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Dear James Hall

Dear Sir I received a letter from Mrs Sarah Leaby and this morning they have charged me $5 freight of a Box. I sent a Box to your care by Steamer from here & paid the freight to Baltimore, & asked you to collect Mrs Sarah Leaby for any ~~your~~ expense you might be at in Baltimore. I did not intend you should have paid the freight to Liberia, the freights are always paid by the consignees on arrival at their destined Port. I have no funds of Bailey to pay the freight with. If this $5 was for the freight to Liberia please send me a receipt for it that I may send it to him.

Yours Respectfully
E Withington

please send the receipt as soon as convenient so I can write him to go by the first vessel for Liberia. please let me know when the first vessel will sail from that port.

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