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Dear Col. M. M. M.

Wilmington

Wilmington, Sussex.

May 20.

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I attended two most interesting meetings on Friday, in Exeter Hall

on these awful abominations

that have been carried out in

India under the C. D. Acts

there. One of the printed

documents recommended

made by some army surgeon was

the effect that recruiting women

should be employed to bring "young

and attractive women" into camp

and that she should be paid

by government a small capitation

tax fee for every one so

provided. There were other horrible

twilries sanctioned and promoted

which make me boil with rage.

I have written to our member

Colonel Duncan to ask him to

write on the right side when the

motion for total repeal of the Acts

& of the portions of the Cantonment

acts referring to the same

subject comes on, on June 5th

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in the House of Commons.

I so much wish you would write
about it to Col. Anstruther and if you
can get W. Thompson to write as well
it will be so much the better.

If you can influence anyone else to
write to their members it would be a
very good thing. Do you think Aunt
Emma would? On the occasion of

some regiment moving from one place to
another the Chaplain & the prostitutes
(both travelling at Gov^t expense) were
conveyed by the same train. The Chaplain