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To all to whom these presents  
shall come His Royal Highness William Henry  
Duke of Clarence, sendeth Greeting Whereas His  
said Royal Highness is about to quit England and for  
some time to reside on the Continent And whereas His  
said Royal Highness is entitled under His Majesty's Grants  
or Warrants founded on certain acts of Parliament to three  
several Pensions or annual sums of twelve thousand pounds  
two thousand five hundred pounds and six thousand pounds  
and is also entitled to half pay as Admiral of His Majesty's  
Fleet and hath authorized Messieurs Thomas Coutts and Company  
to receive the said several pensions and hath also authorized  
John Barton Esquire to receive the said Half Pay and the  
said Pensions some or one of them are subject to certain  
charges or annual payments created or secured by Indenture  
bearing date the fifteenth day of July One thousand eight  
hundred and eleven and made between the said William  
Henry Duke of Clarence of the first part William Adam  
Esquire the said Thomas Coutts and Thomas Collingridge  
Gentleman and James Smith Gentleman of the second  
part and the said Thomas Coutts, Thomas Collingridge  
and James Smith and the several other persons creditors  
of the said William Henry Duke of Clarence who should  
execute the same Indenture of the third part And the said  
William Henry Duke of Clarence is also equitably entitled to  
a leasehold messuage in Audley Square in the County of  
Middlesex subject to the payment by instalments of the  
sum of four thousand five hundred pounds and interest  
secured thereon to the said Thomas Coutts and which said  
sum of four thousand five hundred pounds and interest are

also secured by the Bond of His said Royal Highness  
and by and upon the said Pensions ~~21~~<sup>20</sup> £<sup>10</sup> whereas His  
said Royal Highness is also by virtue of His Majesty's —  
Letters Patent Chief Steward of the Honor and Manor of  
Hampton Court and Ranger of the several Parks now —  
united and commonly called Bushy Park ~~21~~<sup>20</sup> £<sup>10</sup> whereas  
His said Royal Highness is desirous of committing his —  
affairs during his absence to the management of The  
Right Honorable George Keith Lord Viscount Keith, The Right  
Honorable Sir John Borlase Warren Baronet, Sir Charles —  
Maurice Pole Baronet, John Barton, Comptroller of His —  
Majesty's Mint and Charles Hodges Ware Esquire of Gray's  
Inn in the County of Middlesex as herein after expressed  
And that the powers and authorities hereby given to  
them may be exercised by any two of them ~~now~~ know  
ye and these presents witness That His Royal Highness  
the said William Henry Duke of Clarence hath nominated  
constituted and appointed And by these presents Both  
nominate constitute and appoint the said George —  
Keith Lord Viscount Keith, Sir John Borlase Warren, Sir  
Charles Maurice Pole, John Barton and Charles Hodges Ware  
his true and lawful attorneys for him the said William  
Henry Duke of Clarence in his name and on his behalf  
or in the names of them the said Attorneys to ask —  
demand recover and receive of and from the said Messieurs  
Thomas Coutts and Company and all other person and  
persons who may at any time be appointed to receive the  
same at His Majesty's Exchequer or elsewhere all and singular  
the said several Pensions a so much and such part —  
thereof respectively as shall remain after paying and  
satisfying from time to time the sum and sums now

charged thereon as herein before mentioned And also  
the said Half pay and all other pay and profits of  
His said Royal Highness's Appointment or Office of  
Admiral of His Majesty's Fleet And also for and on the  
behalf of His said Royal Highness to receive from the  
Deputy Steward of the said Honor and Manor the profits  
of the Courts of the said Honor and Manor making  
thereout all just allowances and also of and from all  
other persons now or who may be hereafter employed in  
the execution of the Offices granted by the said Letters  
Patent all other profits and emoluments arising therefrom  
And also for and on the behalf of His said Royal Highness  
to take possession of manage order and dispose of all the  
Household Goods and Furniture Wine Books Pictures Plate  
Linens China Horses Carriages Live and dead Stock Stores and  
effects of him the said William Henry Duke of Clarence  
in and about Bushy Park aforesaid and his Apartments  
in Saint James's Palace or elsewhere And also to oversee  
cultivate manage repair and improve the Messuages  
Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in or about Bushy  
Park aforesaid and the Gardens and Appearances  
thereunto belonging And also for and on the behalf of  
him the said William Henry Duke of Clarence to sell  
and dispose of or let and demise the said Leasehold  
messuage in Audley Square either with or without the  
Household Goods Furniture and Effects now or which may  
hereafter be placed therein And also for and on the behalf of  
His said Royal Highness from time to time to dismiss  
or suspend all or any of the persons now employed or  
hereafter to be employed in or about the said Offices  
Establishments and Concerns and other persons to substitute

and appoint and to regulate increase or reduce the  
Salaries Wages and Allowances of all such persons or any  
of them And also for and in the name of His said  
Royal Highness or otherwise to commence and prosecute  
any Action or Actions Suit or Suits in any Court of  
Law or Equity for the recovery of any debt matter or thing  
whatsoever due or payable or to become due or payable  
or in any wise pertaining or belonging to His said  
Royal Highness on any account whatsoever And the same  
Action or Actions Suit or Suits to prosecute and follow  
or to discontinued or become nonsuit therein And also to  
appear to and defend any Action Suit or other proceeding  
to which His said Royal Highness may be made party  
And generally to have and take such lawful ways  
and means for the recovering receiving or getting in any sum  
and sums or other things whatsoever which is or shall  
or may be or by the said Attorneys shall be conceived  
or thought to be ~~due~~ owing belonging or payable  
to His said Royal Highness And upon payment ~~and~~  
receipt or recovery of all and every or any such Pensions  
Pay profits sum and sums of money goods Chattels and  
Effects to give proper acquittances and discharges ~~and~~  
for the same And for any of the purposes aforesaid to  
appoint substitute and deputy any other person or persons  
to act in any of the matters aforesaid and to allow and  
pay all such costs charges salaries and expences as they  
the said Attorneys shall think proper and reasonable And  
also to adjust settle and pay or by any Deed or Instrument  
to be executed by them or either of them to secure all  
or any sum or sums of money which may now be or  
shall hereafter become due and owing from His said

