

Dear Sir, I have been called on two or three
 by the Galls formerly associated with Smith of the Catac
 tin Mountain who has since made himself scarce
 these Galls, James, William & Wife are desirous to
 go by the Return Packet I have advised them to dispose
 of their real Estate in the Mountain & report themselves at
 once to you in the City; when we shall be advised of the
 determination of the Society respecting the sailing of the
 Packet they must govern themselves accordingly They are
 two good looking Men very industrious and respectable
 they now reside in Buckeye town a few miles from us
 I have received voluminous letters from the Cape the
 Groceries particular, all well, — Phillip Grop's writes that
 he has put into the hands of Captain S. H. Groom on you
 ten dollars & fifty cents to be given you for me I will
 thank you to receive the same from him and I am
 further advised by Wesley Grop and his father Jacob
 Grop that Wesley has sent a small Box, Cage or Keg
 who nearly blotted out for Weath's wife please pay what
 is due on it & have it at your store room I will direct
 a person to call for it. The Rest of the Money I will di
 rect a person to call for it, in due season
 I regret to hear so much Complaint from them all
 about the want of Salt provision, They are paying four to five
 hundred per cent on the Salt price you are not forgotten in
 their Complaints, by and by I will show you.
 Wesley and Solombi^{Grop} are very desirous you should give
 me their freedom

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