

Longwood

24th May
1847

My Dear Sir Thomas

Circa since
his arrival here, he found out
that the compass which he was
desirous of procuring is not for
Genl Murbair, you are but
for Mr. Moulton - He therefore returns
you many thanks for your kindness
in pushing to send ab. the case
of Mathematical Instruments,
but he begs that notice for the
"Maginò" and not "Il Segno" avrà
that you will not send it up,
in seve fette un cazzo del Maginò
ido come dell'anno quaranta.

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From Washington, I have a request
to make to you viz. that you will
be kind enough to cause the Piano-
Forte tuner to be sent up to
Longwood tomorrow morning at
a tolerable early hour (if convenient)
to tune the Piano, as he says that
he has expressed his desire to
hear the admirable Concert perform-
er on it. I do not recollect the name
of the man who tunes the Piano,
but I believe it will not be diffi-
cult to ferret him out, seeing
that there are not many competitors
to him in his art or mystery in
the City.

Excuse all this trouble
and believe me to be your most sincerely
P.S. Madam A begs to be remembered
to you, a lover your wife in letters.
M^{rs} M^r Sturges