1784 APRIL 15 JEREMIAH WATKINS TO SAMUEL BALLOWAY

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Sir

Agreable to your request I called on Hardesty - he tells me he carried down my 29
of Sept. 1700 7 Hds. of Tob. 4 of which was Ks. of my Crop in neither for - the
other Crop I left hanging was the New Town on the Hill - and the Roll
of the 2 Old Lowers - he stripped out & left in bulk in the best order he
could - he guess he would not say - I think there could not be less than
3000 lbs. Rich. Warfield took place after him - and can give no further
acct. about the Tob. - I found on Jno. Jeans Book of Hds. Tob. Imp.
in 1700 for you, wt. 6937 - Shipped by Stephen Stewart July 9 1700
Bw and Griffith Shippe - also imported by Sam. Brogden in 1703-4 Hds.
wt. 4112 lbs. - also found on Jno. Jeans Book imported for Mr. B. Go
1701 - 2 Hds. Tob. wt. 1931 net & in 1702 3 Hds. Tob. wt. 2705 net -
which is all the Tob. I can find on those Books - I am informed
Mr. Thos. Hall has agreed 50/ p. cwt. for his Tobo. - I hope Mr. Go
will make the best sale of my Tob. and deposit the money in the
office between this & the general Court - an acct. of Simon Nicho
Late Sheriff of Montgomery Coun. I am Sir Your most Obedient Servt.

15th of April 1794 — Jeremiah Watkins