Chapleico Nov. 10th 1853 —

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 1st Inst. came duly to hand relative to Boy Charley — Charley is a likely Boy, and the only One I have that is fit to drive my Carriage, and to attend to particular wants I frequently have, and to part from him for $400. is thus making a sacrafice of at least from 2. to 300$. agreeable to their present value, and as to any other property, I could not consent to do it, but as it is of the character it is, I must agree to make a considerable sacrafice, but I can not agree to make more than I have already said, and if I part from him 400$. is the last I can agree to, and if you ful disposed and can comply with these terms, he will be at your service —

I am yours Very Respectfully

Jos Shumwell

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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