Minerva Md. October 29th 1838.

Rev. J. A. Carter,
Sec. Bras. M. Col Soc.

Do. Sir

It is with much satisfaction that I transmit to you by Dr. McGill himself the intelligence that he has so far completed his medical studies as to receive the degree of MD, and also my own opinion that the Society have not misplaced their appropriations for his education. much might be added in praise of his gentlemanly conduct, his industry and perseverance which would only be a repetition of what has already been said by myself in previous communications. I once advised the Society to give him the privilege of seeing practice for a few months in Baltimore and would now again urge the point. his situation here in the country has not enabled him to see very much of of surgery could he spend some time in a city this deficiency would be supplied. He leaves us followed by our best wishes for his success and with entire confidence that he will do honour to his patrons and himself. That he may also prove of essential service to the Society is the wish of

Your Obedt Servt. Ed. E. Phelps

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