

Gen. Budé - draft to W. H. Spencer

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G. B. has no reason to be  
satisfied with the Letter he  
has received from M<sup>r</sup>. S. as it  
encourages no hope of ever being  
paid, & almost looks to have  
the debt at one time or other  
cancelled by an act of Insolvency.  
G. B. thought very differently  
when he advanced the money  
& would never have done it  
upon those terms, & much less  
to have suffered M<sup>r</sup>. S. to ~~do it~~<sup>do it</sup>  
~~do it~~ whatever may be the  
claims M<sup>r</sup>. S. thinks he has

upon the gratitude. If it is on  
the strength of those claims that  
M<sup>r</sup>. J. borrowed the money, &  
with no better means of repaying  
it as the event has proved, there  
can remain little room for any  
claim of gratitude.

Y<sup>l</sup>. B. requests to be inform<sup>d</sup> if  
M<sup>r</sup>. J. can look forward to any  
particular <sup>time</sup> when he shall be able to  
pay the money either the whole  
of it at once, or by instalment