

Mr. Hayes

January 13. 1725

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Sire

I have the honor to acquaint Your Majesty, that H.R.H. Prince Augustus is a little indisposed at present; H.R.H. complain'd of a slight Cold the night before last, & coughing several times in the course of yesterday, I order'd him some Water-Gruel sweeten'd with Honey in order to ease his Cough, but having had a restless night & being rather feverish this morning a want of Appetite & a pain in his Side, I went to Mr. Hawkins, who being ill winded & unable to attend H.R.H. desired me to send for Mr. Dundas who, after having made his report and consulted with Mr. Hawkins, order'd H.R.H. to take 30 ℥. of Rhubarb & as many of Magnesia, tied low and take nothing in the course of the day but Sago, Panada & Milk; keep quiet, & it might probably go off in a day or two. Mr. Dundas is to call again in the Evening to see H.R.H. & in case He should grow worse, shall, with Your Majesty's Permission send for Dr. Richd. Jebb. I thought it right

to acquaint Your Majesty with HRH's indisposition
as the Symptoms are nearly the same as those which
prevail'd HRH's last Illness.

I have the honor to be with the most
profound Respect,

Sire

Your Majesty's
most Dutifull

and most Obedient

Horace Hayes

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