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(See & the 7th March)

Royal and British

I have had letters
 from Royal, Elwin, Mollison,
 Dolly & the Duke - all dated
 the 26th ~~write~~ after they had
 heard of the poor Queen's death
 Royal & the Duke both by
 me to express to you all
 they feel on the subject
 but will not trouble you
 with letters of condolence
 as they are sensible of
 all the business you
 must have on your
 hands & they are sure
 you must have some

deeply they deplore the loss
Elwin writes under great
affliction but appears and the
is not ill - The Duke was at
Sunderbury when he wrote and
was not to go to Womburg
until the 29 - I find the
Drs of Clonmore was a good
deal alarmed & was not
on hearing of the poor Duke's
death but they assured
William it was of no
consequence only the usual
require to be kept quiet
for a few days - The Drs of

Cambridge has written me a
beautiful letter to enquire
after you & begs me to lay
her out your feet & express
all the feels for you
knowing your attachment
to the dear Queen -

Our going to Progers yesterday
was beautiful the passing
the dear Queen's empty
Chair was quite artificial
Thank God it is over & we
are getting used to every
body & every thing & thank
more composed, my little
over sets have long since

but I flatter myself the ~~is~~ letter
this evening - reply has been in
my room every day & I have
struggled - in fact we are
fumbling into our old
ways & doing all we
can to exert & be of use
& comfort to each other
I hope you are quite
well & please send love

Yours affectionately

Henry

Princess Mary
to
The Prince of Wales
Dec 7.
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