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Dear Sir
I received your esteemed favour of the 5th Ult^o, and
I have to return you my sincere thanks for your friendly and good Advice.

I have now the pleasure to inform you, that as the
difficulties that presented in the way of our marriage appeared so knotty, that
there was no untying it, and as a state of suspense and hope deferred you
know, particularly to Marys, sensibility, maketh the heart sick, we came to
the resolution of cutting it and in consequence were married the 11th Inst^o.
and we hope, that with the little I can draw for, her Industry rigid economy
and above all a dependance on Gods providence, that we'll be happy and as I
look for my friends return M^{rs} Turnbull this Spring I hope to have a settle-
ment of my Affairs entirely to my Satisfaction. I trust it will be so.

I have not a doubt of obtaining your blessing on us both
and friendly advice on all proper occasions, which we will esteem very
highly. I have only to add that I wish you and all your family every
happiness, and many agreeable returns of the approaching season, in which
my wife joins me, cordially attending you below this time until the true
esteem.

Edinb^o 17th Decem^r 1784

Dear Sir
Your most obedient and
most humble Servant
Walter Hood

W^m Joshua Johnston

Dear Father you will see by Mr. Hood
that we have determined this matter
in hoops the Event will turn out
well trusting to Providence for it
may whom the feet of all are
is determined both near & height
Mr. Hood is a ~~gentleman~~ ~~Man~~
& can merit well in my opinion
& is the Man according to my wishes
I hope you will recommend him
in the strongest terms to Mr
Grecoll & Brothers as we are to visit
to them very soon we will set for
you lets which you will send to us
Open for our personal visit our
What news from you each I will
write you more fully next time
for which I refer you to my business
Your Obedient Daughter
Mary Hood

1800

To
Mr Joshua Johnson
Stromms
with
two small parcels
Corkney



Henry Ford to
Governor Johnson