

Respect Wm May 11. 1848
Mr. W. Powell

Dear Sir your note
of yesterday morning came safe to hand
and in it I found an dollar worth of
stamps for which I am much oblig'd to you
for I had returned to as I was only asked
to supply fifty cents worth and I think
it rather unprofitable articles to incur
trouble in according to your statement, I am
at the same time oblig'd to you for the
information for I find by it that I had been
entirely misinform'd I had heard as I thought
through your good authority that say by taking
an dollar worth twenty four ^{stamps} would be found
and so on in proportion but at the
same time I could not see the propriety of
it all of which I told the mail rider
to mention to you and at the same
time to ask you to send me fifty cent
worth if you had them to spare
all of which was done through your
kindness my thanks and believe me to be
Yours

Respectfully
Wm