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### **Julian Niemcewicz to Susan Kean, July 17, 1799**

Julian Niemcewicz

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17 Jul: 1799

The pleasure I would have receiv'd from your kind letter was greatly diminished by the complaint you make of your health, pray my amiable friend, take care of it, & remove from your mind every think that can give you pain. You have so many reasons to be happy, so many means in your power to be so. Altho'ought Mr. Mathews insists very much upon my staying longer, altho'ought I am in the best situation, for the great heat, now prevailing, the woods being all around us & my room very airy, plenty of plants, & drawings, tranquillity &c. I am decid'd to be with you before this month is over. I shall have to go to town to set my baggage in order, & if possible send it to New York. If I can find no good Companion for my excursion to Niagara, I will give it up. I pray heaven I could find you in good health & good spirits. Peter's letter is good, remember me to him & to all our friends. Recieve my best wishes & respects.

Your  
sincere friend & servant  
J. Mendenhall

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Mrs Susan Kern.  
Elizabeth Town  
New Jersey

17 July 1799.  
J. Mendenhall