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Dear Richard:

Your favor of 9th inst. received yesterday, and I was indeed glad to hear from you as White was here when your letter came to hand, & drew at sight on Watkins & Co. for \$3000.00 as directed, which I paid over to White. He promised to ship to-morrow the 12th and I will give him st. dft. Monday for balance \$2881.46. The arrangement seemed to be perfectly satisfactory with him. From way he talked I believe he would have been perfectly willing to have shipped the tobacco before we paid him any thing. I saw Lockhart yesterday evening as per advice and very easily convinced him of his mistake. They moved about half of tobacco May 19th delivered to Dutco, and remainder 13th June delivered to Durham Tob. Co. It must be he wanted to shoo off paying it as long as possible. He promised to give ck. for amt \$42.69 this P.M.



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I will notify you if he pays it, and will place it to your credit at Bank as directed. I will be in Oxford Monday and will go from there to Person and will not be back until latter part of week. No news of interest except great excitement over rail roads. Parrish has decided to rebuild his Warehouse and every body seems jubilant over the idea. I understand he expects to have it ready for 1st sale by 21st of Oct. Had letter from Annie few days ago stating that little May had improved a great deal which I am very proud to know. Said Sister was about to get young again. I would like to go to Buffalo for a month if had any one to stay with mother during my absence, and to take her to her father would have house exposed to rogues &c. Dr. Chas. Bradsher says it will do me more good than all the medicines ^{over}

in a dozen apothecary shops in fact -
he thinks it would make a permanent
cure of my trouble. But don't
see how I can leave home to
go any where.

Let me hear from
you soon

yours &c.

J. D. Wright