

Letter from
Her Majesty
to the
Prince Regent
22^d June 1815

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My Dearest Son. Tho' not the First
yet not the least Sincere in my Congra-
tulations upon the Glorious Successes
Nation has obtained ~~afforded~~ over the
Tyrant of the whole World, You will
receive them with your usual Gratitude
in these few Lines for my joy is above the
Power of Words at this moment, and I
trust that not many such Battles will
be required to put an End to this Melan-
choly renewal of War.

I lament the loss of the two Young
Officers Howard & Ponsonby ~~as~~ knowing
how much they were Beloved in their
Families, & I regret very much that you

will be deprived of so able & usefull an
Officer as ^{Genl} Uxbridge. By the loss of
His Leg. There are perhaps many more
Valiant Men whose Loss ought to
be regretted ~~as~~ for which I shall not
feel loss, but I am acquainted with
so few of them, that I am only struck
by the Names of those whose Parents
& Wives I know.

I will now not detain You any
longer as You must have much Business
& desire You to believe me

My dearest Son

Windsor
The 22^d June

Ever Your affectionate Mother
and Sincere Friends

1815

Charlotte