

ENVELOPE B - XVI: WARREN HASTINGS:

1. (i) Warren Hastings to E.Coote, 21-1-1779: On the Marattas.
- 1 page [Add Ms 29117: Letters to Commanders and Envoys: ff 73-82]

(ii) Warren Hastings to E.Coote, Nov. 1779: On Oude.
- 1/2 page [Add Ms 29115, ff 50-56]

(iii) Warren Hastings to John D'Oyly: 8th Feb. and 16th Feb. 1780
- 1/2 page [Add Ms 29115: ff 61-64 and ff 65]

(iv) Two views of India's weakness: 1779: Warren Hastings to Eyre Coote, 31-10-1779: On disbanding the native artillery and infantry. Coote said "It is not only my opinion but that of every able, and unbiassed officer ... that the establishing of black artillery must prove the first step to our ruin in this country ..."
- 1 page [TYPED]

`TOTAL 3 PAGES
 2. A petition sent by a Princess to Governor Hastings: (petition copied on 17-12-1814): Petition sent by the wife of Almas-ali-Can (sic.): " ... the miserable Wife of thy prisoner beseeches thee to save her Husband's life, and restore him to her arms." (A note below the petition says "This petition was delivered by the unhappy Woman to Governor Hastings, who after perusing it, gave orders that Almas-ali-Can ... be immediately strangled, and those orders were instantly put into execution.")

- 1+1x2=3 pages [NLW 9036] (?) [PHOTO 2 SHEETS]
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