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[illegible] Affairs are in a most deplorable
con— I enclose you part of a Speech of Gen
Burgoyne's Committee of the House of Commons
relating to the India House & mentions what Lord
The very Countenance of this House discourages the Directo
disagree & represent their Affairs desperately the
Sentaens want to take from them the territorial Rev
Lord North want to settle matters with the C. to stop fu
Examination & make his Peace Lord Clive has gone ov
to the Ministry without his Colleagues — and it is clear
that the Ministry may do with the poor Company
whatever they please

I am D[ear] Holford

My best wishes to
Mrs Holford

Yours affec[tionately]

Dear Holford

July

I owe my Correspondent Duplicate
enclosed I have need you to [illegible]
[illegible] Send your Copy [illegible]
to [illegible] in the other may [illegible]
the Letter [illegible] Postmaster [illegible]
[illegible] Letter [illegible]
[illegible] Letter [illegible]
[illegible] Letter

ntended with Europeans

As I have some thoughts of being able to sell a cargo of Coffee on this Coast pray write me by the first Opportunity whether you can contract for one for me having the acceptance or refusal of it home — and if yes at Lowest Prices — How much Offer to be delivered — Open Insurance is required — but you are so punctual that it is unnecessary to write to beg you

Laurs has bought the Brig for 7000 Madras Pags as she is Louver she stands in want of Sheathing

Saunders appears to be a sort of Gentleman will be any Attorney — he is a very bustling Fellow — If you can get any thing for the Cafre — sell it if you cannot send it home from Bengal —

My Silk sold for 10 Pagodas on the Invoice — but I have to pay out of this Price Charges —

I have also Pagodas 7 Silk Handkerchiefs and long Pepper is yet high but in my next and Brother can be more Explicit to you that I did how to Purchase

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[illegible] Amanuensis is indebted to
considerable sum of money has Mortgage
his Effects all Debts Shares Stock and Securities
for Loans Doonapooky Narroo His Effects are
taking in Sale for my private Account
therefore begs leave to take it on your Account at the
Market Price or sell it for me

The Effects to be sold for Rupees about
Rupees Arcot can be got for him if not you will be
pleased to return her with all possible Expedition
with a Cargo to consist of

Sunny Wood	20 Candy
Rice Coss	
Long Pepper	20 Maunds
Dry Ginger	20 Do

And of the undermentioned kind of Bengal Piece Goods
Cash Repayments, and for which we make Contracts
about 3 or 10000 Rupees

I have made an Agreement
the Nabob Hussain Ally's Sister for the Ally Slave
Ally mauds to be delivered at Calcutta at 28 Rupees
100 mauds Her Sale you will be pleased to
on my Separate Account to take the Market
Price or sell for me to the best Advantage
Sale as soon as received you will be pleased to
pay the Drafts on me as they become
Means to assist him

In like manner I have agree
Sultan Mahomed Cawn for the Cargo of Rice s
at one hundred & fifteen Rupe
100 Maunds on Delivery at Calcutta Ry
be plain & to recieve his also Will it for my pa
Private Account paying his Navigation com
Delivery Five One thousand Rupies

Distrib^d Charges of Landing
to be paid by the Proprietors
Key in Boat of the Batteau
Cargo not to be dispatched without Pass
direction and I have promised them Rest Dyau
afloat Dumarmuck as you can
I have paid with some Mo
for
Rupees which they are to receive of you on
Rupees to be paid Three Days after Arrival
as much Money as it may suit Your Co
To give you Receipts on Duplicate which
will forward with all Speed after Position o
Money must be refunded for the Sum
Receipt of these Agents to be produced
I have not Time to settle the
as I could have found but little Entertainment on

Bank ——— £2902
Balance of your Accot to be transported
L 875. @ 240. Pr ——— 17905
Hares & Parks Respondentia
Bond due Pag. 1 ——— 7245.
Goods delivered to Parks ——— 3672
Your Goods for the Dane
100 Pag. Work Komadie up by
Hussain Marcar ——— 1000
Paid by Order of Parks ——— 96
12012
Received for goods sold ——— 5521. 20
6491 @ 80 ——— 2491 2
Total of Debts about ——— 9721.
Credits as per Acco^t received from You ——— 4713
Total Balance due from is nearly 4708
But on this is not included your Share of 800
Madras Pagodas recd from Mr Bolton
The Names of the Persons
I have agreed with for money to be paid at Bengal
& the Sums to each are as follow
This Balance was left for the Persons who
were to take the Orders on your Part
me some Time they insisted on Terms
think just Therefore requested them
way of getting my money back
Accordingly I must desire you

and shall receive Nat. Madras or run the
Risk for Mr Parks Balance I think the Owners
would be at the Expences or Risk Augt 2d

I shall write to you again soon
or Two in the mean time believe me

Affect Yours

Dear Hodgson 1 Augt 1773

I shall be Obliged by your
sending me Master of the following Goods
with the lowest Prices they may be bought also
be delivered to Francis Hodges on December
next

1 Pc Sprachen Handkerchiefs
Pellaces they wanted
Turbans
Cossas
Cossas
Soosnays called in France Cabistra
Checked muslins or Penelored muslins
20 Yards long

I Beg leave my Friend to forward
the Invoices by the first Ships of
next Month of Your Friends

Sullivan & Yeo

Dear Hodgson

I have Received this Duplicate by your
Letter of the 2d of the Ship Warren
Hastings Capt Sutherland Bound
to Bengal

2 August

Dear Hodgson

I have by you two Letters I have Received
from Stevenson on the Subject of a Voyage Worden to have
undertaken — He has Recommended it to Benfield
as I also have done — But Benfield says it Requires
much Consideration — I Recommend it to you
I request you will enquire whether the Likely
Returns can yet admit of a Sum being sent for Dedt
Bengal Goods are not in great demand Of course
no great quantity of them can be taken — If Occa
sion requires you can give Bills or rather Benfield
Your Bonds to any of the Govt. Going
or intending to Europe payable 18 months from
Date with Interest at five Per Cent Bengal Currency
Rupee But receipt for Payment of the Ship are
Should not Require any Consideration
at Bengal Consider the Mutuality of Service

I am D Hodgson
Yours sincerely

Mr Hodgson
at
Calcutta