

Mr. Lowther

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Sir

Having on an occasion
of considerable Distance of Time, had
the distinguished Honor of receiving
a most gracious Communication from
Your Royal Highness, thro' the
Medium of General Hulse (which it
is equally my Duty & heartfelt Senti-
ment never to forget) offering me the
high Honor of an Appointment as
a Groom in Your Royal Highnesses
Household - but which the cruel
Circumstances of my Connection
with my kinsman the late Lord Howland
debarred me the Gratification of accepting
of. I, in Return for your Royal
Highness's bountiful Offer, was
under the cruel Necessity of declining.

the Honor - but at the same Time took
the Liberty of suggesting to Your Royal
Highness my anxious Desire to offer on
a more propitious Occasion, my humble
Request to enjoy that Situation I was
then so unfortunate to be deprived of.

Under such Circumstances I now
throw myself at your Royal Highness
Feet entreating your gracious Consideration
of my Hopes & Request — &

With every possible Attachment
to your Royal Highness Person
I have the Honor to remain
Your Royal Highness's most
Obliged, dutiful & devoted Humble
Servant

A. Lowther.
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