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**Thomas Jefferson to James Monroe, July 10, 1824, from  
Thomas Jefferson and James Monroe Correspondence,  
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Monto. July 10. 24.

Dear Sir

My friend Colo. Peyton passing thro' Washn. on a trip to the North will pay his respects to you with this letter. He is the same for whom I have heretofore solicited you, and still solicit you to keep him in mind for either of the two offices in Richmd. which may first become vacant. I shall hope a fortnight or 3 weeks previous notice of your visit here that I may not lose the pleasure of seeing you by a visit to Bedford ever constantly and affly.  
your friend Th. J.

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