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no possible publicity will
 ever be given. It was done
 to us to be used at our dis-
 cretion to aid our be-
 lievers. Write me in
 entire confidence & express
 the liberty I have taken
 if I have done wrong.
 Affectionately
 H. J. Child

Balt. 11. 28. 1864

To our dear friends
 Dear friends.

I have heard
 that they had retired from
 their position at the School -
 The past few years have been
 years of peculiar trial to you
 all - I know not what they
 prospects are but it is natural
 that in making a change
 some unavoidable cash expenses
 will have to be incurred.
 There should be that feeling &
 openness among friends that
 will justify them speaking
 freely to each other without
 giving offence. I take the
 freedom of saying that if they
 change requires some cash
 that I would be glad to place
 \$200 of the funds of our class
 at their disposal as a gift of which