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Mr. James Cheston (Copy) Bristol 9 June 1789

Sir

Your obliging Favour of the 19th March last covering Montarief on Donald & Burton for £100 Ster. is now before us, for which we esteem ourselves much obliged. This Letter convinces us of a Remissness that has occurd in resting solely on our Mr. Randolph for acknowledging the Receipt of your preceding Favours of the 22 July 21 Oct. & 18 Nov.r which doubtless should have been made to you under our own Hands. Permit us therefore now to assure you Sir, that it was not for want of a proper Sense of your Kindness in undertaking the Business in Compliance w.th Mr Randolphs Request but merely to avail ourselves of his obliging Offer of carrying on the Correspondence to the Completion thereof — Hereafter being now sensible of the Irregularity of such a Proceeding we will hereafter duly acknowledge the Receipt of whatever you may be pleas'd to favour us with. As we now do that the three following Bills came safe to hand, and have met a due discharge viz Jos. Court on Thos. Eden Esq. London £120. 0. 0 due 21 Sept. 1788
Ditto ... on ditto ..... 155. 0. 0 ditto 4 Jan 89
Ditto ..... on ditto ..... 130. 0. 0 ditto 23 Jan.y D.o
405. 0. 0 Making in all Four Hundred & Five Pounds, which is placed to the Credit of your Account w.th the Assignees of Sedgley Hillhouse & Co.m

The Continuance of your kind Attention to this Business with Information from time to time how Matters go on, will be esteem'd a particular Obligation conferd on, Sir,

Your mo Hble Servants
Signd Isaac Elton
James Hill
Willm. James

PS. The second of Montarief on Donald & Burton under Cover of the 30th March last, is also received; as well as the first of a second Remittance; so that 29 June there are two Bills of £100 each received & accepted viz
Montarief on Donald & Burton 16 Mar. 89 £100 — Ditto on ditto 31 March 89 £100 more — Thus you have Credit for £200 besides the £405 above mentioned. And this will serve to answer your obliging Favour of the 9 May last which is also come to hand.

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