Baltimore Octr 18th 1773

Dr Sir

This will be Delivered you by the Skiffer of the Vessel that brings you Your Goods. Be kind enough to let him have what Tobacco there is at New Town for me, also you'll oblige me by Speaking to Mr Sadler for the Other 3 hdds he was to let me have

By this Opportunity you have also the 10 Bbls Pork cost £45

Iam Dr Sir

Your Very hble Servt

JC

Mr Thomas Ringgold
Chester Town

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of & paid for; also the wheat, when the man calls for the money. The ¢ Tub of Butter shall be got too; the same care shall be taken as if for myself

The cranberries & apples if to be got, shall not be neglected — You had better get Mr Ringgold to take you the kind of apples I write me, I don't remember I got any for him last fall

Iam Dr Sir

Your Very hble Servt

JC

Thomas Ringgold
Chester Town

Baltimore 23d Octr 1773

Dr Sir

Your favour of the 21st was handed me to Day. a Ship arrived here yesterday from Bristol who left it the 30th of August, the Capt. says your Brig sailed a Week before him. he had no Letters, as his Voyage was kept a Secret — The Gentn here Imagine talking abt chartering your Brig, are apprehensive as she is not arrived it might be too late, to have her home again before the Ports are Shut, & Seems to decline the Scheme; I intend speaking to them again and if they shou'd conclude on it will write you

I shall be glad to see the two Craft with the Corn the 1st of next week, as the Snow will be ready for them: the I hope will be full by the last of it

Your J.S.'s Letters shall be forwarded as he Desires, and the money for the Corn is ready when he lets me know it is necessary as he says he will, it shall be sent over

Iam Gentn

Your Very hble Servt

JC

Messrs Smyth & Ringgold
Chester Town