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Innes Temple

June 1st 1824

My dear Friend

No letter for you by the Post of this day. The 2^d Post late yesterday evening brought you a letter from the Bishop of Salisbury, so ill-directed that it was not delivered till long after the time he had appointed you to come to his house. "The Bishop of Salisbury begs to see Bishop Chase on Monday next between the hours of nine and eleven". He is gone from London this morning. I hope he will be found to have left his subscription behind him.

Dr Copleston writes ^{to me} from Oxford "It is likely that both Bishop C's and the general Cause will meet with liberal support in Oxford - but we must take care to reserve something for Canada, which is about to solicit our aid, & which has the strong claim of common Country upon us." It should not be forgotten that Canada has the claim of a legal establishment

on the Government of this Country, which claim has always been
recognised by Parliament, and that the Institutions of the United
States are fitter objects of individual charity.

I never read anything intended for a general effect so
entirely open to easy & decisive refutation as the B. Critic. I
have written in detail to Mr Pratt upon it. I anticipate very
little harm, if any, to your Cause from it. It can only operate on
minds of prebent prejudice, & such were not likely to support you.
Any man who has read the Statement by your Trustees, will find
so much anticipated by that, that he must suspect all the remaining
points of any importance to be equally unsupported, ^{or rather contradicted,} by fact. What think
you of its' being said that the Coin cannot be good with the image and
superscription of Lord Gambier, without once alluding to Lord Kenyon, Dr
G. or Mr H.?

The Dean of Westminster is added to the lists of "the deluded",
I am happy to say, & will appear in the new Statement. This is the term
applied by the B. Critic to the whole body of subscribers, including five Bishops

We think that you should write to The Bishop of Salis-
bury, as soon as you know where to write (which you will learn on
arriving here) to explain why you did not wait upon his Lord-
ship. Mr Ward, to whose house we go on Saturday, will be an
important friend with that Prelate. Mr Crawley called this morn-
ing to say that his friend Mr Hewitt is anxious to fix a day with
you, between your return from Cambridge & departure to Oxford,
for dining at his house. He will be of
eminent use to you in Ireland. I anxiously
wish you may be back to-morrow, or, at the
latest, Thursday. On Saturday we go to Rayland. I shall
not write again, unless a letter from you to-morrow says you
will be at Cambridge till after Post on Thursday, and wish to
hear from me.

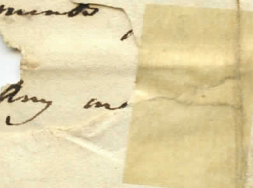
I am ever your very devoted & affectionate friend

J. M. Marriott.

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