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Colonization Rooms
Washington City, 16 April 1855

My Dear Sir

As I have received no notice of the acceptance of my offer for the New York vessel, I have written G. Chiston, that I will accept his offer, if he has not made sale of the Cora — And if he has — Why then she — "sail her troop — will be swallowed up!" As I cannot hear from him before tomorrow night or Wednesday — & as I am very busy having forty three letters to day — not including one from Sylvia — I must stay at home tomorrow — You may see me Wednesday.

Have you letters from Sib.a? We have one from Benson: the Euphrates reaches Mon.a Jan. 25 — The Shield & Gen. Pierce had all arrived — do not give. Bensons letter date 20 Feb.

Yours very truly

W. McLain

James Hall, M.D.
Baltimore
Md.

P.S. Letters have come complaining of water in the Ephrasions —

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