

Washington 23 July 1860

My dear Sir/

I have received your favor of the 20<sup>th</sup> & have placed \$1000 to your credit with Riggs & Co & have received their acknowledgement [sic]. I thought when you left here what you expected in case you were successful in New York to vary your arrangement at least to some extent.

I am rejoiced to learn that in your conviction the Haldeman mass meeting will make no ticket. I trust this may prove to be true.

We have no news here & it is exceedingly dull.

Your friend  
very respectfully  
James Buchanan

Hon. William Bigler

