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1844 Caspar Harris [redacted] Incoming letters MS 1844

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To amt. brot forward	8.348	40
" Cash paid at Orphans Court for Release of Admr.		75
	$ 8.349	15

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1844 Decemr. 26	By One Sixth, being his & his Wifes Propn. of the Balance due the Estate as per 2nd Account of the Admr. passed the Orphans Court of Baltimore County	7.394	79
"	" Balance of Account placed to his debit on the Books of Sd. Cheston & Son	954	36
		$ 8.349	15

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Galloway Cheston, Admr.

Dear Caspar

I have on your account with me as Admr. shewing a Balance due me of $954.36, which I have placed to your debit in your general account & closed that with the admr. - The debts of the Estate are now all paid. There is a liability still for the Tide Water Canal which may possibly come upon us, & those due to it collected expecting a few very doubtful & desperate. I have therefore obtained an order from the Court for the division among the Heirs of the amt. appearing to be in my hands, the nearly all before paid them. It divides as you will perceive by the enclosed act, to each the sum of $7394.79 from the personal Estate. The receipts I have taken from you from time to time as payments were made you. I find are not in form to give me the legal release. The Court furnishes the inclosed which you & Ann will please sign before a witness in the presence of a Magistrate, have yr. County Seal with certif. of his being a Magistrate attached to the Paper & return it to me. The receipts before given I will return you when we meet. I write in great haste having an immediate engagement. We are well & hope you are all comfortably over yr. Christmas festivals. When you write tell us what you hear has been the Gibsons fate. We learn by report they have a Legacy of 30.000 certain & contingency of 10.000 more. With affecte. love to you all yrs truly

G. Cheston