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Col. Rooms,
Wash. City, 17 March 1858.

My Dear Sir

Yours of the 16th is received. The side lines rather strike me. I cannot find two such notes on our bills payable. We have an insurance note for $132.50 — date 18 Nov. 1858 — at 4 mos. of course due the 18/21 — Somewhere — we have rec. no notice of it. As we had no regular book keeper last fall & winter, I not feel very confident, & therefore will not say positively that they are not ours. But I will thank you to investigate the signature & see if you know it — & let me know what they are — or to whom given —

As to your suggestions about a thousand or two dollars — I think in a few days or so, we can meet your wishes.

At present it looks as if we shall have 75 emigrants — old & young — we have no offers of freight. — Ten of the Engls. are naturally come to Balt. — the others as naturally to Norfolk — but I am meditating not to stop at Norfolk, but to make them come to Balt.

The McDonogh case has been decided by Supreme Court — & we have nothing left but submission — the term

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A. Letter Books

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