Rockland Decr 29th 1828

My Dr Sir

Your Letter dated the 1st day of Decbr came to hand by mail to day and will account to you for my Cash, wishing to ascertain from you the Qualities &c of the stuff sent on — Your Letter, which ought to have come to hand nearly a Month past, has afforded perfect satisfaction — You received I hope $30 which was deposited in the hands of Mr Orndorff subject to your order at the time the Sheep were delivered — I will endeavour to make sale of the Ram for you, and you will accept my best thanks for the Small Ram — whose form I am particularly struck with — Since last writing you I have Examined the wool of all of them — The Eldest struck several of us, from the external appearance of the fleece, at a little distance, and previous to the close examination after given, as having a little of the Merino blood in him — We are pleased with the fleece, it is well calculated, I think, for Negroes & Blanketing — I shall attend partic