Navy Yard June 22, 1795

Sir,

I have to observe on my former letter to you dated naval yard Portsmouth June 9, 1791, that neither time or expense should be spared in laying the keel of the frigate in the best possible position for launching; which from his description of the ground it will be very proper to lower the keel as oft, in fact to keep it as low as possible on the blocks, all fore and aft, as will serve admit of heaving on the sole keel. If they have sufficient water for launching, I would give the keel the same dexterity as the launching ways, if the water is want it should be left, as described in a former letter to you on that subject.

I am with much esteem wished

Joshua Humphreys

The Hon. Secretary of War
June 22 1798
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