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is gone - His Letter to the Right Honourable Lord
Sidmouth is a false and scandalous Publication
as it respects myself - I have no doubt but the
Commissioner will do me Justice in his Report -
Every means was used when he was here to criminate
me, but they all failed - The Commissioner pressed
every Charge to the utmost, and further than
he was authorised, he told me himself, but all
would not do - I had done no wrong, and therefore
no wrong could be proved against me - my
friends here urged me much to prosecute General
Macquarie, for his Libel in his Letter; but I
declined to do this - I have suffered no Injury here;
in England I may - As I am upon the best of Terms
with Sir Thomas Brisbane, and nothing General
Macquarie has said has prejudiced his mind
against me, I could have gained nothing by an
Action at Law here - I wrote to Sir Thomas upon
the subject, and also conversed with him, and
he fully approved of the line of Conduct I adopted
I have authorised Dr. Good, should it be deemed
necessary to institute an Action at Law