1784 Feb. 24 Daniel Dulany to Richard Chew

SIDE ONE

Mr. James Chaston
Tulip Hill
Favored by Mr. Chew
Major Chew

Dear Brother — Baltimore 24th. Feby 1784

I wrote you Yesterday by Way of Annapolis in Answer to yours of the 20th Instt., But having Accidently met with Major Chew — Who informed me he shou'd set have in a Couple of hours, have troubled him to drop this at Tulip Hill —

I have made all the Enquiry I possibly can about a Vessel to Charter of the size you mention but cannot hear of one — I have put an Advertisement into Goddards Paper for one, Perhaps that may Turn up something — Tob.o is now selling at 35/ none higher than 37/6 but very little for Sale tho' a large Quantity expected up from below as soon as the Navigation is Open — I think imagine it will be higher, from the Prices that is Current in Europe, the last Accts. Sales that are Arrived is from 4.d to 8.d —

I Recd. from Jno. Cockey Owings the 20th Instt. £26..6.8 for which you will give him Cr., It is on Acct. Not Interest —

I cannot get any Shoes in Town small enough for Mrs. Chaston — There is some Slippers that I believe may do — If you do not come up to