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given me yesterday. I gave it to Israel to take to Mr. Ricketts office - as there were no names whatever attached but I took the liberty of directing it to him & writing inside that the articles were for Miss Murray - who the poor man is I imagine he is to pay the money to, I can't imagine, but papers have sharp eyes, & I suppose he will find out - I told Israel they were from him in order to explain -

I hope Polly will have a fine day for the wedding it has fair to be so now - no doubt Mollie is urging her visit, it is well she is not with you in such confusion - what will she do after she leaves Elkridge? will she come to Phila? as Father has not made his appearance among us. I imagine he is not in town - but we shall be so glad to see him -

I asked the old bitterman yesterday, if he had heard from you about the butter - he said not - do you still want him to put any up for you? and how much? he says he can do some if you would like - but as he did not hear from you he would rather wait until he does - it is just to be packed in a jar, is it not? that was the way he spoke of -