

H. R. H. the Duke

of Lancaster

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My dear Brother,

Ever more I beg leave to trouble

you on the subject of my station; if it is not too late let me
intreat you to ask for my having the chancell: should the

thing not give me a larger allowance, I shall in England
be able to live on my income, and if you think it will aid

the business, say that on the home station I wish for

more than three thousand a year: another point that if

granted I am very ready to begin that station for three

years and during that time I will not trouble the King,

which in these circumstances is six and twenty years of age

a year longer than he himself has meant to employ me: I will

Let me observe what is a fact, namely that Captain Dodd is
is just appointed to the Plymouth station, is a worthy, sensible
man incapable of erring in the Chamberlain's office at
-ready hand: apply, by all means, my dear brother, and let
me know there is as soon as possible about. I am sure
do not forget the home station. I have many reasons
prefer and let me pursue all your endeavours to
succeed.

Give my best compliments to Frederick and tell him
yesterday received his letter and will answer him in a day
or two; and ever believe me,

Your most affectionate
Brother, and Friend,

J. J. J.