

Baltimore Sept. 15, 1851

Dr. James Hall
My dear Sir,

Mr. Farley received a few lines from you this morning by which I have been made acquainted with your present address. I avail myself of the information thus obtained to acknowledge the receipt of your letter from Howard's Lick which had been at the office for many days during my absence from the city. I should have written immediately on its perusal, but from the tenor of your remarks in reference to your return to Balt. I was led to look for you every day & up to the 10th - after which we of the office really became alarmed lest some indisposition had been the cause of your not writing on returning. Mr. Farley was also undecided as to what course to pursue, and hence letters and papers ^{have} accumulated daily for you which he found to forward ~~for~~ lest they might miss you.

As I anticipated the fact that you would wish me to aid in the August number of the Journal, I attended to it, and notwithstanding my absence during almost the whole month of August attending three Camp Meetings, yet I contrived to get out the number on the 1st of Sept. and hope you will be pleased with it.

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