

After a lapse of so many Years, during which the course of Events on the Continent has unhappily deprived the Queen of Wurtemberg of all direct communication with the Royal Family of England, Her Majesty avails herself of Sir Thomas Lywchitt's presence at Stuttgart to charge him with a Representation to her Most Dear Brother His Royal Highness The Prince Regent; the subject of which, Her Majesty is fully persuaded, requires only to be mentioned to His Royal Highness to secure his immediate attention and consideration.

At the period of Her Majesty's Marriage the Annual Payment of Five Thousand Pounds Sterling was guaranteed to her during her life; but although such Payment has been regularly made in England, for the use of Her Majesty, yet it is well known that, during the suspension of all commercial intercourse between Great Britain and Germany, the Rate of Exchange has been such that, in the annual receipt of this sum, Her Majesty has, since the year 1805 (with the exception of the two following years when the course of Exchange was at par), suffered a diminution of her Allowance in the Ratio of more than One-fifth; amounting, in the whole, to the sum of £5771.9:8 Sterling, as will appear by the Statement annexed.

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From the manifold proofs of warm affection and regard which His Royal Highness has so often evinced towards The Queen, Her Majesty has every reason to confide in his kindness upon this occasion; and Her Majesty therefore trusts that His Royal Highness will be pleased to give such directions as may be necessary, not only to indemnify Her Majesty for the great loss which she has already sustained, but also that, in future, the intention of the original settlement may be effectuated by her receiving in full this allowance, the diminution of which cannot but have sensibly affected Her Majesty's domestic arrangements.

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December 1813.

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Statement of the annual Loss of Her Majesty The Queen of Württemberg, arising from the State of the course of Exchange, from time to time, when Her Majesty has drawn on England for the yearly sum of Four Thousand Pounds Sterling, part of the sum of Five Thousand Pounds Sterling, the Payment of which was guaranteed to Her Majesty on her Marriage.

1805	—	Course of Exchange $10\frac{1}{2}R$	—	2,000 Florins	—	£ 190. 9. 6 $\frac{1}{4}$
1808	—	$9\frac{1}{2}$	—	6,000 631. 11. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$
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1810	—	$8\frac{1}{2}$	—	10,000 1176. 9. 4 $\frac{3}{4}$
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1813	—	$9\frac{1}{2}$	—	6,000 631. 11. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$
					<u>Fls 51,000</u>	<u>£ 5771. 9. 8</u>

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