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My Dearest Son, I have indeed no News to tell
 but Young Lee shall not go without a Few Lines
 from me to Assure & Convince You that You are
 always My warmest in my Heart & Thoughts.
 I shall not fail to show the ^{Y^r} ^{of} ^{the} ^{2^d} ^{of} ^{the} ^{Thur-}
 lows Conduct & then do as You have directed
 Down the Paper. I will make no Personal reflexions
 but by all that has pass'd of late I am
 Ever Convinced that Scripture Speaks Wisely in
 saying, Don't put Y^r Trust in Man. & Nothing
 but a fair open & Honest Conduct can make
 one go through the Vicissitudes of Life. In
 an Superior Situation there is one Advantage
 that if they are Accused they may defend them-
 selves, but in a Superior this is frequently im-
 possible, ~~at least~~ & we know by Experience that by
 having recourse to Men they will ^{at} according as
 their ~~interest~~ interest lies, Either Esponse the Cause

or totally give it up. This is a Melancholy
 Picture of Mankind but who is there that has
 not felt the Truth of what I say? I fear it
 is too General, & is one of the reasons why I am
 so reserved, & you my Dearest Friend will offer
 this very severe Trial how necessary it
 will be for you to Check yr openness of Cha-
 racter a little, as many of those you thought
 yr best Friends have certainly not proved.

so.

The King is very much contented with the
 Letter he received last Night from you.
 He is gone to Town this Morning & has left
 me the Prince & Princess of Orange to take care of.
 Our Quarters were dull, not much company
 & indeed the Truth is Nothing Amuses me
 at all. I hope for better Times
 & happy shall I be when that Time comes.

to enjoy it with
 happy in yr
 Fragments
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to enjoy it with You as none can be more
happy in Y^r Company than

Y^r very affectionate Mother
The 8th June. & Friend. Charlotte

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The Queen

to

The Prince of Wales

10th June

1796.

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