This would acknowledge the receipt
of your note of the 10th Instant last evening.
I did not expect to receive
a letter to conclude the business so quickly, but the general
matters hinged upon my letter, having the
appearance of a favorable termination made
me to congratulate you on the happy event,
an acquisition of such extensive territory,
and to check a note I believe is not known to
the history of any one an acquisition calculated
to promote the wealth of the United States
of Millions, would not merely make the towns
settlements dignified, but the thousands of European
who are now around Europe as the guiding
principle, will find an asylum in the now unused
wasted forests of America. I have for sometime
wished to travel into the forests of the people
of acquiring a settlement suitable for a family,
but the consideration of their being free
is to be a Homani! and being willing to seek the
happiness. I move from living under the bed to
vermont or south Carolina. An arrangement calculated to
ensure the happiness of the world, has become
me. The exchange some of our lands on the
Westside of the Allegheny for those on the East
side a convenient one. By influence as by the
exchange we will have sufficient respect.
Two large States on the north side of the Mississippi if we extend them from the Atlantic to the mountains perhaps no country has as great advantages with respect to fertility of soil climate & Navigations than the more of this extensive country. Should we be so successful as to obtain it by purchase I hope you should (with thankfulness I mention it) after such diligence as you may deem proper think me worthy of any appointment then you may not afford to be over enter in my power to support the dignity of my Country hope the confidence you may repose in me shall be entered so far as may be as the sentiments of respect.

M. A. H. F. F. E.

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