

J. W. Foy's 3. Street, near Greentown, Westm^r County,
Pennsylvania, June 20th 1812,

June 20 1812

Sir!

At the Receipt of my claim, in a draft, which, I hope, will be duly
discharged, I find myself under an immense obligation to you and beg
you, to accept the personal acknowledgments, for the Service, you have, so kindly,
rendered me, in the case. Gratitude, being one of the most precious principles,
man can possess, happy, indeed, must he be, who can appreciate all the
delights, there are in it, when especially, expressing our thanks, to whoever, does
disinterestedly help us, in the recovery of our own. But perhaps now, you will
imagine Sir! that my intention, is to induce or my desire, to solicit too
far, tho' I do not mean it; at the same time, having, in April 1800. employ-
ed, a M^r. Clark, an American - consul, at S^t. Keth, to collect 8000. Dollars,

