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Dear Mr. Yeates I am favoured with all yours
of the 28th ult. 14th & 18th Curr. I thank you
for the trouble you took in writing upon Mr.
Benton & oblige what you say on the subject
I am also much obliged to you for
the very great pains you have taken to purchase,
& forward, the sundry matters for me, that your
Bro. E. B. wrote you about, the weather for
some time past has been such, that single
horses could scarcely travel much less Waggon
however now the floods seems to be gone &
I am in hopes the roads will soon be occupied
again, I could not tell how Dear could get
my Measure otherwise your opinion of having
my cloaths made up with you would be right
I don't know when you will receive Mrs. Burd
if

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if it should come to your hand before, you have
 an opportunity of sending the cloaths and that you
 think Dean can make them up to fit me with
 festivity (I can't wear cloaths unless they are made
 every way large) please to get Dean in this case
 to make them up but this I leave to your
 own Judgement which you will be able to form
 when you converse with Dean upon the subject,
 we are all well here & join most sincerely
 in love to you, our Daughter, our Children &
 Sister Nece & Nephews & ever am

Yr. fir
 Obedient & affectionate Father,
 James Burd

Jasper Yeates Esq^r

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