

Mr. James David
Professor

St. John's College
London

19

I heard of your going to the Continent
had my apprehensions of your weight with
not quite so much so long as the Emolu-
ment would amount to the tenths of your
City, which you may remember I have frequen-
tioned to you, when we were by ourselves. We have various
reports here concerning you; and very different opinions,
some of which I could mention; but I think it as good
not to trouble you with reading them. I would be
glad to hear from you, and to know what you are
about, and the nature of your situation, at least
so far as you would wish a stranger, tho' a friend to
know.

boys went to bed at nine,
at Simpson's Elements and he thought we
were coming to bed, which was generally about
half after ten, he then slipped quietly into bed, and
so good night; for we frequently found him sound
asleep, at least he pretended to be so. he continued
on this way until the beginning of this month,
and then went to Glasgow Colli, I suppose he
will import a prodigious Cargo of Mathe-
matics at his return. Mr. Muen has not
employed any one since, so there they
stand. what he will do I know not.

continued reading.

all you
I can
a poor
when I
flatter me

I am sorry I
could not procure a man
Be so good as to tell me something about the nature
of the Manchester Academy, and whether you have a
good prospect there, perhaps in the course of your tra-
vels, you might see something in England, which would
answer a man of my Description, as I am tired of counting
I will not trouble you with any more at present, only that
I am with unalterable Esteem and Respect, your obliged
and very humble Servant
I beg you will favor me with
an answer as soon as possible
as I will thank you with my Epistles.

James Faulkner

at and therefore
to do. I don't
I am disappointed
no of I don't
I don't