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Richmond 23 Decr 1786

Sir

As you seem to join me in opinion that
an Inspection in the Upper Country would be of publick
Utility & raise a number of able bodied people on the best
good lands to industry, I have in a hurry communicated
to you a few hints on the subject

The wretched State of
our Flax ~~Manufacture~~ trade is such that no doubt
can remain of the necessity of improving it by every
possible means, I have also given you some hints
upon the subject if you have time at present
to attend to these objects tis for many reasons a proper
season

I have the honor to be with
great respect

Your most humble Servant
David Relf

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