

Duke of Gloucester
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Sir,

Mr. Colleton has just been with me, to desire me to acquaint your Majesty that in consequence of your very gracious present to the Duke of Cumberland deliver'd to him by Mr. Colleton on Monday last; he yesterday sent him by Sr. J. Delaval, a very peremptory Message to demand Interest, which he lays at 2100 £. The Demand is so absurd not to give it another name; that Mr. Colleton wishes your Majesty to be acquainted with it; from him, as he has reason to believe that the Duke of Cumberland means to wait upon your Majesty relative to this business

Mr. Colleton has given me the
message in writing, which together with some
more particulars I shall have the honor to
lay before ^{you} any day, if our Majesty is at leisure.

I have the honor
to be your Majesty's most Dutiful
Subject, and Brother.

William Henry.

Thursday
½ past 12^o clock
P. M.