

From the Duchess of Brunswick
October 27th 1806

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My dear brother

Kind & good as you have ever been to me I could not expect other but that you would sympathise in my affliction. by this note which I take the liberty to inclose you will see the summary of all my misfortunes. do not be uneasy about me I have fortitude & resignation in the will of the Almighty that has supported me through life. we are in all respects settle here very comfortably. I have a great sum with me, & all the dear Duke's chests with money & the cashier are with me. I have a thousand pardons to ask for the impertinent note that Prince Paul will have deliver'd to you. he is certainly in the wrong to have quarrel'd with his father, but he is a sad man, & there is a great deal for his justification. this Wurtemberg King is a monster & all that his excellent wife will write against Paul is by order she is figheten to do it for him. what a constraint that a third must read my letters. I ever am dear brother

with the truest affection your most attached

devote humble servant
& subject

Augusta

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