

Lady H. Seymour to Capt. Payne

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My Dear Mr. Payne.

Your Letter has certainly cooled my face
Nevertheless I am still more surpris'd than
ever. I am more grateful to the World
for the Indignation they have shewn
as any thing thus appear'd like a
Slight shewn towards a Man of Mr. H's
Superior Character. This alone has
brought the Notice to his Sense, should
Mr. H. have left Torbay before any of
the Letters reach'd him - he may never
know the unpleasant State things have
been in for some days past. I expect
him every day. The Plot were not in

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Sight to Paris this Morning. Thought
I must to apply for the Admiralty
to be commisioned for the Sans Pareille
Immediately as the French Fleet are
safe in Brest - so we may be in Town
next Week. This very damp Weather
gives me something very like the
Gout in my Stomach, so I must say
God bless you, for I can hardly write -
I am afraid for your Letter, Captain
Gaulthier was killed, which will make
his Sister very miserable, and she was
so very proud of him. I have accus-

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excuse at least my slipshodness about
old letters will, but when I am very
busy, I can neither speak or write.

I remain very sincerely

Dear Mr. Payne &c.

Wm. M. W.

Thursday.

Lady H. Seymour

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