

Petition of John Hudson, Director of H.M. Hospitals in the Low Countries, and Doctor Coatsworth, Apothecary General to the Duke of Ormonde, Captain General and Commander in Chief of Her Majesty Land Forces, for money to repay them for expenditure in the course of their duties

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To His Grace the Duke of
Ormonde Captain General and
commander in Chief of all
Her Majestys Land Forces &c

The humble petition of John Hudson Direct. of Her
Majest. Hospitals in the Low Country and Doct.
Coatsworth Apothecary Gen.

Sheweth

That your Grace's Petitioners having made their applications
by memorials to the Lord High Treasurer for payment of money due
to them as by a state hereunto annexed His Lordship as yet has not
thought proper to give any directions for their immediate relief,
but was pleased to refer their petitions to the Hon. Jas. Darydges Esq.
who hitherto has made no report to his Lordships reference, but
finding the poundage design'd for the use of the Hospit. insufficient
he gave to the Hon. J. W. Windham an estimate of sev. extraordinary
charges accrued during the late Warr, & included your petitioners
disbursements in the said abstract which has since been laid before
the house of Commons, who have refer'd the same to y^e commissioners
for stating the debt of the Army, in consequence whereof your
petitioners will be deprived until another session of Parliament
of their just demands, unless Your Grace (who was pleased to
order the establishment of the Ho. Hospit. in Flanders the
last Campaigne with that of Dunkirk) has the goodness to
prevent it and thereby put a stop to the unavoidable ruin of
your Petitioners who therefore most humbly pray,

That Your Grace will be pleased to interpose your
good offices with my Lord Treasurer in behalfe of y^e petitioners
to procure them the necessary supplies, they having performed that
part of Her Majest. Service committed to their Charge, by Your
Graces orders to a Gen. satisfaction, humbly hope it may
not prove their utter ruin, with that of many others, from

from whence they have beene obliged to borrow money at interest
to carry on the aforesaid service, reasonably supposing necessary
a charge would not be left unprovided for, and that the
Hospital now established at Dunblow (the hitherto supported
by the Petitioners) would at last be taken into consideration
all which being humbly submitted to Your Grace, Your
Petitioners confidently hope by Your Graces intercessions
for a speedy relief

And as in duty bound they
shall ever pray &c

To His Grace The Duke of Ormonde
 Captain General and commander in
 Chief of all Her Majesty's Land
 Forces &c.

The humble petition of John Hudson, Director
 of Her Majesty's Hospitals in the Low Countryes
 and Doctor Coatsworth Apothecary General.

Sheweth

That your Grace's Petitioners having made their applications by memorials to the Lord High Treasurer for payment of money dues to them as by a State here-into annexed His Lordship as yet has not thought proper to give any directions for their immediate relief, but was pleased to refer their petitions to the Honourable Ja. Brydges Esq., who hitherto has made no report to his Lordships refference but findings the poundage designed for the use of the Hospital insufficient, he gave to the Honourable T.W. Wyndham an estimate of ⁵sev. extraordinary charges accrued during the late Warr and included your petitioners disbursements in the said abstract which has since been laid before the house of Commons, who have refered the same to your comisioners for stateing the debts of the Army in consequence whereof your petitioners will bee deprived until another session of Parliament of their just demands, unless your Grace (who was pleased to order the establishment of the ⁵sev. Hospital in flanders the last campagne with that of Dunkirke) has the goodness to prevent it and thereby put a stop to the unevitable ruin of your Petitioners who therefore most humbly pray,

That your Grace will bee pleased to interpose your good offices with my Lord Treasurer in behalfe of your petitioners to procure them the necessary suplyes they having performed that part of Her Majesty's Service committed to their Charge, by your Grace's orders to a Gen. satisfaction, humbly hope it may not prove their ruin, with that of many others, from whome they have been oblidge to borrow money at Interest, to carry on the aforesaid service, reasonably supposing to necessary a charge would not be left unprovided for, and that the Hospitalls now established at Dunkirke (the Hitherto supported by the Petitioners) would at last bee taken into consideration all which being humbly submitted to Your Grace, Your Petitioners confidently hope by Your Grace's intervension for a speedy relief

And as in duty bound they
 shall ever pray &c.