

To Lady Mayo

1818

J. James's.

Sunday Night.

Dear Madam,

Being very busy and Sophia  
 being in town I left my daughter to answer  
 your Ladyship about the house at Bognor.  
 I hope good humour and good sense are return-  
 ed and that all will be right with Sophia.  
 She is with her own consent here with me.  
 Phyllis and Eliza come up also to remain and  
 until the next time oblige them to turn  
 out I shall keep them here so that they will  
 have very little more either of Bury or of

Dr: H. Smith: let me have but a few sensible  
account of the speedy arrival of the Dutch  
and Princes of Anhalt and once see my dear  
-ters going on happily and comfortably I trust  
my mind and consequently my health will  
recover: but time will tell be requisite  
after the severe and long trials I have had  
of such various natures: I rejoice to hear  
you do an account of Dr: Smith: my best wishes  
and Compliments to all at Buxtehude Lodge  
and ever believe me,

Dear Madam

Yours sincerely  
W. Smith