

## National Bank of New Castle.

New Castle, N.Y. Feb 22<sup>nd</sup> 1872

Prof H. N. White

Livingston N.Y.

My dear Sir - I enclose  
 you a copy of letter I rec<sup>d</sup> this A. M.  
 from Mr J B Bowman - to wit. Your letter  
 has been forwarded to this place in N. York. Where  
 I have been all Winter with my wife who  
 is under Medical treatment. In regard to  
 your note to the University I will state that  
 it was given in the presence of your Uncle John  
 Gist. And as I understood with his approval,  
 and certainly with the understanding and ex-  
 pectations that you would be assisted in  
 the payment by him, or out of means which you  
 would receive from him.

After his death and  
 when I found that you did not come  
 in as one of his Chief legates I never  
 prep'd the Collection of the note, nor deemed  
 it equitable or right for you to pay it