

Sr Thos. H. Esq. to Col. Geo. Mahon

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Madras July 2^d 1815.

My Dear Friend

I had the pleasure of addressing
a few lines to you on the 16th ult. which were
forwarded by a private trading ship the Mary
Anne when I informed you of the arrival
here of Capt. Fitzclarence & his Brother both
in perfect health and at the same time ex-
-pressed to you my very sincere thanks for
the very kind & friendly letter you had the
goodness to write to me by them.

May I now beg of you to deliver the
accompanying

W. M. Esq. Colonel M. Mahon

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Accompanying letter into the hands of H. R. H.
The Prince Regent with my most dutiful respects,
I have therein merely attempted to express
the gratification I shall derive in my endeavours
to fulfill the wishes & expectations of H. R. H.
by all the attention in my power to the
two young Officers in whose Welfare H. R. H.
is pleased so graciously to evince so lively
an interest and that more particularly to
the youngest (who is by H. R. Highnesses
directions more immediately confided to my
friendly Office) nothing shall be wanting
from me to give the fullest effect to the

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utmost extent of H. R. Highness's most
earnest desire. At my request he has already
been appointed by the Governor in Council an
Extra Aide de Camp on my Staff and I have
written to Lord Moira for his sanction &
Confirmation thereof.

I shall have the pleasure of writing
you again in a few days & in the mean
time subscribe myself with unfeigned truth

My Dear friend

Your ever most obliged

Sincerely grateful

Thos. Hulep

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Mr. Mr. Bishop

July 6. 1816