Louisville Wednesday Evening May 4th

My Dear Lee.

I arrived here this morning, & greatly to my surprise I have half a dozen lines at the Galt House to give you an inkling of my plans for the next five or six days. To-morrow at 9 o'clock A.M. my Mother & I set out for Frankfort, where we propose to stop a day or two, & thence proceed to Lexington where we shall remain some three or four days. Mr. Clay is now at his Seat near that town & has invited both Lord Morpeth & Mr. Van Buren to spend a few days chez lui. If you will hasten to Lexington sans perdre de temps we shall meet there & spend at a rubber alongside the aforesaid Notabilities. In the hope of such a meeting with you I remain as always, Very faithfully,

Yours.

John Lee Esq.

B. P. Corbin

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To be retained till Mr. Clay's arrive

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