Petersville April 22nd 1841.

To John Lee

Dear Sir When I had the pleasure of seeing you in the Cars we had a conversation in relation to getting Mr. Stephens of Boonsboro the appointment of Postmaster at that place. I saw Mr Stephens yesterday he appears to be very anxious to obtain the appointment and from what I can learn it would be a very popular appointment to the Citizens of the place it is unnecessary to say that Mr Stephens is a very deserving man and is very poor. He relies much upon your influence and expects through you to obtain it.

I hope you will use your influence in his favour. Yours Respectfully

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