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Dedham Oct 18th 1798

Miss Ann Johnston
Newburyport

Dedham Decem^br 16th 1798

I wished much to write my dr cousin a long letter by the last Mail but having company I was prevented that satisfaction — Your's of the 2 received and thank you for your kind attention in writing to me, it is a pleasure I cannot discribe and hope you will not omit letting me hear often from you, I shall probably not have it in my power to answer your letters, but recollect the great injoyment they will be to me and you will not neglect it, I will promise to let you hear from me as soon as I am able to write, — I am at present so well