

Dear Sir

The Bearer is my Relation Mr
Neapby and if you ^{can} allow him to intrude on a few
 minutes of your Time he may be able to state of whom
 the object he has in view in wishing to address a few
 lines on the subject of a Picture he was commended by
 the late King to paint of His Grace the Duke of
 Wellington and his Generals

I am, very respectfully

Dear Sir

Your obliged
 Servant

W. L. B. 1/2
 19 July 1831, J. B. St. John Wood Road

43. Pinner's
19 Feb 1831
Mr. Hoop
In the evening Mr. Hoop,
Artist -