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Dear Cousin

I wrote you by the Betsey Capt. Boyd, also by Capt. Dickie of the London by whom I have sent your Watch which I hope will come safe to hand, Having ventur'd to send it without Insurance, If any accident happens, the Loss will of Course be mine, but I hope for the better, the amount of itself being but trifling tho of greater consequence to me, I hope you will not neglect sending me an order for the amount by the return of the Fleet, I shall expect it either by Capt. Boyd or Capt. Dickie, —

I must beg of you for the future (if any further orders) as your Situation or Circumstances, can better Dispence with it than mine, to send Orders or Draughts for the advance & Immediate paym^t of the same, as very Inconsistent or Hurtfull for me in the way of Business, either to risque or give so long Credit as is required to your part of the world, — You may be assured I may Depend on me for the strictest punctuality being observ'd in the Execution of your Orders to your Satisfaction

I have very little to add at present having been very particular in my former Letters, — I Recd. a Letter yesterday from your Father, who mention all Friends were well & in their ordinary — this Comes by your Brother in Law Mr. Abqhart, to whom I refer you for further particulars

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my Mother & Sisters are all well & Desire to be remembered to you
and all other Friends at Quebec —

M^r. & M^{rs}. Barnett Desire their Compliments to you also M^{rs}. Jones &
her Son, her Daughter Nancy, your favourite is married, —

M^{rs}. Johnston & Daughters, & M^{rs}. Madjam Desire also wth the above
to be remembered to you, Cousin James, & Aunt Jeanie. —

I Conclude wishing you a Happy meeting wth your Brother in Law
the Bearer, and all Happiness attend you in your Situation.

And Remaine wishing good Accounts from you is the earnest wish
of

Your affect. Cousin

Crafts Mackay

London the 25th April

1782.

at N^o. 112 Leadenhall Street.

M. Crafts, M. Hay
London 23 April
1702

h. 357c.

Mr John Johnston

Quebec

P. Gaurin
M. Vigneron