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As concerning me, I hope you'll approve that I
keep my house which belongs to one of the greatest
families in town; I should be very inconvenienced
lodged in a private house with one family
and I should be very troublesome to them; you
know that I am obliged to receive all the officers
and that I want a large house to that purpose
as for this house occupied by three officers
Mr Golder told me that it was impossible that
he could find any rooms in town for them
and they might stay there: you must know
that this house was empty when Mr. Golder
has quartered those three officers within
I am with a Respectful attachement

Sir

your most humble and obedi
servant.

Hel. de Lavalette

the 15. of 7bre 1782.