

Baltimore May 5. 1836

My dear Sir

I am in receipt of your favour of the 4th inst. Your understanding of my proposition about the Cotton Duty and tax through bid man is perfectly correct, the Allow can be delayed to your order at any time, Duty is making a season and could not well be paid before next month, when you can talk him or at any time afterwards to suit your convenience

I took Mr Blanton out to Ridgely & Helms yesterday my hufes looked or I expected, they will now however mend or they are in a good posture, I will thank you to send me a description of your two Colas bought of Ridgely or I should forgotten this Colas & so I have identified them & will send you their Pedigree or soon as you will give me a description of them

I saw the arrival of your son & his family announced in the Papers and was in hopes to have had the pleasure of seeing them on their way to you,

Truly yours
W D Shepley

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Mr. Hon

Henry Clay

Washington