Objection to let me have an adequate share which I think is what I will make choice of, as I have so far been in his counting room I like his business very much, he is principally in the Flaxseed & Salt trade, in the former there is nothing done during the summer yet his business is such as to afford constant Employment.

I had a letter from Mr Little a few Days ago by which I am informed of his determination of that day sailing for London, for which Port I suppose Capt. Baker has sailed ere this. Hugh Ferguson is about commencing Business here in the Grocery & Spirit line, I hope he will succeed. Miss Binnie desired me to enquire for a Washington Whitlay which I have frequently done but without effect. Indeed from the extent of this Place it would be an endless business to attempt finding any One by name unless acquainted with their situation, Should you be enabled to give me any information on that subject I shall renew the search. I am sorry that Distance prevents me the pleasure of seeing you in a certain degree settled in your own House, tho I cannot have that satisfaction, May I request you to remember me to Mrs Binnie & family in the most respectful manner, Should you consider me worthy a place in the catalogue of your acquaintances May I request a line from you as often as circumstances permit, I believe me Dear Sir Yours very Sincerely

John Montgomery

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P.S. I almost forgot to mention that Matthew has lot a situation in the Post Office Shop in a short time as formerly