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Dear General

I take this opportunity of writing to you after so long a Silence. Believe me Dear Sir the Reason of my not writing was not that I forgot you but on account of the deal of time I am taken up in Study. I assure you at present I am very happy where I am, making my only aim Study which tends towards gaining the Affection of my good Father the King which is my first & principal Aim & also that of my own Advantage for time is never to be stopped. Indeed what else could I do here for Göttingen deprived of her Studies is no more



agreeable Town since there is not much Society here.  
 All our Gentlemen are so kind to us that I do not think  
 it possible we could live any where more agreeably  
 were <sup>the presence of</sup> our family also joined to it it would complete  
 it then, but you know my Dear General there  
 is a Time for all Things were it not for our  
 good we should not have been sent here.  
 The bearer of this Letter I believe will bring  
 little Recommendation when I tell you he is the Brother  
 of the Captain Crauford who is with the Duke of  
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by his continued Application. It is really a pity  
for him he would not remain in the line he  
was intended for. for a couple of years more would  
have rendered him a clever lawyer. Dear General  
forgive me this scrawl & let me ever remain  
Yours most humble and  
obedient servant

Augustus Frederick

Göttingen March 13<sup>th</sup> 1788.



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