

Memorandums

To receive from Mr. Robinson Mr. Gimwoods
 additional Salary — Application to be made for
 Mr. Gimwood to receive Lodging Money in
 London, usually given to the Kings Footmen and
 Grooms — The Stables at the Queens House to be
 visited frequently — John Fuller, of St. R. H. approves
 of it, to be allowed a common Goat wastecoot, leather
 breeches and boots — Gill with the approbation of the
 Prince of Wales to be appointed Surveyor —

In case of any Provision being made for Mr
 Montague, Gill with St. R. H. permission to be
 appointed Clerk of the Stables, and the Livery to be
 provided at the cheapest rate — Gill to be
 appointed Hackney & Sill Man — John Wargrave
 when an established Footman to set as a farrier with
 some additional allowance — Thirty Guineas

to be received from Colonel Hotham for Mungo.
Two pence halfpenny usually allowed to the
Farrier, not being sufficient to purchase good Medicines,
Mr. Grimwood's Bill, for Farriers to be allowed
amongst the extraordinaries — This Bill to be carried
in to the Treasurer, by Lt. Colonel Halse, or in his
absence, by whom A. R. H. shall think proper to
appoint to transact the Business of the Stables
Lost Carriages and Horses to be disposed of
for the use of Lt. Colonel Lake — Stables to be got
immediately, if not for the whole, for part of A. R. H.
establishment — As soon as a measure can be
provided the Horses at Pimlico to be removed to it
immediately — All lame and sick Horses to be sent
to Windsor to Mr. Grimwood; who must occasionally
come to London, to inspect the management of the
Stables, and to enquire whether there is a proper
allowance of Forrage, and to report all deficiencies
to Lt. Colonel Halse, or, in his absence, to whom A. R. H.
shall direct. — The Clerk of the Stables

not to be allowed to interfere, either in the purchase of Horses, or in the direction of the Stables, further than in the delivery of the different articles which may be wanted — All Saddles, Bridles, and Horse Cloths that may be cast, are the sole perquisite of the Head Groom, but care to be taken that not any of them are cast without sufficient cause — a Saddle to be kept for every Horse — L^t Colonel Lake writes the Prince of Wales would have the bay mare covered, because, as she has only one eye, he is apprehensive, that H. R. H. cannot ride her a hunting with safety — The Places of Abode of the Equerries to be given in writing to the Pages and Footmen — Should the Prince of Wales allow the Coach to convey the Equerries to and from the Queens House, the Footman attached to that coach, to attend it, till he is dismissed — a Stable to be got for the Equerries, at Windsor, as soon as possible — The Footmen, if possible to be put upon the same footing with those of His Majesty —

If there should be a Porters place, or any other
established at the Meuse that may suit Dardour
S^t. Gerard Lake wishes, with the Prince of Wales's
permission, that it may be given to him.

The Chairmen to be paid for what they have
done, and to receive any further orders which
H. R. H. may have for them.

Memorandum for
Her Majesty in
the Prince of Wales's
Establishment

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Disposable Sum		55,000	
Surplus of Ord Income this Quarter		1,455	
M ^r Court's acc ^t to agreement for	9000	56,455	
The Loan of 21000 £			
To complete the payment of	1000		To Hand over
£4000 on H ^r 's Note			
Interest	600		
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	10,600		
The Creditors of the P ^p	5000		
The Shops at Brighton	1000		
Enfranch ^t at Do	1100		
Six Mile Bottom	695		
Vulham by Agreem ^t	800		
Tatham	3000		
Phillips	500		
Traders men under W. Porter	3500		
Gastkin's Disburse ^m	700		
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	11295	Half or 6000	
			Stands over
			an order to
			marshall the estate
			in Lumber for
			the P ^p to use
Various Bills which			
sh ^d be discharged in	13057	Do or 7000	
Whole or in part this			
Quarter			
^{2^d for Cotton 140}	5228	Do or 3000	
Provisions for 2 Quarts			
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			31600
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			24855
Mon to Court			11000
Steps Surveyor Durast to Middle a Bridge			<hr/>
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			12400 P.P.O.

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The sum of 55000 - will be paid to the account of the Re-Gent at Biddulph and Cook's -

The Prince by Privy Seal may order it to be paid to M. & A. - to be by them distributed to its different purposes -

The Privy Seal will be a voucher to discharge the Receiver General and the instrument can be so expressed as to be a discharge to M. & A. -

They will give orders for the private payments without the interference or knowledge of any other Officer of H. R. H. and the public payments can be ordered by a transfer by them to the Treasurer's account -

Or the Privy Seal may direct a sum to be paid to M. & A. sufft to cover the private payments, and the rest to be placed at the Treasurer's account at Caunter's for the public payments by which these last payments will appear in their proper place in the Dubby & Treasurer's accounts

Sum of stocks

of £55000 - and

of 1455

56455

per 1710



Alterations & additions made by The Prince of Wales in the
List of allowances & compensations, since His Royal Highness's
first approbation of the original Plan. with the difference it will
necessary occasion in the Estimate

