1792 NOV. 28 WILLIAM RANDOLPH TO JOHN [illegible]

in consequence of which he suddenly set out for London without observing (as I naturally shou'd expect he wou'd) one tittle to me, however by some means or other he communicated his business in London to a Gentleman that went up in the Chaise with him who afterwards made me acquainted with the affair & I was told the terms & conditions were agreed on provided your Uncle went out as was expected, & if you'll please to turn to mine from the house respecting the Charter made with Farell & Jones for the Elizabeth I there mentioned his being in London, on his return I just thinted I had heard of his Uncles intended appointment to which he answered such a thing had been talked of but nothing further, he may or may not have mentioned it to you, still I think any such proceeding rather ungenerous in a partner & think we ought to have been made fully acquainted with the affair before even a treaty shou'd have been put in execution as our partnership affairs are equally blended together, however the matter has lain in profound silence till a fortnight ago when both he & his Lady (tho she had but lain in a week) set out again for London where I find they are to continue untill the 18th of next month tho: he advised me he shou'd return in 12 or 14 days — & as the parliament is now sitting & the East Indies affairs are to be the 1st business they are to engage in (after the provision bill) I must own it has given me a fresh alarm, & if any sentiments are right which I hope they are no partner has a right to draw out or make any engagements without making the other partner fully acquainted therewith, however if our affairs in America cannot be wound up I shou'd have no objection to any scheme of that sort he might have to put in execution as I am fully satisfied you & I could