Balto. Oct 9th 1860

Rev. J. McNeil

Dear Sir. Enclosed is a grumbling letter from Reading Stirning. You know how much trouble I had with him, how I left every thing else to go & pick up his chests & all that. Now it occurred to me as I shall have the pleasure of meeting him, it is needless to write, but I think you or Mr Early should answer his letter. Some what cheerfully. If I can see you on letter explain to him about the broken quitty of the N.C.S. then I am lost of the Ships promising I shall blow him — but it may be as well for you to say that you know the Ships promising are better for emigrants than are the Eurpean Liners or Steamer passenger or than ever Money making — It may do him good to tell this to him —

Another thing. Please return the last letter I sent you about the N.C.S. now as you have been so unsuccessful in your enquiries — as I must answer it & have forgotten the address —

Yr hurry Obey
James Wells

N.B. Better, think Good!

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