State Officers		13900
M ^r . Powell	125	
M ^r . Papendick	50	
M ^{rs} . Jackson	100	
M ^r . Du Paquier	75	
M ^r . Mills	121	
M ^r . Nicks	121	
M ^r . M ^r . Jones	121	
M ^r . Sathwell	100	
M ^r . Todd	45	
M ^r . Cole	45	
M ^r . Atwood	45	
M ^r . Hunter	45	
M ^r . Nettell	90	
Vandim	40	
Emperot	20	
6 Footmen	à £ 25. each	150
2 Chairmen	" 10. "	20
Bushy		50
Tarrades		50
Jones		40
Bedell		70
Latimer		20
2 Kitchen Boys		20
Quintin		200
M ^r . Gill		60
Thomas		44
Deacon		6
Lockyer		27
Davies		10
Jones		8
Bush		8
Come		8
Dellas		8
Deeks		8
Petty		8
Williams		8
		403
Carried Over	£	15866

Pensions

Pellett	50	
M ^r . Robinson	500	
M ^r . Nowell	100	
W. Lambert	50	
M ^r . Moore	50	
W. Porter	50	
M ^r . Millingfleet	25	
M ^r . Smith	11	
Guild	11	
W ^m . Harle	20	
W ^m . Stanard	15	
M ^r . Franklin	30	
W ^m . Sharp	30	
M ^r . Bridgetower	30	
W. Montague	60	
Brandell	23	
Towers	27	
Gosben	27	
Rhoadly	27	
Hawes	20	
Baker	50	
Chiffney	100	
Tattersall	350	1701
M ^r . Scott	200	
Major Mackay	100	
M. Atwood	45	
Geo. Drew	25	
M. Brown	10	
M ^r . Mafennis	10	
M ^r . Arms	10	
M ^r . Jones	20	
M ^r . Watson	10	
Wheeler	25	4
Thos. Robinson Gardens	90	
W. Gates	20	
Longley	20	
Humphrey	31	10
Carried Over	£	18183 14

