New York 18 Dec. 1816 Dear Sir (Isaac Cooper),

The Proprietors of De Kalb here, are very desirous of having your account with them in order that a settlement may be enacted. They have solicited me to write you upon the subject, and to request the favor of you to furnish them with the accounts as early as possible.

I hope that the <u>ugly fellow gout</u> has left you and that your health is perfectly restored. He paid me a visit, and confined me to the house the whole month of November.

?Are to present my best respects to Mrs. Cooper and family and believe me very truly Yours, William Ogden