

Prince of Wales Island Committee to Sir J. Macpherson

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To Sir J. Macpherson Bart.

Sir //

We a Committee of the European and
Indian inhabitants of George Town Prince of
Wales Island, having been favored with a perusal
of your Address to the Lieut^g Governor covering a
letter from Adm^l Payne and accompanying an
Original picture of His Royal Highness The
Prince of Wales, consider this Settlement as fortunate
in having attracted your attention, and in being
flattered with your support, which it will be
the peculiar ambition of its inhabitants to
deserve.

Our hitherto rapid advance does
credit to the discernment and Abilities with
which the Settlement was made, and we
hope will continue to reflect honor on you
as its founder.

Captain Thomas Hall of the Duke

of

of Buncleugh has been so kind as to receive on
Board a Pipe of Madeira which the inhabitants
Request you would accept as a mark of their
Respect.

We have inclosed a letter to Adm^l
Payne covering an address to his Royal Highness
the Prince of Wales open for your perusal, which
be so good as see delivered.

We have the honor to be with all
Regards,
Sir,

Your most Obed^t & very hble serv^{ts}

J. H. Elliot

John Elliot

Wm^m Nasson

J. Colthoun

Prince of Wales Island

Novem^r 13th 1801

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