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Taxes

Old Pensions &c

Further additions as per list

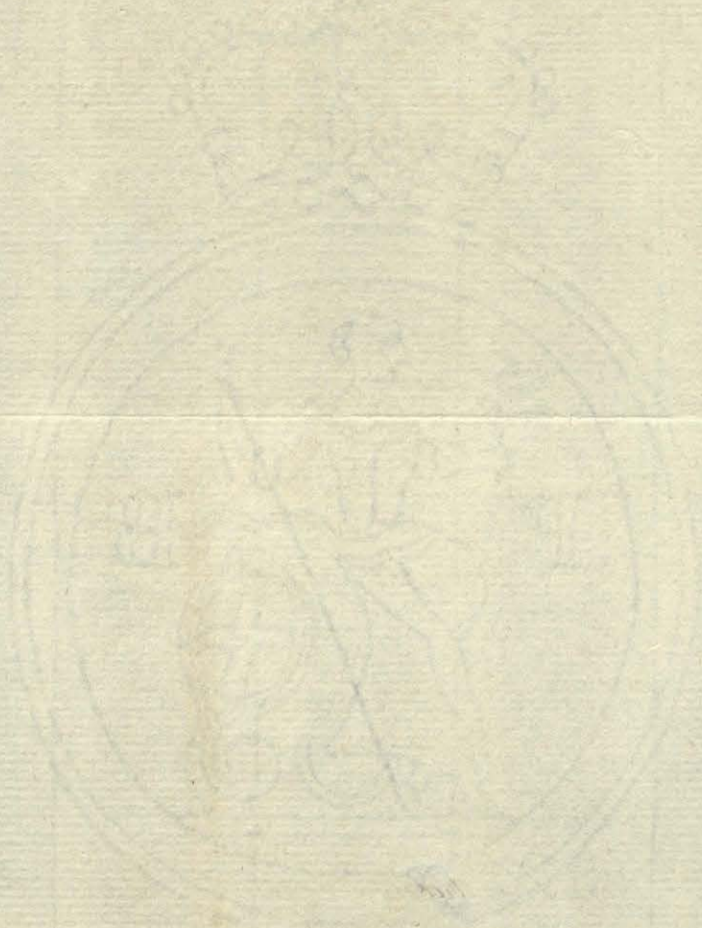
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State officers	13900
Compensations	1966.
Pensions	2317. 14
D ^r . Recommended to the King	1095
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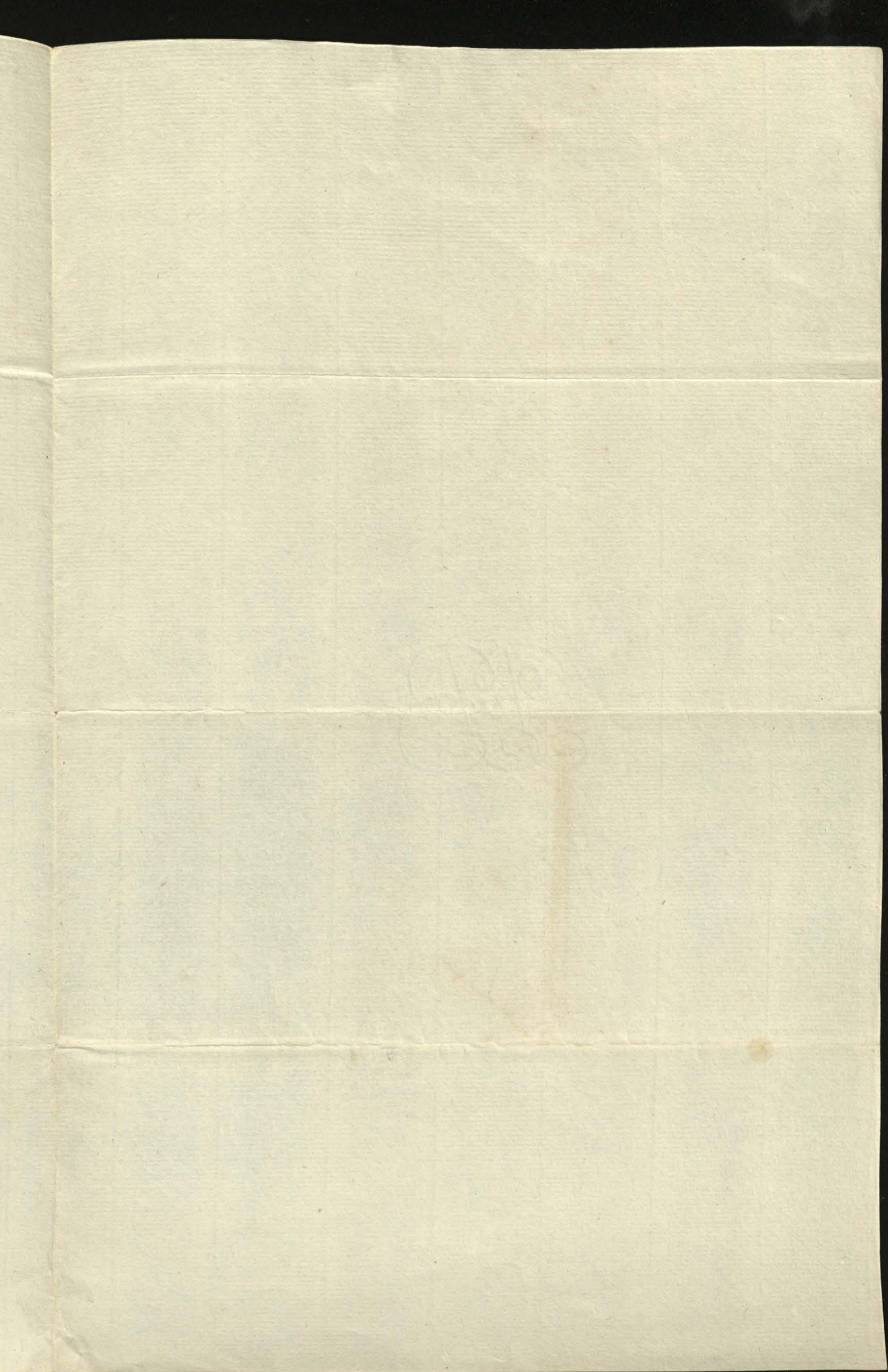
Letter Household, Posters
Compendious R. as it
at present stands, directed
to be paid by Mr. Bottom
from the annual fund
of £ 22000.

M ^r Rickinells List of Judgment, including £1000. to M ^r Carter in part of 4300. The rest will be bonded	5409. 12. .
Scunders - - - (refused to take Bond) - - - - -	1100. . . .
Gen ^l Lake - - - - -	7500 - - -
Refused to take Bonds, reduced from £6921. 12. 8. to - - -	5311. 5. 8.
M ^{rs} Atkins Bond Disch - - - - -	800. . . .
Small Bills under £100. (Very pressing) increased £400.	4000. - - -
Musicians - - - Reduced from £1380. to - - - - -	900 - - -
Arrears to Stable Servants - - - - -	9618. 10. 10
M ^r Ogden - - - - -	4220. - - -
M ^r Merges - - - - -	585. 8. - -
M ^r Robinson for money advanced by order - - - - -	1477. 4. 7.
M ^r Oveij for n ^o . III. promised to pay - - - - -	423. 7. 4.
M ^r Lewers, Executors - - - - -	190 - - -
Brighton Bills - - - - -	2578. 14. 10.
Kempshot D ^o . about - - - - -	5000 - - -
Rent, Taxes &c. for the Auction Room in Pall Mall Brighton &c	1000 - - -
M ^r Coleman Fishmonger £1775. 6. 5. (remains uncollected)	
Total - - - - -	£ 50114. 3. 3

Hamilton
M^r
J. Lee.



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State of unswilled Parts
including the Judgments &c.

Judgements against
the Revenues

By the Act to prevent further accumulation of Debt no suit lies against the Prince upon any Debt incurred since the 5th July 1795; but the suit is allowed against His Treasurer, and may become a charge upon His Revenue, if a Docquet of the Judgement be entered in the Prince's Office within 10 days from the signing it. Upon these terms also such Debt shall have a priority before current demands.

