Branch Bank, Easton
August 19th 1846

My dear Sir

Your favor of 18th inst. reached me this morning, too late however, I am sorry to say, to renew Mr. Clayton's note, it having been protested on the 12th — The note was renewed to day, and we have charged you with the discount and other expenses, amounting to Fourteen dollars and forty seven cents ($14 47/100). The fifty dollars enclosed, has been passed to your credit.

I hope your trip to Delaware has been of service to you, and that you have returned with renewed health and vigor — Say to Margaret, we are all well at home, but no tidings of Tilghman and Ellen, I heard accidentally, yesterday through a friend, they were still in Baltimore, sojourning with my friends, the Rogers — With kind regards to all, who are with you, I am

Very truly
Yours
Wm. B. Smyth

Col. John Tilghman
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