Fred.k 28th April 1826

Dear Father

Rec.d yours containing the documents relative to Mr Thomsons Estate, I made out an extract of the different accts & laid it before Baker & Rankle who is Sol.ty for him & find attend to the settlement of the estate I conversed with them both — They are desirous to settle but as the Cred.rs are not willing to admit yr claim Baker & Rankle proposed to arbitrate the matter & requested I should so advise you that can be done pending being obtained from the orphans Ct I spoke to Eichelberger telling him then

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Fredrick 20th April 1826

Dear Father

I met Mr Goldsborough the other day & spoke relative to your claim against Mr Thomsons estate he is a creditor, they do not wish a lawsuit and requested me to get either the original note or a copy will you send me immediately an extract of yr account also a literal transcript of the note being particular in giving me every mark of a pen and about it on the body, signatures, dates, receipts &c &c on the back and front Baker has lost the one he got I believe their view in asking this is to find whether its worth while to stand a suit or not

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