

Addressed to: Mr William Brymer, London

From: Johnston & Purss

Quebec 27 July 1783

Mr William Brymer, London

Dear Sir,

We once more take the liberty to use the freedom of friends in recommending to your protection Mrs Taylor's youngest son, Henry. As we have conceived a favourable opinion of the abilities & care of Mr Hathaway, we beg your favour to send him to his school, to be instructed in the same branches of learning which were prescribed for John. We shall not make any apology for this trouble as we know you averse to ceremony & ready to serve youngsters setting out in the world. To John Taylor's studies, his uncle has no objection for his amusement to his learning drawing & dancing, and, provided he will use the German flute or violin for that purpose only and not a study, he has none to his being taught one of them, whenever his master shall see proper, and Harry may be taught to draw and dance. That you may long live in good health to enjoy the fruits of your labours, and to be of use to your friends, is the sincere wish of

Your much obliged & hble serv^{ts} Dear Sir

J & P