

A. M. to Hered. Du chesse of Brunswick

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Queen's House Dec. 12th 1769.

My Dear Sister

In consequence of Your letter of the 29th of last month which I received on the 4th of this, I instantly sent it with its two enclosures to My Mother accompanied with my opinion in writing, which I confirmed in conversation with Her in the evening, ~~opinion~~ that no one could advise you to undertake the journey, as by the Duke's letter it seemed probable that it might ~~cause a breach in that Family; that I did think You ought~~ ~~to occur a breach in~~ therefore to say that as the Duke was so averse to it You would for the present postpone it, which would shew him You would hereafter put this in execution, consequently to Your love and regard for the Hereditary Prince can alone be attributed Your taking this prudent part; I then proposed to My Mother as the only means for You to come here, that she should in the course of the summer make You a visit when the Duke could not make any decent excuse for preventing Your attending her back, to this she gave Me an answer but concurred in the whole I had said above.

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A diary to the 27th August
1789 written. (MS. A. 12. 1769)