

S. W. Hallford to

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My Dear Sir

Sir William Knappleton was so good as
to give me a hint yesterday that it
would be satisfactory to you to receive
from me some document on which
I grounded an expectation of remun-
eration for my humble services
in attending His Majesty, on several
occasions of Illness, since I had the
honour of being appointed one of
His Majesty's Physicians, eleven years
ago.

I have always found it extremely
proper for you to set a value upon my
own services. and still more his
-obbl. to prefer claims, if I may use
that word, upon them. But I have

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with difficulty on this occasion, because I
can appeal to you, who have not only
participated largely in all the anxiety
which His Majesty's illness has given
rise to, but have witnessed and touch-
-ed the attention which was paid
to them -

would His Majesty be graciously
pleas'd to think that I did not
overrate my poor exertions, if
I mentioned two thousand pounds
as a generous recompense for them,
I speak of attendance only under
actual illness - for I am His
Majesty's infinitely obliged servant
for the great condescension and

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friendship with which Her Majesty has
always been pleased to receive my
occasional visits to Carlton House.
made solely to express my dutiful
attachment and affection to His
Majesty.

I am, my dear Sir, with
true esteem yours

Henry Hallford.

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May 11. 1820

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Mr. H. G. Ford
May 11th 1920.