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Sir -

In the forlorn state in which I was left at the Death of my much lamented Husband, I was induced to prefer an Application for relief to the Commandant of the Forces without success -

It is but lately that I was instructed that Lieutenant General Drummond President of the Upper Province wherein Major deKer's appointment was, is the proper Person to whom I should address myself -

As the Head of the Department my Memorial will require great Support from your countenance, if you will have the goodness to present or transmit it with such confirmations as may be consistent -

I make no apology therefore for the liberty I take in inclosing it, confident that you will derive Satisfaction from the opportunity of rendering Service -

You will oblige me kindly by remembering me in affectionate Terms to Mrs. Lane -

I have the Honour to be

Sir,

Your very Obedt Servant  
Theresa deKer