followed the same afternoon Mrs & Mr Ogle
went out to-day Mrs & Miss Plater will
be kept all Winter by the Illness of the
Bridesmaid. — Now as I have not said
enough of that Dear subject Self — I am in
some measure recovered but still am oppressed
with a weakness in my Breast — You write not
I hope doubt my Dear Sir but that the Request
from you will have superior weight to any
other — I wish you to say by the first Opportunity
when you will be in Balt. on yr. way to
Congress it will govern me as to my Visit to
St. Marys If you set out in two weeks you
will certainly find me in Balt. — I placed
your pair of Shoes in Mr Hoddart's hands to-day
for Mrs Digges — I have heard nothing of Sawney
nor Mrs Lee's Slipper or your Hatt — The Sol.
Clothing for Mr Digges shall be sent as
soon as I return to Balt. — Tis now Ten
o'Clock & I have safely confined my self to
that Room the Boy says he must go at
Sun Rise I will therefore conclude with
praying my Affectionate Compts to Mrs Lee
& the good Family with you & assuring you
of the truest Affection of Dear Sir yr friend
M Tonnell

I have wrote this Scrawl in such
haste that I feel as if already blushed
for its incorrectness & my ~~[illegible]~~ Eyes of
tomorrow

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