

Colo. Rooms
Wash. 28 Jan 1856

My Dear Sir
Yours of the 27th is received
with its inclosures. I wrote you yes-
terday, to pay a note for us today—
I hope you received it?

I have read Capt. Barrett's letter.
I can only suggest that you should
say to him that you have nothing to do
with the business. You may add if
you choose that it will be some months
before the ship is ready, & that you
imagine we shall not be in any
hurry about engaging a Captain
but shall wait for full widening
that he is just the man we need.

I engage you for 1st voyage.
So you may consider that settled.

James Hall M.D.
Baltimore
Md.

Yours most truly
W. M. Linn

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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