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Peter Van Brugh Livingston to Susan Kean, January 16, 1789

Peter Van Brugh Livingston I

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My Dear Daughter

It is needless for me to tell you that we were all very happy to hear of your safe arrival at Charles Town as the weather soon after your sailing from New York was very tempestuous which made us very anxious for your safety. M^{rs} Livingston is very much indisposed still but is much better than she was some time ago, she now complains much of a soar throat and still keeps her room, I have been out but once & that only as far as the Town since the 25th Dec^r.

I feel myself much obliged to Doctor Ramsay & his family for their kind attention to you & wish it was in my power to return all their good Offices. I rejoice to hear that M^{rs} Mean & the Son are so bravely & hope it may long continue. The family here are pretty well & say me in love & affection to you & M^{rs} Mean. I am Dear Susan
Your affectionate Father

P. V. Livingston

Abyssinia
16th Jan^y 1789.

M^{rs} Jean

Beaufort