Plan & Estimate

The Current Demands are thus provided for - a plan of the Prince's Establishment, in distinct departments & Classes, and in a certain order, specifying the Salaries, and Payments of each Class, and Officer, and also an Estimate of the Annual Expence of each Department are to be prepared by the Treasurer: One Counterpart of which shall be deposited in the Prince's Office; and Disbursements shall be made in the Order therein set down, and no other.

Quarterly Account

In 14 Days after each Quarter the Treasurer shall make out account of the Expences thereof, specifying the Sums paid, and Demands out-standing; which the Treasurer shall audit, sign, and approve, so far as he does approve; provided the Account does not exceed the foregoing Plan and Estimate. After which Payments shall be made in the order settled by the foregoing Plan and Estimate.

Demands by Creditors

But no demand shall be inserted in such Quarterly Account, unless the Creditor shall, in 10 days after the Quarter, wherein it shall have incurred, deliver to the Prince's Treasurer, in writing, signed by such Creditor, his demand, specifying the nature and amount thereof: without which the Treasurer shall not allow the Demand or pay it on any Pretence whatever.

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Surplus -

Any Surplus shall go to the Prince's Privy-Purse

General Books

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Year

Year of such Payment - The Kings Treasury may demand Inspection of these Books, or Copies thereof, or of any part; and the Princes Treasurer for the time being is required to pay obedience to such Orders. -

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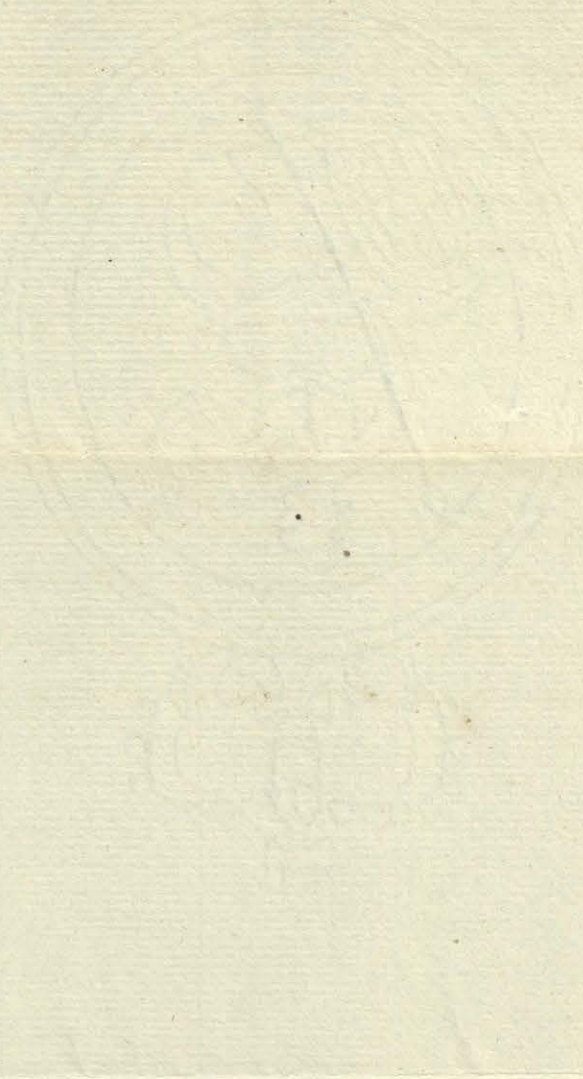
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Memorandum
concerning the
Prince's Account.

Proceedings of the Commissioners for
liquidating the Debts of His Royal Highness
The Prince of Wales on Monday the 19th of
February 1798. —

Present.

