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Hannover.

Oct. 21: 1818.

Dear Daniell,

You are so justly in my confidence
 that I write to you openly: I am desirous of producing
 every thing in the farm at Beesby I am without doubt to
 diminish the arable and grass land: you will there-
 fore direct Porter to sell off the murther flack
 as they become fit for the Butcher and only to keep
 the Breeding flack till my return: I approve of his
 arrangements respecting the Com and Hic flack: I do not
 believe the garden can be kept up with fewer men:
Porter is either gone or going to South Academy Quam
 and whenever Harris returns his wife leaves Beesby
Hannover: if she is desirous of setting up for herself

she may possess in which case I wish to know if
you can do without another maid servant: The only
objection to not using the Threshing Machine is
that the whole of the Corn is not so clearly threshed:
but ask Gates if we thresh in future by hand work
- then the farm work cannot be carried on with few-
-er horses: I wish the fences to be kept in repair
both in the Park and in the Farm: but no altera-
-tions whatsoever to be made: I intend the Farm
Gates to be covered as I directed Gates:

The post of 10 may arrive tomorrow
in which case I shall answer you if I have time:
in the mean while advise and ever believe me,

Yours sincerely

J. H. D.
M. H. D.

[Faint, illegible handwriting on aged paper, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]