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July 1810

Hon^d Sir

(Written before April 28, 1810)

A number of little
Circumstances have conspired to
drive me to such straits for
time that I can only say I
am perfectly well, am
lying on board the Pellex
in the roads at Canton, going
to Poyah; have put no letters
into the dispatches, shall
write to you fully in a day
or two & send this up to Canton
by an opportunity that now

offers for fear the ships should
go off without a letter from me
I give you unceasingly. The
man that is to take this waste
distracts me I am quite well
happy in a good way
Affectional son

T Manning

If this comes to hand first
depend upon it you'll have a
letter from me in a very
short time

July 1870

The Revd Mr Manning
Ripon
Worshipful
St. A.C.S. Selsby Castle

