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To John Lee Esq<sup>r</sup>

Dear Uncle

Having heard you say during my late visit to you, that you had more servants than were necessary for the cultivation of your estate, the idea has suggested itself to me that it might be agreeable to you, and conformable to yr interests, to sell some of them, to a member of yr family, where they would be humanely treated, and perhaps willing to come.

I should be prepared to offer a liberal price, one third payable in March next and the two remaining