





The author presents his salutations to Mr. Fisher, and his  
thanks for his pamphlet on Louisiana. Altho' he has not yet done things  
it, he perceives very extensive views of the subject taken, and various  
illustrations worthy of attention. That the opening such an extent of  
country for the future spread of our descendants, will add to their  
happiness, and enlarge the mass of men living under free & rational  
government, can be doubted in none. There are now living etc  
will see that country contain double or triple the present population of  
the United States.

Washington  
Feb. 11. 1802.

Mr. Fisher Allan B. Feb. 11. 02.

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