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My dear Sir

Accept my best thanks for
your kind attentions in sending me
the favourable tidings from patriotic
Ohio, [illegible] my congratulations
upon the auspicious results of
your [concerted] efforts. You have
[illegible] great reason to rejoice truly, and
the Democracy of the land have
reason to be proud of you.
Our German friends, have, I
doubt not done their duty
nobly. Among the agreeable

incidents of my journies there were,
I assure you, none that afforded me
greater enjoyment than the [afforded?]
demonstrations of their indomitable
and disinterested patriotism which
I witnessed at almost every point.
Remember me kindly to the officers
of the company who were so kind
to me, & ask [them] to do it to the
privates, & to my German friends
in general. Also to Mr Burke
and to Mr [Kleech], I think it was,
with whom we took [illegible] &
[Malk?] on the [Hill], & to his amiable
family, & also to my other friends in
Cincinnati. I do not think we
can be deceived in believing

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that we [shall?] follow [your] great &
glorious example [next] [month?] I am

Very sincerely your
friend & Obedt. Srvt.
M. Van Buren

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{25th. October 1842}