

Mrs Geo. Villiers to Col. Kekahou

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I cannot delay one moment
my dear friend in informing you
how comparatively happy I am at
this moment - I lost no time
in immediately adopting your
kind recommendation of going
to my brother, who, with his
usual activity, went forth with
to W B - he learnt from him
that subsequently to his interview
with you this morning, he had
seen

M^{rs} General, (incidentally) appeared me this morning -
 The Lord Chancellor, who were To be sure such a step would
 both decidedly of opinion have been too heart-breaking at a
 that after the rigorous measures moment when, as I mentioned
 which had already been taken to you to day, our prospects were
 there was nothing in this case brightened by the hopes of the
 which could in any way justify accounts being speedily closed.
 a resort to that extreme measure I trust there will now be no
 measure, of the probability of your necessity for Mr. Villiers ever
 - your warm & active friend ship (as long as I live I can never
 never can forget) had so kindly. I say excuse this long scrawl

Mr. Villiers
into which I have been betrayed
by my so deeply feeling your
anxiety of this morning, as
well as by my earnest wish that
it may arrive in time to prevent
your invoking the benevolent
aid of H. R. H. The Prince Regent
on whose kindness I have such reliance
that I should be pained to have
implored it unnecessarily -

Once more, my dear friend, accept
my warmest thanks & believe me
always most gratefully &
Sincerely Yrs
Theresa Villiers