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

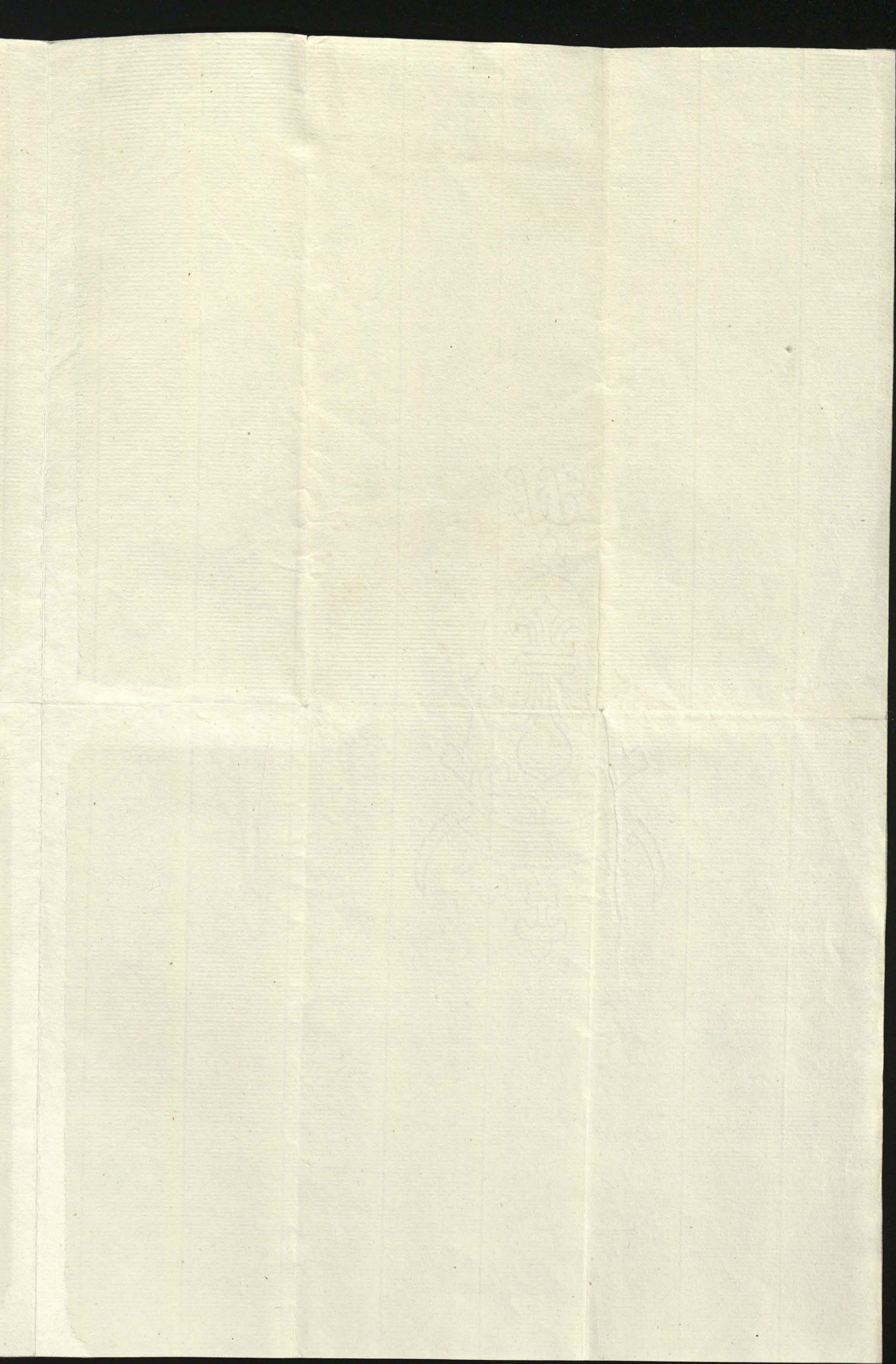
The Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The Master of His Majesty's Household

The Surveyor General of the Crown Lands.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer laid before the Board
a Letter he had received from His Royal Highness the
Prince of Wales, dated the 17th Instant, addressed "To the Right
Honorable William Pitt, and others The Commissioners for
liquidating the Debts of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales"
and likewise a Copy of the Letter, which the Chancellor of the
Exchequer thought it his duty in consequence thereof to
address to His Royal Highness. —

The Commissioners having taken the said Letter of His
Royal Highness into Consideration, and having referred to the
Act of Parliament, by which they were appointed, are of
Opinion, that it is not competent to them, under the Provisions of
the said Act, to make any Alteration in the Appropriation of the
Funds, which are thereby directed to be regularly applied to
the Discharge of the Principal, and Interest of the Debts of His
Royal Highness, to the Amount, and in the manner, therein stated.
The Commissioners therefore feel it ^{to be} their Duty to represent,
in the most respectful Manner, to His Royal Highness, that
it does not appear to the Commissioners to be in their power to
take any Measures, which can give Effect to the Wish which
His Royal Highness has graciously condescended to
communicate to them. —



Proceedings of the
Committee for
liquidating the Debt
of His Royal Highness
The Prince of Wales
in 1790.

His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales.

Abstract of Debt to 5th Janry 1000.

Bills, Salaries, Pensions, Perks, Taxes & Allowances	}	17,230. 11. 3
to 10 th Oct. 1799		
Ditto	}	10,535. 0. 11
Ditto		
Total Debt		£ 35,773. 12. 2

Mem^o. - No provision was made, when the Establishment was settled, for Her Royal Highness The Princess Charlotte; but the expences incurred by Her Royal Highness have been regularly discharged, amounting to not less than £6000. p^{ann}, which for four years is _____

The natural Debt therefore incurred in four years and a half from the 5th July 1795 to the 5th Janry 1000, is only _____

The arrears of the Stables and Wardrobe remain to be accounted for, the former by The Earl of Jersey, the latter by M^r. Churchill.

The Prince married 10. April 1795 -

Princess Charlotte born - 7 Janry 1796.

