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Samuel Galloway Esq.

Dear Sir

I had the pleasure of writing to you by Capt Rather of the London Packet, to which I beg leave to refer. — by this opportunity you will receive the last magazine and the papers from the time they were last sent.

By the latest accounts from Holland, war with the Emperor may daily be expected. he appears to be determined to open the navigation of the Schelde to Antwerp, the Dutch seem resolved to prevent it — it is said the Vessel that is to make the trial is actually sailed from antwerp — if that is the case the next post will it is probable bring us news of the Event.

We have had in England a very mild summer — no excessive heats — and the crops of Grain in general, it is said, are tolerably good. at one time it was expected to fall very short, but some fine weather, recovered it —

Letter
James Clerk
Oct 12: 1784

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