Augusta 31st May 1837

To
John H. B. Latrobe Esqr
Pres. Md. Col. Soc.
Baltimore

Dear Sir

I am requested by Mr Cuthbert Johnson to acknowledge the receipt of your satisfactory & very interesting letter of the 22th inst, and to forward to you the above certificate of the Cashier of the Bank of Augusta of a deposite of Five thousand Dollars to your credit. Mr Johnson has thought proper to deposit the even sum of $5000, instead of $4836 67 cts, the amount called for, because, in the present deranged state of business, it is uncertain what may be the expense of transferring the fund to Baltimore, and the prefered depositing a sum larger than may be necessary, ~~rather than~~ to incur the risk of being in debt to the Society. The balance which may remain in your hands will be

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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