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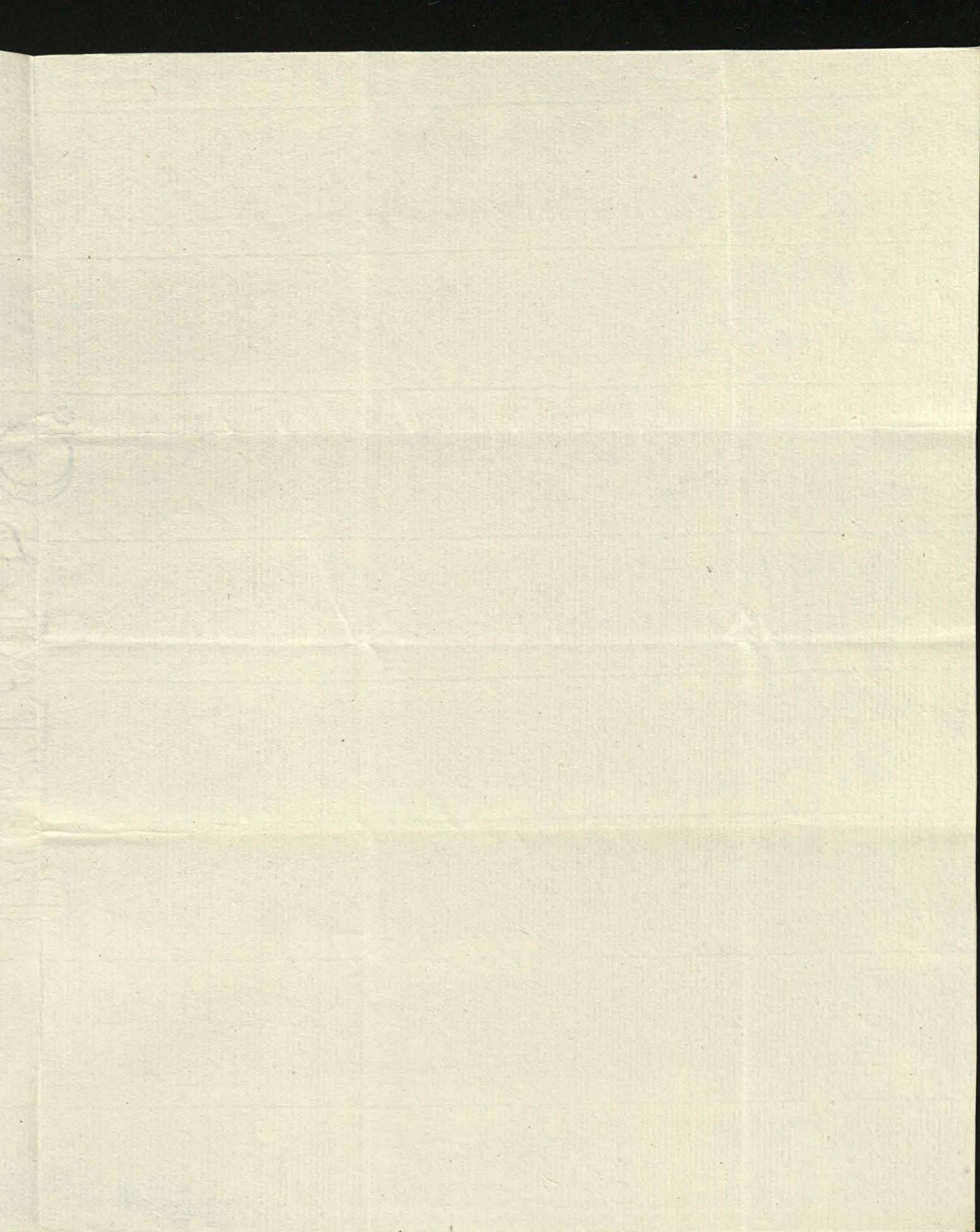
Wrote of Debt for the quarter
ending 5th January 1800, as drawn
out by Mr. B. B. B.

Jan 1800

St Mary St
10 July 1800

Dear Sir

I have recd the Honour of your Letter
of this Day, and have seen the papers
to which you refer containing a Plan
of establishment & estimate of Expence of
H. R. H. The Prince of Wales. 4 July 1795.
And a Copy of an Order made by H. R. H.
for an Alteration of the said Plan and
Estimate 21 Oct 1795. I will immediately
communicate your Letter to the Speaker, &
receive his Directions - in the mean time
I have ord^d the papers to be copied - I have
the Honour to be Dear Sir yr most obed^t
Thos Grenville Esq
Very faithfully Serv^t
J. Ley



July 26 1800

Dear Sir

I enclose you a plan of a
propos'd reduction from the heads
of expence contained in your abstract.
This cannot be specific, but rather
meant to promote an enquiry into how
far (from the documents we have) we
may approach this projected plan.
I also enclose you the state of the
Princes expence, as accurately as I
could obtain it from Lord Holmstedly
last year, which I thought might be
of use to you in forming a new
arrangement of expence, which should

be accompanied with such details
by way of illustration as we are able
to procure, when I will propose it
to the Prince, for his sanction, & may
then be able to trace the particular
heads of exps in future accounts
I will at the same time procure a
separate statement of the Establi-
-ment & expence (such as it should be)
together with P^r Charlotte's. We must
take for the estimate of the Prince's
table 500 P^r Quarter. Wine & Sundries
excluded, - as well as Stable which
must be made from the horses the
new has. In all this, I will give you

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every assistance in my power, & will
call on you for that purpose

Yours truly

Pope.

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19. Feb: 1800.

