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repairs I am not likely to be benefited by keeping them, tho' there is a small Burying ground in ye Garden, at ye corner of ye Stable, which I should like to have a right reserved to. & I desire Mr Smyth to have it inclosd as there were locust posts in ye Garden for it, if not done pray have it done. I had also a right to a Pew in ye Chapel in Town which Mr Kinggold offerd me £10 — for, but did not sell it, and I since find ye Chappel has been pullid down, but I appre:hend ye right to a Pew was reserved by ye Act of Assembly in ye new Church for ye proprietors of ye Chappel, in this case it may be sold. Suppose you was to mention tho' not advertize ~~ye Sale~~ that they would be sold, but I leave ye management of it entirely to You I am in great haste

Dear Jammy

Your Affec: Brother

Wm Stevenson

We have given our reasons for ordering ye Lea: to Falmouth as a great Expence will be saved by it & the advantages in ye Weights at their Custom House will more than pay ye charges, add to which if We send Her from thence to Holland or Hamburg We can draw for chief of ye Amt. of Her Cargo immediately on Her arrival there which will put us in Cash, should We want it ~~to take up~~ any of yr Bills.