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Not. Jan 31 Aug.

My dearest Love -

Arthur is just gone
 home by coach & has taken the
 Quinine & Squills for you. I am
 sorry I could not accompany him
 as I am detained till Tuesday to
 finish. I asked the Col Surge to procure
 me, but he said so many times were
 the movements of other heat. (See
 & Gypsum of course) that he could
 not. - Shall take care this is
 the last time I will be tied to
 Public Business in this way - I
 did

not get any Letters from you this
Morning which I presume to be
owing to your departing I had
left - I saw Dr W. Bradford
say I did not propose to speak
with the Gov^r on his Business
nor omit to mention I withdrew
his Claim in Council - The Gov^r
promised to look further into the
Case & give it his best consideration
This is all I could do -

I am going to see with
W. Briggs - We have been
late

in Account of Thomas Smith
Conclude - Hoping you was
better & that I have soon had
the pleasure of meeting you
all. Your most affectionate
John Leach.