

Dear Ellis

My Brothers of mine at Lynn in Norfolk
 I have just written to the task you if I could give a letter
 of recommendation to you for two friends plus no Daniel
 journey so the North Arthur Colthrop - who are proceeding
 one visit to the North Arthur Colthrop - who are proceeding
 to make a journey to my Brother's house, & of partic-
 ularly of his Hospitality at his own, & I know no person
 whose views I should be more happy to promote by any
 thing but say in my power, ^{which} I can as safely recom-
 mend any Gentleman at the instance of my Brother
 as if I had ^{from} my own personal knowledge yet I'd
 first said to myself if "No I must not do it. 'Tis true
 Ellis & I travelled amicably together over a large tract of
 Country, & I ~~have not the modesty to doubt but that he~~
 has some recollections of me & my conversation ^{converse}
 to mine of him & his, yet by accident our intercourse since
 England has been in frequent, & now that he is in town to
 make his Golden Dreams of Honorable ambition to look
 in upon him with a readiness ill proportioned to my
 former reticence, maybe out of keeping ^{may} his late
 show his opinion of my sense of propriety. There were
 my first squeamish thoughts - but upon ^{reconsideration} I deter-
 mined otherwise. I recollect that the newly frankness &
 cheerfulness of your Character. I considered that the Nobility
 resulting from an early & deliberate entrance with the
 society of the ruling part of the world, if it makes a man

