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The British Counsellor in Bern, R. Lyon-Dalberg-Acton, to the British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, G. Curzon of Kedleston¹

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With reference to my despatch No. 298² of the 23rd May, respecting the present situation of the principality of Liechtenstein, I have the honour to report that the Prince of Liechtenstein³ has now taken up his residence in the principality, no doubt with the object of demonstrating his position as sovereign prince of what is an independent state. This is all the more necessary in view of the fact that in a reign of sixty-one years this is only the fourth time that he has visited his principality.

1 Letter No. 330: UK-NA FO 608/16/26. Written by the British Counsellor in Bern, Richard Lyon-Dalberg-Acton (1870–1924), dodis.ch/P38602, to the British Secretary of State of Foreign Affairs, George Curzon of Kedleston (1859–1925), dodis.ch/P37180, British politician, delegate at the Versailles Peace Conference in 1919 and British Foreign Secretary from 1919 to 1924.

2 Not located.

3 Johann II (1840–1929), dodis.ch/P23226, Prince of Liechtenstein from 1858 to 1929.