

My dear Sir

Wye June 10<sup>th</sup> 1806

It is with the greatest Pleasure that I have it in my power to say to you that I am getting better and that I hope to see the old Bay-tie one more, & visit Johanna certainly pay as soon as I am able to ride so far and it would give me much satisfaction to take you by the hand once more, it would add much to the relief of a poor afflicted and broken hearted Mother. This will be done by my Son John who is going to Crathmore for a few months to complete his Education. I will thank you to assist to get to Headonway Ferry. My long indigence has taken all the Money I get for my crop of wheat, John will want about 100 Dollars which if you can conveniently loan me will be repaid you with Interest. I never was so short of Money since I came to my Wife. My Love to all and accept my warm wishes for a continuance of your health.

I am

Yrs Affl<sup>d</sup>  
J. Tilghman Jun<sup>r</sup>

I am much obliged in my  
Thanks, and it is with the greatest  
I can wish.