

George Tierney to H.R.H.

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Brighton Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1810

Sir,

Lord Moria will have informed your royal Highness of the interview I had with my friend, which however afforded nothing so material as to make me think I might avail myself of your permission to return to my family. His decided opinion, arising from repeated conversation with H.M., is, that it is the King's intention gradually to show more kindness to your R.H. and he states him to have been much satisfied with all that passed during your stay at Windsor. My friend was

very happy to hear of your intention to  
review the trial the beginning of next week,  
and your R: H: may then perhaps be induced  
to honor him with another conference.

With respect to myself. I have to beg  
your royal Highness will receive my humble  
thanks for the goodness with which you were  
pleased to give your sanction to my acceptance  
of the Irish secretaryship, but as I have no reason  
to believe that such an arrangement could  
be made in the manner which alone would  
under the situation agreeable to my own  
feelings, I consider the appointment as out of  
the question. I could not however forbear  
from taking this opportunity of renewing  
to your royal Highness my gratitude for

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The favor, & Protection you have extended  
towards one whom coward hope it is to be  
able to prove himself, with all sincerity,

Sir  
Your royal Highness's  
devoted & faithful  
servant  
George Tierney

Mr. Tennyson  
Novr 24. 1804