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Sr

I Recd yrs of the 4th of March & 13th of April past. and find that you had not Recd Mine of the 1st of Jan.y with Bills Inclosed to the Amount of £54: 10:0 by Way of the New York Packet. I Perceive by yrs of 4 March that you had not Made any Insurance on the Pitts Large homeward Bound. and as My Property on Board the said Ship Will be Considerable and the Premium Low I think not Altogather Advisable to Risk the same. I therefore Give you I Make Insurance on 100 hhds of Tob. in said Ship on My Acct. to Newport &c — provided Clear in Cargo of Capt Richardson. All the Assistance in My Power towards Accomplishing his Load. Which I think he is in a fair Way of Doing by the 1st of Sept.r Being under the Expectation that Goods May Be More Reasonable by the Fall. Shall Some time hence. Inclose you An Invoice for Goods to the Amount of 5 or 600 Pounds hoping that you May have Some Opportunity to Ship them in the winter before the Other Cargoes Comes Out. and as it Will be to the Advantage of the Importer to have Small Supplies Twice a year Preferable to a Large Cargo. Shall Now Proceed in Established fall into that Method. hoping My future Returns Will Enable Me to Pursue the Above Scheme With Safety to you. and Advantage to yr Most Obedient Hble Servt

H. Ridgely

Stephen Gartrel Desires you I Insure two hhds Tobo in the Pitt at the Same Rates as you Mine. I Shall Put Some Tob.o on board yr Patuxent Boat As the Quantity Will be Small Shall Not Make Insurance thereon Yours &c yrs &c — HR