

Mr. Fox.

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H. R. H.

The P. of Wales

(Princess Charlotte)

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Sir Mr. Francis has just informed me of the desperate attempt that is making to take the Princess from your Royal Highness. — In such circumstances, Popeship is of the greatest consequence, and Francis suggests to me what seems highly probable that the R. may attempt to gain popeship of the Princess Charlotte by violence or stratagem, and take her to Windsor. To counteract such a conduct there seems to my judgment to be nothing for your Royal Highness to do, but to send immediately without a moment's delay for your Daughter to Carlton House, and to maintain <sup>the</sup> popeship of her Person by all legal means. Where she now is she cannot be

safe. - For God's sake Sir, let  
me persuade you that this is not  
a matter of the highest importance to  
you. I write in great haste, and will  
only add the assurances of my  
unalterable attachment. C. J. F.

St. Anne's Hill

Sunday 5 o'clock