2d. Sepbr. 1782
Chevr. De la Valette

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Before the departure of Mr. Henry & Mr. Plater from Philadelphia. I mentioned me wish: that the State of Maryland would take into Consideration. the two Sons of my late Worthy freind the Baron de Kalb. who Nobly fell at the head of the troops of your State. In case the State grant the title of Citizens to those two Orphans. I wish at the Same time they had a rank in the troops of the line — they are from fourteen to sixteen years Old — Having not heard from Mr. Plater. I mentioned this affair to Mr. Carrol, who assured me. that part of my petition had been already granted, and that an Act had passed in favour of the Baron and his Family: which Act I should be much Obliged to your Excellency to send me; and if it is yet in your power, to procure the Commissions I could wish to have them forwarded with the Act. Your Excellency will please to accept of my Warmest thanks for the favours conferd upon.

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