the appropriation - No funds are provided
by the Bill for the Building, Congress seemed
to contemplate the receipt of Grants for
that purpose, if there accompanied the President's
Congress - Thus far the Bill provides some
security for its Execution, inasmuch
as no further legislative act from Congress
will be necessary to remove the Seat there
at the End of ten years - A further Security
would have been given, if the Bill had authorized
the President to appoint a Commissioner to receive the Lots
& from that Funds to erect the Buildings -
The Security would have been better & the
fund better - I shall go to Montgomery
Court early on Monday Morning - With
Compliments to Mrs Lee
Yours affly
Richard Potts

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