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Yorke Town Sep. 25. 1792.

On Sunday Night I returned from —
Baltimore when I have been about my —
old Business - and have wound it up —
so as to secure my Part of the Money - but
not to obtain much for the Moment -
by the 23rd of October I should stand in need
for a few Days - of about a similar Sum -
to that which you have occasionally accom-
: dated ^{me with} but which has ~~not~~ been repaid -
(as you have always ~~observed~~ ^{observed by} me) with ~~kindness~~ -
I did not wish to put myself under any -
obligation to any Person that might not fill
similar Sentiments to ours - I have reason to
suppose that my last order in your Favor
was punctually paid.

I just had a Conference met last week -
at Lancaster - and have embraced several Charac-

ters that were expected - and which indeed -
appeared in one or other Ticket -

There was a Ticket fixed at Pickersham in
Montgomery County - at a meeting - Mr. Richards
in the Chair - one Popman Secretary - in which
I discover that neither your nor my name
was inserted - If it is no Fiction can you
tell me who influenced that meeting -
There will be large Elections both here
and at Carlisle -

I shall now trouble you no further
than conclude your friend & humble Servant

W. Hartley

Genl. Wm. Irvine