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## Letter To John Mitchel

## Landford Parsonage

My dear Friend,

I know you will be pleased to hear, that acting on the suggestion of a neighbour, and kindly backed by the Earl of Radnor I have obtained a promise of a Cadetship, for George from Mr. Jno. Hobhouse, President of Board of Control.

The where and when is not said. But we asked having heard there was to be an augmentation of the Industrial Assay and that these new appointments will be made abt. October.

If you can suggest anything that might clinch the promise I know you will settle my brother's Wills account with me.

Sincerely H. Girdlestone

## **OPC Notes:**

George referred to is possibly his son Francis G. born 1833 Eartham Norfolk. 1851 - pupil at Stubbington School Titchfield. Curate at Landford and later the Rector.

Letter to John Mitchell, Esq., Wymondham, Norfolk dated 14th Aug 1840. Also dated and initialled by Girdlestone. Part wax seal in place.