

My Dear Sir,

Your kind fav. of (it has neither
date nor place) should not have remained
so long unanswered, but that we are daily
travelling of so ^{much} much and counter-
acting as Capt. Trim hath it, that I doubt
what or when whether a Missive from
this quarter might hit you. Our friend Wells
has informed me yesterday, that you are at
Oxford — In consequence of this information
I now let fly at you —

Any Committee of the Friends in
the North Society, will I am sure
be very acceptable to the Society.
You need not wait for Mr. Colbrook.
If you will give me leave I will propose
you, and you may depend upon it,
that your calling and Election shall be
made sure

are now wholly employed here in settling
matters at Lucknow. By the way one and old
Derrick Smith is in the center of the English
Camp, to ^{the} several people has been said the
following "hitherto shall they come but no farther
I wish you to remember we have not yet
heard from Allowance -

The Wahabites have an Army of 50,000 men
which they wish to join Almas - Zimmama Shah
of Lahore with an Army of 100,000 to purge
Hindostan of every thing that is filthy - 40,000
Sultans and 20,000 Rebels - You are to be careful
Pray how remember the great and
our claspings -

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