

Sir J. Sinclair to Capt. Payne.

May 22 1792

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Dear Sir

I am thus far, in my way to Scotland, to attend the General assembly of the Church there. It is by means of the Clergy that I am getting the Statistical account of Scotland executed, of which I sent you a specimen. It would have a great effect with them, & would be a very popular measure in the country, if the Prince would take the trouble, of sending me a few lines, signed by himself, which I might show to the Clergy, expressing his approbation of the work, & satisfaction with the great pains the Clergy have taken, adding that he will recommend it to the attention of their Majesties. - It is amazing the effect of these little things properly timed. What strange stumbling, rumbling, grumbling, jumbling times we live in. Will you be so good as to drop me a line, what all this will end in. - yours faithfully. John Sinclair
Aconbury Hill. 22^d May 1792

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N. B. I have recommended to opposition
 to move in both Houses, an Address to the
 Crown, "Praying his Majesty to bestow
 "some ^{special} mark of his Majesty's gracious favour,
 "on Edward Lord Thurlow, as a small
 "recompence for his long & meritorious
 "services to the state, which so justly
 "intitle him to the gratitude, ^{the} confidence,
 "and thanks, of his sovereign, & of his country.
 "If the motion was carried, which is not
 "impossible, there is an end of the minister.

From
 Sir J. S. Jencks
 dated 22 May 1792.

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