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Baltimore, April 26th, 1882

Henry M. Murray, Esq.,

Dear Sir,

We sent your wife with our letter of April 22d a formal release to the executors of Galloway Cheston for her share of the securities distributed under the decree of the Circuit Court, to be executed by yourself and her. We have since discovered that Mrs Murray is in Philadelphia and will not return for some time to West River. Will you therefore send the letter with the release, (if you have not already done so) to her in Philadelphia. Where she will execute it before a "notary" and return it to you for signature and acknowledgement before a magistrate. I am afraid it will take you to Annapolis as it will be necessary to attach to the acknowledgement the certificate of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Anne Arundel County that the magistrate is properly appointed and qualified.

If you will then forward the receipt of some party you fix upon (Mr. G. C. Morris or someone else) we will deliver the securities named therein.

We were sorry to have to refuse the release brought us by Mr. Morris this morning executed by your wife alone. You know of course that it is not a valid release in Maryland unless made in the form of a joint written contract by husband and wife.

Regretting to give you this trouble.

Very Respectfully,

Carey & Carey