

Ld. Moira to Col. McMahon

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My Dear General

Lord Moira
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I think it right to en-
-close to you a letter which I have recei-
-ved from the Revd Mr. Wilson, tho' it appears
that some address for him had already
reached the Prince. My answer to him has
been that it would be highly incorrect
in me to give him any introduction, and
that it would be extraordinary for me to
intercede upon the Prince with a case of

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which I know no particulars, while His Royal Highness had already been weighing the circumstances with the most solicitation. I believe Wilson to be good, & well-meaning. He is, however, what in Scotland is called one of the "honest Gude"; that is, a man with a methodical Perversion which sometimes might think itself absolved from observance of practical respects & fitness.

I also forward an application from a Mr. Hays's Kuffo de la hane. If you have not

unless you should regard bright you must at least have a contingent bill. I have seen the man, but know nothing of him. Had there been any thing to recommend him peculiarly, it is impossible that he should not have come more within my view.

I answered him that I would have it his memorial, which I did because you and I have had it thro' some other Channel. But that I was satisfied the Prince could do nothing in it; His Royal Highness's own

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Should not allow him to open a door for
private lawyers to the Emperor, & the amount
of Public Assistance being limited by the Wis-
dom of Parliament. You will judge whether
it be necessary to show it to the Prince.

I have rejected a number of similar ap-
-plications which I was petitioned to
make; yet, this being in the form of a
Letter to the Prince directly, I did not feel
authorised in this instance to pronounce a
refusal from myself. Pray take care

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have not had a drop of hair since I
arrived here.

Of my true devotion to
the Prince, I believe you

faithfully yours

Henry

Col. the Marquis.

that General Maitland does not leave
the Government of Dominica if he can
not have a Regiment. He was found
to give an over that resignation of
it to under his self capable of stand-
ing for a while; & it would be requisite
that a Regiment should be sent to com-
mend the resignation unless the General
can be otherwise provided for. Be