

Spotsylvania 26 August 1844

Dear Sir

Your letter of the 10th Inst came to hand to day and it appears that you did not understand my meaning about the title must made with your Mother. I suppose you know that relations and friends Hile stood off, and she was not able to give Security for her purchase at the Sale. So when the guarantians qualified, it was necessary to have a title must in some way or other, as it could no longer remain in my hands. I took your Brother J. M. Cammack as Security to the Bond of \$ 73.43 which was assigned to you. I wish you to let me know as soon as convenient whether you will receive him as Security or not. If not they must give additional Security and I will forward it immediately.

I will state to you again, ^{the amount} due from your Fathers estate to the legals, there was money enough to pay all the debts without your Mothers purchase which amounted to \$ 881.55. Her thirds to come of which was \$ 293.85th which leave a balance of \$ 587.70th that will give \$ 73.43th to each share.

as to the amount of your purchase, it happened to be with the receipts belonging to the estate, and came into the hands of the Commissioners without my thinking about the impropriety of it. But I can assure you most candidly that no disrespect was meant to you. I will ascertain as Dirnte whom I shall see at the next court whether your Taxes have been regularly paid, and will inform you in my next

Respectfully yours
James P. Holladay

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Lewis Stone M
Aug 28 1844
Mr. George J. Cammack
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