Dear Sir

Annapolis Decr. 22d - 1823 —

I have delayed writing thus long in hopes I should have received the Money before this, you had a right to expect would be paid by Mr. T. Chase — I am sorry to say nothing has yet been paid — I had your Letter delivered to Miss Chase, as soon as I returned Home — but have not heard a word on the subject —

I trust she has answered your Letter & I think it would be well in you to address another — by way of keeping up your intention to get your claim satisfied — The Chancellor left your House on the 29th. Day of Novr. Yon the 1st. Day of this Month I sent in his Acct. for the rent — and as I did not hear from him for several Days after. I waited on him — He informed me that, he was not ready to pay then — but would pay in a few Days — I have not heard from him since — I have been obliged to employ a Workman — to stop a bad leak in the gutters

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Dear Father

I send you the requisite papers in relation to the meetings I could not obtain any information in relation to Mr Reids estate more than it would nearly pay his debts Ally's son Henry is in jail Mr Cunningham brot him from above but he made a second attempt to run off but was caught, put in jail & will now be sold to the highest bidder if a gentleman on the road to Cumberland to whom Mr C wrote, will not buy him Mrs Thomsons family are well & doing well except John of whom I will speak more fully when we meet ought you not to send in your acct to Baker or has the time expired according to notice 6 Months after Letters granted If it clears up perhaps I will be out to day There is not much talk about the division in Jacob.

C D B