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Scho. Square
March 15 1806 1

Sir

Allow me Sir to Request, that
you will do me the Favor to Present my best
Thanks & sincere acknowledgments to The Imperial
Academy of Sciences for the valuable & very agreeable
Present they have been so good as to make me of
their Novae acta & Opuscula that I am
grateful for the honor they have done me
& sensible of my Duty to them for having inserted
me among their honorable members & that I
shall always Esteem it a Duty to obey their
Commands whenever I shall have the honor
to receive them

The Request is that you
advise to me by M. M. Hall come safe to my

heads that directed to the Royal Society was
 presented to that body when they resumed their
 meetings after the last summer vacation the
 other was delivered by Mr Vaughan & I am it
 was directed

I have only to add in my thanks
 to you for your good offices & the obliging
 trouble you have taken on this occasion &
 to assure you that I am with great esteem &
 due consideration

Your Obedient & Affectionate
 Son
 Sir: Banks