My dear Sir, Needwood, Feby 10th 1792

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I duly received your very kind & friendly favor of the 11th Jany, & an early Letter from Genl Gates of the 2d. of the same Month. I have thus long delayed my thanks for your politeness, hoping to accompany them with a payment to the Genl.; but so far have been disappointed by the 1st. of next Month I trust the Money required will be with you, at any rate immediately after the 23rd. is the appointed time to be made me for Lands sold. I do not expain of being prepared for the March.

With great affection & sincere esteem I reciprocate the friendly Sentiments you are pleased to honor

Dr Sir, Yr. Mo. Obed. & Oblig'd Hble Serv't

Tho. S. Lee

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