Jefferson County Va
February 8th 1845

Dear Sir,

Your letter dated Monday 3d has just been received this Friday evening and consequently the earliest opportunity now offers to answer it. This delay in its reception has been caused by the Snow-storm which has so impeded the progress of the Cars that we have had no mail during the week. - I regret very much that it has happened so, as it may subject the family to whom you engaged the servants to some inconvenience. I now reply to your letter, that we are indebted and very grateful to you for your activity in the matter; and that we accept of the offer if it is not too late. And if the bargain can still be consummated we desire you to write to us by return mail and inform us when the servants may be sent. — We judge it prudent now not to send the lad, as he may go anytime afterward. — In order to secure a speedy return please direct to Dr Charles. Ze. Stephen, Kerneysville, Jefferson Co Va. —

Yours truly
Geo. D. Cummins. —

Rev. Wm Meade
Mt Fielding

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