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Sire

Your Majesty having graciously  
extended your hand to relieve a once  
unfortunate portion of your subjects, will I  
hope permit them Sire, to raise up theirs to  
your Majesty, in humble & heart-felt  
acknowledgement for that happy change  
in their situation, which they owe to your  
royal munificence, & of which, both themselves  
and their families, cannot but retain to  
the end of their lives, the most grateful &  
most dutiful remembrance.

Your Majesty having already humanely  
condescended to cast your eye over the  
regulations, lately introduced, with your  
Majesty's approbation, into the Goal at Oxford,  
I presume, Sire, to submit to your inspection

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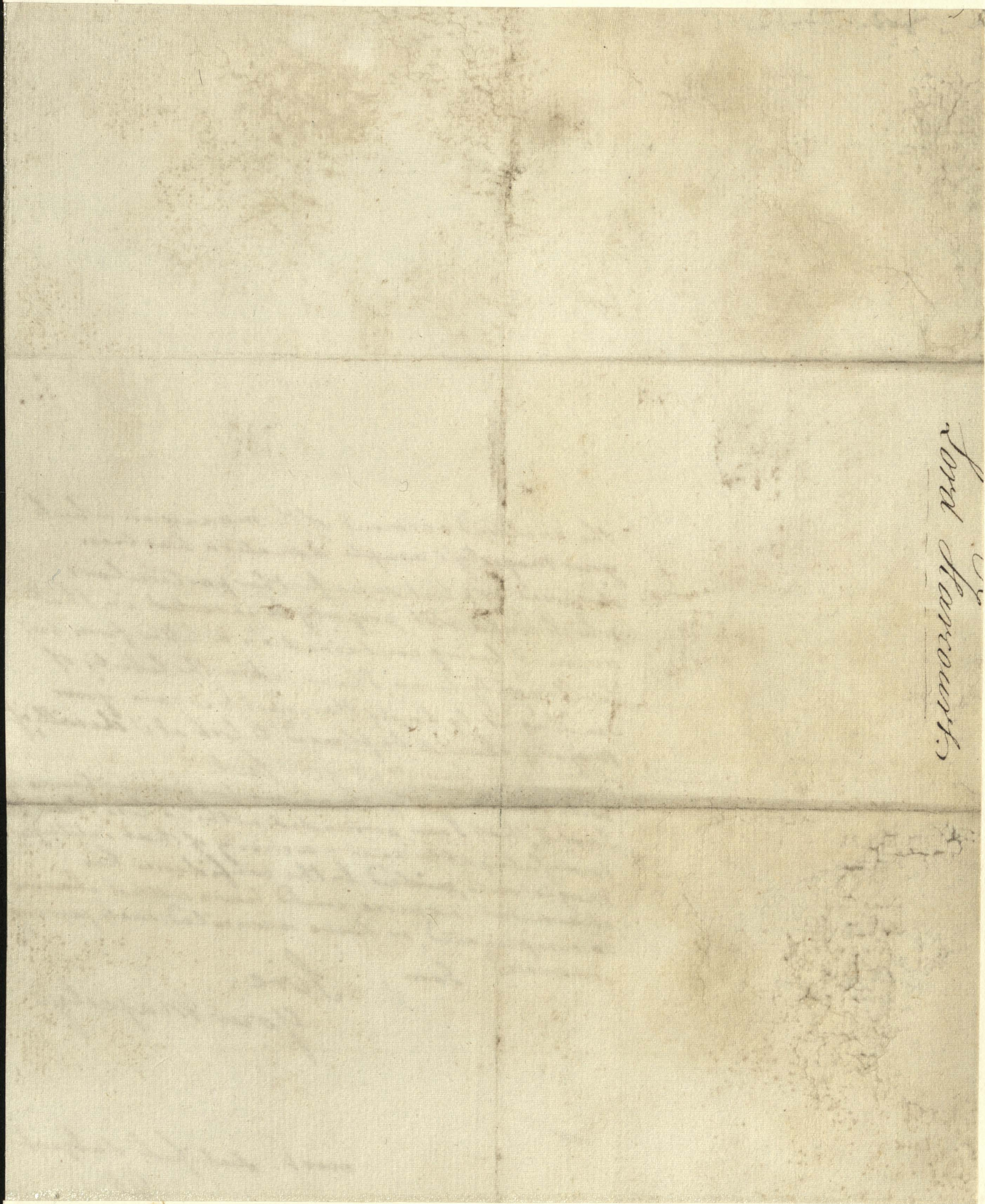
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the enclosed account of the manner in which  
your Majesty's ample donation has been  
disposed of; but some further particulars  
which could not properly be inserted in that  
account being contained in a letter from Mr.  
Willoughby to me, I have taken the liberty of  
sending it by Lady Harcourt, & in case your  
Majesty should be pleased to look at it, she will, if  
permitted, lay it at your feet.  
I add, that I am persuaded nothing less than the  
indefatigable zeal & activity of that intelligent  
Magistrate, aided by the confidence his  
character inspires, could have settled claims  
so complicated, or have reconciled such jarring  
interests. I am

Dear  
Your Majesty's

most dutiful subject  
Harcourt



*Lord Stewart*