

R.B. Sheridan to A.R.H.

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Monday,  
Sep<sup>r</sup>: 22. 1806

Sir,

It is impossible for me to express my gratitude for the manner in which your royal Highness has been graciously pleased to express yourself concerning me in some passages of your late letters to Col<sup>l</sup>: M<sup>r</sup>: Mahon. The Duties of my life would not repay all I have long owed to you and it is

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a Debt you are pleased to continue  
to increase. I shall humbly take  
the freedom to touch on this  
subject again tomorrow or next  
Day as well as to say a word  
or two on the Westminster business  
- a subject on which no human  
consideration should have induced  
me to have occasion'd your  
P. H. one moment's uneasy sensation.

As I know the Ministers write  
by this Post to your P. H. I need  
not recapitulate the new arrangements.  
Weymouth positively refusing the

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Purpose it would have been difficult to have made another Arrangement - As Grey could not but have the lead in the House of Commons - if Firmyer goes to the Board of Control I presume the Salary will be mended -

I shall be very glad to find that he is entirely satisfied. Whitbread's understood reason for declining to be secretary at war is obvious indeed! Lord Howick & Lord Grenville were particularly civil to me in their manner of

communicating what was going  
on.

I entreat your R. H.  
to excuse my breaching off abruptly  
and with the most ardent wish  
for your health & happiness

I have the honor to be  
ever  
Your faithful & Dutiful Son

W. Sheridan

His R. H. The Prince of Wales

W. Sheridan  
April 22. 1806