

Col. McCracken & H.R.H.

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Private

Carlton House

Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 1812, Six o'clock P.M.

Sir,

Excepting that your Royal Highness  
should know why such a deficiency in all  
points of Information has happened to Night,  
I would not have presumed to trouble you with  
so uninteresting a Letter. But Lowden who had  
promised I should punctually receive by half past  
5 a detail of his Proceedings, has made me no  
Communication whatever, & the excessive Storm  
& Rain of the Day, has not allowed me a  
moment

to seek him. Lord Morda having again  
received no answer from the Duke of Norfolk,  
imagines he defers a reply until he returns  
to town, which will not be before next Monday.

The Ballot at the India House was  
not expected to take place sooner than seven or  
eight o'clock <sup>this evening,</sup> but there is no apprehension of any  
failure in the appointment. As all other  
things continue right, I console myself for the  
dearth of News in the hope that G. R. S. will  
excuse it, by thinking on this occasion, that "No  
News is Good News."

Your Royal Highness's  
ever affectionate Servant,  
The Prince Regent. J. M. Morda.