Admiral Boscawen

With Mr. Hall of Swan for Mutual
Respectation & Satisfaction

Accompanied by a person's name
expressed last of which Adam Selby

Prince of Wales

Notice is hereby given, That all Claims and Demands upon His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, are in future to be delivered in Quarterly, at the Office of the Duchy of Cornwall, in Somerset Place, within Ten Days from the 5.th April, - 5.th July, - 10.th October, - and 5.th January, in each Year. To which Office, all Persons, having any present Claim or Demand, are desired to transmit the same without delay.

John A. C. Mahon

Vice-Treasurer and Commissioner of Accounts

5.th April 1000

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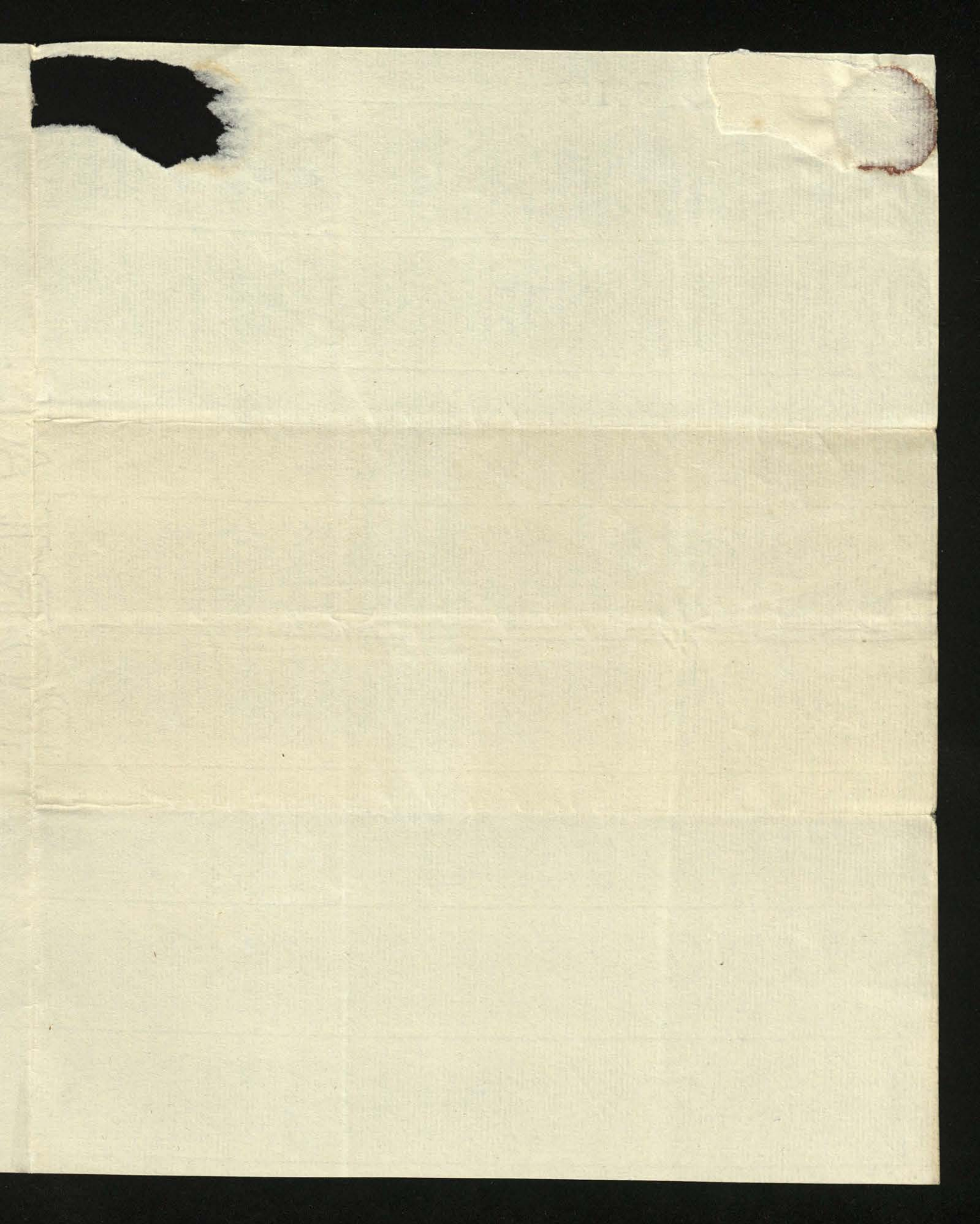
from Boston

Dear Sir

I have already spoke to Mr. P.P.
 & he has promised that we shall have
 the money advanced quarterly, & of course one
 quarter. (I shall try for the past also) the 5th
 of this month which will be between 30 & 4000
 If you could see Mr. Rose, ^{the Id.} you may say this & propose
 too for the Pp. Charlotte & 0,000 loan so you will
 be able to calculate upon 14,000 as your future
 aid, *placatum*.

Yours truly

Payne



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Mr Grey

4. June 1800

Adm^l. Bagnall.

As may calculate on receiving
£14000 per ann. by advance.
or £3500. per quarter.

