Dear Sir 1043 Mordwood July 7. 1816 –

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I received your letter of the 24th June Communi-
cating the very welcome intelligence that Eliza was
happily delivered of a fine boy & I sincerely Congratu-
late you – upon the occasion – my Crop of Wheat
is partially dire and with much my Neighbours
are generally in the same predicament – my Crop
however I will not complain of the greatest part consists
of wheat of seven years & upwards I send
a sample which Ambrose has just brought
[illegible] that this is a proper state
[illegible] commence to mow
[illegible] finish our
[illegible] weeks too
[illegible] first

Aug 8 (Ship Co)
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