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vous avez eu la bonté de me dicter un extrait
ou il est dit que les indiens de Guzarate et
gambaye font secher les feuilles d'indigo
et le font broyer dans un moulin &c
Je Vous aurai, Monsieur, la plus grande

Monsieur

obligation de me marquer en vous servant
de l'occasion d'importance de la présente

Je suis avec un profond respect

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Monsieur

très humble et très obéissant serviteur
de *De Courville*

a Paris le 9 fev^r 1770.

a l'Hotel de pologne rue de Thionville

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