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I received My dear Sir late last night your obliging letter of yesterday, conveying to me the gracious permission of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to wear the uniform by which the personal friends of His Royal Highness are designated; and I beg you will do me the kindness to make my humble acknowledgements to His Royal Highness for this distinguished mark of His condescension and favour, assuring His Royal Highness at the same time of my sincere attachment to His Royal Highness's person and of my anxious hope that all His Royal Highness's measures may be attended with success.

Give me leave to offer you my congratulations on your recent advancement, and believe me to be,

My dear Sir

Very truly & faithfully Yours  
Edmund Napier

The Rt Hon<sup>ble</sup> John M<sup>rs</sup> Maken.



