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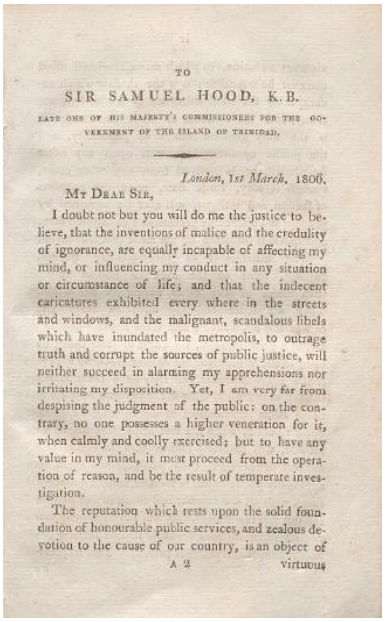

TO

SIR SAMUEL HOOD, K.B.

LATE ONE OF HIS MAJESTY'S COMMISSIONERS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE ISLAND OF TRINIDAD.

London, 1st March, 1806.

My Dear Sir,

I doubt not but you will do me the justice to believe, that the inventions of malice and the credulity of ignorance, are equally incapable of affecting my mind, or influencing my conduct in any situation or circumstance of life; and that the indecent caricatures exhibited every where in the streets and windows, and the malignant, scandalous libels which have inundated the metropolis, to outrage truth and corrupt the sources of public justice, will neither succeed in alarming my apprehensions nor irritating my disposition. Yet, I am very far from despising the judgment of the public: on the contrary, no one possesses a higher veneration for it, when calmly and coolly exercised; but to have any value in my mind, it must proceed from the operation of reason, and be the result of temperate investigation.

The reputation which rests upon the solid foundation of honourable public services, and zealous devotion to the cause of our country, is an object of

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- Ydy'r ffynhonnell yma'n dystiolaeth gwerthfawr wrth lunio neu gefnogi eich dehongliad personol o Thomas Picton?
- Sut a pham gallai'r llythr fod o werth i haneswyr sy'n ffurfio dehongliadau gwahanol, cyferbyniol neu amgen?

Cofiwch ystyried y cyd-destun ehangach:

- Gwleidyddol
- Economiadd
- Technolegol
- Cyfreithiol
- Amgylcheddol
- Cymdeithasol a diwylliannol

FFYNHONNELL EILRADD

- Pam ydych chi'n credu cafod y darlun hyn ei gyhoeddi?
- Beth mae'r artist yn ceisio'i gyfleu?
- Beth mae gosodiad y llun yn dweud wrthym?
- Pam fod ei wisg yn wahanol i bawb arall?