Dow. Duchess of Brunswick

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My dearest Brother

Transmitting this note will give an Idea of what we have to expect, but from your bounty I have your of the 12 for which I am most thankful, when my quarter was due for the remittance of the interest of my money I sent my acquittance & it was paid. the Duke of Bevern was not so lucky, Denemark will certainly intercede for him, something is to be given to the Dss of Oels, she has twice been sent for by her family instigated by Bonaparte who sent the Sad Sort for Mary this friend William that probably the intention was to separate them, he will not consent to her leaving Sweden, as he cannot maintain her & the Children, he has not yet not his dismission which is real it imposes great constraint on all his actions there is no the least hope of their restoring Bronsvic, Bonaparte will not hear a word about us. the contributions are immense, our Military have been packed in Carts sent to France, those that were invalids received their dismission the Guilloline does great havock in Hesse Fulda where all is in rebellion, if all Germany would follow that example, we might hope to see an end of these troubles Governor Bipon is a bon vivant, l'Intendant Baru is the factotum a very sly man, his brother is always with little Bona these two men are not well together, Bipon will certainly be recalld & then we may have a worse in his place, in short I see no end of all this for tho it is reported that in Poland things do not turn out favourably for them, yet as they have all in their hands it must be a work of time to drive them out of Germany. there is not a french man in the Duke of Mecklenburgs Strelitz country, all he does is Personal & without rhyme or reason so that there is no calculating what is to become of us. my little Mirau is ready to Embark when your order comes, I wish I was to accompany him when the fine weather comes, I leave this to your more deliberation what you would have me do, being sure you will advise me what is most proper for me, & at the same time what is agreable to you, for Kings cannot always do as they will, so that tho it will hurt me I know its the circumstance & not you that refuse to receive one. my dear brother I hope believes in the unalterable affection of her who would be most happy to assure you in person of the true attachment of your dutiful humble

servant & Subject

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The Duchess of
Beaufort begs
leave

To
The King