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Jerrin Sanders
Dr Sir

I am in receipt of your favor but a few days since and to say I felt truly sorry at your misfortune wrote at this moment but an idle expression of feeling.

I have just arranged my last indebtedness to O'Donnell which I receive your letter or 'Georgiana' in the way of draft at 6 months from 1st Nov^r past on the house of R L Adams & Co. N. Orleans that is to hold me unconditionally for the coming year. I suppose for the full amt of my ability say 2319 dollars. Another year with a good market may pass me out - should I prove successful. I have you must know a very limited credit withal.

In the absence of money with a disposition to aid or prop under the misfortune I will when it suits you to call you a nice woman that I think you can raise the money on, say at least the 1000 dollars desirable. The woman would make a good cook with training. Georgiana & Lou I imagine is rather troublesome under the circumstances and if the weather justifies on your trip out - could desire you to bring them home. Just now we are in a spell of the coldest weather known to man and have not yet got my cotton all out.

Give my love to all and accept best wishes for success
Respectfully
Matt. Sage

a draft on the house of Adams. It will not be cashed
for less than 100¢ at that I have learned through Chas. M.
house, standing loans or say Dr 2/4 or 3 at say 100¢
I'll do all I can rest assured. If I had my land sold I
could & would do better M.D.



Pickens Station N.C.

Jan 12

Wm. J. Sanders
De Soto
Clark County
Miss