

Sn Samuel Whitcombe to Col. McMahon.

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Sn Samuel Whitcombe about a fortnight
since took the liberty of mentioning to
Col. McMahon the dangerous illness
of Mr Brummel who holds various
situations in the gift of Lord Eldon
— Since then Mr Brummel has
been thought in a state of convalescence
all the other night, when, as Sn
Samuel learnt yesterday afternoon,
he ~~had~~ had a relapse, and it was
supposed could not survive many
days — The places are

Secretary of Bankrupts
Secretary of Presentations
Commissioner of Bankrupts
Cursitor —

Any of them quite compatible with other
pursuits, particularly the two first, which
may be and generally are principally
created

by Deputy -

Without making an ostentatious display
 of disinterestedness, which if made might not
 be much credited, Sir Samuel can say, that
 in this respect he stands as clear as most,
 and he can further say, that if the situations
 above specified should be vacated, by the
 happening of the event now so much
 expected, his proposing either, and particularly
 that of Secretary of Bankrupts, would be
 really valuable, in his estimation, from its
 affording him the most ample means of
 devoting the principal part of his Time, to
 the services of the Prince Regent, of whose
 honours &c &c he is as tenacious as of his
 own - It is this consideration too & the
 opportunity which his being in Parliament
 would give, of furthering and promoting his
 R. H's interests, that would render a
 seat there more than ordinarily desirable
 - Indeed, Sir Samuel has no personal
 or interested motive for being in Parliament,

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Sn Samuel Whitcombe to Col. Jackson.

that would prompt him particularly to covet
it - Upon public grounds he confesses he
should like it, because a seat there does
enable its possessor to be more useful
than he can otherwise possibly be.

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Friday morn 5 o'clock

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