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bowers that will show the fond of them therefore
cannot say how I shall be pleased, but I have
heard her in that point so well spoken of
by you that I have not a doubt of being
much pleased — Miss Cooke is at Bx — and
I have not had the felicity of seeing her
I have been gratified with a look at your
brother who I think without flattery a very
beautiful boy and a remarkable gentleman like
behaved little fellow as I ever saw, the Kinsmen
you mention, was sent to me & he shall get
it safe, I think him very like my good &
pretty Aunt — the Boy is waiting and hurry
me to conclude, you shall hear from me again
very soon — may happiness be yours is
the wish of yours most truely

Ch R —

Maria [Cadwalader] Ringgold

excuse haste)
I have not time to
read my letter over
Maria not well —
but John quite so —

1795 or 96

John Cadwalader b. Nov 15th 1794 died young
and Samuel b. Oct 16th 1796 —
In a letter dated Jan 16th 1797 she mentions Maria & Sam. — John
must have died prior to that date —
This is evidently written from Annapolis where Saml Ringgold was
a member of the House of Delegates in 1795 —