The Money for which the Treasury are requiring Lord Cholmondeley to account is not any part of the Fund vested in the Commissioners to pay the Debt of His Royal Highness the Prince, but is a sum of £50,000 which was paid to Lord Cholmondeley for His Royal Highness's Marriage outfit. —

The House of Commons upon the motion of Henry Martin required a return to be made of all such Sums with an Account of their application — And in consequence of that order Lord Cholmondeley appearing with many others to be our accountants for Sums not accounted for that table to be called to account was written to — And the same circumstances under it necessary in obedience to the order of the House of Commons that the Vouchers should be examined by Mr. Herison on the part of the Treasury —

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I have to peruse the Act of 35th Geo: 3. Cap. 129.

~~Private Chamber~~ ~~and give you~~ ~~Opinion~~ whether the ~~Chief~~ ^{Principal} Officer
~~of the R. H.~~ who has acted under it ~~under the~~ in the management
~~of his R. H.'s affairs~~ discharge of H. R.'s debts the management of
 his affair in Apartments ~~allotted~~ appropriated for that
 purpose at Carlton House, can upon his ~~removal~~ ^{going out}
 of Office be justified by any ~~standing~~ in the said Act in
 taking into him the Books of Debt ^{Receipts} & other
 Papers belonging to or relating to this R. H.'s Affairs
~~and ought not~~ ^{as and} the same to be left in the Office
 for the use of his R. H. ^{for the benefit of} and ~~then~~ when this R. H.
 may be pleased to appoint to succeed to ~~his~~ ^{his}
 Principal Office in the management of his Affairs ^{Revenue}
 under the said Act ^{order and give directions} whether ~~it~~ ^{it} ~~is~~ ^{is}
~~applicable~~ ^{back} ~~to~~ ^{of} ~~such~~ ^{the} ~~Office~~ ^{Princes's} ~~should~~ ^{business}
~~be~~ ^{back} ~~returned~~ ^{back} ~~to~~ ^{back} ~~him~~ ^{back} ~~or~~ ^{back} ~~to~~ ^{back} ~~the~~ ^{back} ~~Office~~ ^{back}
 upon the return ~~then~~ ^{then} your Opinion is desired what
 steps ~~upon~~ ^{upon} the R. H. ^{should} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~take~~ ^{take} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~obtain~~ ^{obtain}
~~what~~ ^{what} ~~them~~ ^{them} ~~is~~ ^{is}

Charles Bucknole Esq

No. 10, Norfolk Street

Admance
29 March

Case

By an Act of Parliament of the 35th Geo. 3^d Cap. 129 - intitled
"An Act

under the Act - particularly the 25th of the following Sections

^{present}
The Treasurer of the Prince being a Genl Officer in the Staff
absent on Service, ~~he~~ has only acted under the above Act
in receiving the Prince's Money as it became due at the
Exchequer & paying it into his Royal Highness's Bankers.

The ~~Lord~~ Chamberlain of ~~the~~ the R.H. ^{who} had an Office at
Carlton House, a Secretary ^{there} where ^{all} the Business under the
Act has been ^{transacted}.

~~The Office of Chamberlain~~
has lately been abolished, & the Prince has appointed a Vice
Treasurer & Assistant for carrying into the execution the purposes
of the Act. The Chamberlain ^{being} out of Office, has taken with

him all the Books of Acc^t. Vouchers, Bills, Vouchers & Papers -
respecting the Prince's Affairs, and detains them ⁱⁿ pretence of
them being necessary for his Justification if ever he should be
called upon by Parliament or otherwise, ~~to explain for an account of~~

his administration during his time he was in Office, facted in the
management of the Prince's Revenues. - or for an impetio of ^{the Prince's} Accounts

By the 27th Sect. of the Act, it appears that the Accounts
were to be kept by the Treasurer a Principal Officer of the R. H. and
current Accounts & checks upon each other, and necessary Guides -
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the Treasurer a such Principal Officer for the time being to show
the general Book to the King's Treasury - which proves
that these two Articles cannot rightly be carried away.

The Demand in writing by Creditors and the Deputies of
Judges. both entered in due time with the Treasurer at the C. O.
of the R. H. are necessary Vouchers for future as well as past
payments. The Receipts of the Crd. for sums paid them are no
less necessary Vouchers -

But if the above Reasons were left -
strongly urged, it cannot ^{it} be serious thought that Books Acct.
and Papers, containing the Statements of & Vouchers of the
Prince's pecuniary Affairs, kept in his behalf, by his own
Servants & at his own expence, can properly belong to any

Passu but the Reg. at the hands

Your Opinion is, ^{the} desired whether the ^{late} Chamberlain
of the Royal H. can be justified by any ^{under} thing Clause in the
above mentioned Act, for ^{or otherwise} ~~taking~~ ^{taking} ~~away~~ ^{and their} from Carlton House
the Books of Aest. Bills, Vouchers & other papers —
relating to the R. H. of the Chamberlain — and
ought not the same to have been left ⁱⁿ in the Office for
the use of the R. H. & the Person appointed by him to
manage his Affairs under the Act — and if the
late Chamberlain should ^{continue to} refuse to return them, your Opinion
is desired what ^{steps} ^{by} steps this R. H. ought to pursue to
obtain possession of them. —

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