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Sir

The very gracious indulgence which I have ever experienced from Your Royal Highness, encourages me to hope that I may not incur Your Royal Highness's displeasure, by presuming once more to renew the subject on which Your Royal Highness condescended yesterday to honor me with your sentiments.

After leaving Carlton House, I had an opportunity, at the Royal Academy of mentioning shortly to Lord Dunsley that I had of Your

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Royal Highness's conversation with me, which related immediately to the topic that has been the unfortunate occasion of giving so much trouble to your Royal Highness, & so much pain to himself — neither the time nor the place admitted of further explanation, but I received a letter from Lord Denby this morning, which has soon followed by a visit from him, & I can truly assure your Royal Highness, that both the tone of his letter, & his whole manner & expressions during our interview convinced me that he is sincerely anxious to do everything which, under the existing circumstances, may be in his power to remove from your Royal Highness's mind every impression of his having

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but, intentionally at least, treating in that  
gratitude & attachment to your Royal Highness  
which it is equally his duty & his earnest desire  
to manifest on all occasions.

I hardly dare venture to expect to be  
again admitted to your Royal Highness's presence  
unless in consequence of Lord Denby's letter<sup>x</sup> to me,  
which I am persuaded your Royal Highness will  
forgive by enclosing for your inspection, you  
should be gracious enough to command me to  
wait upon you for the purpose of receiving  
your Royal Highness's final pleasure on the subject.

I have the honor to be  
Sir  
Your Royal Highness's  
most obliged  
and obedient servant  
Charles Yorke

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The situation of the country is such that  
the Government of the East India Company  
is in a great degree dependent on the  
British Government for its support and  
to the British Government is indebted  
for the maintenance of the British  
Army and Navy in India. The British  
Government is also the sole market  
for the produce of the Indian  
Empire. The British Government is  
therefore the sole power in India  
and the British Government is the  
sole power in the world.