

New Washington Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1837.

My Dear Sir,

Your letter by Mr Church came to hand a short time since; being sent to me from Harrisburg. I did not see Mr C or the gentlemen with him - they went direct to Houston - paid Gen Sherman a short visit and then proceeded on to the West, I regret not having the opportunity of extending to them the hospitality of our house, and of ~~offering~~ offering to them any civilities or services which might have been in my power - I hope yet to meet them on their return.

I have not been up to Harrisburg since the deed has been in the hands of Mr Harris - but expect to be there on New Year's day and will attend to your request in regard to the alteration.

I have been spoken to by two men within the last six months who wished to purchase the land I sold you they thought it still belonged to me - one of them was Mr Greag who came out to this country with Doct Patrick Mr G knows the land better than any other man, he it was ~~that was~~ (at the time Doct P made the location) surveyed it, as he was Doct P deputy - he ~~was~~ <sup>is</sup> anxious to buy it and says he will pay the cash down I think he offered \$1 per acre