Royal Highness and also to refer any of the matters  
aforesaid to arbitration and enter into Bonds or Agreements  
for that purpose And generally for him the said —  
William Henry Duke of Clarence to make do perform and  
execute all Acts Deeds Matters and things in and about  
the premises as fully and effectually to all intents and  
purposes as if he were present and did the same in  
person And his said Royal Highness doth hereby declare  
that all and every the powers and authorities aforesaid  
and hereby given or intended to be given to the said  
George Keith Lord Viscount Keith, Sir John Borlase Warren  
Sir Charles Morice Pole, John Barton and Charles Hodges  
Ward may and shall be exercised and executed by any  
two of them And that anyone of them may be authorized  
by any two of the others of them to draw upon the  
Bankers with whom any sum or sums of money  
may be deposited or with whom any account may  
be kept for the management of my affairs **2nd**  
moreover that partial authorities or instructions —  
which may from time to time or at any time be  
given or transmitted by his said Royal Highness during  
his said absence from England shall not be deemed or  
construed to be a revocation of any of the powers or  
authorities hereby given except so far as the same shall be  
so declared and expressed **Provided always** and  
it is hereby declared that nothing herein contained shall  
be deemed to revoke the powers and authorities under  
which the said pensions and half pay are now received  
for the use of his <sup>and</sup> Royal Highness but the person and  
persons now authorized to receive the same shall continue  
so to do be and they accounting for or paying the same

To the Attorneys in and by these presents appointed  
as herein-before expressed And the said William Henry  
Duke of Clarence Doth hereby agree to ratify and confirm all  
and whatsoever his said Attorneys or any two of them  
shall lawfully do or cause to be done in the premises  
**In witness** whereof his Royal Highness the said  
William Henry Duke of Clarence hath hereunto set his  
hand and seal the first day of August in the year  
of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

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Power of Attorney -

His Royal Highness The Duke  
of Clarence

To

The Right Honble Lord Viscount  
Kembla, The Right Honble Sir John  
Bolton Warren Bt, Dr Charles  
Monroe sole Bt, John Barton  
and Charles Hodges Warre Esq<sup>r</sup>

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To The Right Honble Lord Viscount Keith

The Right Honble Sir John Borlase Warren Baronet

Sir Charles Mervin Pole Baronet

John Barton Esquire

Charles Hodges Ware Esquire

My Lord and Gentlemen

Having this day executed a Power of attorney by which you will have full authority to act in my concerns during my intended absence from England, I now proceed to give some instructions for the application of the monies which will be paid or accounted for to you.

The Receipts from the Pensions mentioned in the power amount to } 20500" 0" 0

The Half Pay thereon also mentioned is - - - 1135" -" -

To which is to be added Rent received from the Master of the Horse for a Paddock in } 180" -" -  
Bushy Park - - - - - 21815" -" -

and the Profits of the Farm within the Park - - -

The Annual payments to be made in pursuance of the Deed of 15 July 1811 mentioned in the Power will be as follow - -

Interest of £37006. 15. 5 - - - - - 1850. 6. 9

Insurance of 11360. - - - - - 1867. 14. 2  
3718. 0. 11

The sum of £4500 mentioned in the Power as secured to Mr Coutts is payable by installments amounting £ Ann to - - - 500. 0. 0

Mr Coutts also holds my Bond for £1000 whereon £325 now remains unpaid ) and which is to be discharged by 150" -" -  
Installments amounting £ Ann to )

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Rundell & C° hold my Bond for £1700 which is to be paid by } 300" -" -  
Installments amounting £ Ann to ) 950" -" -

The Interest now amounts £ Ann to 330" -" - 1280" -" -

I have also engaged to pay the following  
sums annually viz

To Mr Morton for Job Carriages — — — 131. 5.

To the Scottish Corporation } Annual sums which Mr Barton  
To the Marine Society — } can specify and there may be others  
of which he can give an account

Ground Rent of the House in Audley Square  
mentioned in the power — — —

Insurance of do — — — — — 17. 13.

I desire £500 p quarter to be carried  
to the Credit of Her Royal Highness the  
Duchess of Clarence with Messrs Coutts & Co. } 2000.  
viz p ann — — — — — }  
{

To a separate Account with Messrs Coutts &c.  
for my own use £1500 p quarter viz } 6000.  
p ann — — — — — }  
{

To a separate Account with Messrs Coutts &c.  
in the name of the aforesaid John Barton

Esguie £512. 10. 0 p quarter viz  
p ann — — — — — 2050 which with the  
annual value of the house

in Audley Square — — — — — 3450 will be — 2050.  
equal to — — — — — 2500 which is to be  
considered as my allowance for the maintenance of  
Miss Sophia Fitzclarence Miss Mary Fitzclarence  
Miss Elizabeth Fitzclarence Miss Augusta Fitzclarence  
and Miss Amelia Fitzclarence

p quarter £52. 10. 0 viz p ann — — — — — 210.  
to be applied at Mr. Barton's discretion for the  
use of Mr. Frederick Fitzclarence Mr. Adolphus  
Fitzclarence and Mr. Augustus Fitzclarence