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Louboourg July 5th, 1005

Sir

I have just been
honoured with Your Majesty's gracious
Letter of May 1st and hasten to express
my most humble thanks for this fresh
mark of Your favour. I am highly
flattered that You are so good as to
be pleased with the Cup of Louboourg
China which I took the liberty to
send and having met with this
encouragement shall venture to bespeak
some Flower Pots after my own
design which I hope Your Majesty
will place in Your new Palace

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It gives me great pleasure that the
Castle affords Your Majesty so much
amusement. The Queen and my
Sisters have indulged me with
charming accounts of the improvements
I rejoice that the fine Pictures are
set off to such advantage on the
new Hangings which must be very
favorable to the Vandylkes and Rubens's

The Castle must now be the finest
Palace in Europe.

Louvbourg though not so grand as
Windsor is a delightful place the
Elector every Year furnishes one or
two Rooms which by degrees will

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make it delightful. At present a long
Gallery is fitting up with artificial
Marble in which is to be hung all
the family Pictures they have been
very well repaired of late.

I shall be very happy when a safe
Opportunity offers to receive Your
Majesty's Picture and the Queens the
delight of looking at them will be
easily felt than described.

The Elector desires me to present his
most humble duty to Your Majesty
and I remain with great Respect and
dutiful attachment Your Majesty's

Most dutiful Daughter
and devoted Subject

Charlotte

Books of William Bay

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