Col. Offer
Baltimore Oct. 24/14 1858

Mr. Ambrose G. Richter
Lynchburg Va.

Dear Sir

Your favor of 12th inst. is rec'd. For the Jamestown coal mines I do not know a better factor than Robt. J. M. Roberts. Little or nothing can be made or be made a quantity of any thing we have could be sold to advantage - and it would be a desirable thing to induce the Jamestown and Shipment of a large quantity of Coffee at our Liberian Colony and therefore any quantity of the best coffee, equal to Mocha or java, that Merchants is willing to pay the Jamestown price for it by furnishing consignees, but any little, more or less, is of no value. Prices range from 10 to 20 ¢ lb.

I would advise you sending back a blank - Yours Respectfully

H. W. Ellis for James Hall

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