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Norfolk, Va. 9 Nov. 1857

My Dear Sir

Will you please effect insurance  
for Am. Col. Soc. on \$3,500.00 to Cape Mount,  
+ on \$4,000.00 to Monrovia.

Yours of the 7<sup>th</sup> is received with  
its inclosures — which are all O.K. — and I  
presume the Captain will sign B.S. accordingly.

I am sorry that my letter of  
the 6<sup>th</sup> was not intelligible to you. That busi-  
ness about the "blind boy" is more important  
than you seem to imagine.

That boy by Express for Coleman  
is the one McKee lost — the owner of it is on  
board — I have paid \$3.75 expenses on it — which  
the owner I presume will pay.

Your "children" are all well and  
enjoying themselves vastly. You omitted to mention  
one of them — "Christian" — he is rather homesick!  
You will <sup>know</sup> it, I presume, when the wind changes! There  
is no prospect of a change here!

James Hall M.D.,  
Baltimore

Yours faithfully,  
W. W. Linn

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