

27. octob. 47

4



Monsieur

L'assurance que Monsieur  
de La Martinay m'a donnée  
que vous auriez agrable  
de entendre de vostre humble  
serviteur me donne la  
hardiesse de vous presenter  
quelque petites choses de  
nostre Luth et quelque  
airs a chanter si les  
trouvez agreables je vous  
prie de commander celui qui  
s'estimera toujours heureux  
d'avoir la collite de

Monsieur

Vostre tres humble  
et tres affectionne  
serviteur  
Gaubier

Hug. 37.

1700

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above mentioned affair. I am sorry that I cannot do more for you at present, but I will do what I can. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
 Your obedient servant,  
 J. B. de Witt

J. B. de Witt  
 Secretary of the Admiralty

1700

Handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. The text is written in a cursive script and is difficult to decipher due to fading and the angle of the page. It appears to contain several lines of text, possibly including a name and a date.

A Monsieur  
Monsieur huguens  
Sergent de Bulcau  
Conseiller Et premier  
Secrétaire de son  
Alt<sup>se</sup>