last
July, announcing the safe
arrival in the Port of Civita
Vecchia, of His Majesty's
Store ship the "Abundance",
on board of which had been
embarked at Antwerp a
part of the monuments of
ancient art restored to Rome
by the efforts of the allied
Sovereigns lately assembled
at Paris; and I feel the
sincerest gratification in
learning that this act of
public justice has been
productive

productive of so much Joy
and Satisfaction to your
Holiness and to the Roman
people. - I beg to assure your
Holiness, that I shall ever
take a warm Interest in
whatever may tend to
gratify the very natural
and honorable anxiety
of your Holiness for preserving
and augmenting those
Monuments of taste and
antiquity, which render
Rome so interesting, and
so useful to the extension
and improvement of Arts
and literature. I accept
with

with pleasure, the Temple
and Cup in Cosco Antico,
which your Holiness has
been pleased to send to me,
and I shall ever value
them not only as a
beautiful specimen of the
art of sculpture in Rome,
but as a distinguished
proof of your Holiness'
Private Regard.—

Accept, Most Excellent
Sir, the kind and friendly
wishes of one who prays to the
Author of all for your
continued Health and Prosperity.

Given (Signed)
at my Palace of George P. K.
Carlton House
the 19th day of Dec^r
1816

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Ms. A. The Prince Regent

to

Spice Price VII.

December 19. 1816.

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The Prince Regent

to

Pope Pius VII.May 29. 1817

Thanks for a letter of
congratulation

Most Eminent Sir, I request
Your Holiness to accept my
best acknowledgements for
the very obliging manner in
which You have congratulated
me on the issue of the late
Transactions which disturbed
for a time the Peace of this
Metropolis; and I avail
myself with pleasure of this
opportunity of offering to
Your Holiness my sincere
wishes for your perfect health
and Felicity. —

Given at my Palace of
Carlton House, the 29th day
of May 1817. (Signed)

His Holiness
Pope Pius the Seventh

George R. K.

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The Prince Regent

to

Pope Pius VII

Sept: 6. 1817

Thanks for the Stuart
papers.

Most Eminent Sir, I have
duly received the nine
Cases containing the Papers
of the Stuart Family, which
Your Holiness has had the
kindness to send to me by
the "Ellice" Transport; and
I have the sincerest
satisfaction in expressing
to you my warmest thanks
for the kind interest
you have taken in securing
to this Country and Govern-
ment, the possession of a
series of Documents so
interesting to us in every
point

point of view. — Their
great bulk and number
have hitherto precluded the
possibility of making any
minute inspection of
them, but I have directed
that every attention and
precaution should be
adopted towards them,
which they are so generally
allowed to deserve. —

I beg your Holiness
to accept the renewed
assurances of my
personal respect and

and esteem. —

(Signed)
George R. K.

Given
at my Palace of
Carlton House
the 6th day of Sept^r
1817.

To His Holiness
Pope Pius the Seventh.

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Pope Pius VII.

September 6. 1817.

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The Prince Regent

to

Pope Pius VII.January 31. 1818

Thanks for letter of condolence
on death of the Princess
Charlotte.

Most Eminent Sir,

The Cardinal Consalvi

has transmitted to me the
Letter of Condolence which
Your Holiness was pleased to
address to me on the 26th of
November last, on the death
of my beloved Daughter
the late Princess Charlotte
Augusta. I assure your
Holiness I am very sensible
of the kind manner in
which you have sympathized
with me on so unexpected
a calamity, which has
overwhelmed myself and
all

to all the Royal Family
go in the deepest affliction.

ha I request your Holiness
to will accept the assurances
of my sincere esteem -

(signed)

George P. B.

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at my Palace of
al Carlton House,
the 31st day of January
1818

to His Holiness
Pope Pius The Seventh

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King George IV

to

Pope Pius VIIApril 29. 1820

Thanks for Letter of
 Congratulation on his
 accession to the Throne.

Most Eminent Sir, I have received with great Satisfaction the Letter which Your Holiness addressed to me on the 15th ultimo, in which you are pleased to convey to me your Congratulations on my Accession to the Throne of this Imperial Kingdom, and to express your wishes for the Prosperity and Happiness of my Reign. I derive the greater Gratification from the Receipt of this Letter and am convinced that the kind and friendly sentiments which

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which your Holiness has
therein expressed, are offered
with the utmost Sincerity,
and I therefore avail myself
of the earliest opportunity of
returning to your Holiness my
warmest Acknowledgements
for so pleasing a Testimony
of your Attention, and of the
Interest which you take
in every Event affecting the
Welfare and Happiness of
myself, or of any Member of
the Royal Family. —

I request your Holiness
to accept the renewed
Assurances of my high esteem

Carlton Palace (signed)
George K.

the 29th day of April 1820

To His Holiness
Pope Pius The Seventh

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which your Holiness has
shown a proper concern
with the utmost security
and I trust will find
of the greatest opportunity of
returning to your Holiness
my most acknowledgments
for a pleasing relation
of the same and of the
interest which you take
in every thing affecting the
Welfare and Happiness of
myself & of my Brethren of
the Royal Society

I request your Holiness
to accept the assurance
of my high esteem
with the most
affectionate regards
to the Royal Society