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The answer I wrote to Ld. North this afternoon on the Application of Ld. Chesterfield makes it necessary to say but little on the Application from Ld. Temple, indeed his letter gives no grounds for changing my opinion Ld. North's answer should be couched in civil terms and acquainting him that Ld. Chesterfield had long applied and had been appointed prior to this application. I suppose Ld. North will be much pressed for the vacant Postmaster; Lord Ryehood has many months applied to Me I have answered that I shall ever wish to assist him but that I must see what applications are made and what is most suitable to my service not alone be swayed by personal good inclination.

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