

Richard H. & Son to Col. McClellan Aug. 28 1804

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My dear Colonel.'

Had received your  
letter two hours ago, I could have ascertained  
the fact you enquire after as the Chancellor  
was with me this morning more than an  
hour on business - We had but little  
conversation on those matters which you  
and I feel so anxiously about as far as  
they regard your most excellent Royal  
Master whose best advisers (between  
you & me) will be found to be men who  
have been consistent in their political  
Principles & attachments & whose sole  
aim has not been place & personal -  
Considerations, but men acting for the  
public good - not a man who can one day

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be a Long & the next thing who can as  
readily support Mr Pitt as Mr Fox has  
easily desert both & take a place, who can  
pretend to be the People's friend & yet  
their fiercest foe - They pardon me  
this impetuosity but I have no affectionate  
I distrustful or attachment to the Prince  
that I should be sorry to see him made  
as Instruments by any man to answer  
his own corrupt purposes. —

Yours Hydean Col.

Gen. Garfield

Augt. 28<sup>th</sup> 1799

Very yours  
John Wilson

Richard Watson & Col. McKean Aug. 28 1804

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Would soon off the same Mission  
as we had at Mary can be acceptable  
to the Queen - A Coachman if  
possible is now in Town or a Post  
when he wishes it: B.W.

Richd Wilson

Aug 10. 1802

of date at end of letter