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Adm. John Willellt Payne to Lady Charlotte
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Dear Lady Charlotte

I may appear very ungrateful
in letting a Lady's letter & a fair Lady too, so long
remain unanswered, but the truth the Prince
did not read it till yesterday, when he went
to town, & I forced into a perusal, as it was
from one of the fair sex, which after he had
perused he replied in the following way "Tell
Lady Charlotte she must tell her Mama, she must
do what is necessary & he is sure it will be what
most proper, and therefore she will of course
dismiss the troublesome Betty, which has caused
her so much uneasiness". I desired to know into
what ship she was to be discharged into by your
order". He said my where bet into Carlton House -

where he said with what I do not repeat, as it was
help'd on with some d's, which as a sailor I
knew how to construe, as well as the B's, in what
I saw his intention was that Lady Eliza should
dispose of her without murey from her bad
conduct. I hope you have good accounts from your
dear merr, & that he is going on well. I shall on
the Princess returns go to Bath with him, which I do
not think will be long first, but this is in other

I hope the little Princess is well & if I can I will
look in upon you before I go, and I ever am Dear
Lady Charlotte your most humble & dutiful Servant.

W. Pagan