H. B. Swarr, Esq.

Dear Sir; Yours received. In reply telegraphed you this morning that the parties were not prepared to pay in par funds. They have since called on me & say they may possibly be prepared to do so tomorrow. If they so signify, I will telegraph you tomorrow in time for one of the trains named. The Terre Tenants think if you or Mr. Buchanan were here, they would have no difficulty in inducing you to take the money they now have — Harrisburg, Lancaster, York, etc., etc. I tell them it may be so, but as it now stands they must prepare to pay in par funds.

Very Respectfully Yrs. Etc, R. F. Etter

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