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Sir

I humbly implore your Royal Highness
to forgive the presumption I have taken in
addressing your Royal person. feeling rather
encouraged by the favour your Royal Highness
formerly conferred on me. I owe much thanks to
both us to solicit your Royal protection
I am the more in want of it, as I have now
three children and an increasing family —

Having been so early in life stopped in
my military career and disappointed of the
fortune I expected from Mr. Dillon I have no
chance of ever seeing my circumstances improved
except if your Royal Highness would condescend
to protect me and confer upon me the grant of
some situation if ever so trifling...
Without presuming to specify any thing

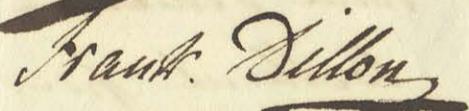
I should hope that with the knowledge I have
of almost all the Foreign Languages I could make
Myself useful in the Alien Office or the Foreign
Department. But in the mean time would
your Royal Highness allow me to solicit the
grant of an apartment in Hampton Court Palace
for myself and family. Such a favour would assist
me very much as my restrained income obliges me
to reside from London.

Having no friends that approach your Royal
Person to speak in my behalf. but trusting to your
Royal Highness's benevolence I put myself at the
mercy of your indulgent goodness and hope to be
pardoned for presuming to solicit a favour.

I have the honor to remain with sentiments
of the most profound respect.

Your Royal Highness'

Most Humble, Obedient and Dutiful Subject


Frank. Dillon

March 14th 1812