

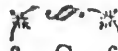
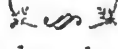


## A LETTER.

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NEW-YORK, 20th Nov. 1794.

MY DEAR FRIEND,

 SINCE I had the pleasure of writing  
\$ S \$ to you from this city, in which I  
 gave you a particular description of  
the lands in this State, and in the State of  
Pennsylvania, together with the mode of set-  
tlement, and the manner in which they are  
to be purchased, I have made a tour through  
the province of Upper Canada, and shall en-  
deavour to give you a particular and impartial  
account of that country, so far as I have tra-  
velled through it, with its laws, government,  
and commercial advantages. In my letter  
from Albany, I mentioned that I went to that  
city by water, from thence I proceeded to  
Schenectady, fifteen miles, by stage. Sche-  
nectady is a handsomely situated little town,  
on the banks of the Mohawk river, inhabited  
mostly by Low-Dutch ; but from the appear-  
ance of the place, one would imagine it a  
deserted village, the houses being generally