Edw.d Lloyd

22d. Oct.r 1781

His Excellency
Thomas Sim Lee

Annapolis

Govr. Capt.n Vallant

My dear Sir

I cannot but congratulate Your Excellency upon the happy circumstance of the Surrender of Ld Cornwallis K.th.&c.— May be so kind as to lead me the particulars by the return of Capt.n Vallant, who will return immediately upon the delivery of his load, for Wye River.— The Capt.n has one hundred w.t of Wool for You, which I hope will please. Mr.s Lloyd joins in Compliments to Mr.s Lee and Yourself.— I am my dear Sir with the greatest respect and Esteem—

Your m.st Obed.t hble.t Servt.

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I shall have the pleasure to take You by the hand the next Week.— I send you by the Capt.n a Haunch of Venison— it is not so fat a very fat, but it is the best I have killed.—

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