

General Grenville

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Lest Your Majesty should receive any exaggerated accounts of the Prince's illness, I think it my duty to acquaint Your Majesty, that His Royal Highness has got an attack of the Ague, which however disagreeable for the present moment, will I hope turn out beneficial in the end, more particularly as the Prince has of late complained at different times of pains in His head & limbs. Dr. Zimmermann, proposes giving His Royal Highness the bark this evening which I flatter myself will prevent the return of the fit. His Royal Highness must however be extremely cautious & careful for some time to come both in regard to the taking any violent exercise, & must observe a very strict regimen of Diet in order to guard against a relapse. The Doctor is extremely glad that the Illness has taken this form as He thinks it will serve to purify the blood &

to carry off all bad humours. His Royal Highness
wants with great impatience for the arrival of
His brother Prince William, His Royal Highness
is expected here at the latter end of next week
according to the account of Captain Leving, who
arrived here on Tuesday evening.

I hope Your Majesty will rest perfectly assured, that
nothing will be wanting on my part to give
every assistance in my power to Maj^r General
Bude, & Capt^t Merrick, towards promoting the
completion of Your Majesty's wishes in regard
to Prince William - I am this moment honoured
with Your Majesty's letter of the 15th inst.

I have the honour

to be Your Majesty's
most dutiful Subject

& Servant

Rich^d Grenville

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